



IOM's Displacement Tracking Matrix (DTM) continued operating Displacement Site Flow Monitoring (DSFM) at the gates of Malakal Protection of Civilians (PoC) site. During this period, 3,270 interviews were conducted representing 4,964 individual movements in to and out of the site. There was a 12 per cent decrease in surveyed day movements relative to July - September, most of which are for farming / fishing and other livelihood activities. Longer temporary travel is primarily for family reasons and livelihood activities, with 38 per cent of such movements lasting less than a week although another 30 per cent last more than six months. Women and girls are over-represented among both same day and temporary travelers. The number of surveyed new arrivals, over half of whom intend to stay more than six months, decreased slightly relative to the previous quarter (229 compared to 247), with most joining family (55%) or seeking access to healthcare (22%). Surveyed permanent exits decreased from 90 to 30, almost all of whom traveled to join family in areas of return or relocation.

Methodology:

Displacement Site Monitoring (DSFM) involves interviewing a cross-section of persons passing through the gates. DTM aims to understand mobility dynamics and reasons underpinning movements in and out of the site to provide partners and policy makers with a better understanding of movement patterns (including same day movement, temporary travel, new entry and permanent exit). Interviews are conducted seven days a week from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. at the site's main gates. DSFM provides an indicative traveller profile for the given months rather than comprehensive or representative estimates.

Biometric Registration

30,468 ind. (9,034 households)

 **14,185 (47%) Male**

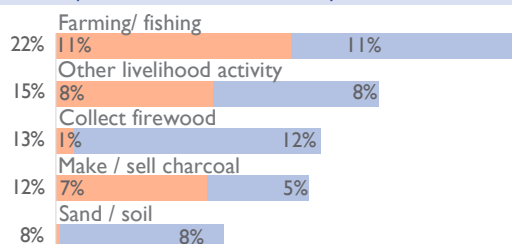
 **16,283 (53%) Female**

Same Day Travel n = 3,596



Main reason for movement in and out of the site: **Farming/ fishing**

Top 5 reasons for same day movement



Reasons continued: To buy things (6%), visit family / friends (5%), collect elephant grass (5%), washing clothes (4%), education (3%), and other (6%)

Daily gate count

During the outbreak of COVID-19, DTM conducted daily gate counts for individual movements in and out of the site. Daily average movement from October to December 2020 are as indicated in the table below.

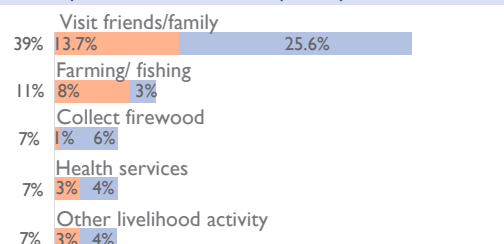
Month	Entry Average	Exit Average	Net Flow
October	5,105	5,113	-8
November	4,679	4,703	-24
December	4,627	4,632	-5

Temporary Travel n = 1,109



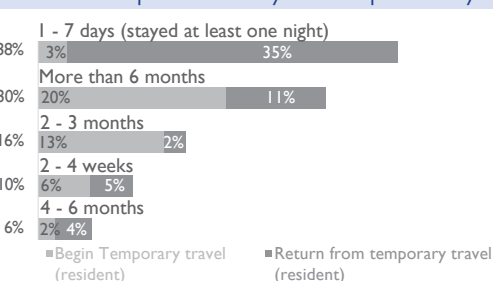
Main reason for movement in and out of the site: **Visit friends/ family**

Top 5 reasons for temporary movement



Reasons continued: Make / sell charcoal (7%), attempt to return home (6%), education (3%), sand / soil (3%), collect elephant grass (3%) and other (7%).

Intended period of stay / time spent away

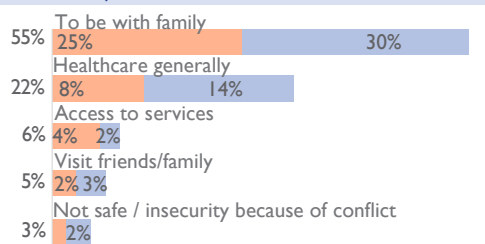


New Arrivals n = 229



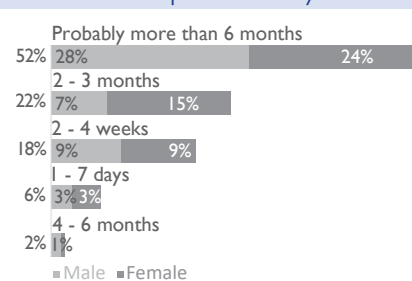
Main reason for movement into the site: **To be with family**

Top 5 reasons for new arrivals



Reasons continued: Hunger because of conflict (2%), education (1%), and other (5%)

Intended period of stay at the site

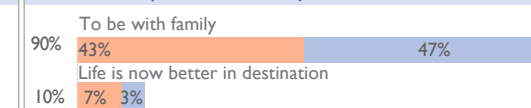


Permanent Exits n = 30



Main reason for movement out of the site: **To be with family**

Top reasons for permanent exit



No other reasons were recorded.

