

TUNISIA

1951 Convention:	State party	Region (MDGs):	Developing regions
1967 Protocol:	State party	Sub-region (MDGs):	Northern Africa
United Nations:	Africa	Other UN country groupings:	Not applicable
Bureau (UNHCR):	Central Asia, South West Asia, North Africa and the Middle East		
Region (UNHCR):	North Africa		

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

1. Population of concern to UNHCR, end of year

Category	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004
Refugees	199	176	506	528	454	436	97	102	99	90
Asylum-seekers*	-	64	29	27	16	12	18	11	7	12
Returned refugees**	-	2	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-
Internally displaced	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Returned IDPs	..	..	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Stateless/Others	..	..	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total	..	..	535	555	470	449	115	113	106	102

* Pending applications. 1995: data available for industrialized countries only. ** Also based on country of asylum reports.

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

Category	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004
Arrivals										
Prima facie/group basis	59	14	39	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Individually recognized*	-	21	39	26	1	-	-	7	7	-
Resettlement	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Durable solutions										
Voluntary repatriation**	3	55	-	4	3	1	-	-	-	-
Resettlement	1	2	-	12	12	-	-	11	4	-
Naturalization	..	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-

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

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

Responsibility (2004): UNHCR

Category	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004
New applications	-	100	87	81	38	37	33	37	67	74
1951 Convention status	-	21	39	26	1	-	-	7	7	-
Allowed/humanitarian	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

4. Indicators of host country capacity and contributions

Indicator*	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004
Refugees										
Per 1 USD GDP/capita	0.1	0.1	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Per 1,000 inhabitants	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Per 1,000 km ²	1.3	1.1	3.3	3.4	2.9	2.8	0.6	0.7	0.6	0.6
Total population of concern to UNHCR										
Per 1 USD GDP/capita	..	..	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Per 1,000 inhabitants	..	..	0.1	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Per 1,000 km ²	..	..	3.4	3.6	3.0	2.9	0.7	0.7	0.7	0.7

* 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 2004

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	1	4	26	7	-	38	3%	11%	68%	18%	35%
Male	4	5	56	7	-	72	6%	7%	78%	10%	65%
Total	5	9	82	14	-	110	5%	8%	75%	13%	100%

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

2. Population of concern--location*

Type	Total
Camps/centers	-
Urban	110
Dispersed/various	-
Total	110
Camps/centers	0%
Urban	100%

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

3. Refugee population--legal basis

Type	Total
1951 UN Convention	-
1969 OAU Convention	3
UNHCR Mandate	87
Other/unknown*	-
Total	90
1951 Convention	0%

* Including allowed to remain for humanitarian reasons.

4. Refugee population--recognition

Type	Total
Prima facie (group)	3
Individually recognized	87
Other/unknown	-
Total	90
Prima facie (group)	3%
Individually recognized	97%

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

1. Refugee population, end of year--main origin (main nationalities in 2004)

Origin	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004
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2. Asylum applicants during the year--main origin (main nationalities during 2004 -- 1995 data only incl. industrialized asylum countries)

Origin	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004
Algeria	-	45	51	39	25	20	14	22	47	35

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

1. Refugee population, end of year--main countries of asylum (main countries in 2004)

Asylum country*	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004
Germany	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1,047	1,033	982
Switzerland	-	-	135	246	349	420	522	592	648	657
France	120	187	248	278	293	291	297	320	318	319
Canada	60	47	61	68	85	68	103	92	97	103
Netherlands	16	19	34	53	59	63	68	72	74	79
Other	137	153	220	287	454	365	378	420	393	378
Total	333	406	698	932	1,240	1,207	1,368	2,543	2,563	2,518

* UNHCR estimates for most industrialized countries.

2. Asylum applicants during the year--main asylum countries (main countries in 2004 -- 1995 data only incl. industrialized asylum countries)

Asylum country	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004
Germany	313	327	298	338	191	241	177	194	144	130
Switzerland	-	77	95	153	187	173	146	163	154	121
Sweden	23	22	8	12	12	24	22	87	74	58
France	32	26	51	31	24	35	39	42	38	46
Canada	44	46	32	31	72	120	106	59	59	39
Other	77	99	86	157	121	206	161	172	161	148
Total	489	597	570	722	607	799	651	717	630	542

E. POPULATION OF CONCERN IN TUNISIA -- MAIN LOCATIONS, END OF 2004

Data generally not available for industrialized countries

Location name	Type*	Total
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*CAM = Camps/centers; URB = Urban; RUR = Rural/dispersed/various.

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F. HOST COUNTRY INDICATORS FOR TUNISIA

