



38 Flow Monitoring Points
1,647 average no. of respondents / FMP



62,582 individual journeys surveyed¹
2.9 average group² size



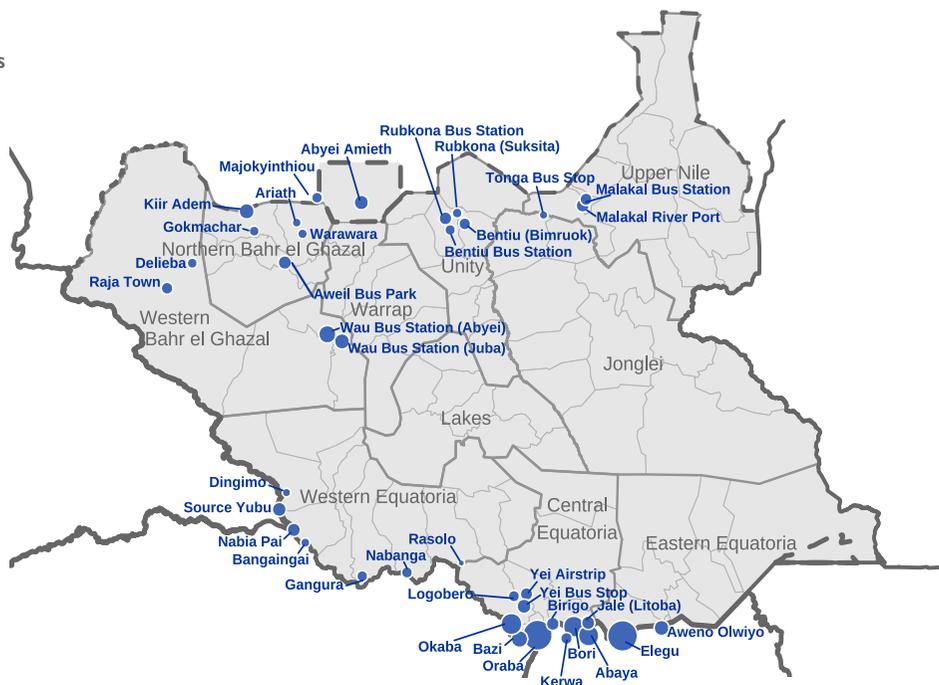
2,096 displaced individuals³
3.3% of respondents

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. In total, 38 Flow Monitoring Points (FMPs) were active in January 2020, surveying internal flows and cross-border travel with Uganda (UGA), the Democratic Republic of Congo (DRC), Sudan (SDN) and the Central African Republic

(CAR). Three FMPs were deactivated in December: Panjala and Busia FMPs in Uganda on the border with Magwi and Morobo Counties, and Paloich FMP in Melut County. Additionally, Lasu and Tokori FMPs (Yei County) were phased out after operations had been suspended for security reasons since October 2019. 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.

No. of respondents
(January 2020)

- 1,000
- 4,000
- 8,000



Reasons for displacement³ by direction of travel

Reason for disp.	Outgoing (n = 1,686)	Internal (n = 249)	Incoming (n = 151)
Conflict	42.3%	41.8%	72.2%
Natural Disaster	5.6%	35.7%	2.0%
Food Insecurity	52.1%	22.5%	25.8%

Long / medium term⁴ flows of South Sudanese⁵ to South Sudan (exc. IDPs)

Place of departure	Voluntary return	Forced ³ return	Voluntary relocation
From SSD	1,163 (169 refugees)	8 (0 refugees)	254 (1 refugees)
From abroad	2,280 (409 refugees ⁵)	43 (28 refugees)	215 (49 refugees)

Additionally, DTM tracked 1,771 possible voluntary returnees (of which 1,342 from abroad), 46 possible forced returnees (of which 32 from abroad), and 828 possible relocated individuals (of which 246 from abroad) with unreported / unknown intended duration of stay or time spent at the location of departure.

