

### Overview of Migrant Situation in Turkey

According to the latest available figures from the Turkish Directorate General for Migration Management (DGMM) currently there are approximately 3,6 million foreign nationals present in Turkish territory seeking for the international protection.

Most of them are Syrians 3,285,533\* who are granted with the temporary protection (TP) status, while according to UNHCR another greater group of the foreign nationals requiring Turkish humanitarian and international protection are 331,487\*\* asylum-seekers and refugees consisting of different nationalities, but mainly coming from Iraq, Afghanistan, Iran, Somalia and other countries.

In addition, there are 586,834\* foreign nationals under residence permit holder status including humanitarian residence holders.

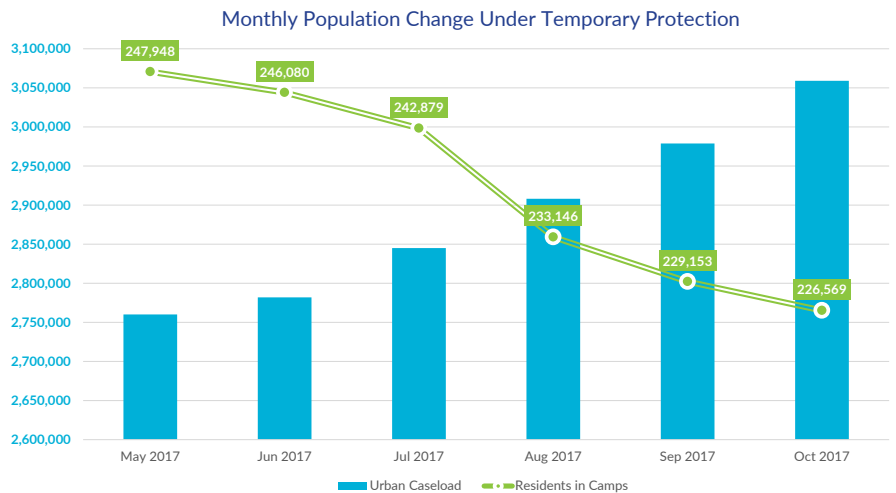
\*Data source DGMM as of 02.11.2017

\*\*Data Source UNHCR, 30.09.2017

### Temporary Protection

Turkey implements a Temporary Protection regime for 3,285,533 individuals from Syria which grants beneficiaries right to legal stay as well as some level of access to basic rights and services. A vast majority of them 3,058,964 individuals, live outside the camps and are spread across the Turkish border provinces while nearly 226,569 live in 21 camps also majority of them are close to the border with Syria.

\*Data source DGMM as of 02.11.2017

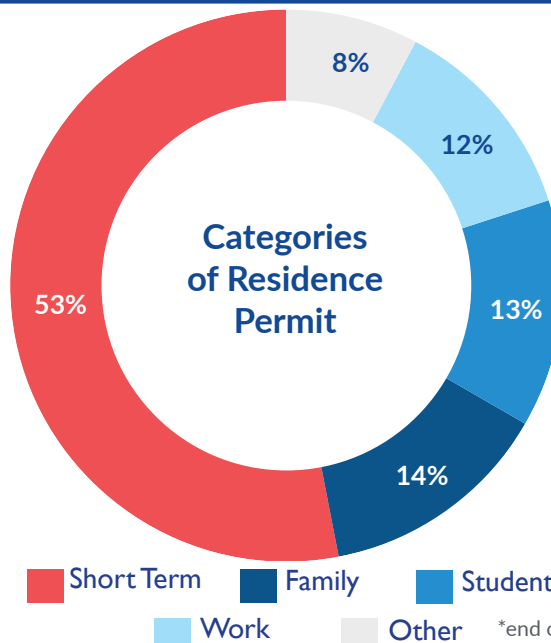


### Asylum Seekers and Refugees

Another greater group other than Syrians who are under TP that requires international protection in Turkey is 331,487 asylum seekers and refugees consisting of different nationalities, but mainly coming from Iraq, Afghanistan, Iran, Somali and other countries.

\*Data Source UNHCR, 30.09.2017

Nationality	Percentage#
Iraq	44%
Afghanistan	42%
Iran	10%
Somalia	1%
Others	3%



### Residence Permit Holders

Foreigners who would stay in Turkey beyond the duration of a visa or a visa exemption or, longer than ninety days should obtain a residence permit. There are 586,834 residence permit holders in Turkey within various categories of the residence permit. According to DGMM, the "other" residence permit category includes Humanitarian Residence permit holders but the exact number is unknown. It is believed that vast majority of this category are Iraqi nationals.

