

# Flow Monitoring Registry

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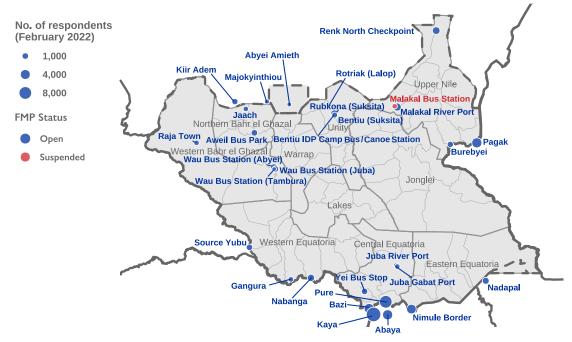


54,361 individuals surveyed<sup>1</sup> 3.4 average group<sup>2</sup> size



DTM's Flow Monitoring Registry (FMR) surveys people on the move at key transit points within South Sudan (SSD) and at its borders. It provides an insight into mobility trends, migration drivers and traveller profiles to inform programming by humanitarian and development partners and by the government, complementing DTM's monitoring of COVID-19 mobility restrictions. In total, 29 Flow Monitoring Points (FMPs) were active in February 2022, surveying internal flows and cross-border travel with Uganda (UGA), the Democratic Republic

of Congo (DRC), Sudan (SDN), Ethiopia (ETH), Kenya (KEN) and the Central African Republic (CAR). The Bentiu IDP Camp Bus / Canoe Station and Rotriak (Lalop) FMPs temporarily opened to support Rubkona (Suksita) FMP, while activities at Malakal Bus Station continue to be suspended. Figures are only indicative of existing trends among respondents at the active FMPs since DTM does not have full coverage of cross-border or internal flows. Participation in the survey is voluntary and anonymous.











#### Reasons for displacement<sup>3</sup> by direction of travel

Reason for disp.	<b>Outgoing</b> (n = 1,328)	<b>Internal</b> (n = 942)	<b>Incoming</b> (n = 1,659)
Conflict	23.0%	5.7%	30.5%
Natural Disaster	61.0%	49.5%	15.8%
Food Insecurity	16.0%	44.8%	53.7%

Additionally, 13 displaced individuals were surveyed in transit through South Sudan.

#### Long / medium term<sup>4</sup> flows of South Sudanese to South Sudan (exc. IDPs)

Place of departure	Voluntary return	Forced³ return	Voluntary relocation
From SSD	<b>670</b> (24 refugees <sup>5</sup> )	177 (11 refugees)	230 (34 refugees)
From abroad	<b>2,259</b> (953 refugees)	24 (4 refugees)	<b>165</b> (102 refugees)

980 possible voluntary returnees (of which 478 from abroad), 5 forced returnees (0 from abroad) and 347 relocated individuals (111 from abroad) reported an unknown intended duration of stay or unknown length of stay at the location of departure.

#### Long / medium term<sup>4</sup> total migration flows by country

Country	Inflow	Outflow	Net flow
Uganda	<b>685</b> (541 refugees <sup>5</sup> )	<b>192</b> (66 refugees)	<b>+493</b> (475 refugees)
DRC	50 (44 refugees)	2 (O refugees)	<b>+48</b> (44 refugees)
Sudan	<b>1,589</b> (313 refugees)	<b>396</b> (39 refugees)	<b>+1,193</b> (274 refugees)
Ethiopia	0 (0 refugees)	0 (0 refugees)	0 (0 refugees)
Kenya	<b>189</b> (167 refugees)	233 (118 refugees)	<b>-44</b> (49 refugees)
CAF	22 (3 refugees)	5 (O refugees)	<b>+17</b> (3 refugees)

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# FMR South Sudan – Uganda

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16,514 incoming persons 4.1 average group size



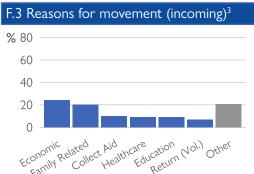
25,657 people surveyed 3.7 average group<sup>2</sup> size



