

SITUATION OVERVIEW

- Nigerians make up 3.5% of the world's 117 million forcibly displaced persons, including both internally displaced individuals and Nigerian refugees, primarily in the Lake Chad Basin.
- Conflict, insurgency, and communal violence have displaced millions, with the North-East experiencing the highest displacement.

KEY FIGURES

142,268

REFUGEES AND ASYLUM-SEEKERS IN NIGERIA

- Nigeria hosts refugees & asylum-seekers from over 45 countries, with majority from Cameroon
- Most refugees are concentrated in border states across the North East (Borno, Adamawa, Yobe), North Central (Benue), and South South (Cross River) regions of Nigeria.
- 16,582 individuals are awaiting registration.

3,544,519

INTERNALLY DISPLACED PERSONS

- 2,292,477 individuals displaced in the North East, primarily due to insurgency (92%) and communal clashes (6%).
- In the North West, 650,345 individuals are displaced, while the North Central region has 601,697, driven by various conflict dynamics.

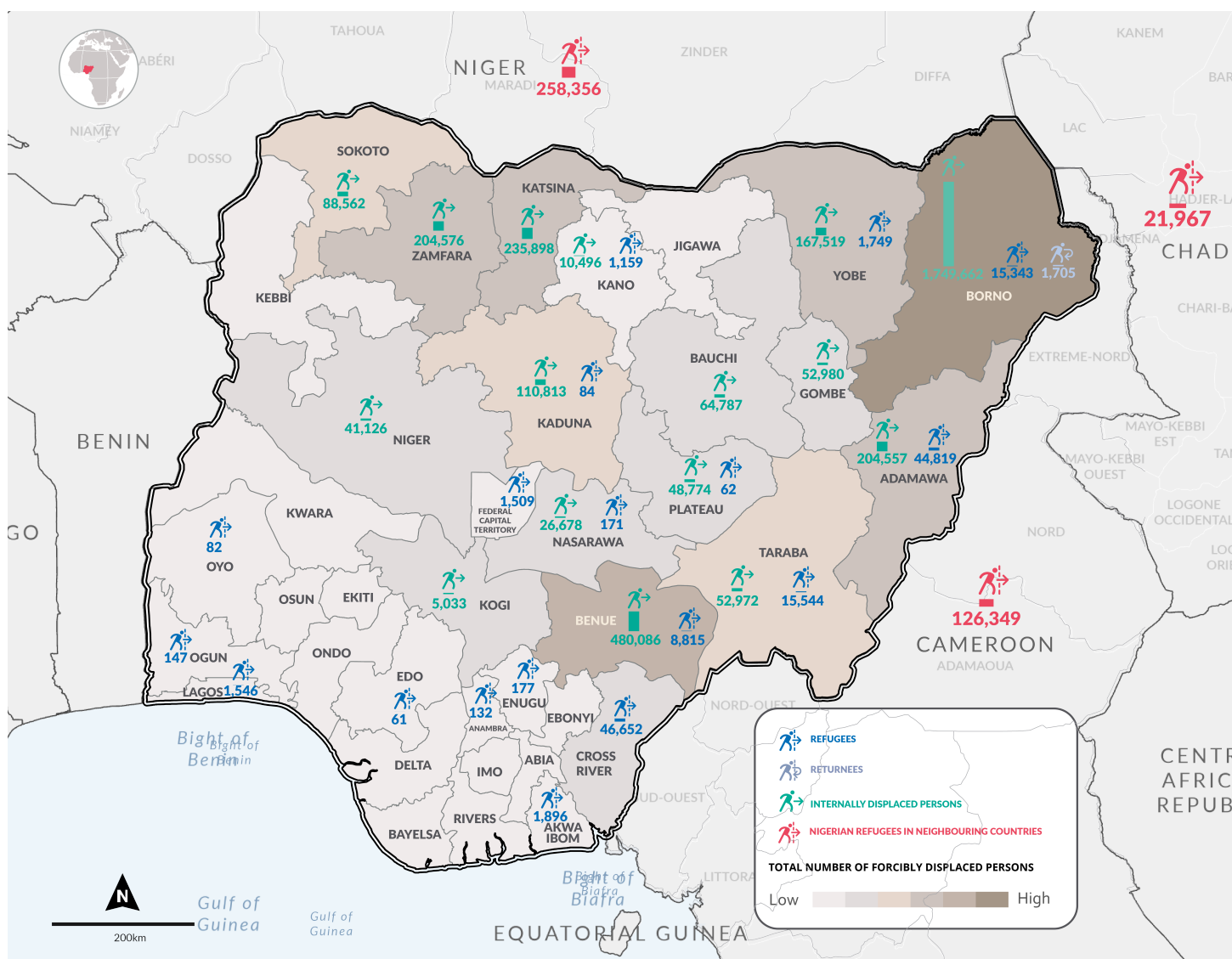
1,705

REFUGEE RETURNEES

- Under the tripartite agreement, 1,705 Nigerian refugees were voluntarily returned to their areas of origin in Borno State.

406,672

NIGERIAN REFUGEES REGISTERED IN CAMEROON, CHAD, AND NIGER



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