

ZIMBABWE

1951 Convention:	State party	Region (MDGs):	Developing regions
1967 Protocol:	State party	Sub-region (MDGs):	Sub-Saharan Africa
United Nations:	Africa	Other UN country groupings:	
Bureau (UNHCR):	Southern Africa	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	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005
Refugees	595	806	1,655	2,071	4,127	8,706	9,432	12,721	6,884	13,850
Asylum-seekers	23	74	165	42	68	766	540	556	-	118
Returned refugees*	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Internally displaced	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Returned IDPs	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	-	-
Stateless persons	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	-	-
Others of concern	..	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total	..	880	1,820	2,113	4,195	9,472	9,972	13,277	6,884	13,968

* Based on country of asylum and origin reports.

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

Category	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005
Arrivals										
Prima facie/group basis	124	233	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Individually recognized*	75	213	106	405	1,986	4,584	725	3,277	960	-
Resettlement	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Durable solutions										
Voluntary repatriation**	65	-	-	12	-	-	-	-	5	7
Resettlement	11	-	-	-	-	6	-	39	-	89
Naturalization	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

* Includes Convention status and allowed to remain for humanitarian reasons, first instance and appeal. ** Based on country of asylum and origin reports.

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

Category	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005
New applications	172	227	295	512	2,026	5,290	539	3,332	960	1,671
1951 Convention status	75	213	106	405	1,986	4,584	725	3,277	960	-
Allowed/humanitarian	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

Responsibility (2005): Government

4. Indicators of host country capacity and contributions

Indicator*	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005
Refugees										
Per 1 USD GDP/capita	1.6	2.2	4.6	5.7	11.4	24.1	26.1	35.2	19.1	38.4
Per 1,000 inhabitants	0.0	0.1	0.1	0.2	0.3	0.7	0.7	1.0	0.5	1.1
Per 1,000 km ²	1.5	2.1	4.2	5.3	10.5	22.2	24.1	32.5	17.6	35.3
Total population of concern to UNHCR										
Per 1 USD GDP/capita	..	2.4	5.0	5.9	11.6	26.2	27.6	36.8	19.1	38.7
Per 1,000 inhabitants	..	0.1	0.1	0.2	0.3	0.7	0.8	1.0	0.5	1.1
Per 1,000 km ²	..	2.2	4.6	5.4	10.7	24.2	25.4	33.9	17.6	35.6

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

B. DEMOGRAPHIC CHARACTERISTICS, LOCATION, LEGAL BASIS AND RECOGNITION, END OF 2005

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	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Male	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

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

2. Population of concern--location*

Type	Total
Camps/centers	2,091
Urban	118
Dispersed/various	-
Total	2,209
Camps/centers	95%
Urban	5%

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3. Refugee population--legal basis

Type	Total
1951 UN Convention	-
1969 OAU Convention	5,519
UNHCR Mandate	-
Other/unknown*	8,331
Total	13,850
1951 Convention	0%

* Including allowed to remain for humanitarian reasons.

4. Refugee population--recognition

Type	Total
Prima facie (group)	-
Individually recognized	13,850
Other/unknown	-
Total	13,850
Prima facie (group)	0%
Individually recognized	100%

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

1. Refugee population, end of year--main origin (main nationalities in 2005)

Origin	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005
Dem. Rep. of the Congo	67	113	222	448	1,914	4,182	4,695	6,122	3,614	6,536
Rwanda	154	189	248	299	1,415	2,777	2,901	3,591	857	4,493
Burundi	40	110	308	404	406	852	909	1,484	1,048	1,473

2. Asylum applicants during the year--main origin (main nationalities during 2005)

Origin	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005
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D. REFUGEES AND ASYLUM-SEEKERS FROM ZIMBABWE -- MAIN COUNTRIES OF ASYLUM

1. Refugee population, end of year--main countries of asylum (main countries in 2005)

Asylum country*	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005
United Kingdom	5	10	15	15	80	225	3,515	5,754	6,505	7,093
Canada	16	16	14	14	7	17	104	654	1,979	2,433
United States	5	11	11	11	17	-	139	270	481	891
Ireland	-	-	-	-	-	1	175	271	312	342
South Africa	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	11	32	114
Other	8	1	2	3	5	14	95	202	259	378
Total	34	38	42	43	109	257	4,030	7,162	9,568	11,251

* UNHCR estimates for most industrialized countries.

2. Asylum applicants during the year--main asylum countries (main countries in 2005)

Asylum country	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005
South Africa	-	-	-	-	-	4	115	2,588	5,789	7,783
United Kingdom	115	60	80	230	1,010	2,115	7,655	4,020	2,520	1,390
Canada	4	11	9	27	178	2,653	257	70	95	683
United States	-	-	6	2	-	56	212	364	359	222
Ireland	-	1	-	4	25	102	357	88	69	51
Other	6	6	2	15	59	196	293	325	333	219
Total	125	78	97	278	1,272	5,126	8,889	7,455	9,165	10,348

E. POPULATION OF CONCERN IN ZIMBABWE -- MAIN LOCATIONS, END OF 2005

Data generally not available for industrialized countries

Location name	Type*	Total
Tongogara	CAM	2,090
Various	URB	120

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F. HOST COUNTRY INDICATORS FOR ZIMBABWE

