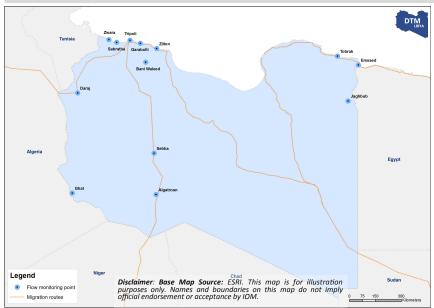
# FLOW MONITORING POINT STATISTICAL REPORT #5

15 Dec 2016 - 15 Feb 2017

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The Displacement Tracking Matrix (DTM) Libya's Flow Monitoring exercise was launched in July 2016 to capture data on migration flows in the country by conducting daily assessments at Flow Monitoring Points (FMPs) and Flow Monitoring Surveys with migrants.

In 2017, DTM updated its data collection methodology for Flow Monitoring Point assessments to capture more detailed data on migrants at key entry, exit and transit points for migrants in Libya.

Flow Monitoring Statistical Reports present data on migrant flows in Libya. Data is gathered at key points where migrants gather and transit in Libya.

This report presents the results of 598 assessment conducted in the reporting period from 15 December 2016 to 15 February 2017.

Using the revised assessment methodology, the following data is collected at each FMP:

### **Flow Monitoring Point Type**

FMPs are classified by their initial description (market, public building, daily work recruitment point, housing compound, bridge, taxi station, bus station, mosque, park, airport, coffee shop/internet cafe)

Flow Monitoring Point Classification

FMPs are classified by the main purpose of their use (arrival point, departure point, work recruitment point, information gathering point, shelter)

# Migrants present

On a daily basis data is captured on the total amount of migrants present at the point along with their demographic breakdown (adult men/women, accompanied/ unaccompanied minors). This provides a daily baseline figure of for a specific FMP.

Migrants' length of stay

Observed migrants present are classified by their estimated length of stay in the location.

# Migrant arrivals yesterday Number of migrants who arrived at the point during the previous day along with the main nationalities and modes of transport used to arrive.

# Migrant departures yesterday Number of migrants who departed from the point during all of the previous day along with the main nationalities and modes of transport used for leaving.

Main nationalities The predominant nationalities observed for each migrant group are recorded, along with the proportion of males, females, accompanied and unaccompanied minors. Data collected on the main 3 planned destinations for

destination

Intended

conducted with a sample of each group. Enumerators also provide some other qualitative descriptions to provide context or any additional notes about the FMPs

present, arriving and departing migrants based on interviews

Qualitative data that they cover.

### Chart 1: Number of assessments conducted by region:



Chart 2: Number of assessments conducted by reporting period



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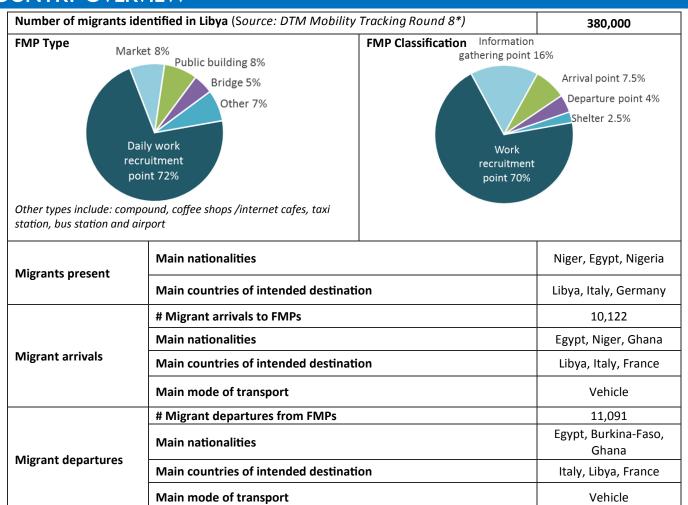
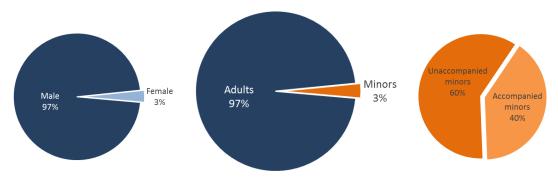
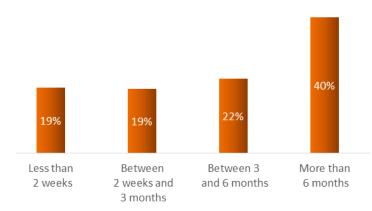


Chart 3: Demographics of migrants present at all Flow Monitoring Points:



Of the total number of migrants recorded in Libya during the reporting period 97% were adults and 3% were minors. 97% of the adults were male and 3% were female. 60% of the minors were unaccompanied and 40% were accompanied. Those percentages differ by region assessed.

