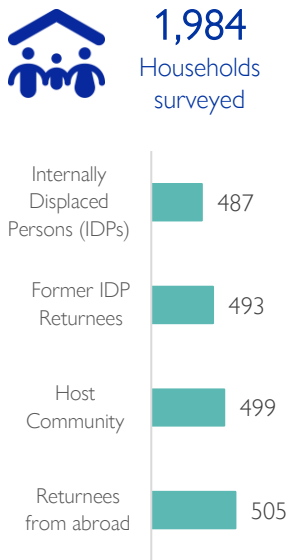


### INTRODUCTION

Since 2015, there has been an increase in attacks by non-state armed groups in Chad, specifically in the Lake Chad Basin area, resulting in massive internal and cross-border displacement. The crisis affecting the Lake Province has adopted the characteristics of a protracted crisis, with more than half of Internally Displaced Persons (IDPs) having been displaced between 2015 and 2018. This context requires data collection tools to guide both humanitarian and nexus strategies. Thus, the Displacement Tracking Matrix (DTM) implements several tools in the Lake Province, including return intention surveys, which aim at collecting information on the intentions of displaced persons and the factors influencing these intentions, in order to inform the development of durable solutions.

This dashboard presents key findings from the third round of return intention surveys in the Lake Province, conducted from 24 August to 9 September 2021, with 1,984 households in 48 displacement locations (villages and sites). In addition to household interviews, 11 focus groups were conducted within the same period, whose analyses will be incorporated into a narrative report detailing the results of this study. Four categories of populations (IDPs, former IDP returnees, returnees from abroad, and host communities) were surveyed to make a comparison of their living conditions.

### METHODOLOGY



**Internally Displaced Persons (IDPs):** Persons or groups of persons who have been forced or obliged to flee or to leave their homes or usual residence, in particular as a result of, or in order to avoid, the effects of armed conflict, situations of generalized violence, violations of human rights or natural or human-made disasters, and who have not crossed an internationally recognized State border.

**Former IDP Returnees:** People who were previously IDPs and then returned to their usual place of residence. Despite returning, they still do not have access to durable solutions after their displacement.

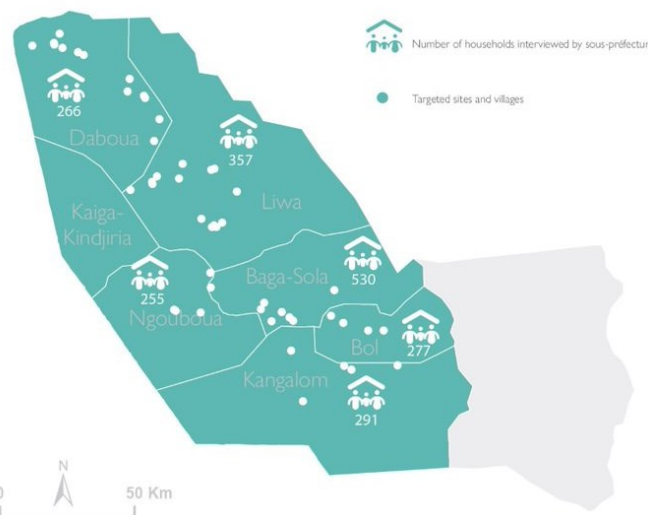
**Returnees from abroad:** These are Chadian nationals who previously migrated to another country and then were forced to flee that country to seek refuge back in Chad. They are in a similar displacement situation to IDPs because they are not currently living in their usual place of residence (note that most live in displacement sites) since their abroad departure country was already their usual place of residence.

**Host communities:** for the purposes of this report, these are people who have never been displaced and whose communities host IDPs or returnees from abroad.

Key findings indicate that the majority of IDPs and returnees from abroad, chose their current location either because it was the closest place from their provenance (45% of IDPs and 36% of returnees from abroad), or because they have ancestral ties to the host location or are relatives to the host community (31% and 40% respectively). Most of these persons do not intend to leave their current host location (91% of IDPs and 86% of returnees from abroad), mainly because they feel more secure in their current location than in their place of origin. Among these persons who do not intend to leave their current location, 34 per cent of IDPs and 38 per cent of returnees from abroad indicated that they would not consider returning to their place of origin regardless of any change in the situation.

In addition, 11 per cent of former IDP returnees indicated that they would not consider staying in their current place of residence for the next two years, mainly due to the need for better housing (43%), lack of access to farmland (19%), and lack of access to basic services (17%).

### COVERAGE



They surveys were carried out in 48 villages located in the 7 sous-préfectures of 3 of the départements affected by displacements in the province (Fouli, Kaya et Mamdi)