1,057 displaced<sup>1</sup> persons 4.1% of respondents



9,143 outgoing persons 3.1 average group size



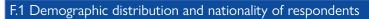


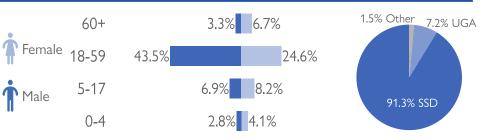
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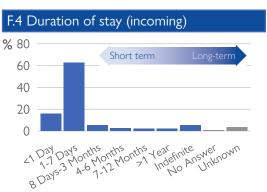


147 persons with special needs over 60





children

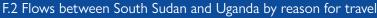


F.5 Time trend (incoming)<sup>4</sup>

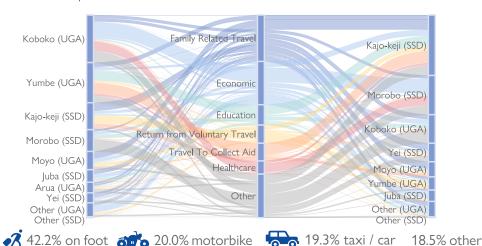
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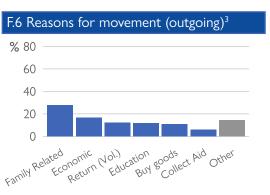
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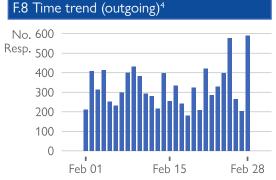


Reason for movement Destination Departure









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# FMR South Sudan – Democratic Republic of Congo

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3,265 incoming persons 2.6 average group size



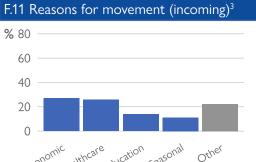
5,475 people surveyed 3.0 average group<sup>2</sup> size



0 displaced<sup>1</sup> persons 0.0% of respondents



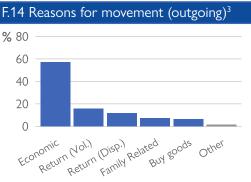
2,210 outgoing persons 3.8 average group size



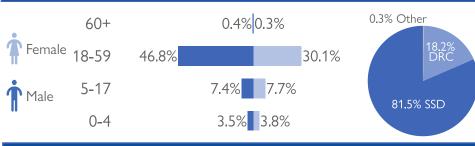




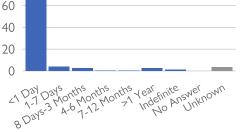










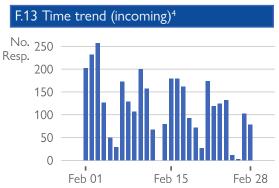


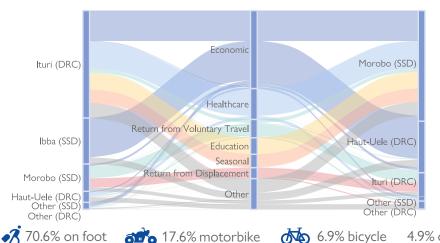


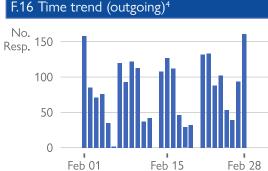
F.9 Demographic distribution and nationality of respondents

Destination Departure Reason for movement









Notes: [Rounding] Percentages may not add up to 100% as a result of rounding error. 1. [Displacement] Individuals reporting forced movement due to conflict,

often corresponds to the household. 3. [F.11, F.14] 'Return (Vol.)' = returning from reflect the number of individuals travelling. natural disaster or food insecurity (if intention to stay over a week) are counted as voluntary travel. 4. [F.13, F. 16] The number of individuals surveyed on a given day

displaced. 2. [Group] Individuals travelling together are surveyed as a group, which may fluctuate as a result of staffing and access constraints, and does not necessarily



### FMR South Sudan – Sudan

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3,064 incoming persons 3.8 average group size