Chart 4: Proportion of migrants by length of stay in all assessed locations:



40% of the total number of migrants observed during the reporting period were in the assessed location for more than 6 months, 22% stayed in the locations between 3 and 6 months, 19% were there from 2 weeks up to 3 months, and 19% were present for less than 2 weeks.

<sup>\*</sup> DTM Round 8 data are preliminary figures to be confirmed in DTM's Round 8 Mobility Tracking Report



Reporting period: 15 December 2016—15 February 2017 Number of assessments: 75

Main FMP classification: Work recruitment point Baladiya assessed: Qasr Akhyar, Garabolli





During the period between 15 to 31 December 2016 only 5 assessments were conducted in Al Margeb, all in Garabolli.

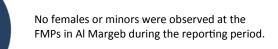
# Migrants present in Flow Monitoring Point

Avg # of migrants present per assessment	32
Main nationalities of migrants	Niger, Chad,
present	Egypt
Main countries of planned	Libya
destination	Libya

Chart 7: Proportion of migrants by length of stay in assessed



Chart 6: Demographics of migrants present at Flow Monitoring Points in Al Margeb:



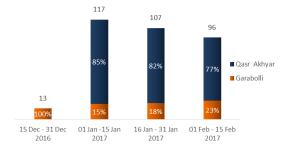
Less than More than Between Between 3 and 6 months 6 months 2 weeks 2 weeks and 3 months

Almost half of the migrants observed in the FMPs of Al Margeb had stayed in the assessed locations for more than 6 months, 28% came between 3 and 6 months prior, 18% between 2 weeks and 3 months. The remaining 6% arrived to the locations less than two weeks prior to assessment.

# Migrant arrivals to Flow Monitoring Points:

Total # of migrant arrivals	333
Main mode of transport used	Vehicle 100%
Main nationalities of arriving migrants	Niger, Chad
Main countries of planned destination	Libya

Chart 8: Number of migrant arrivals to Flow Monitoring Points in Al Margeb by baladiya and reporting period:

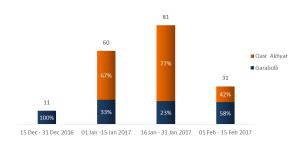


A downward trend was observed for the number of migrant arrivals to FMPs in Al Margeb between the beginning of January and mid-February.

# Migrant departures from Flow Monitoring Points:

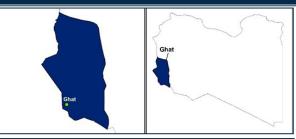
Total # of migrant departures	183
Main mode of transport used	Vehicle 100%
Main nationalities of departing migrants	Niger, Egypt, Chad
Main countries of planned destination	Libya, Chad, Niger

Chart 9: Number of migrant departures from Flow Monitoring Points in Al Margeb by baladiya and reporting period:



The number of migrant departures from the FMPs in Qasr Akhyar increased in the first two weeks of 2017, and decreased in the following period. The majority of observed migrants were leaving Libya and going back to their countries of origin.

# **GHAT**



Reporting period: 01 January —15 February 2017

Number of assessments: 29

Main FMP classification: Work recruitment point

Baladiya assessed: Ghat

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Chart 10: Number of assessments conducted in Ghat by reporting period:

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Data collection started in this region from the 1<sup>st</sup> of January 2017. The number of assessments conducted decreased over the three reporting periods.

# Migrants present in Flow Monitoring Point

Avg # of migrants present per assessment	21
Main nationalities of migrants present	Niger, Mali
Main countries of planned destination	Libya

Chart 12: Proportion of migrants by length of stay in

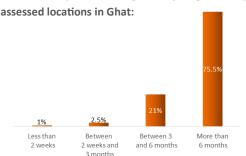


Chart 11: Demographics of migrants present at Flow Monitoring Points in Ghat:



All the migrants observed at the FMPs in Ghat were adult males.