Long / medium term⁴ total migration flows by country

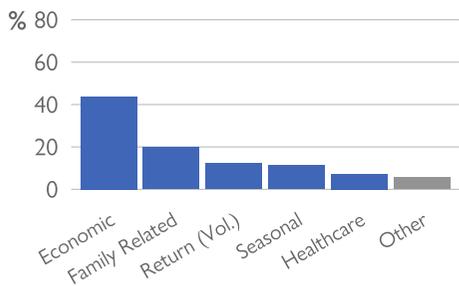
Country	Inflow	Outflow	Net flow
Uganda	498 (170 refugees)	411 (68 refugees)	+87 (102 refugees)
DRC	206 (48 refugees)	113 (5 refugees)	+ 93 (43 refugees)
Sudan	2,139 (207 refugees)	552 (38 refugees)	+ 1,587 (169 refugees)
CAR	106 (57 refugees)	134 (0 refugees)	-28 (57 refugees)

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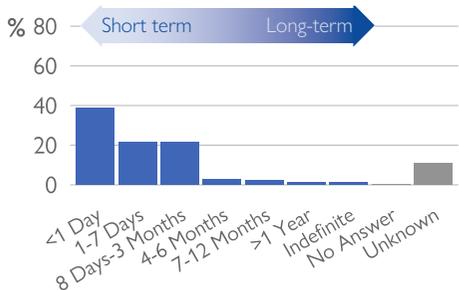
[1] Respondents going to or coming from Kenya (1,268 individuals), Ethiopia (7) or non-neighbouring countries (65), as well as respondents whose locations of departure and destination are both outside South Sudan (317), are not included in country-specific analysis. [2] Individuals travelling together are surveyed as a group, which often corresponds to the household. [3] Individuals reporting forced movement due to conflict, natural disaster or food insecurity (if intention to stay over a week) are counted as displaced. [4] Flows are considered to be long / medium term if the group spent over 3 months at the location of departure and intends to spend over 6 months at destination. [5] Registered refugee status is self-reported.



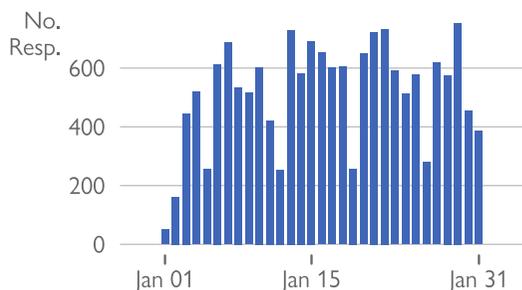
F.3 Reasons for movement (incoming)³



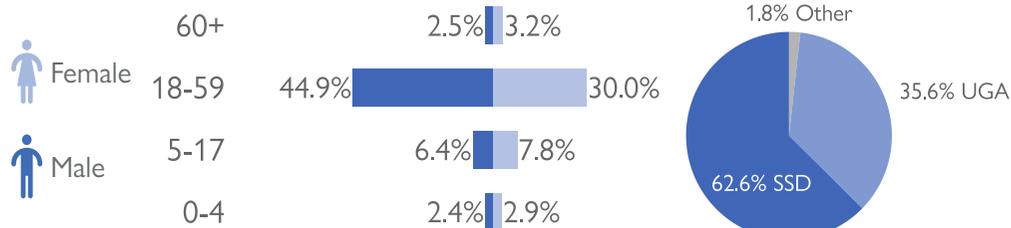
F.4 Duration of stay (incoming)