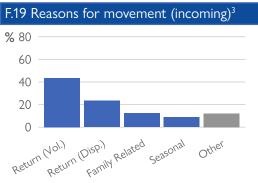
5,185 people surveyed 3.5 average group<sup>2</sup> size



685 displaced<sup>1</sup> persons 13.2% of respondents



2,121 outgoing persons 3.2 average group size

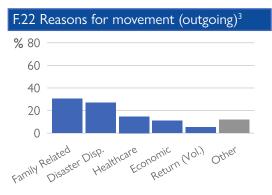














F.21 Time trend (incoming)<sup>4</sup>

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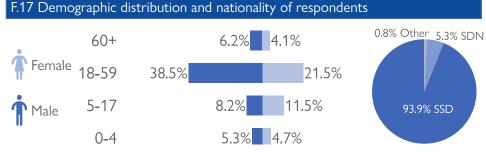
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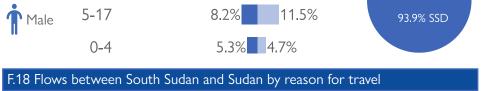
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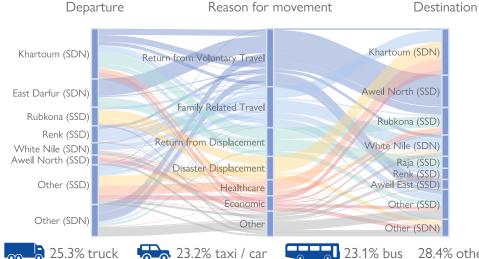
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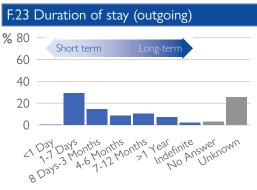
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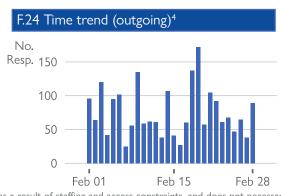












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often corresponds to the household. 3. [F.19, F.22] 'Return (Vol.)' = returning from reflect the number of individuals travelling. natural disaster or food insecurity (if intention to stay over a week) are counted as voluntary travel. 4. [F.21, F.24] The number of individuals surveyed on a given day

displaced. 2. [Group] Individuals travelling together are surveyed as a group, which may fluctuate as a result of staffing and access constraints, and does not necessarily



### FMR South Sudan – Ethiopia

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3,405 incoming persons 14.3 average group size



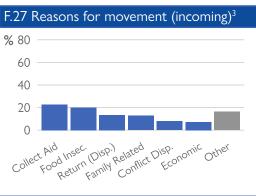
4,814 people surveyed 15.4 average group<sup>2</sup> size



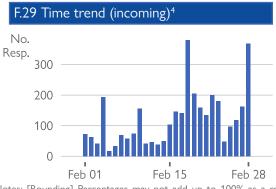
1,011 displaced<sup>1</sup> persons 21.0% of respondents



1,409 outgoing persons 18.8 average group size









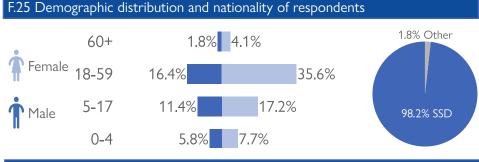


920 pregnant or lactating women



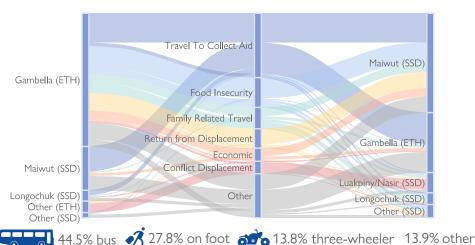
73 unaccompanied children

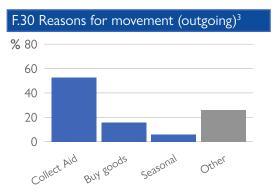


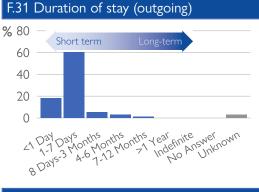


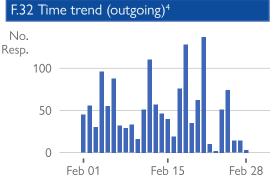
### F.26 Flows between South Sudan and Ethiopia by reason for travel

