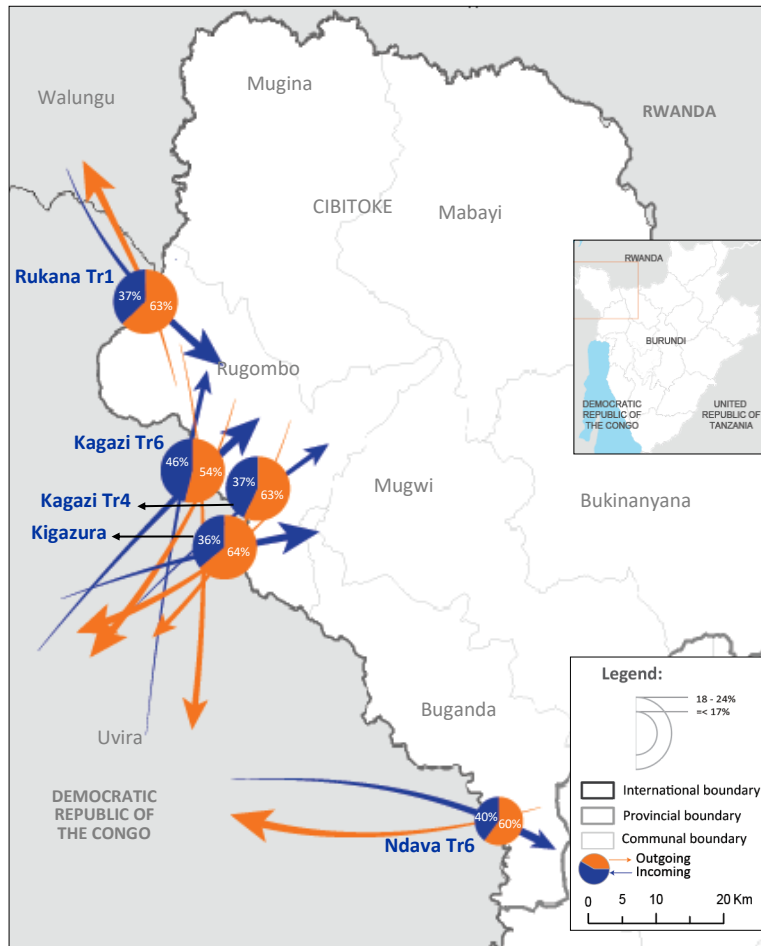


OVERVIEW AND TRENDS

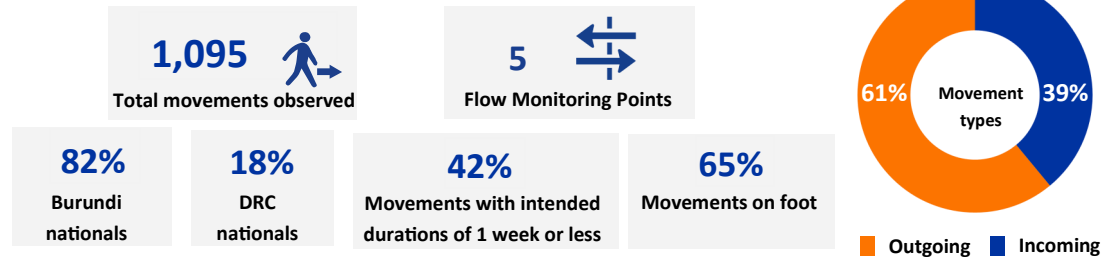
This Dashboard provides an analysis of the trends in population mobility observed at five (5) flow monitoring points (FMPs) established at unofficial border crossings between Burundi and the Democratic Republic of the Congo at Kagazi Tr4, Kagazi Tr6, Kigazura, Ndava Tr6 and Rukana Tr1. Over the reporting period, a total of 1,095 movements were observed at these points. This represents an increase of 18 per cent as compared to the daily average movements observed in September 2020. About 39 per cent of all movements were incoming and 61 per cent were outgoing, with all the movements travelling towards the Democratic Republic of the Congo, also the main country of origin for incoming movements. The migration movements tracked have decreased by 96% as compared to March 2020 (28,348 movements), following the decision taken by the Burundian authorities to restrict movements into the country in an effort to curb the spread of COVID-19.