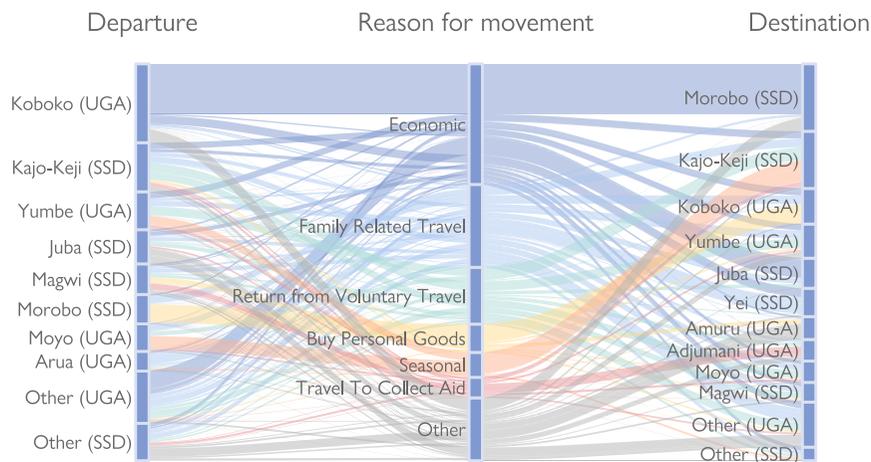
F.5 Time trend (incoming)⁴



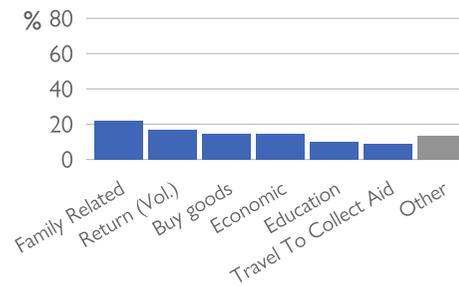
F.1 Demographic distribution and nationality of respondents



F.2 Flows between South Sudan and Uganda by reason for travel



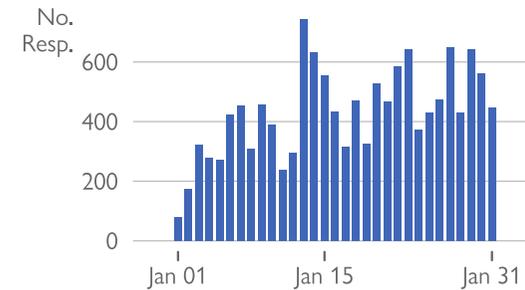
F.6 Reasons for movement (outgoing)³



F.7 Duration of stay (outgoing)



F.8 Time trend (outgoing)⁴



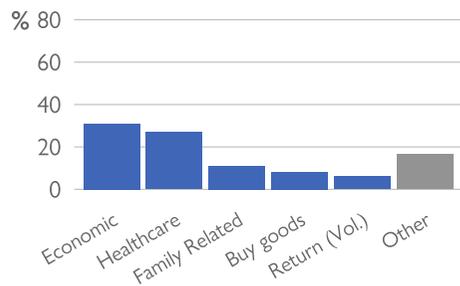
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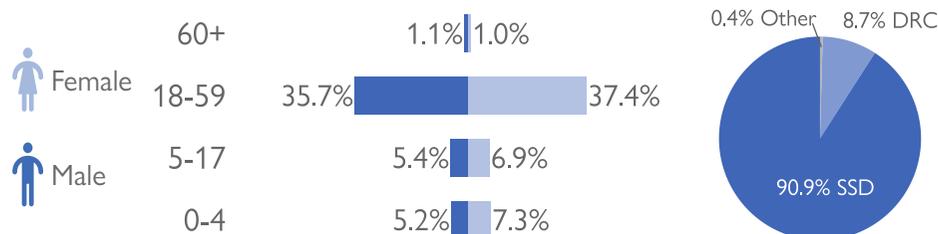
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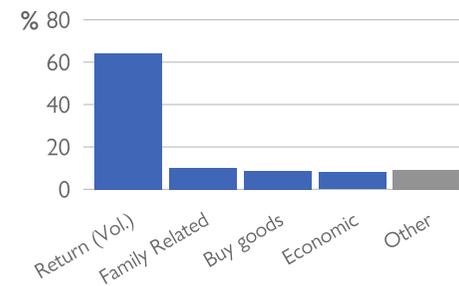
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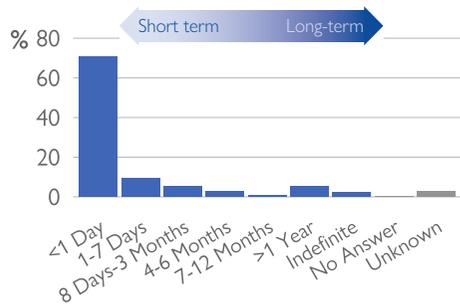
F.9 Demographic distribution and nationality of respondents