Destination Departure Reason for movement









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# FMR South Sudan – Kenya

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1,245 incoming persons 1.9 average group size



2,625 people surveyed 2.1 average group<sup>2</sup> size



211 displaced<sup>1</sup> persons 8.0% of respondents



1,380 outgoing persons 2.4 average group size

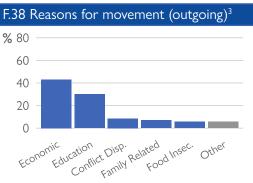


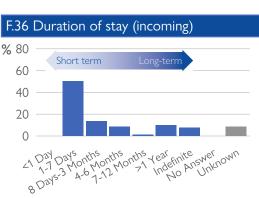


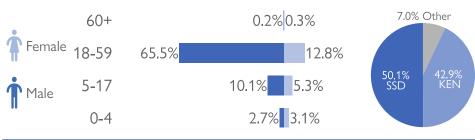


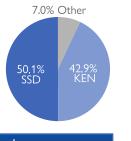
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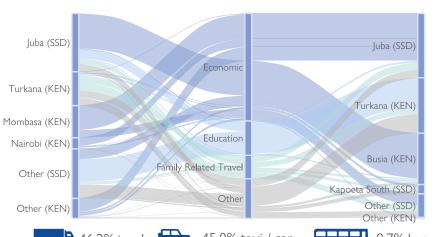


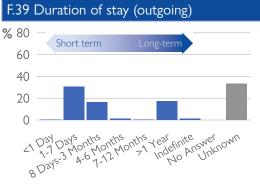


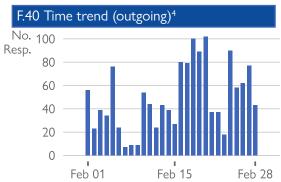
### F.34 Flows between South Sudan and Kenya by reason for travel

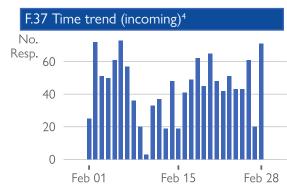
F.33 Demographic distribution and nationality of respondents

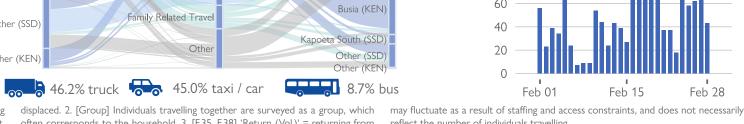
Destination Departure Reason for movement











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often corresponds to the household. 3. [F.35, F.38] 'Return (Vol.)' = returning from voluntary travel. 4. [F.37, F.40] The number of individuals surveyed on a given day

reflect the number of individuals travelling.



# FMR South Sudan – Central African Republic

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395 incoming persons 3.1 average group size



**877** people surveyed 3.0 average group<sup>2</sup> size



0 displaced<sup>1</sup> persons 0.0% of respondents





482 outgoing persons 2.9 average group size

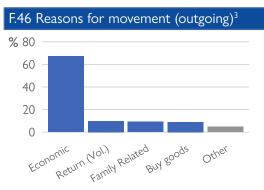




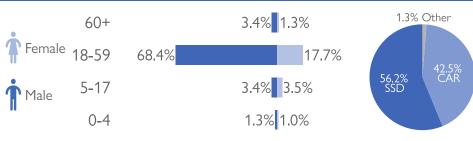
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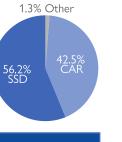