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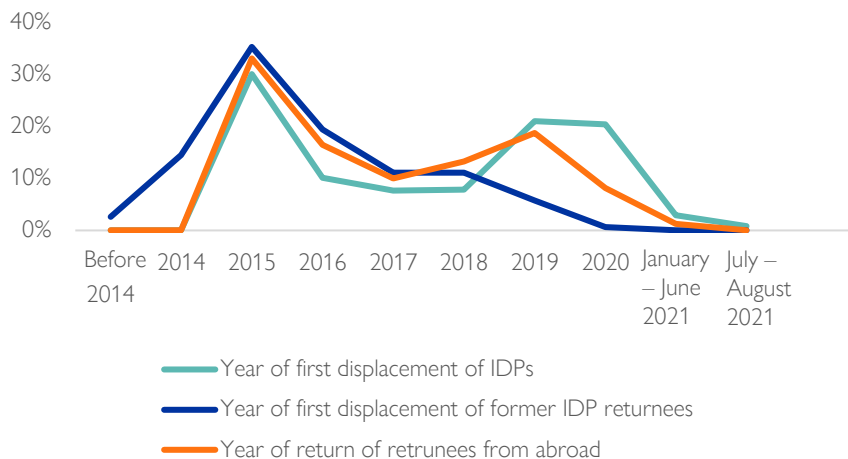
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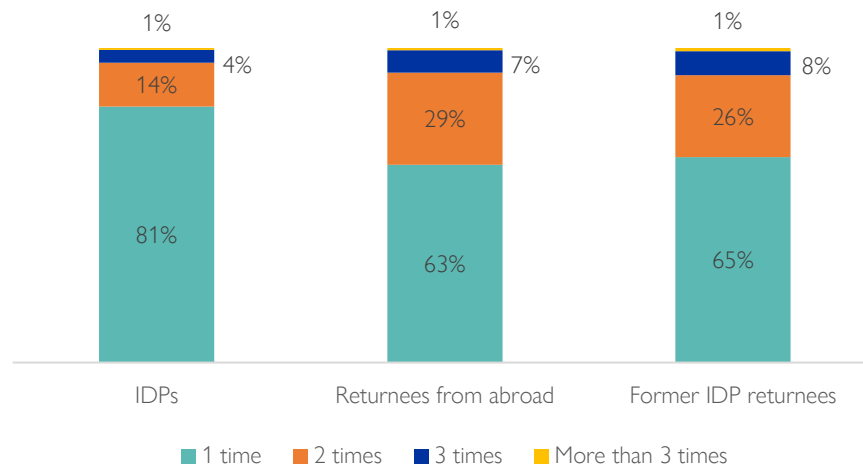
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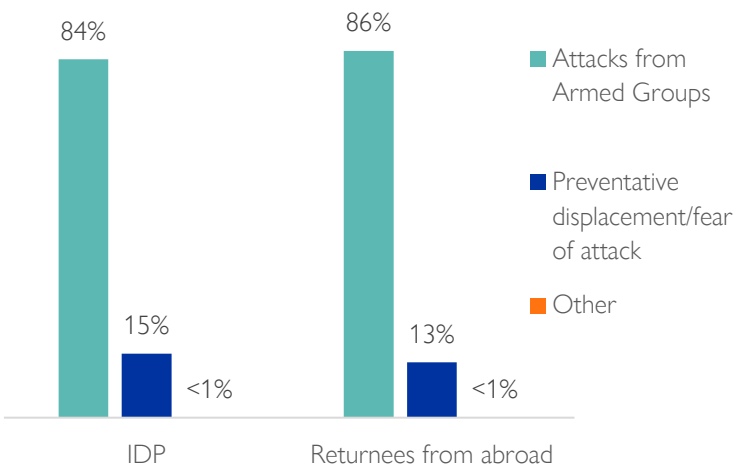
## PERIODS OF DISPLACEMENT AND RETURN



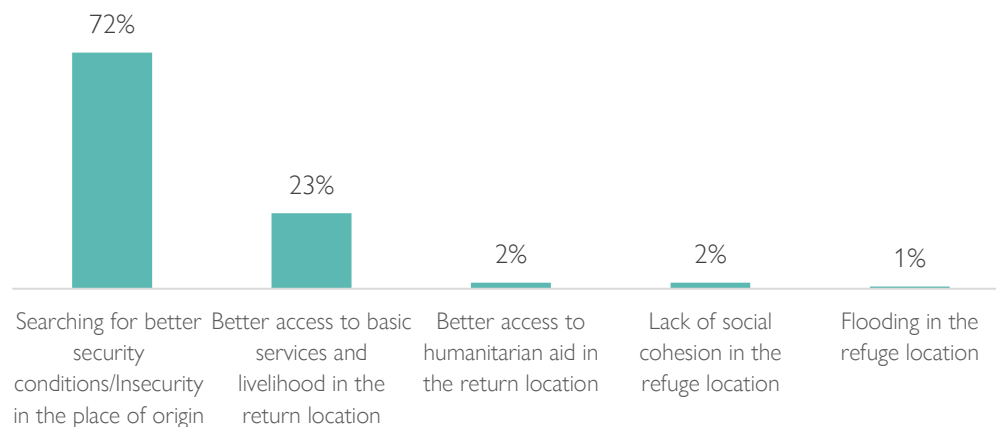
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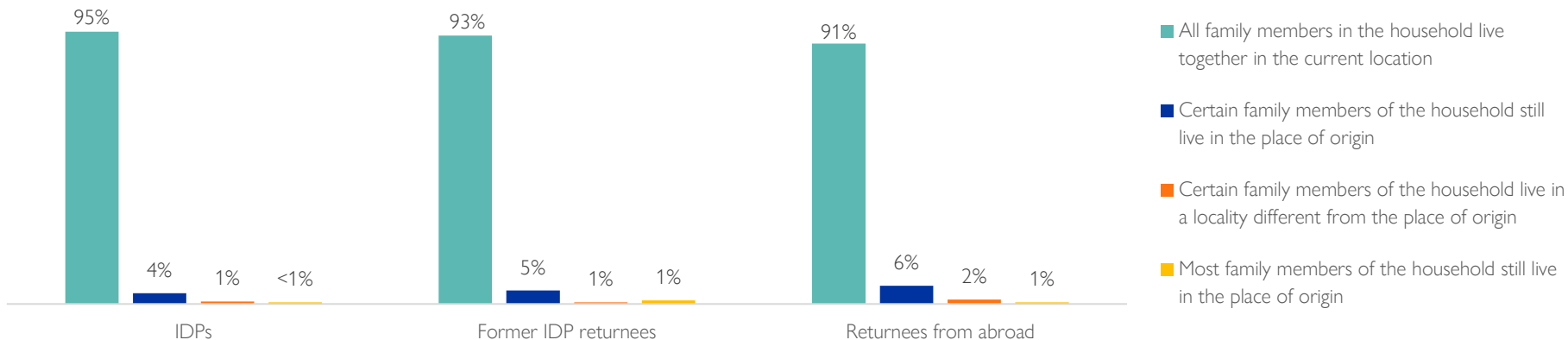
## REASONS FOR DISPLACEMENT (IDPs AND RETURNEES FROM ABROAD )