Despite its being a border area, data indicates that Ghat hosts migrants for long periods of time. 75.5% of migrants assessed had been in the area for over six months at the time of reporting.

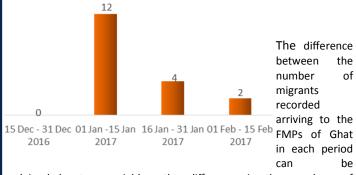
Notes from the field indicate that this may be due to better security conditions being prevalent in Ghat compared to other regions in the country.

This is also attributed to the high risks that migrants are facing along the routes and in the neighbouring regions. Rather than taking the risk, migrants prefer to stay in Ghat and seek employment despite the limited availability of job opportunities.

# Migrant arrivals to Flow Monitoring Points:

Total # of migrant arrivals	18
Main mode of transport used	Vehicle 100%
Main nationalities of arriving migrants	Niger, Mali
Main countries of planned destination	Libya, Niger

Chart 13: Number of migrants arriving at Flow Monitoring Points in Ghat by reporting period:

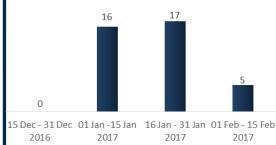


explained by two variables: the difference in the numbers of assessments conducted in each period, and the lack of security in the country, political instability, and lack of job opportunities due to the weak economy.

# Migrant departures from Flow Monitoring Points:

Total # of migrant departures	38
Main mode of transport used	Vehicle 100%
Main nationalities of departing migrants	Mali, Niger
Main countries of planned destination	Mali, Niger, Algeria

Chart 14: Number of migrant departures from Flow Monitoring Points in Ghat by reporting period



Although the number of assessments decreased by 67% the period between the 1st and 15th January, the number of migrant departures slightly increased.

Based on their interviews, enumerators reported that due to bad life conditions in the region many of the migrants were planning to return to their countries of origin or had already left.

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# **MISRATA**



Reporting period: 15 December 2016—15 February 2017

Number of assessments: 66

Main FMP classification: Work recruitment point

Baladiya assessed: Zliten, Bani Waleed

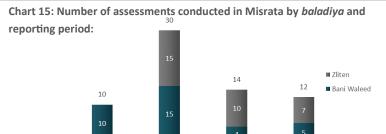
### Migrants present in Flow Monitoring Point

Avg # of migrants present per assessment	269
Main nationalities of migrants	Niger, Egypt,
present	Chad
Main countries of planned destination	Libya

Chart 17: Proportion of migrants by length of stay in assessed locations in Misrata:

28%
20%

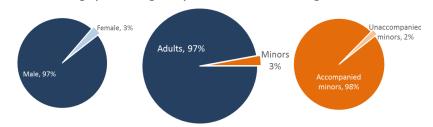
Less than Between Between 3 More than 2 weeks 2 weeks and and 6 months 6 months



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In Misrata, assessments were conducted in Bani Waleed during all four weeks of reporting. Data was collected in Zliten from the 1st of January 2017 onward. The largest number of assessments was conducted between the beginning of January and mid-February

Chart 16: Demographics of migrants present at Flow Monitoring Points in Misrata:



97% of the total number of migrants present at the FMPs in Misrata were adults: 3% of them were female and 97% were male. 3% of the migrants observed were minors, the majority of whom were accompanied (98%). The remaining 2% were unaccompanied.

The length of stay for migrants in Misrata varies. 39% of the migrants observed were in the location for more than 6 months, 20% had stayed there between 3 and 6 months prior to assessment, and 28% between 2 weeks and 3 months. The remaining 13% had arrived less than 2 weeks prior to assessment.

### Migrant arrivals to Flow Monitoring Points:

3 months

Total # of migrant arrivals	2,731
Main mode of transport used	Vehicle 100%
Main nationalities of arriving migrants	Egypt, Niger, Chad
Main countries of planned destination	Libya,
	Netherlands,
	France

Chart 18: Number of migrant arrivals to Flow Monitoring Points in Misrata by *baladiya* and reporting period:



number of arrivals observed at the FMPs in Bani Waleed is generally higher than those observed in Zliten. In the period between 15<sup>th</sup> and 31<sup>th</sup> February for example the average number of arrivals identified in Zliten was 68 while in Bani Waleed the number was 23 migrant. Additional notes from the field indicate that nearly all migrants who arrived at FMPs in Bani Waleed during the period between the beginning of January and mid-February were arriving from Sebha.