F.14 Reasons for movement (outgoing)³



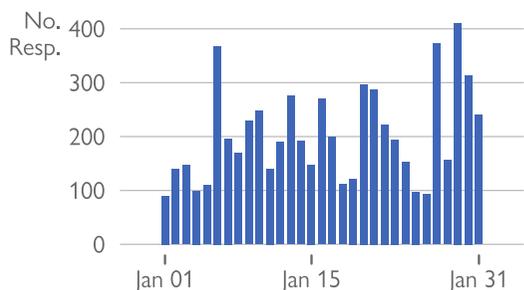
F.12 Duration of stay (incoming)



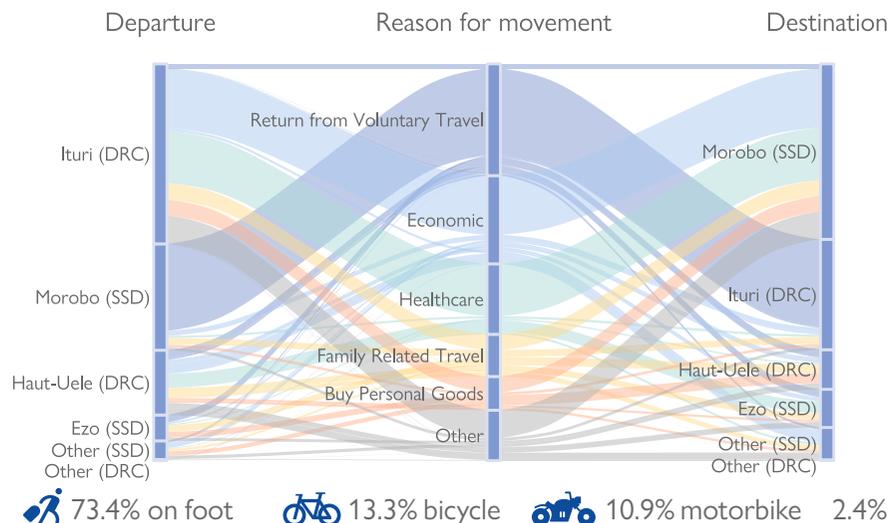
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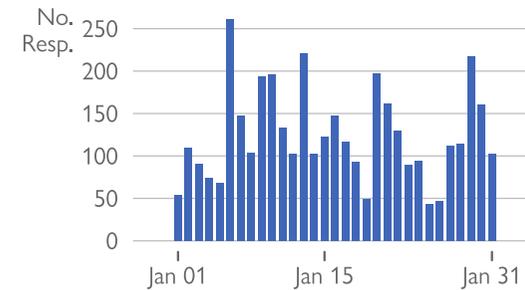
F.13 Time trend (incoming)⁴



F.10 Flows between South Sudan and DRC by reason for travel



F.16 Time trend (outgoing)⁴



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4,213 incoming journeys
3.3 average group size