MOVEMENT ILLUSTRATION

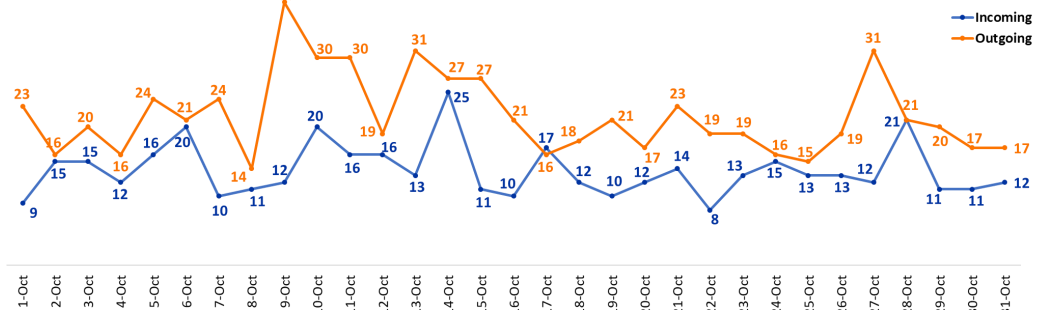


Map disclaimer: The arrows show the main flows registered for each FMP. This map is for illustration purposes only. Names and boundaries on this map do not imply official endorsement or acceptance by IOM.

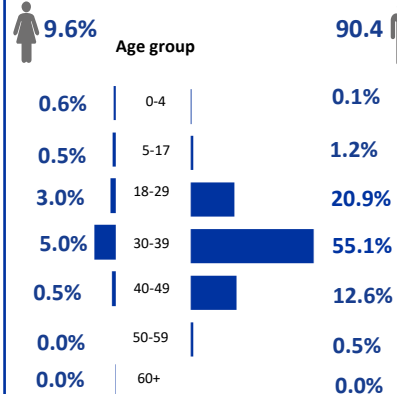
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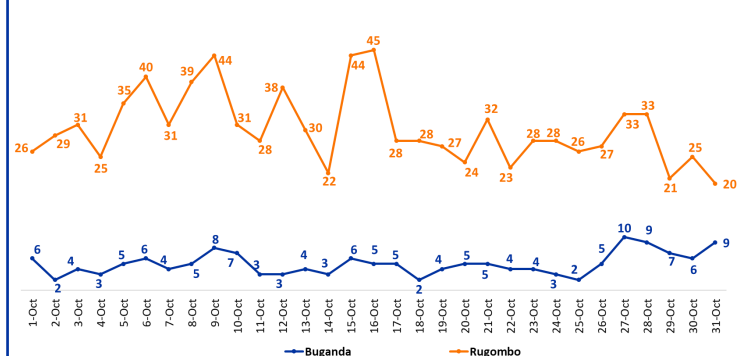
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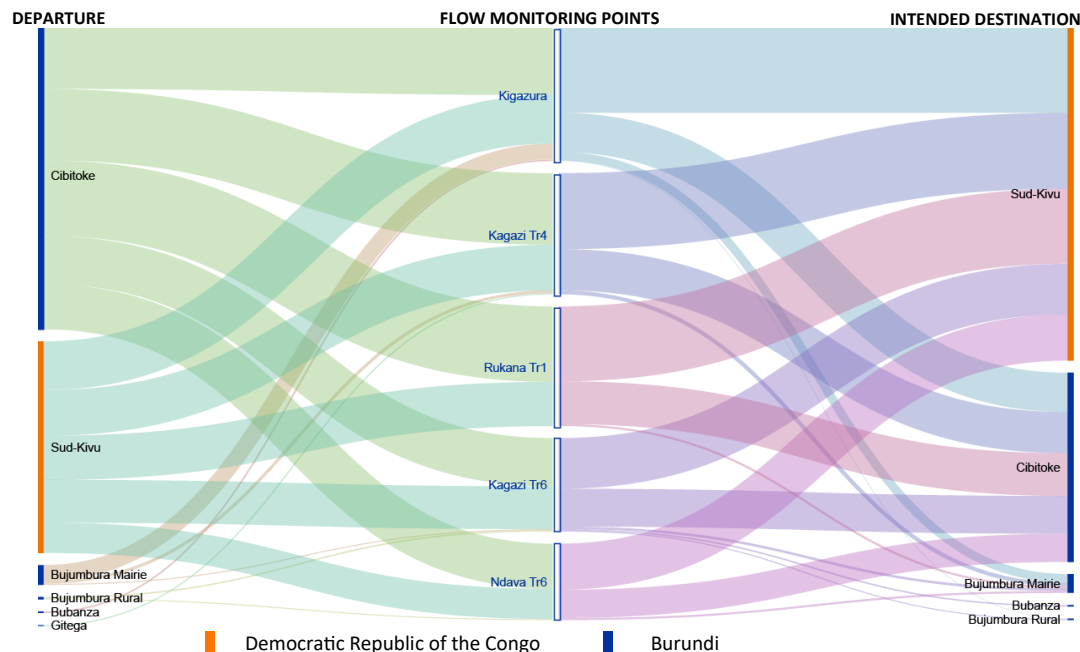
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OBSERVATIONS BY COMMUNE OF FMP DURING THE REPORTING PERIOD