## REASONS FOR RETURN OF FORMER IDP RETURNEES

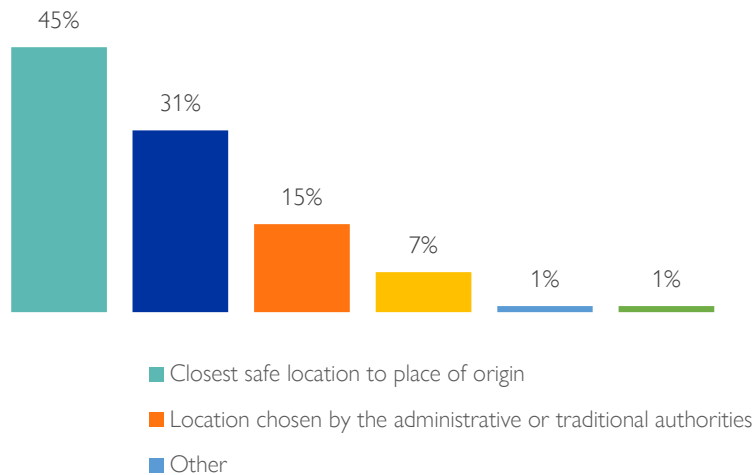


### FAMILY GROUPING

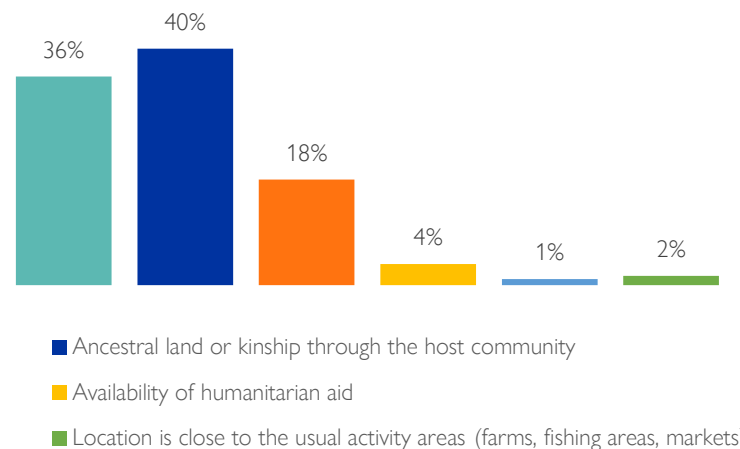


### REASONS BEHIND THE CHOICE OF HOST LOCATION

Internally Displaced Persons



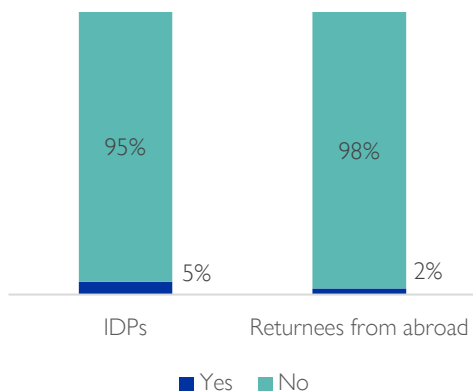
Returnees from abroad



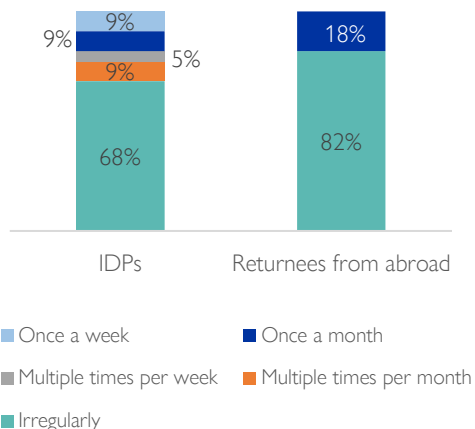
### PERIODIC RETURN TO THE LOCATIONS OF ORIGIN

"Do you return periodically to your place of origin?"

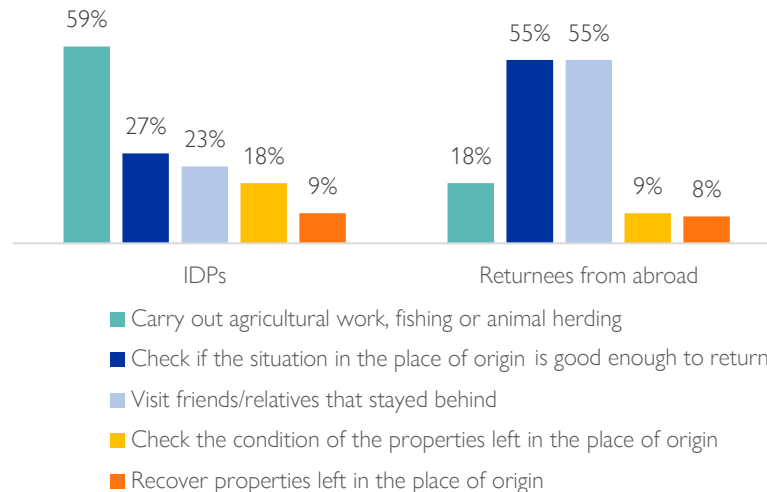
(For returnees from abroad, this refers to the countries where they resided abroad before being forced to flee to Chad)



"If so, how often?"