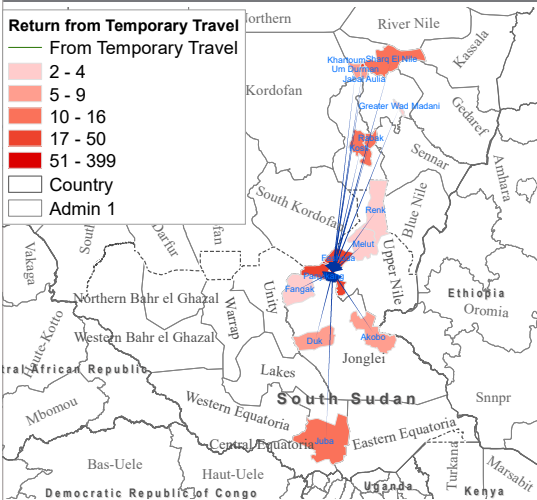
Nature & top destinations of permanent exit

Nature of Destination	% of permanent exit	Main counties by nature of destination
Former Home	80%	Fashoda
New Home, different area	20%	Khartoum (SDN)
Former area but new home	-	-
Other Displacement site	-	-



Movement Dynamics

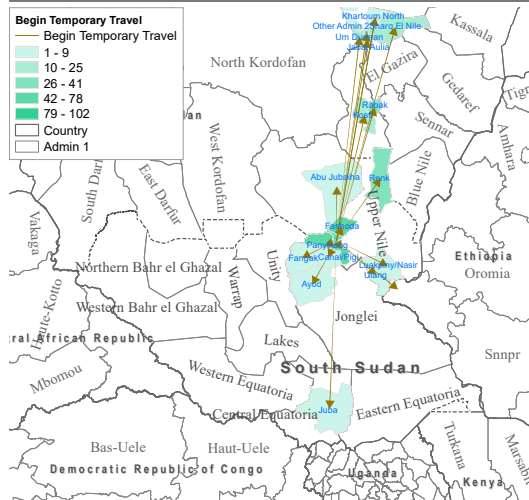
Return from temporary travel n = 624



Counties of Origin

Malakal	64%
Panyikang	8%
Fashoda	7%
Khartoum (SDN)	5%
Rabak (SDN)	3%
Juba	3%
Other	10%

Embarking on temporary journey n = 485

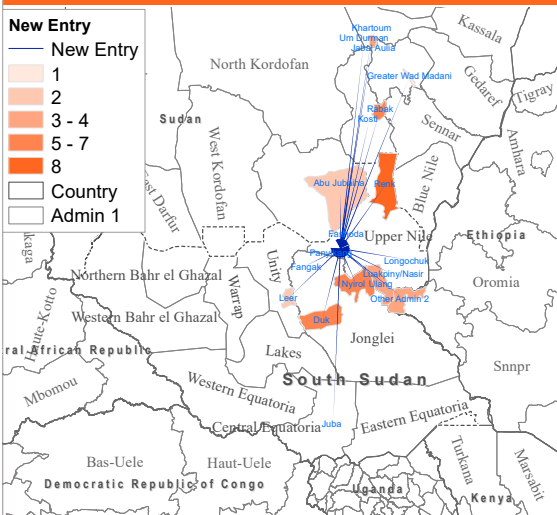


Counties of intended destination

Khartoum (SDN)	21%
Fashoda	16%
Panyikang	14%
Malakal	12%
Renk	8%
Rabak (SDN)	7%
Um Durman (SDN)	5%
Other	17%

72% of all movements were recorded as same-day travel with no night spent away from the site. Same-day travel is mostly limited to the immediate surroundings and locations are not recorded.

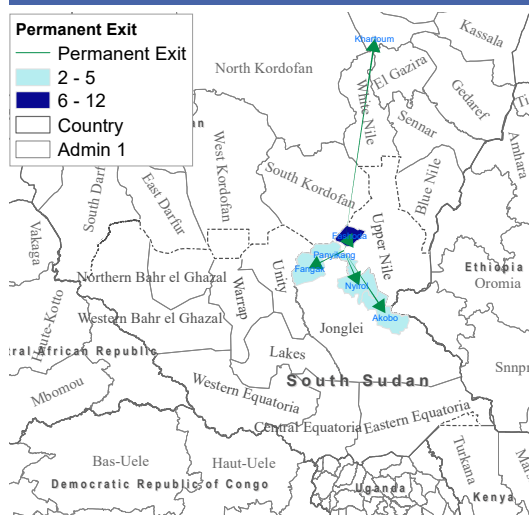
New arrivals n = 229



Counties of Origin

Panyikang	18%
Luakpiny/Nasir	16%
Khartoum (SDN)	13%
Fangak	8%
Fashoda	7%
Juba	5%
Kosti (SDN)	5%
Um Durman (SDN)	4%
Other	24%

Permanent exit n = 30



Counties of intended destination

Fashoda	40%
Panyikang	17%
Khartoum (SDN)	17%
Nyirrol	13%
Akobo	7%
Other	6%