MIGRATION FLOWS



HIGHLIGHTS

Movements: Of the 1,095 movements, the largest proportion of travellers were between 18-59 years of age (98%). All the outgoing movements were headed to Democratic Republic of the Congo. About 65 per cent of the movements were made by crossing on foot and 35 per cent were by swimming. Around 1 per cent of the movements were children under five. Vulnerabilities tracked have decreased significantly since March due to the movement restrictions.

Duration of the movements: About 42 per cent of the movements were of temporary nature, between one day and one week.

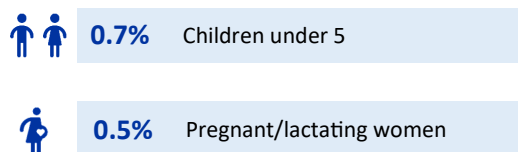
Reasons for movement: The majority of movements were driven by economic reasons (36.0%), the need to return home (35.4%), and family-related reasons (25.2%). Seasonal movements, movements driven by the need to buy goods for personal consumption, and movements for health needs represented about 3 per cent of the 1,095 individuals.

Flow Monitoring Points (FMPs): About 24 per cent of the movements were tracked through Kagazi Tr4 flow monitoring point, 21 per cent of movements tracked through Rukana Tr1, 19 per cent through Kagazi Tr6, 19 per cent through Kigazura, and 17 per cent through Ndava Tr6.

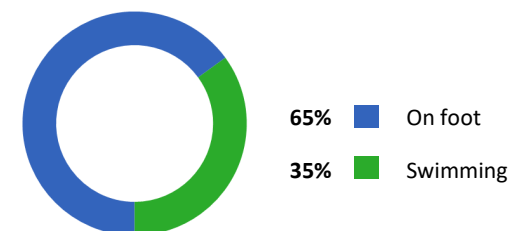
REASONS FOR MOVING

| Raisons du déplacement | Incoming (%) | Outgoing (%) | Grand Total (%) |
|------------------------------------|--------------|--------------|-----------------|
| Economic reasons | 8.0% | 53.7% | 36.0% |
| Return | 72.5% | 11.9% | 35.4% |
| Visit Family | 18.1% | 29.7% | 25.2% |
| Seasonal | 0.0% | 3.6% | 2.2% |
| Buy goods for personal consumption | 1.4% | 0.3% | 0.7% |
| Health | 0.0% | 0.6% | 0.4% |
| Education | 0.0% | 0.1% | 0.1% |
| Grand Total (%) | 57% | 43% | 100% |

VULNERABILITY PROFILE



MEANS OF TRANSPORT



Methodology: Flow monitoring is a component of DTM (Displacement Tracking Matrix) used to describe trends in the flows of individuals observed. Flow Monitoring (FM) is used for internal and cross-border population movement to better inform on nature, volume, direction and drivers of migration. The exercise is carried out at Flow Monitoring Points (FMPs) strategically established at the border with Democratic Republic of the Congo where trained enumerators interview people passing through the Flow Monitoring Points (FMPs) in both directions, irrespective of their status (migrants or others) by nationality and with information disaggregated by sex and age. FM informs on population movements, origin and intended destinations, reasons for moving and population profiles.

Limitations: The Flow Monitoring Points are strategically placed to capture the most characteristic migration flows, and to complement systems established by government authorities. The exercise does not aim at providing a full description of all movements in the country or through a specific point, but should be understood as a way of describing the characteristics of population movements and profiles at targeted locations limited to those people observed. Data in this report covers the period between 1 and 31 October 2020, everyday from 6:00 AM to 6:00 PM.