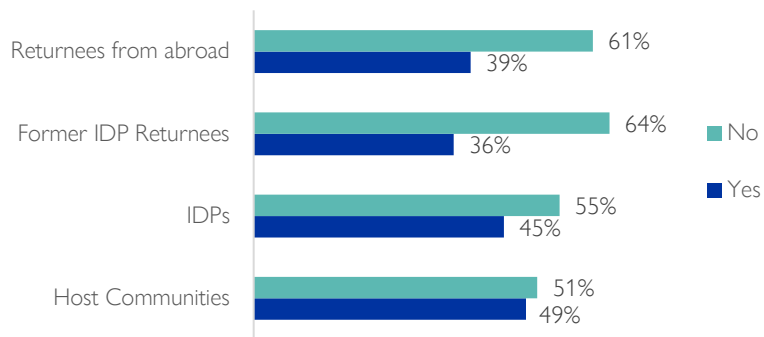


"If so, for which reasons?" (multiple choice)

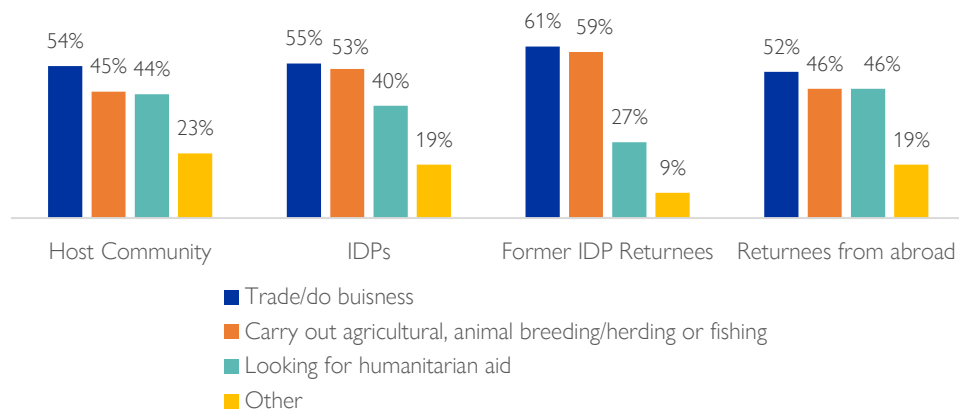


### PENDULUM DISPLACEMENT

"Do you or other members of your community regularly move between this location and other localities?" (for IDPs and returnees from abroad, this refers to localities different from their place of origin)

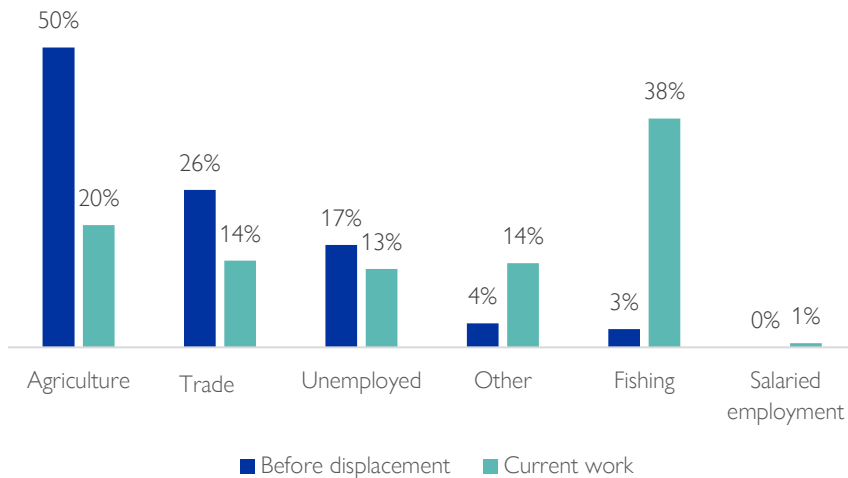


"If so, for which reasons?" (multiple choice)