\*Data source DGMM, 02.11.2017

\*end of 2016

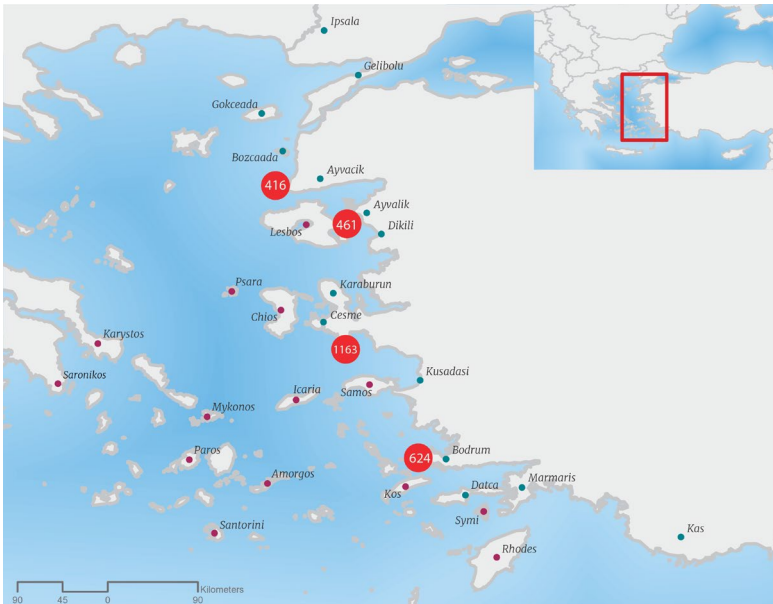


**Readmitted Migrants and Refugees to Turkey Under EU-Turkey Agreement**

Pakistan	616
Syria	226
Algeria	161
Bangladesh	93
Afghanistan	78
Morocco	41
Iran	37
Iraq	30
Sri Lanka	17
Others	100

Since 4 April, 2016 there are 1,399 migrants and refugees readmitted to Turkey from Greece. The main exit points in Greece include Lesvos, Chios, Kos and Samos and the main entry points to Turkey include Dikili, Çeşme, Güllük/Bodrum and Adana. (through the airport).

\*Data source DGMM as of 02.11.2017



**Apprehended Migrants on Land**

According to Turkish Armed Forces (TAF) sources, within the month of October 2017, TAF has registered a total number of 65,008 irregular border crossings which 61,086 of them entering Turkey from Syria, Iraq, Iran, Greece and Nakhichevan and has registered 3,922 irregular crossings from Turkey into Greece, Bulgaria, Syria, Iran and Iraq. The numbers per borders can be seen in the below chart.

\*Data source T.A.F.

Apprehensions by Turkish Land Forces (1 - 30 October 2017)			
Entry		Exit	
Syria	59,339	Greece	3,338
Greece	1,601	Syria	429
Iran	91	Buklgaria	145
Iraq	40	Iran	8
Nakhchivan	15	Iraq	2
<b>Total</b>	<b>61,086</b>	<b>Total</b>	<b>3,922</b>

**Apprehended- Rescued on Sea**

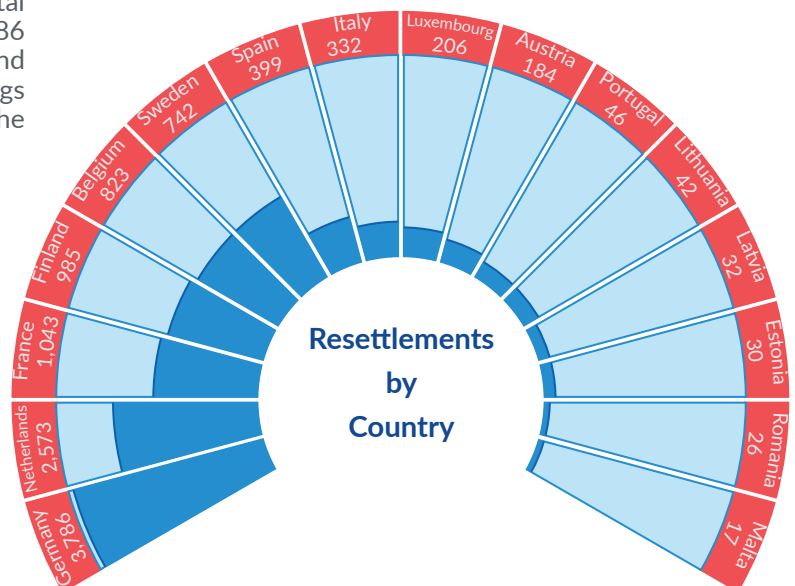
According to Turkish Coast Guard (TCG) Reports , the Turkish Coast Guard has apprehended 2,931 irregular migrants and has no registered fatalities in the month of October 2017. The top ten nationalities of apprehended/rescued migrants are Syria, Afghanistan, Pakistan, Iraq, Bangladesh, Somalia, Myanmar, Eritrea, Angola, Ghana.

\*Data source T.C.G. as of 31.10.2017

**Resettlement of Syrians From Turkey**

Since April 4, a total number of 11,266 Syrians were resettled to the below mentioned countries according to One-to-One mechanism with the assistance of IOM.

\*Data source DGMM, 08.08.2017



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