# Migrant departures from Flow Monitoring Points:

Total # of migrant departures	2,838
Main mode of transport used	Vehicle 100%
Main nationalities of departing migrants	Chad, Niger, Egypt
Main countries of planned destination	Libya, Italy,

Chart 19: Number of migrant departures from Flow Monitoring Points in Misrata by *baladiya* and reporting period:



During the period between 16<sup>th</sup> and 31<sup>th</sup> December 2016, 933 migrant departures were observed at the FMPs in Bani Waleed. This number was recorded through 10 assessments. This number decreased during the next periods,

going down to 490 departures in the last two weeks of January.

Nearly all of those who departed from the FMPs of Bani Waleed reported their intention to go further north to Tripoli.

# **MURZUQ**



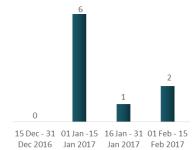
Reporting period: 01 January —15 February 2017

Number of assessments: 9

Main FMP classification: Work recruitment points

Baladiya assessed: Algatroun

### Chart 20: Number of assessments conducted in Murzuq by reporting period:



All the assessments were conducted in Algatroun as it is a key transit point for migrants flows. Data collection in this region started on the 1<sup>st</sup> of January 2017.

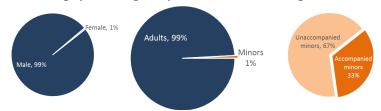
# Migrants present in Flow Monitoring Point

Avg # of migrants present per assessment	244
Main nationalities of migrants present	Nigeria, Guinea
Main countries of planned destination	Germany, Italy

Chart 22: Proportion of migrants by length of stay in



Chart 21: Demographics of migrants present at Flow Monitoring Points in Murzuq:



99% of the total number of migrants observed at the FMPs in Murzuq were adults: 99% of them were males and 1% females.

1% were minors, 67% of whom were unaccompanied and 33% accompanied minors.

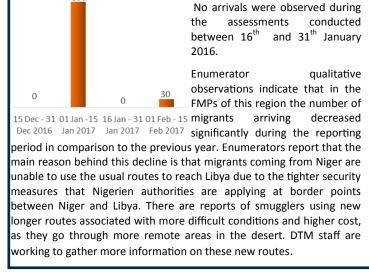
The majority of the migrants observed (54%) had been in the location for over 6 months at the time of assessment.

20% had been in the location for 3 to 6 months, 12% had spent between 2 weeks and 3 months there. The remaining 14% had arrived within the last two weeks.

# Migrant arrivals to Flow Monitoring Points:

Total # of migrant arrivals	420
Main mode of transport used	Walking 100%
Main nationalities of arriving migrants	Nigeria, Senegal,
	Guinea-Bissau
Main countries of planned destination	Germany, Italy

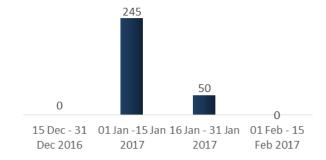
Chart 23: Number of migrants arriving at Flow Monitoring Points in Murzuk by reporting period:



# Migrant departures from Flow Monitoring Points:

Total # of migrant departures	295
Main mode of transport used	Walking 17% Vehicle 83%
Main nationalities of departing migrants	Nigeria, Senegal,
Main countries of planned destination	Germany, Italy

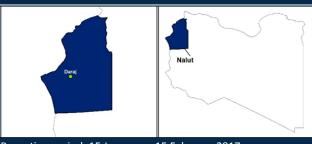
Chart 24: Number of migrant departures from Flow Monitoring Points in Murzuq by reporting period:



No migrant departures were observed during the period between the  $1^{\rm st}$  and  $15^{\rm th}$  February 2017.

The average number of migrant departures per assessment had slightly increased between the first and second part of January from 41 to 50 migrant departure per assessment.

# NALUT



Reporting period: 15 January —15 February 2017

Number of assessments: 13

Main FMP classification: - Work recruitment point (54%)

- Compound (46%)

Baladiya assessed: Daraj

### Chart 25: Number of assessments conducted in Nalut by reporting period:



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Data collection in Nalut started on the 16<sup>th</sup> January 2017. All the assessments were conducted in Daraj as it represents one of the points most frequented by migrants.