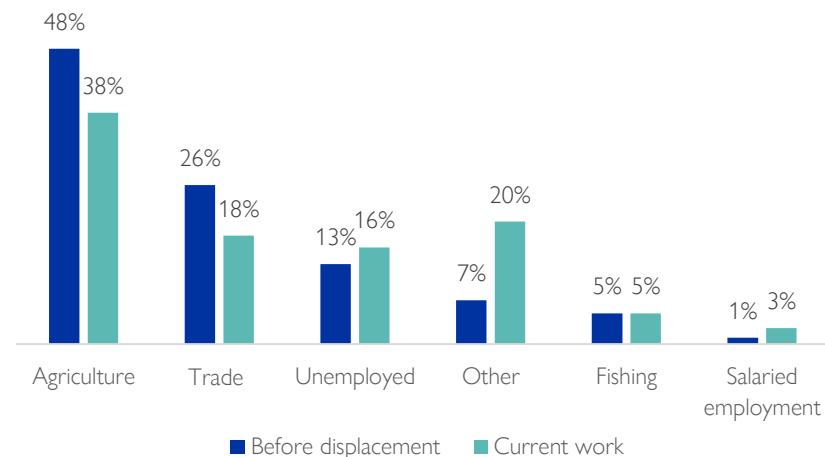


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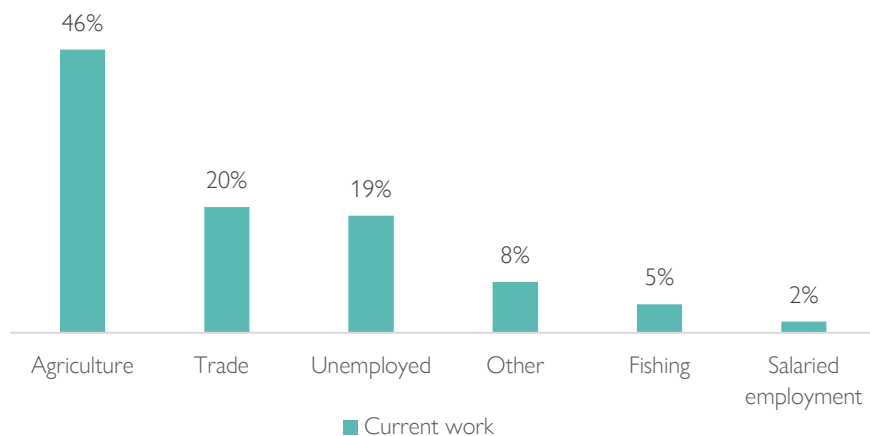
Internally Displaced Persons (IDPs)



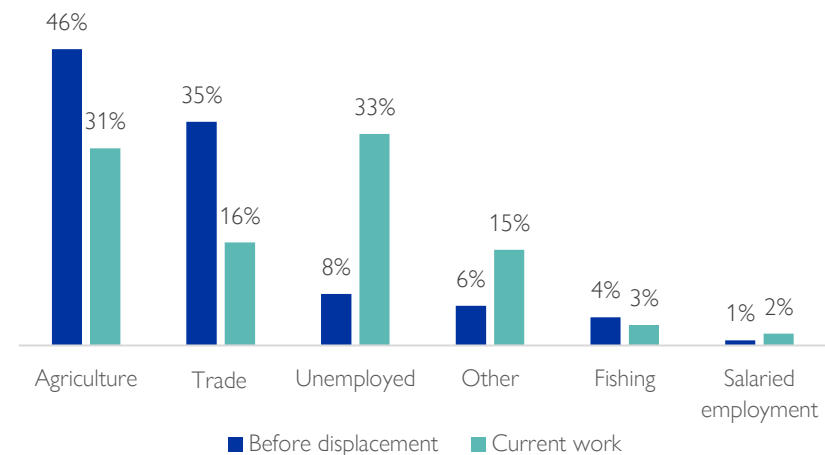
Former IDP Returnees



Host Communities

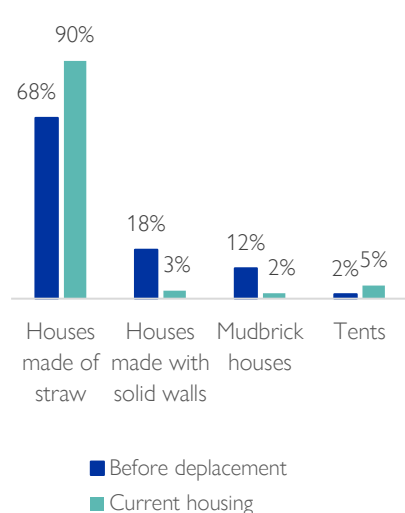


Returnees from abroad

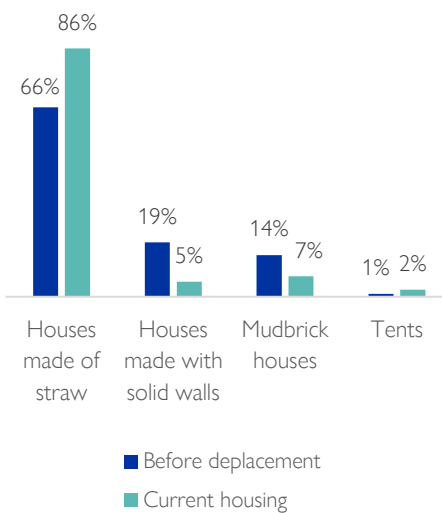


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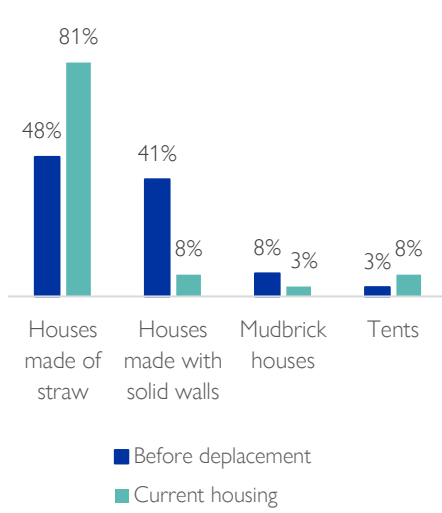
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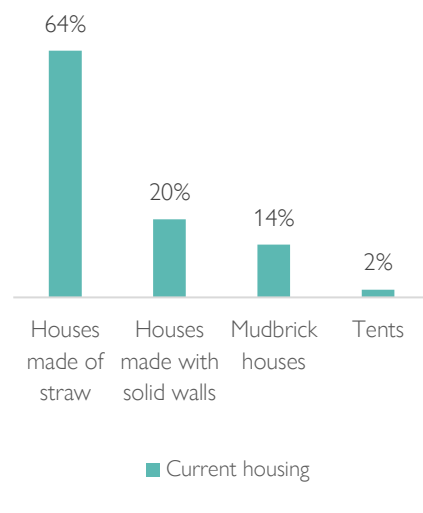
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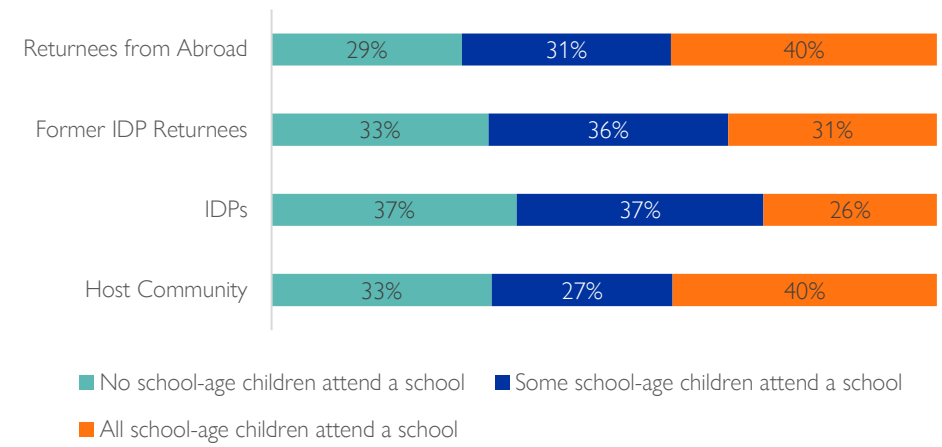
Returnees from Abroad



