SUDAN: EAST SUDAN (KASSALA & GEDAREF) & BLUE NILE STATES

Ethiopian Emergency Situation Update

as of 31 December 2021

Arrivals from Ethiopia *(Individuals)**

59,385
Total Arrivals[1]

51,081
East Sudan (Kassala & Gedaref)[1]

8,304
Blue Nile State[2]

* Sources: UNHCR, CoR

Registration Status**

48,576
Individuals registered

82% Individual registration

18% Household registration

[1] As of 31 Dec 2021 | [2]30 Nov 2021
[3] Tenedbha 20,665 and Um Rakuba 18,930 as of 31 Dec 2021
Camp 6 3,524 as of 30 Nov 2021

***Note: Figures have been revised based on verification exercise conducted in East Sudan - all refugee locations.*

Persons with Specific Needs***

2,129

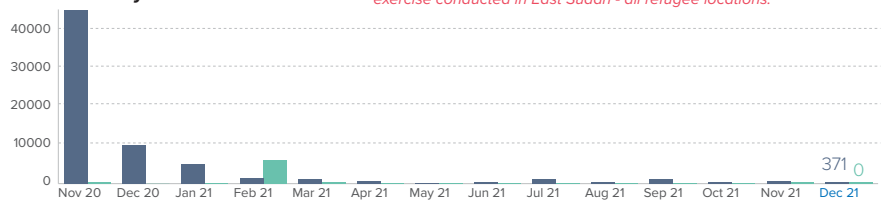
Unaccompanied and Separated Children***

576

School-age Children***

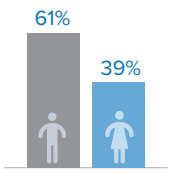
23%
15% Primary school age children (6-13 yrs)
8% Secondary school age children (14-17 yrs)

Monthly Arrival Trends



In November 2020, UNHCR started recording an influx of Ethiopian refugees at the border entry points in East Sudan from northern Ethiopia, after military confrontations in the Tigray region.
UNHCR's teams on the ground in the eastern Sudanese states of Kassala and Gedaref are working with the Sudanese Commissioner for Refugees (COR), local authorities and partners to continue monitor and respond to the situation, as well as mobilizing resources to provide life-saving assistance services to the new arrivals.
Inter-agency coordination is well established.
Similarly, Ethiopian asylum seekers have been crossing from Benishangul-Gumuz region into Sudan's Blue Nile State. UNHCR, COR and partners are also on the ground to respond to their needs.

Age-gender Breakdown***



33% Children (0 - 17 yrs)
Out of which 10% are below 5 yrs.

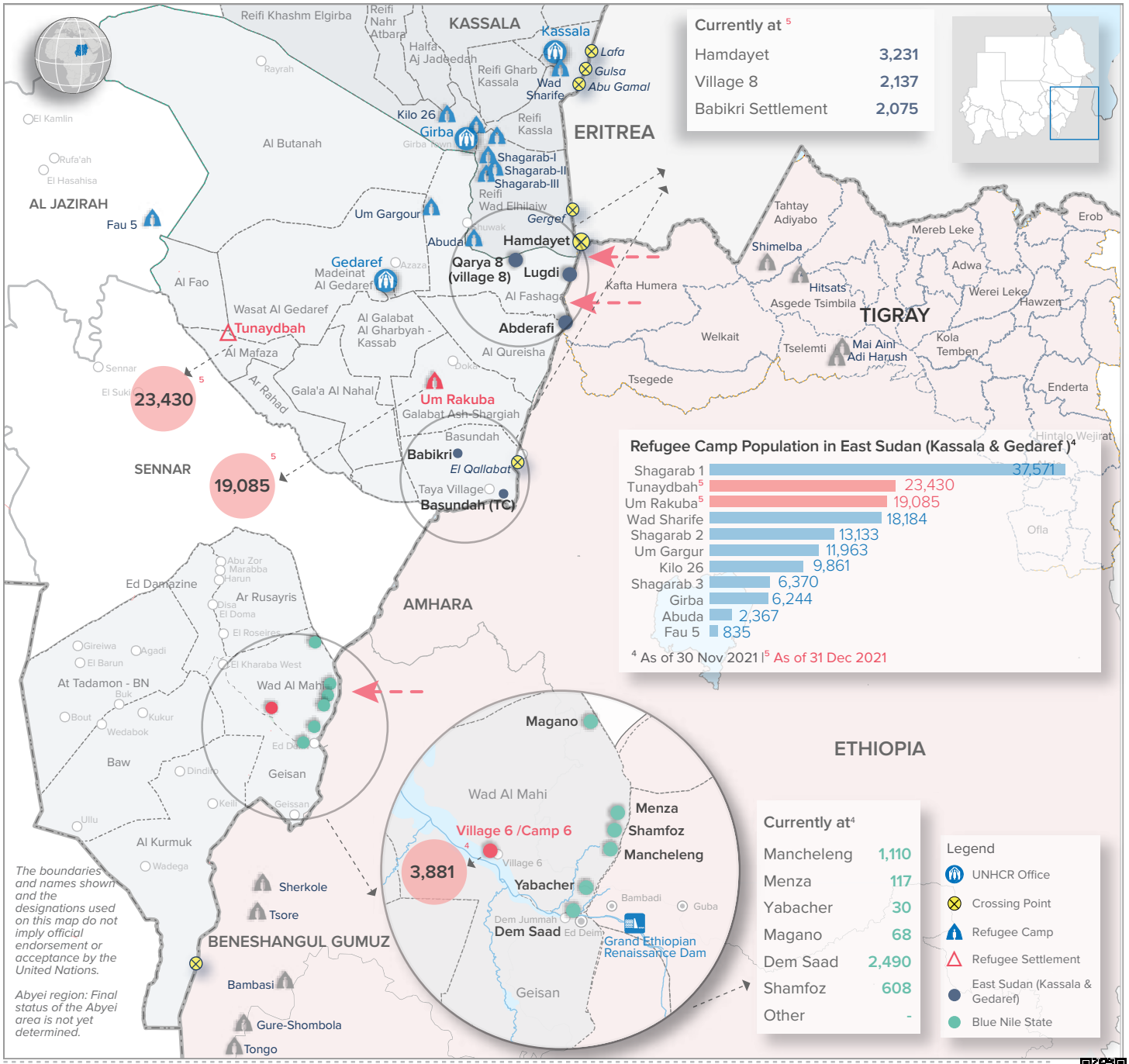
63% Adults (18-59 yrs)

4% Elderly (+60 yrs)

Ethnics Groups***



*** Population distribution statistics are based on registered individuals only.



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