7,097 individual journeys
3.1 average group² size

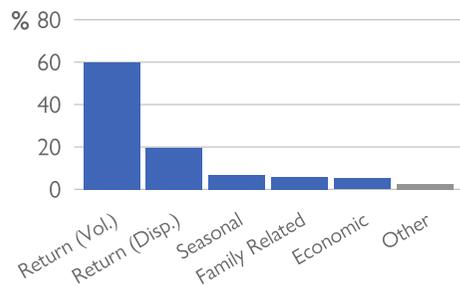


361 displaced¹ individuals
5.1% of respondents



2,884 outgoing journeys
2.9 average group size

F.19 Reasons for movement (incoming)³



575 pregnant or lactating women



13 unaccompanied children

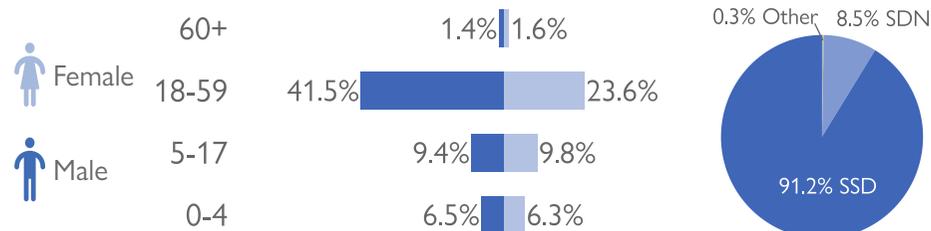


88 persons with mental or physical disabilities

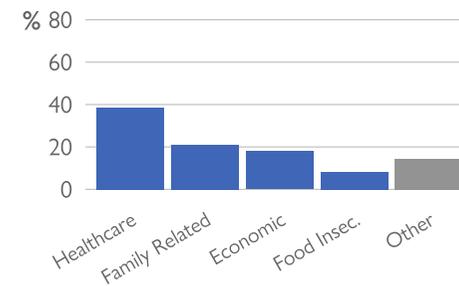


122 persons with special needs over 60

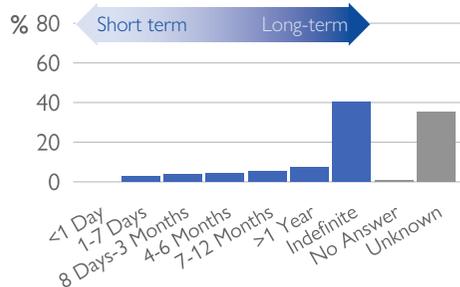
F.17 Demographic distribution and nationality of respondents



F.22 Reasons for movement (outgoing)³



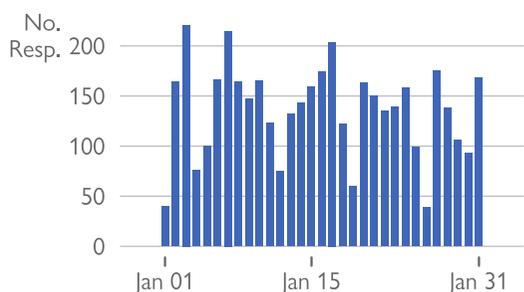
F.20 Duration of stay (incoming)



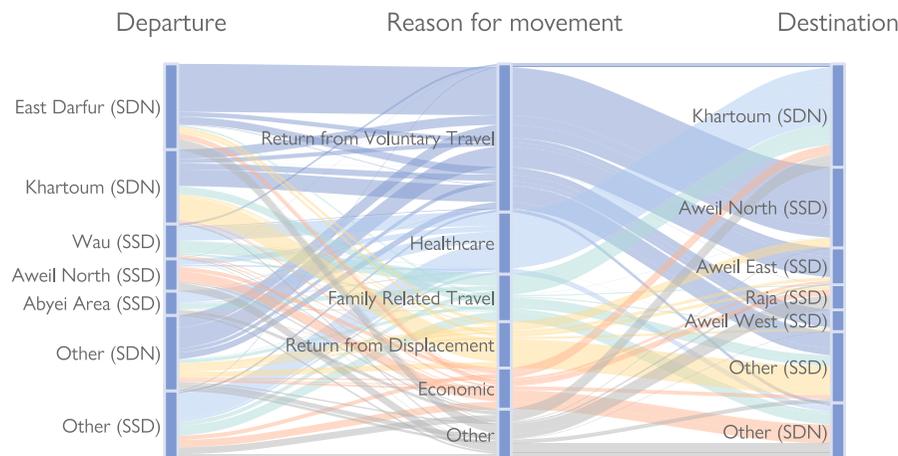
F.23 Duration of stay (outgoing)



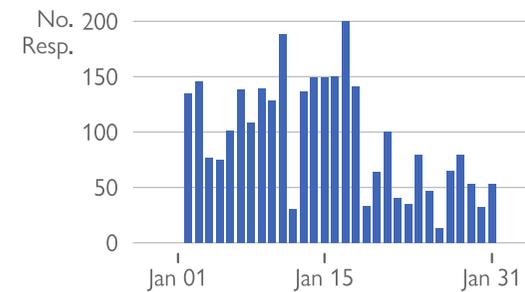
F.21 Time trend (incoming)⁴



F.18 Flows between South Sudan and Sudan by reason for travel



F.24 Time trend (outgoing)⁴



35.4% taxi / car 28.8% truck 19.0% bus 16.8% other

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530 incoming journeys
3.7 average group size