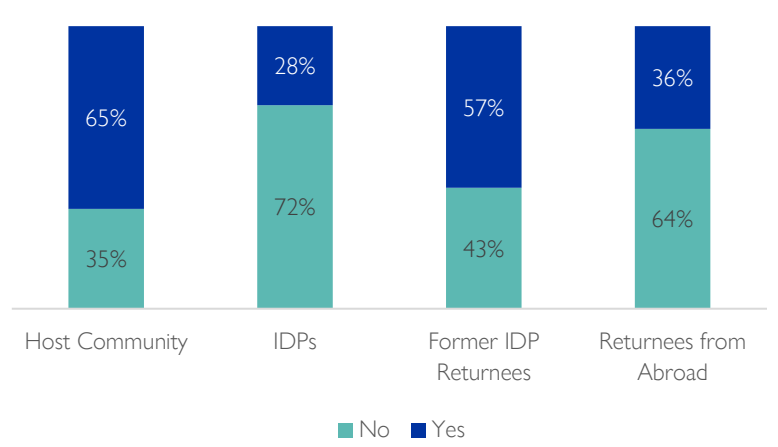
Host Communities



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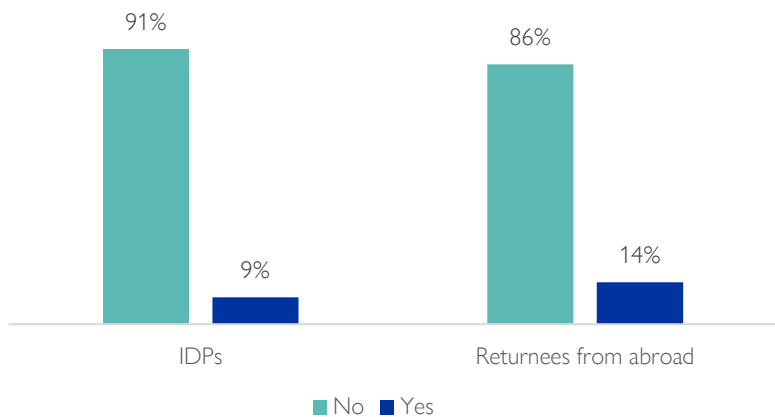


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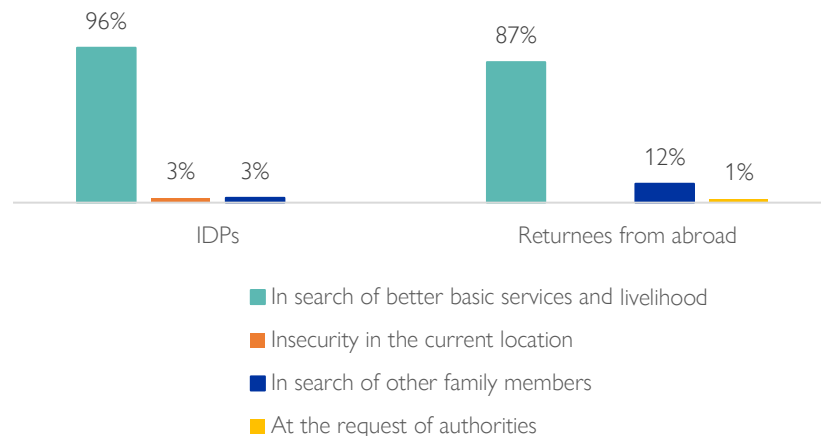


### INTENTIONS OF IDPs AND RETURNEES FROM ABROAD WHO EXPRESSED A DESIRE TO LEAVE THEIR CURRENT LOCATION

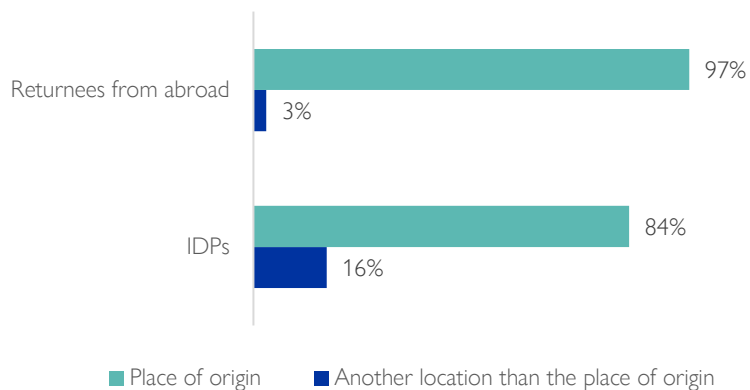
“Would you like to leave your current location?”