### Migrants present in Flow Monitoring Point

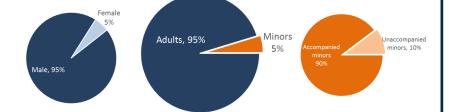
Chart 26: Demographics of migrants present at Flow Monitoring Points in Nalut:

Avg # of migrants present per assessment	95
Main nationalities of migrants	Mali, Burkina-
present	Faso, Algeria
Main countries of planned destination	France, Italy

Chart 27: Proportion of migrants by length of stay in assessed locations in Nalut:



3 months



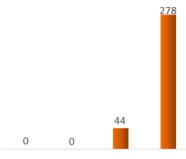
95% of the total number of migrants observed at the FMPs in Nalut were adults: 95% of them were male and 5% female. The remaining 5% were minors, 90% of them were accompanied and 10% were unaccompanied.

Unlike the data of the previous regions analysed, the majority of migrants present at the FMPs in Nalut (63%) had arrived to the location within the last 2 weeks prior to assessment. 25% had arrived before between 2 weeks and 3 months prior, 10% had spent between 3 and 6 months in the location. Only 2% reported arriving to the location over six months ago.

### Migrant arrivals to Flow Monitoring Points:

Total # of migrant arrivals	322
Main mode of transport used	Vehicle 100%
Main nationalities of arriving migrants	Mali, Burkina-Faso
Main countries of planned destination	Italy, France

Chart 28: Number of migrants arriving at Flow Monitoring Points in Nalut by reporting period:



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Algeria from Mali.

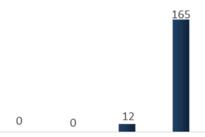
In this location the main flows of migrants were incoming flows from Algeria.

Enumerator observation indicate that during the period between the 1<sup>st</sup> to 15<sup>th</sup> February an increase was observed in the number of migrants arriving through Algeria from Mali

# Migrant departures from Flow Monitoring Points:

Total # of migrant departures	177
Main mode of transport used	Vehicle 100%
Main nationalities of departing migrants	Mali, Nigeria,
Main countries of planned destination	Italy, France

Chart 29: Number of migrant departures from Flow Monitoring Points in Nalut by reporting period:



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The number of migrant departures also increased in the period between 1<sup>st</sup> and 15<sup>th</sup> February. Many of the migrants assessed reported their intention to go back to their country of origin.

# **SEBHA**



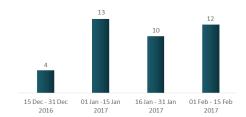
Reporting period: 15 December 2016 —15 February 2017

Number of assessments: 39

Main FMP classification: Departure points

Baladiya assessed: Sebha

### Chart 30: Number of assessments conducted in Sebha by reporting period:



The data was collected in the municipality of Sebha during the 4 reporting periods.

### Migrants present in Flow Monitoring Point

Avg # of migrants present per assessment	190
Main nationalities of migrants	Ghana, Côte
present	d'Ivoire, Niger
Main countries of planned	Italy, France,
destination	Libya

Chart 31: Demographics of migrants present at Flow Monitoring Points in Sebha:

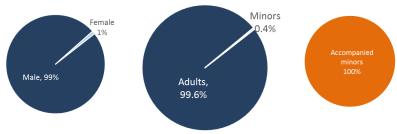
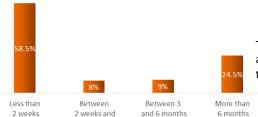


Chart 32: Proportion of migrants by length of stay in assessed locations in Sebha:



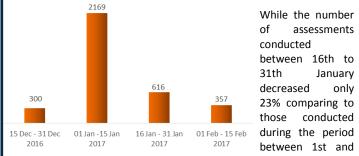
3 months

The majority of migrants observed at FMPs in Sebha (58.5%) had arrived less than 2 weeks prior to assessment, 8% came between 2 weeks and 3 months prior, 9% spent between 3 and 6 months in the location. The remaining 24.5% had been in the locations for over six months.

# Migrant arrivals to Flow Monitoring Points:

Total # of migrant arrivals	3,442
Main mode of transport used	Vehicle 100%
Main nationalities of arriving migrants	Ghana, Burkina-
Main countries of planned destination	Italy, France, Libya

Chart 33: Number of migrants arriving at FMPs in Sebha by reporting period:



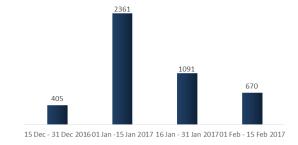
15th January, the number of arriving migrants at the FMPs decreased by 72%.