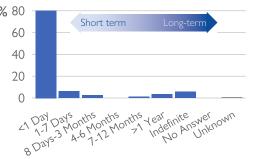










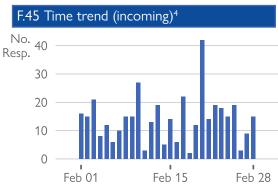


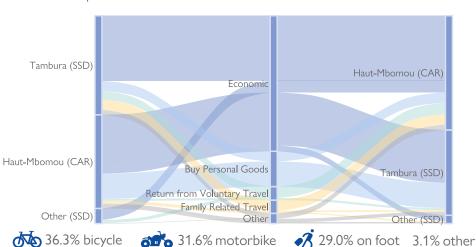


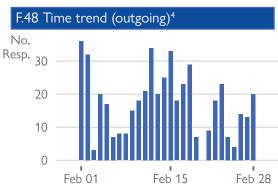
F.41 Demographic distribution and nationality of respondents











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### **FMR Internal Movement**

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8,889 people surveyed 2.5 average group<sup>2</sup> size



942 displaced<sup>1</sup> persons 10.6% of respondents



943 pregnant or lactating women



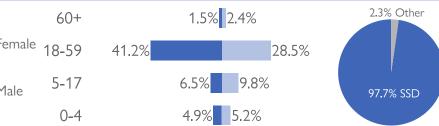
unaccompanied children



195 persons with special needs over 60

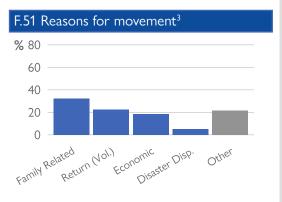
22.6% bus 13.1% other

### F.49 Demographic distribution and nationality of respondents

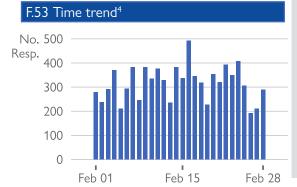


#### F.50 Flows within South Sudan by reason for travel

Reason for movement Departure Destination Renk (SSD) Wau (SSD) Family Related Travel Juba (SSD) Malakal (SSD) Abyei Administrative Area (SSD) Renk (SSD) Malakal (SSD) Return from Voluntary Travel Juba (SSD) Rubkona (SSD) Rubkona (SSD) Wau (SSD) Kajo-keji (SSD) Economic Disaster Displacement Other (SSD) Other (SSD) Other







#### Methodology

DTM's Flow Monitoring Registry (FMR) surveys people's movement through key transit points within South Sudan and at its borders. The purpose is to provide regularly updated information on mobility dynamics and traveller demographics, intentions and motivations. Data is collected on both internal and cross-border flows.

Flow Monitoring Points (FMPs) are positioned at strategic border crossings and transport hubs, as determined by a preliminary assessment of high-transit locations. As a result, **the data is indicative of selected key flows** and does not provide a full or statistically representative picture of internal and cross-border movement in South Sudan.

The FMR methodology aims to track all non-local traffic passing through an FMP, usually between 8:00-17:00, during the week and on weekends. Trained enumerators briefly survey each group of travellers and collect disaggregated information about individual demographics and vulnerabilities. Participation in the survey is voluntary and children under 15 are not directly interviewed.

FMPs are not active overnight as a result of security constraints and operations may be temporarily suspended in periods of increased risk. Due to staffing constraints, full coverage may not be possible at times of exceptionally high movement through the FMP.

Notes: [Icons] Icons by Pedro Santos, Jaime M. Laurel, Simon Child, Mike Rowe, Tom Fricker and ProSymbols from the Noun Project. [Rounding] Percentages may not add up to 100% as a result of rounding error. 1. [Displacement] Individuals reporting forced movement due to conflict, natural disaster or food insecurity (if intention to

40.0% boat 6 24.3% taxi/car

stay over a week) are counted as displaced. 2. [Group] Individuals travelling together are surveyed as a group, which often corresponds to the household. 3. [F.51] 'Return (Vol.)' = returning from voluntary travel. 4. [F.53] The number of individuals surveyed on a given day may fluctuate as a result of staffing and access constraints, and does

not necessarily reflect the number of individuals travelling.