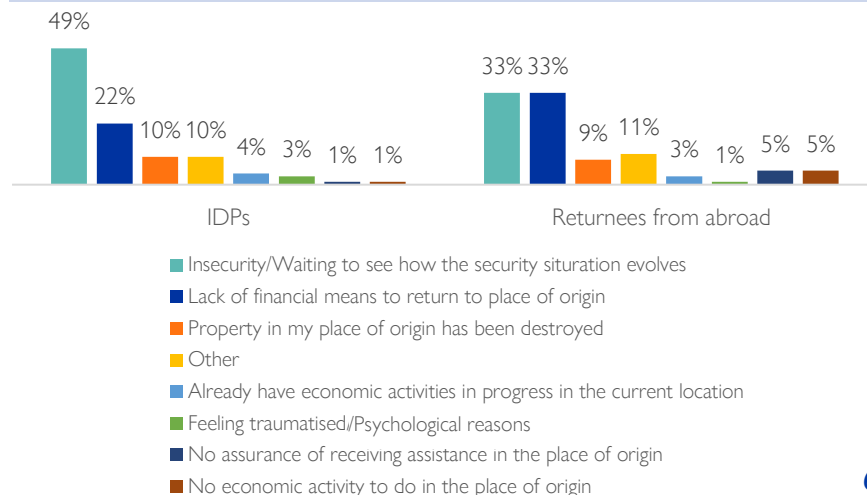
“If so, for which reason?”



“If so, where do you plan to go ?”

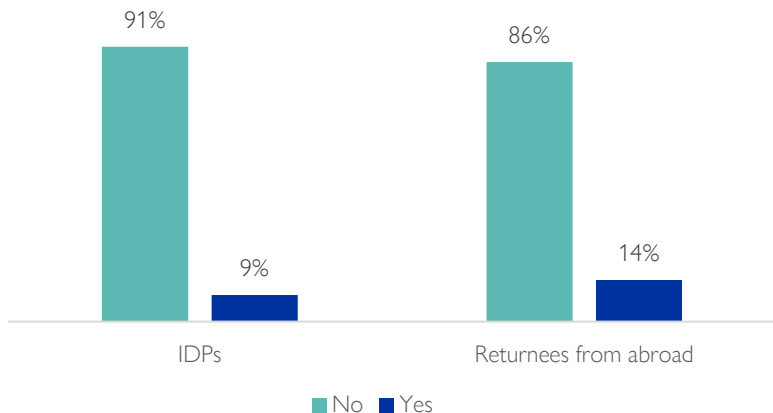


“If so, why don't you leave your current place now?”

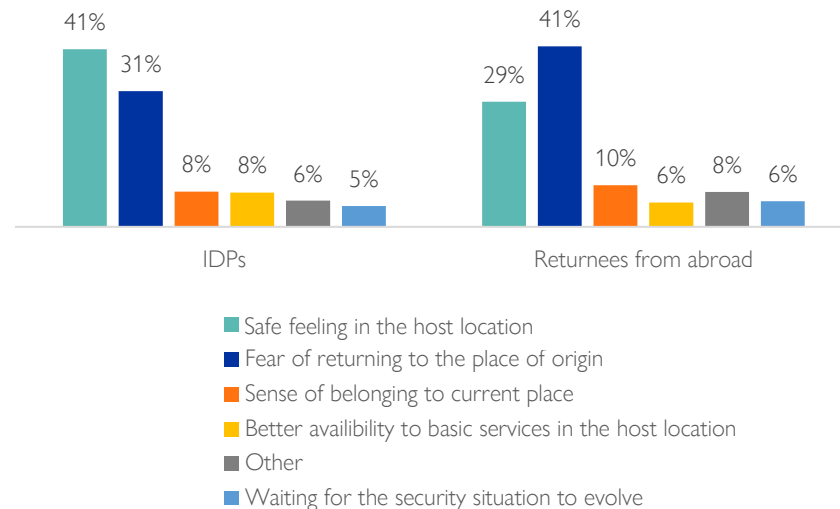


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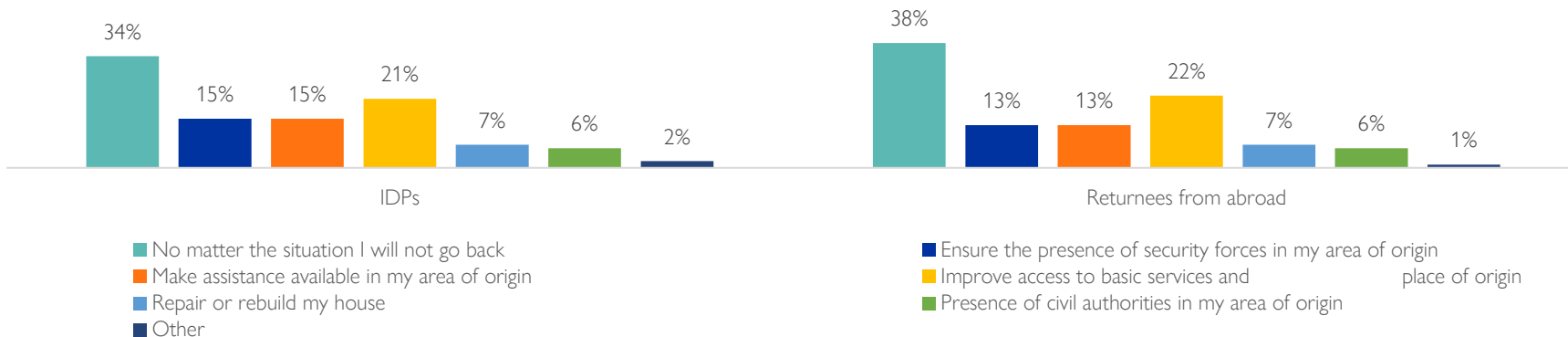
“Would you like to leave your current host location?”