The number continue on decreasing in the period between 1st and 15th February: while the number of assessment increased by 20%, the number of arrivals decreased by 42%.

# Migrant departures from Flow Monitoring Points:

Total # of migrant departures	4,527
Main mode of transport used	Vehicle 100%
Main nationalities of departing migrants	Burkina-Faso,
Main countries of planned destination	Italy, France, Libya

Chart 34: Number of migrant departures from Flow Monitoring Points in Sebha by reporting period:



The number of migrant departures were also the highest in the period between 1st and 15 January. It decreased by 71% in the period between 1st and 15th February comparing to the number recorded in the period between 1st and 15th January, while the number of assessments decreased only by 8%.

# **TOBRUK**

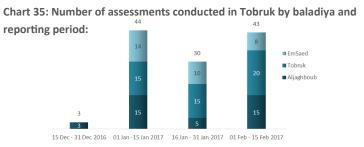


Reporting period: 15 December 2016 —15 February 2017

Number of assessments: 120

Main FMP classification: Work recruitment points

Baladiya assessed: Emsaed, Tobruk, Jaghboub



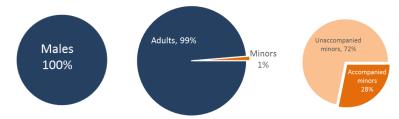
During the first reporting period only 3 assessments were conducted in the region, exactly in the municipality of Jaghbub. The following three periods included assessments from Emsaed and Tobruk. The majority of the assessments were conducted in Tobruk (baladiya).

# Migrants present in Flow Monitoring Point

Chart 36: Demographics of migrants present at Flow Monitoring Points in Tobruk:

Avg # of migrants present per assessment	60
Main nationalities of migrants present	Egypt, Sudan
Main countries of planned destination	Libya

Chart 37: Proportion of migrants by length of stay in assessed locations in Tobruk:



No female migrants were observed in Tobruk during the reporting period. 99% of the migrants observed were male adults and 1% were minors. 72% of the total number of minors were unaccompanied and 28% were accompanied.

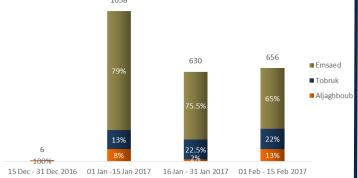


The distribution of migrants by length of stay at the FMPs in Tobruk was slightly different from the other regions. 34% of the migrants had been in the location for less than 2 weeks, 12% reported between 2 weeks and 3 months, 20% spent between 3 and 6 months. The remaining 34% had been in the location for over 6 months.

# Migrant arrivals to Flow Monitoring Points:

Total # of migrant arrivals	2,350
Main mode of transport used	Vehicle 100%
Main nationalities of arriving migrants	Egypt, Sudan
Main countries of planned destination	Libya

Chart 38: Number of migrants arriving at FMPs in Tobruk by baladiya and reporting period:

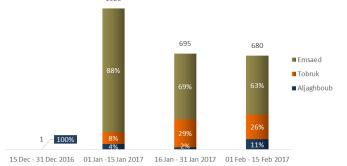


The majority of migrants observed arriving at FMPs in Tobruk were in Emsaed, which is situated on the Egyptian border with Libya.

# Migrant departures from Flow Monitoring Points:

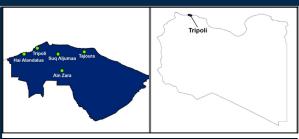
Total # of migrant departures	2,399
Main mode of transport used	Vehicle 100%
Main nationalities of departing migrants	Egypt, Sudan,
	Cameroon
Main countries of planned destination	Libya, Egypt

Chart 39: Number of migrant departures from Flow Monitoring Points in Tobruk by baladiya and reporting period:



The majority of migrant departures across reporting periods was also observed at FMPs in Emsaed.

# TRIPOLI



Reporting period: 15 December 2016 —15 February 2017

Number of assessments: 189

Main FMP classification: Work recruitment points

Baladiya assessed: Tripoli, Tajoura, Suq Al Jumaa, Hai

Alandalus, Ain Zara

# Chart 40: Number of assessments conducted in Tripoli by baladiya and reporting period: 46 47 12 48 9 5 2 4 7 9 10 6 3 3 9 2 24 21 26 18 18

Tripoli is the capital of Libya, with a large presence of residing and transit migrants. Flow Monitoring assessments are conducted in several municipalities including Tripoli, Tajoura, Suq Al Jumaa, Hai Alandalus, and Ain Zara.