1,467 individual journeys
3.4 average group² size

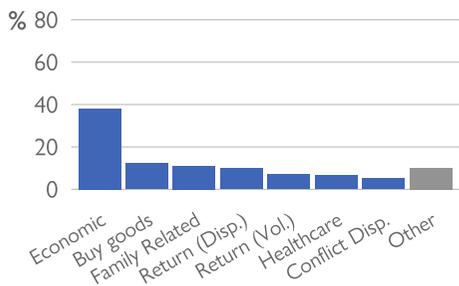


27 displaced¹ individuals
1.8% of respondents



937 outgoing journeys
3.2 average group size

F.27 Reasons for movement (incoming)³



16 pregnant or lactating women



0 unaccompanied children

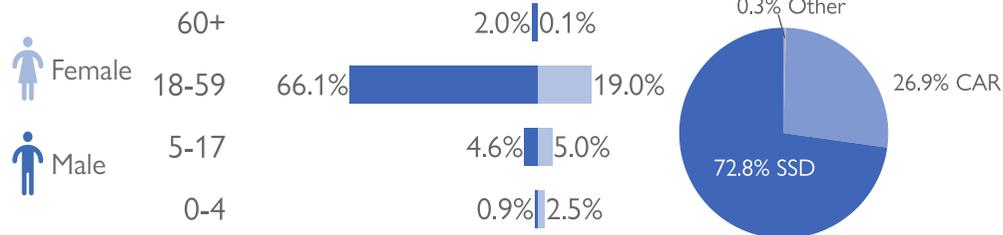


6 persons with mental or physical disabilities



0 person with special needs over 60

F.25 Demographic distribution and nationality of respondents



F.30 Reasons for movement (outgoing)³



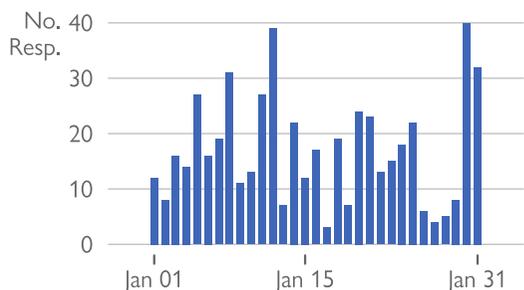
F.28 Duration of stay (incoming)



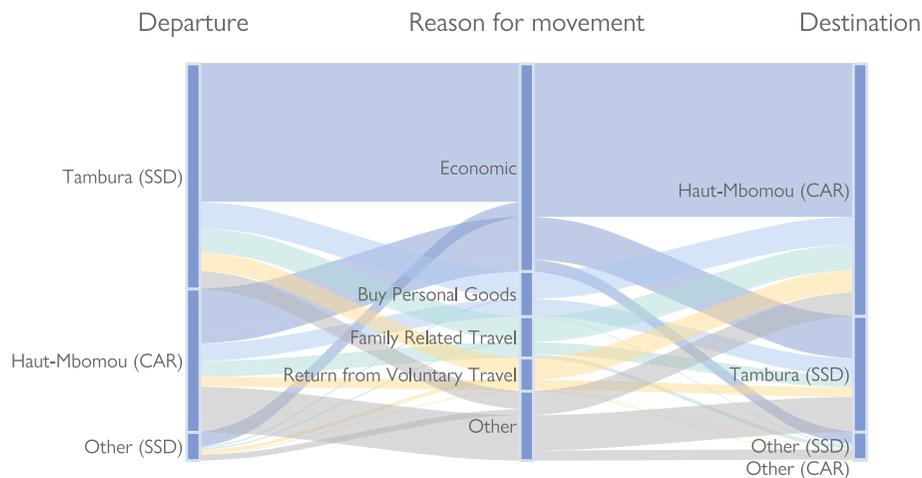
F.31 Duration of stay (outgoing)



