



**Affected Population:**  
1,175 Individuals



**Damaged Shelters:**  
None



**Casualties:**  
22 Individuals

**Movement Trigger:**  
Armed attacks

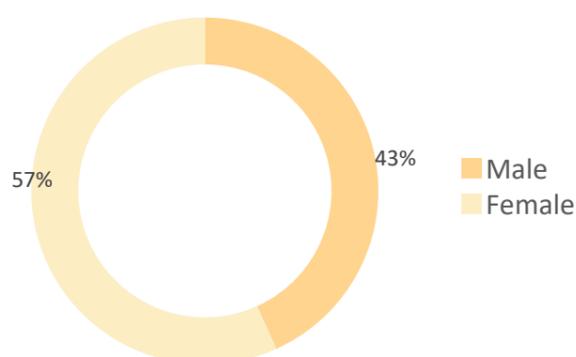
## OVERVIEW

Nigeria's North Central and North West Zones are afflicted with a multidimensional crisis that is rooted in long-standing tensions between ethnic and religious groups and involves attacks by criminal groups and banditry/hirabah (such as kidnapping and grand larceny along major highways). The crisis has accelerated during the past years because of the intensification of attacks and has resulted in widespread displacement across the region.

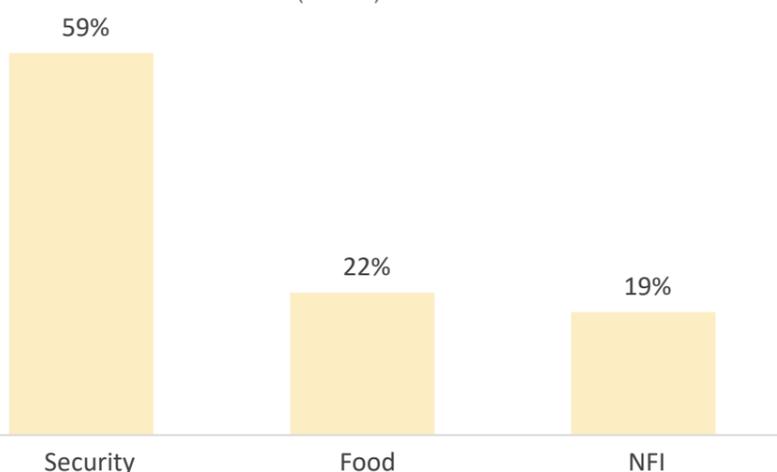
Between 29 March and 04 April, armed clashes between herdsmen and farmers, bandits and local communities have led to a new wave of population displacement. Following these events, a rapid assessment was conducted by DTM (Displacement Tracking Matrix) field staff with the purpose of informing the humanitarian community and government partners, and enable targeted response. Flash reports utilise direct observation and a broad network of key informants to gather representative data and collect information on the number, profile and immediate needs of affected populations.

Latest attacks affected 1,175 individuals, including 16 injuries and 22 fatalities in Safana LGA of Katsina State and the LGAs Apa and Logo in Benue State. The attacks caused people to flee to neighbouring localities.

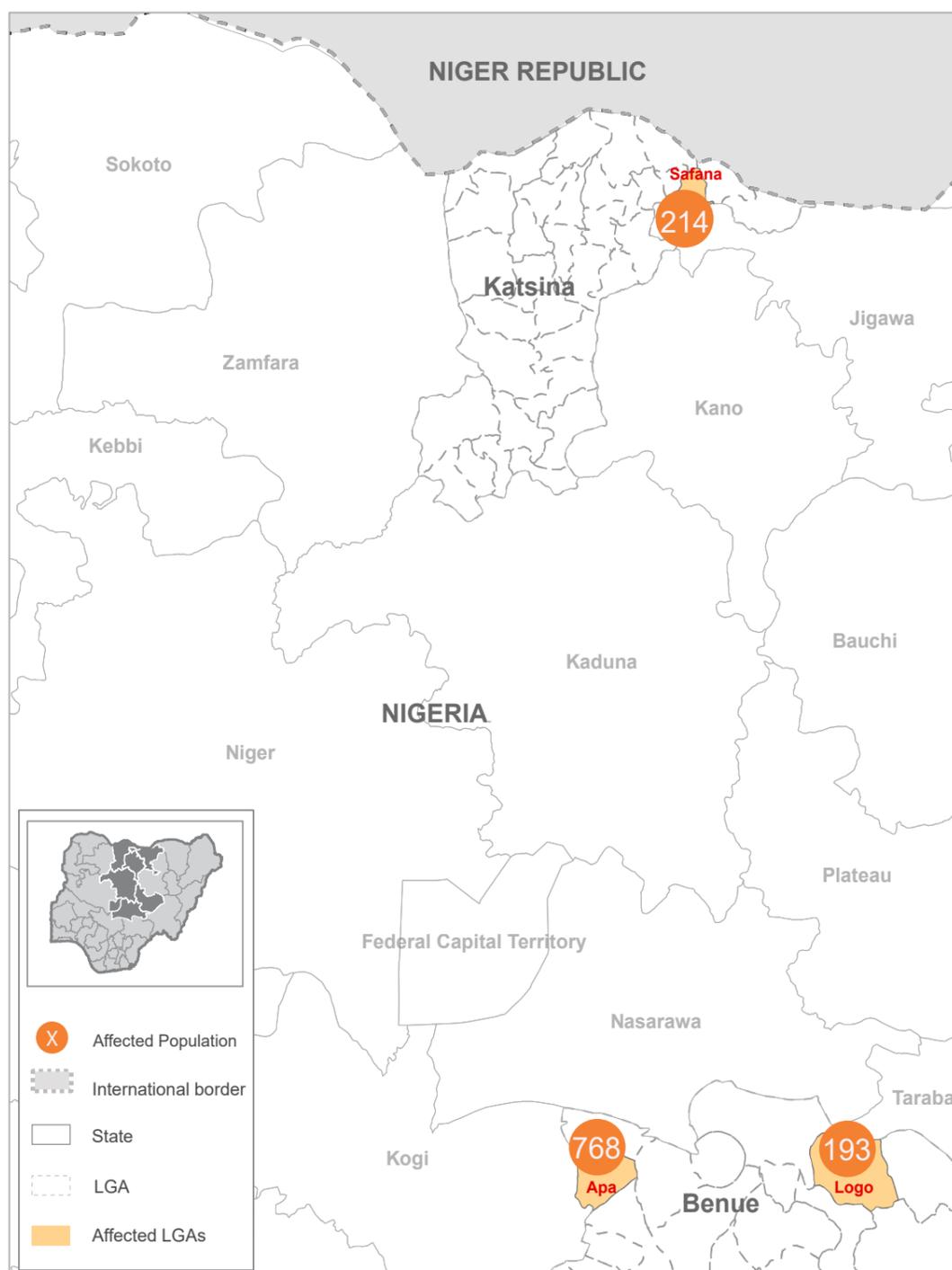
### GENDER (FIG. 1)



### MOST NEEDED ASSISTANCE (FIG. 2)



## AFFECTED LOCATIONS



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### AFFECTED POPULATION (TABLE 1)

State	LGA	Cause of Incident	Number of Affected Household	Number of Affected Individuals	Casualties	Male	Female	Children	Number of Damaged Shelters
Benue	Apa	Attacks	151	768	2	325	443	365	0
Benue	Logo	Attacks	36	193	12	86	107	95	0
Katsina	Safana	Attacks	25	214	8	97	117	115	0
<b>Grand Total</b>			<b>212</b>	<b>1,175</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>508</b>	<b>667</b>	<b>575</b>	<b>0</b>

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