The majority of the assessments were conducted in the municipality of Ain Zara.

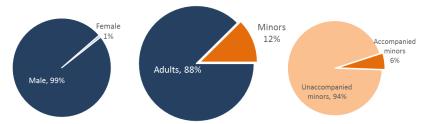
# Migrants present in Flow Monitoring Point

Avg # of migrants present per assessment	41
Main nationalities of migrants present	Niger, Egypt
Main countries of planned	Libya, Italy,
destination	Germany

Chart 42: Proportion of migrants by length of stay in



Chart 41: Demographics of migrants present at Flow Monitoring Points in Tripoli:



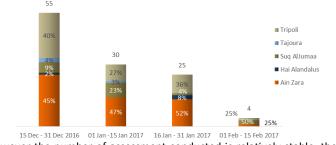
The highest percentage of minors in all FMPs assessed was recorded in Tripoli region. 12% of the total number of migrants observed were minors. 94% of them were unaccompanied and 6% were accompanied.

Many of the migrants choose Tripoli as their final destination while travelling to Libya. 58% of the migrants observed at FMPs in Tripoli reported that they were in the location for over 6 months, 24% had spent between 3 and 6 months there, 15% had been there between 2 weeks and 3 months prior to assessment. The remaining 3% were new arrivals who have spent less than 2 weeks in the location.

### Migrant arrivals to Flow Monitoring Points:

Total # of migrant arrivals	114
Main mode of transport used	Walking 11%  Vehicle 89%
Main nationalities of arriving migrants	Niger, Nigeria
Main countries of planned destination	Libya, Italy,

Chart 43: Number of migrants arriving at Flow Monitoring Points in Tripoli by *baladiya* and reporting period:

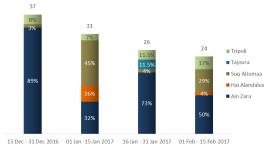


However the number of assessment conducted is relatively stable, the number of migrants arriving at FMPs in Tripoli have decreasing tendency. While the number of assessments conducted in Tripoli between 16<sup>th</sup> and 31<sup>th</sup> January have increased by 19% comparing to those conducted in the period between 1<sup>st</sup> to mid-January, the number of migrants arriving at FMPs have decreased by 17%.

# Migrant departures from Flow Monitoring Points:

Total # of migrant departures	118
Main mode of transport used	Vehicle 95%
Main nationalities of departing migrants	Niger, Senegal, Tunisia
Main countries of planned destination	Niger, Tunisia, Italy

Chart 44: Number of migrant departures from Flow Monitoring Points in Tripoli by *baladiya* and reporting period:



The number of migrant departures have not decreased a lot in comparison to the migrant arrivals. While the number of migrants arriving at FMPs in Tripoli between 1st and mid-February have decreased by 87% comparing to those who arrived in the period between 1<sup>st</sup> to mid-January, the number of migrants departure from FMPs have decreased by 55%.



Reporting period: 15 December 2016—15 February 2017

Number of assessments: 58

Main FMP classification: Arrival point

Baladiya assessed: Zwara, Sabratha

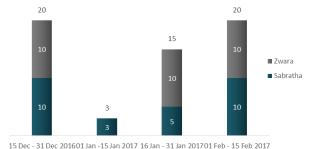


Chart 45: Number of assessments conducted in Zwara by baladiya and reporting

No data was collected from the baladiya of Zwara in the period between 1st and 15th

period:

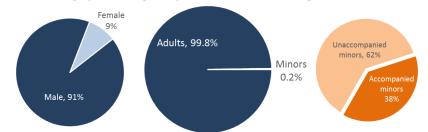
### Migrants present in Flow Monitoring Point

Avg # of migrants present per assessment	332
Main nationalities of migrants	Nigeria,
present	Gambia
Main countries of planned destination	Italy, Germany

Chart 47: Proportion of migrants by length of stay in



Chart 46: Demographics of migrants present at Flow Monitoring Points in Zwara:



Only 0.2% of the total number of migrants observed in Zwara were minors, 62% of them were unaccompanied and 38% were accompanied. 99.8% were adults, 91% of them were males and 9% females.

