

2003 UNHCR Statistical Yearbook

ZAMBIA

1951 Convention:	State party	Region (MDGs):	Developing regions
1967 Protocol:	State party	Sub-region (MDGs):	Sub-Saharan Africa
United Nations:	Africa		
Bureau (UNHCR):	Southern Africa	Other UN country groupings:	
			Least Developed Country, Landlocked Developing Country
Region (UNHCR):	Southern Africa		

A. REFUGEES, ASYLUM-SEEKERS AND OTHERS OF CONCERN TO UNHCR

1. Population of concern to UNHCR, end of year

Category	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003
Refugees*	141,126	129,965	131,139	165,072	168,564	206,386	250,940	284,173	246,765	226,697
Asylum-seekers**	-	-	-	769	1,176	177	259	498	945	180
Returned refugees***	1,573	-	-	-	-	5	-	-	-	5
Internally displaced	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Returned IDPs	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Various/others	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Total	..	..	..	165,841	169,740	206,568	251,199	284,671	247,710	226,882

* UNHCR estimates for most industrialized countries. ** Pending applications. 1994-1995: data available for industrialized countries only. *** Also based on country of asylum reports.

2. Refugees--displacement and durable solutions during the year

Category	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003
Arrivals										
Prima facie/group basis	-	927	1,279	8,605	3,159	37,722	49,709	34,972	7,314	7,793
Individually recognized*	-	-	-	8,441	393	272	360	537	145	99
Resettlement	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Durable solutions										
Voluntary repatriation**	-	3,354	83	29,676	5,338	19	5,966	856	54,293	43,761
Resettlement	-	44	86	45	31	23	280	107	83	157
Naturalization	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

* Includes Convention status and allowed to remain for humanitarian reasons, first instance and appeal. 1994-1995: industrialized countries only. ** Also based on country of return reports.

3. Asylum and refugee status determination during the year (incl. appeal/review)

Category	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003
New applications	-	-	-	8,605	897	338	651	842	644	322
1951 Convention status	-	-	-	8,338	393	272	360	537	145	99
Allowed/humanitarian	-	-	-	103	-	-	-	-	-	-

Responsibility (2003): Government

4. Indicators of host country capacity and contributions

Indicator*	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003
Refugees										
Per 1 USD GDP/capita	408.4	376.1	379.5	477.7	487.8	597.3	726.2	822.4	714.1	656.0
Per 1,000 inhabitants	13.2	12.1	12.3	15.4	15.8	19.3	23.5	26.6	23.1	21.2
Per 1,000 km ²	187.1	172.3	173.9	218.9	223.5	273.7	332.8	376.8	327.2	300.6
Total population of concern to UNHCR										
Per 1 USD GDP/capita	..	..	..	479.9	491.2	597.8	726.9	823.8	716.8	656.6
Per 1,000 inhabitants	..	..	..	15.5	15.9	19.3	23.5	26.6	23.2	21.2
Per 1,000 km ²	..	..	..	219.9	225.1	273.9	333.1	377.5	328.5	300.9

* Refugees and Total population of concern to UNHCR: annual estimates (Table A.1). Figures for GDP per capita, national population and land area are the most recent available estimates.

B. DEMOGRAPHIC CHARACTERISTICS, LOCATION, LEGAL BASIS AND RECOGNITION, END OF 2003

1. Population of concern to UNHCR--demographic characteristics*

Sex	<5	5-17	18-59	60+>	Various	Total	<5 (%)	5-17 (%)	18-59 (%)	60+> (%)	F/M (%)
Female	15,398	23,850	25,277	3,200	-	67,725	23%	35%	37%	5%	50%
Male	14,407	22,611	26,287	3,340	-	66,645	22%	34%	39%	5%	50%
Total	29,805	46,461	51,564	6,540	-	134,370	22%	35%	38%	5%	100%

* May not reflect the total population of concern to UNHCR.

2. Population of concern--location*

Type	Total
Camps/centers	129,512
Urban	4,858
Dispersed/various	92,512
Total	226,882
Camps/centers	57%
Urban	2%

* May not reflect the total population of concern to UNHCR.

3. Refugee population--legal basis

Type	Total
1951 UN Convention	2,033
1969 OAU Convention	224,510
UNHCR Mandate	-
Other/unknown*	154
Total	226,697
1951 Convention	1%

* Including allowed to remain for humanitarian reasons.

4. Refugee population--recognition

Type	Total
Prima facie (group)	222,244
Individually recognized	4,453
Other/unknown	-
Total	226,697
Prima facie (group)	98%
Individually recognized	2%

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C. REFUGEES AND ASYLUM-SEEKERS IN ZAMBIA -- MAIN ORIGIN

1. Refugee population, end of year--main origin (main nationalities in 2003)

Origin*	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003
Angola	103,674	109,545	109,623	147,249	149,778	163,096	198,154	218,154	188,436	158,894
Dem. Rep. of the Congo	13,512	13,320	14,180	13,031	12,195	36,421	45,051	56,132	49,160	58,405
Rwanda	-	1,724	1,858	2,094	4,048	4,155	4,809	5,048	5,032	5,767
Burundi	-	260	330	1,746	1,474	1,629	1,796	2,417	1,583	2,059
Somalia	892	675	709	568	657	669	699	940	941	987

* UNHCR estimates for most industrialized countries.

2. Asylum applicants during the year--main origin (main nationalities during 2003 -- 1994-95 data only incl. industrialized asylum countries)

Origin	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003
Dem. Rep. of the Congo	-	5,875	440	-	222	271	267	199
Burundi	-	1,489	116	121	71	112	122	41
Rwanda	-	1,067	124	157	266	389	191	37
Somalia	-	74	135	41	18	25	37	29

D. REFUGEES AND ASYLUM-SEEKERS FROM ZAMBIA -- MAIN COUNTRIES OF ASYLUM

1. Refugee population, end of year--main countries of asylum (main countries in 2003)

Asylum country*	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003
Other										
Total	16	20	40	63	77	87	98	62	92	100

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2. Asylum applicants during the year--main asylum countries (main countries in 2003 -- 1994-95 data only incl. industrialized asylum countries)

Asylum country	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003
South Africa	-	-	-	-	8	5	57	75
United States	-	-	-	-	4	-	-	9	37	36
Other			12	11	16		12	35	25	42
Total			12	11	20		20	49	119	153

E. POPULATION OF CONCERN IN ZAMBIA -- MAIN LOCATIONS, END OF 2003

Data generally not available for industrialized countries

Location name	Type*	Total
Various	RUR	92,330
Meheba	CAM	29,730
Nangweshi	CAM	26,530
Mwange	CAM	26,040
Kala	CAM	24,010

*CAM = Camps/centers; URB = Urban; RUR = Rural/dispersed/various.

Location name	Type*	Total
Mayukwayuka	CAM	20,690
Various	URB	4,860
Ukwimi	CAM	2,510

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F. HOST COUNTRY INDICATORS FOR ZAMBIA