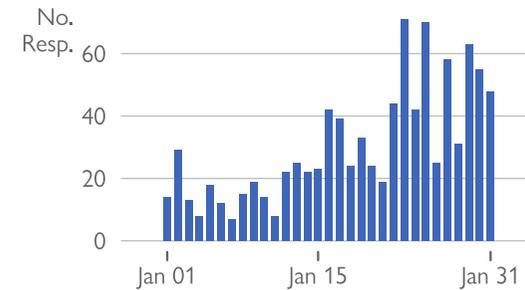
F.29 Time trend (incoming)⁴



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



F.32 Time trend (outgoing)⁴



52.0% bicycle 23.0% motorbike 20.9% on foot 4.1% other

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 12,801 individual journeys
2.8 average group² size

 249 displaced¹ individuals
1.9% of respondents

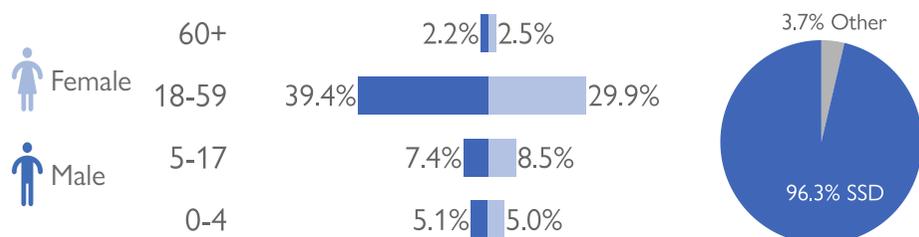
 1,506 pregnant or lactating women

 66 unaccompanied children

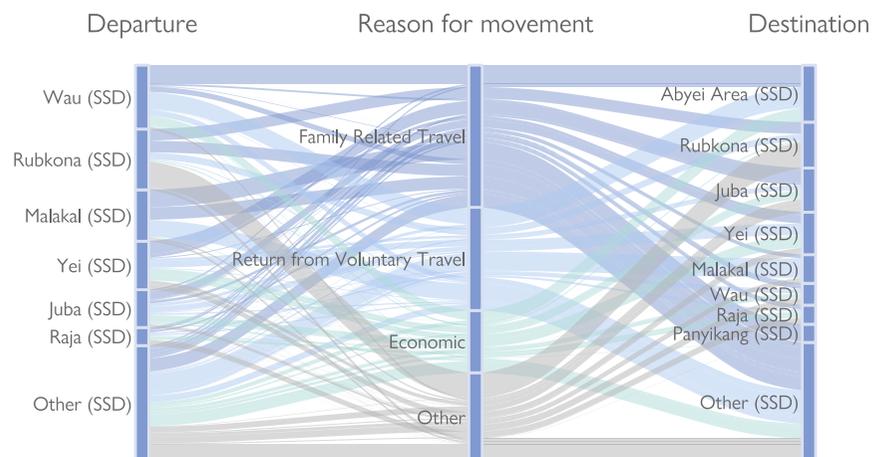
 230 persons with mental or physical disabilities

 254 persons with special needs over 60

F.33 Demographic distribution and nationality of respondents



F.34 Flows within South Sudan by reason for travel



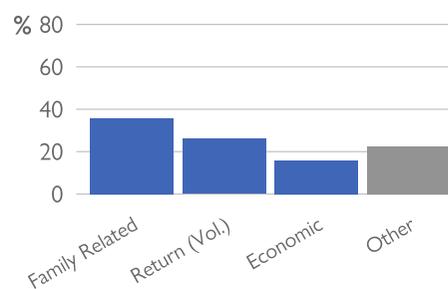
 32.9% taxi/car

 26.4% bus

 11.4% boat

29.3% other

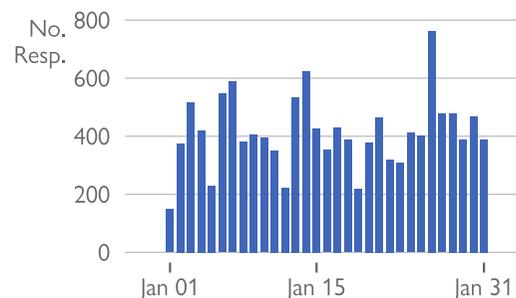
F.35 Reasons for movement³



F.36 Duration of stay



F.37 Time trend⁴



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 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.

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