



Affected Population:
5,338 Individuals



Damaged Shelters:
315



Casualties:
409

Movement Trigger:
Armed attacks

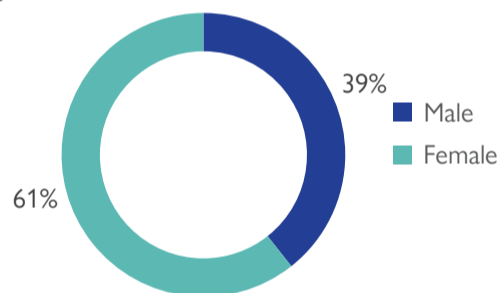
OVERVIEW

Nigeria's north-central and north-west zones are afflicted with a multidimensional crisis 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). During the past years, the crisis has accelerated because of the intensification of attacks and has resulted in widespread displacement across the region.

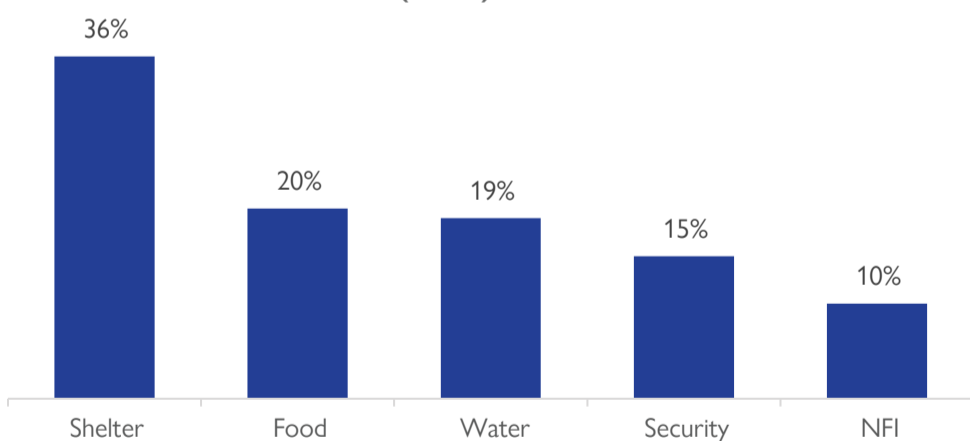
Between the 11th and 17th of April 2022, armed clashes and banditry have led to new waves of population displacement. Following these events, rapid assessments were conducted by DTM (Displacement Tracking Matrix) field staff to inform the humanitarian community and government partners, and enable targeted 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.

During the assessment period, the DTM identified an estimated 5,338 individuals who were affected by the attacks. A total of 5,187 individuals were displaced to neighbouring wards in the LGAs Guma, Logo and Tarka in Benue State, Kanam in Plateau State and Dange-Shuni and Wurno in Sokoto State. A total of 409 casualties were reported, including 258 injuries and 151 fatalities.

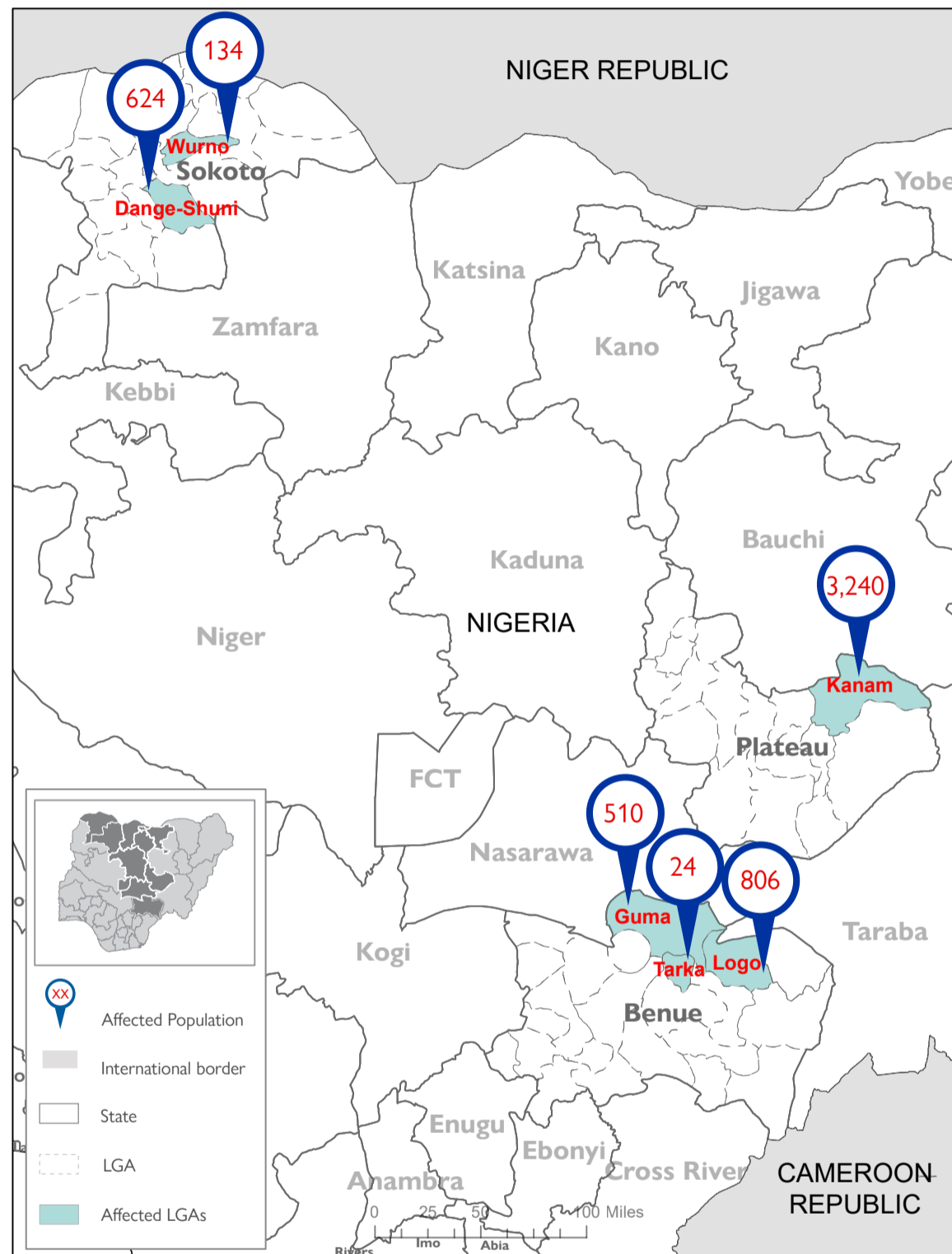
GENDER (FIG. 1)



MOST NEEDED ASSISTANCE (FIG. 2)



AFFECTED LOCATIONS



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State	LGA	Cause of Incident	Number of Affected Households	Number of Affected Individuals	Casualties	Male	Female	Children	Number of Damaged Shelter
Benue	Guma	Attacks	108	510	26	203	307	260	0
Benue	Logo	Attacks	140	806	41	342	459	347	118
Benue	Tarka	Attacks	11	24	18	10	14	12	0
Plateau	Kanam	Attacks	350	3,240	300	1,196	2,044	1,620	197
Sokoto	Dange/Shuni	Attacks	248	624	17	294	330	184	0
Sokoto	Wurno	Attacks	28	134	7	54	80	59	0
Grand Total			885	5,338	409	2,099	3,234	2,482	315

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