“If not, what is the main reason ?”



“If not, what needs to happen in your place of origin so that you would want to return?”



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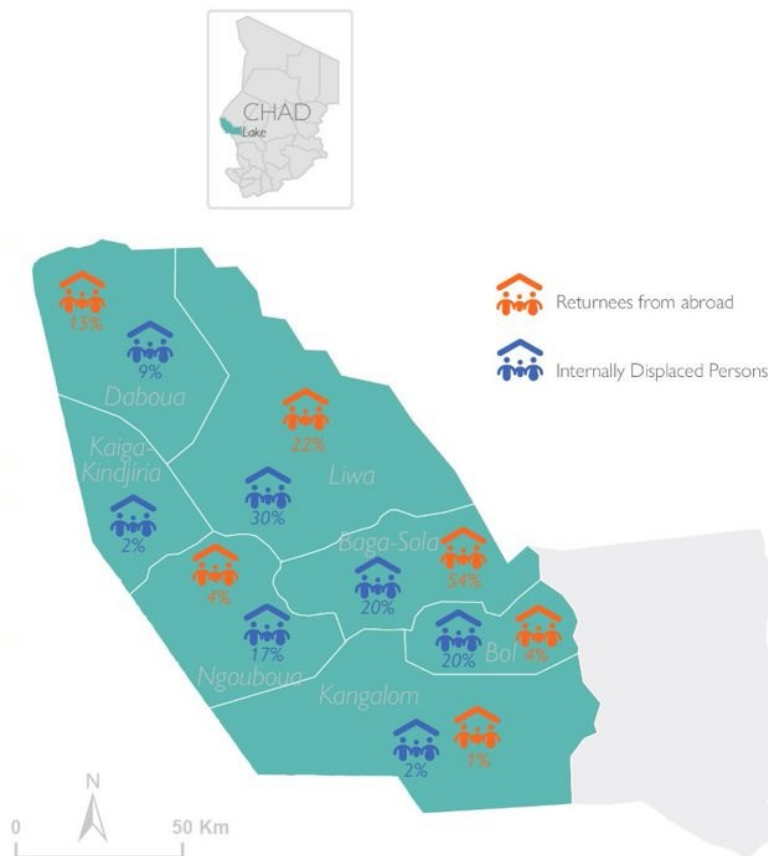
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### INTENTIONS OF IDPs AND RETURNEES FROM ABROAD BY SOUS-PREFECTURE

Département	Sous-préfecture	Intentions	IDPs	Returnees from abroad
Fouli	Daboua	Do not want to leave the current location	95%	91%
		Want to leave the current location	5%	9%
	Kaiga-Kindjiria	Do not want to leave the current location	100%	No household present
		Want to leave the current location	0%	
	Liwa	Do not want to leave the current location	90%	98%
		Want to leave the current location	10%	2%
Kaya	Baga-Sola	Do not want to leave the current location	90%	84%
		Want to leave the current location	10%	16%
	Ngouboua	Do not want to leave the current location	92%	92%
		Want to leave the current location	8%	8%
Mamdi	Bol	Do not want to leave the current location	92%	81%
		Want to leave the current location	8%	19%
	Kangalom	Do not want to leave the current location	86%	21%
		Want to leave the current location	14%	79%

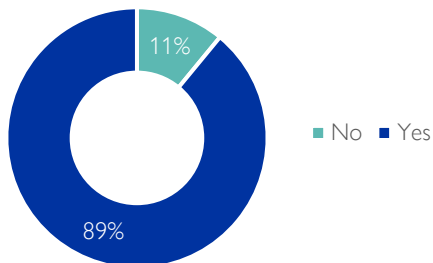
### SOUS-PREFECTURES FOR THE RECEPTION OF IDPS AND RETURNEES FROM ABROAD WHO DO NOT WISH TO RETURN TO THEIR PLACE OF ORIGIN EVEN IF THE SITUATION THERE CHANGES



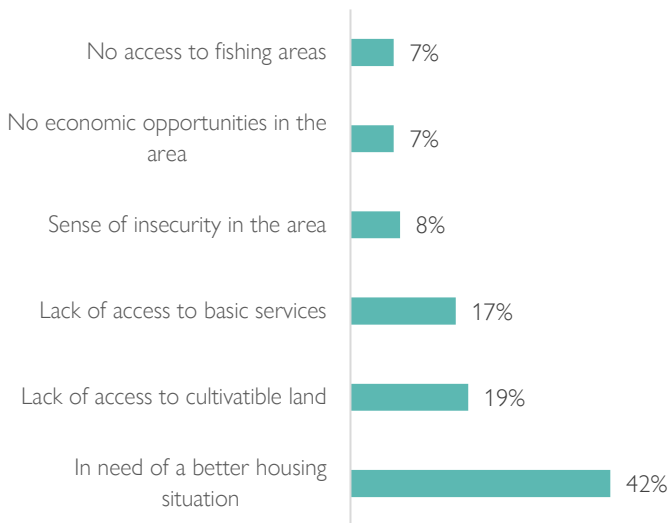
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### INTENTIONS OF FORMER IDP RETURNEES

"Do you think you can stay in your current location for the next two years?"



"If no, why not?"



Intentions of former IDP returnees by sub-prefecture

Département	Sous-préfecture	Plan to leave within the next two years	Plan to stay
Fouli	Daboua	6%	94%
	Kaiga-Kindjiria	No household surveyed	
	Liwa	0%	100%
Kaya	Baga-Sola	52%	48%
	Ngouboua	12%	88%
Mamdi	Bol	13%	87%
	Kangalom	11%	89%

Reason to consider leaving the current location, by sous-préfecture