39% of the migrants present at FMPs in Zwara reported being in the location since more than 6 months, 34% spent between 3 and 6 months, 20% between 2 weeks and 3 months. The remaining 6% came to the location less than 2 weeks prior assessment.

# Migrant arrivals to Flow Monitoring Points:

Total # of migrant arrivals	127
Main mode of transport used	Vehicle 91% Bus 4%
Main nationalities of arriving migrants	Nigeria, Guinea,
Main countries of planned destination	Italy, Germany,

Chart 48: Number of migrants arriving at Flow Monitoring Points in Zwara by baladiya and reporting period:



the difference between the numbers was high in the following periods. In the period between 16<sup>th</sup> and 31<sup>th</sup> January, the number of migrant arrivals to Sabratha was very low.

However, in the period between 1st to mid-February the number of arriving migrants recorded in Sabratha was higher than the number recorded in Zwara.

# Migrant departures from Flow Monitoring Points:

Total # of migrant departures	96
Main mode of transport used	Bost 81% Vehicle 13%
Main nationalities of departing migrants	Nigeria, Gambia,
	Ghana
Main countries of planned destination	Italy, Germany

Chart 49: Number of migrant departures from Flow Monitoring Points in Zwara by baladiya and reporting period:



No migrant departures were observed in the period between 1<sup>st</sup> and 15<sup>th</sup> January. The flow of migrant departures increased in Sabratha during the period between 1st to mid-February.

### ANNEX: FMP GLOBAL METHODOLOGY

### What is flow monitoring?

Flow Monitoring is a component of the IOM's Displacement Tracking Matrix (DTM) which has been developed to track movement flows of groups and individuals through key points of origin, transit locations and points of destination. The purpose of Flow Monitoring is to provide regularly updated information on the scale of population flows and profiles of populations on the move (migrants, internally displaced persons, returnees, etc.) through specific locations.

In Libya, Flow Monitoring focuses on the movement of migrants. The information and analysis provided through the Flow Monitoring methodology also helps to better understand and define shortcomings and priorities in the provision of assistance along the migratory routes.

### **Data collection methodology**

Each DTM enumerator collects data five days a week on migrant flows at one or more Flow Monitoring Points (FMP) in one area (baladiya). Adherence to this system depends on the region, the security situation and the ability of the enumerators to reach the point (s). Enumerators obtain data through direct observation and interviews with migrants and key informants at the point. Some enumerators cover more than one FMP over the course of one week and may visit each FMP 2-3 times per week.

Flow monitoring covers the main locations with the largest number of crossing migrants, identified using data collected through the DTM Mobility Tracking exercise.

While FMP findings cannot provide generalized conclusions applicable to all migrants in Libya, they provide an indication of the main migration trends in the country.

### Reporting schedule

FMP reports will have a semi-monthly\_reporting frequency. This first report consolidates the first four reporting periods of 2017 into one publication. Data is disaggregated by reporting period in order to facilitate trend analysis and ensure comparability of data across current and upcoming statistical reports. This will ensure a better understanding of the fluctuation of the flows of migration and the migrants' profiles.

DTM experts in the field identify **strategic locations** for the establishment of **monitoring locations/points** from where data collection will take place. The identification of the **Flow Monitoring Points** (FMPs) can be done either while conducting baseline assessments, through specific field assessments, or through consultation with key informants and/or desk review of secondary data.

<u>Flow Monitoring Baseline</u> contains information about the frequency and volume of migrants crossing through a Flow Monitoring Point. Various techniques of Flow Monitoring baseline can be used, depending on the nature and volume of the flows identified.

Libya DTM teams are also conducting <u>Flow</u> <u>Monitoring Surveys</u> (FMS) which consist of collecting data at the individual level. FMS results may complete FM reports when appropriate. Libya DTM also publishes FMS Analytical reports on a monthly basis.

In Libya, all the flows are monitored by individual head count.

Report publication frequency: Bi-weekly

Data

Daily

updates:

### **Quality check**

The methodology employs multi-layered data collection with various levels of granularity to allow for consistency checks. The team rigorously checks for data quality during the data collection, processing and analysis process.

**Data protection** Data Management is governed by IOM Data Protection Principles. For publicly released data (non-personal and non-sensitive), data will be under the Creative Commons Attribution for Intergovernmental Organizations.

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