IOM Yemen DTM's Flow Monitoring Registry (FMR) monitors key migrant arrival and Yemeni return locations on Yemen's northern border with the Kingdom of Saudi Arabia (KSA) and southern coastal border. Enumerators placed at Flow Monitoring Points (FMPs) record arrivals of migrants and returning Yemeni nationals in order to identify different patterns and types of migration, and to provide quantitative estimates to help define the population of irregular migrants entering the country. FMR is not representative of all flows in Yemen and should be understood as only indicative of the individuals recorded at FMPs during the timeframe indicated. Access constraints limit the ability to collect data at some migrant arrival points.

From 1st January to 31st December 2020, an estimated 37,535 migrants arrived in Yemen, and 13,895 Yemenis returned from KSA, while another 266 Yemenis returned from the Horn of Africa.

### Migrant Arrivals

**Sex & Age Groups**

- Men: 72%
- Women: 16%
- Boys: 9%
- Girls: 1%

**Total Migrants per Month, by Nationality**

- Ethiopians: 5,854
- Somalis: 3,467
- Yemenis: 2,353
- Others: 1,017

**Vulnerabilities**

- Unaccompanied children: 1,017
- Children less than 5 years of age: 3,467
- Pregnant or lactating: 2,353
- Elderly persons (+60): 1,017

### Yemeni Returns from KSA and Horn of Africa

**Total Returnees by Month and Travel Documents**

- Yemenis returned without Travel Documents: 13,895
- Yemenis returned with Travel Documents: 2,353

**Returnees by Country**

- Yemen: 12,579
- Saudi Arabia: 218
- Horn of Africa: 464
- Somalia: 2,353

**Regions**

- IBB
- Al-Mahwit
- Al-Jawf
- Al-Arah
- Al-Falahein
- Al-Khabyah
- Ber Ali
- Eyn

### Migrants by Country of Destination

- Yemen: 35,333
- Saudi Arabia: 2,182
- Horn of Africa: 1,379

### Migrants by Country of Departure

- Djibouti: 24,956
- Somalia: 13,151

### Map Details

- Arabian Sea
- Gulf of Aden
- Horn of Africa
- Yemen
- Saudi Arabia
- Oman
- Somalia

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