



Photo: Visit to an IDP victim of torrential rains.  
Rumonge province, Burambi commune ©IOM 2018.

# 187,026

TOTAL NUMBER OF INTERNALLY  
DISPLACED PERSONS

INCLUDING:

# 137,532

INTERNALLY DISPLACED PERSONS  
DUE TO NATURAL DISASTERS

# 48,680

INTERNALLY DISPLACED PERSONS AS A RESULT  
OF THE SOCIO-POLITICAL SITUATION

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# DTM Methodology

The IOM Displacement Tracking Matrix is a comprehensible system to analyze and disseminate information to better understand the movements and needs of Internally Displaced Persons (IDPs) in Burundi.

Volunteers from the Burundian Red Cross (BRC) consult key informants with knowledge of displacement trends and needs in their communities. Key informants can be community leaders, local government authorities and religious leaders.



Enumerators complete two types of assessments:

**The commune level assessment** provides information on displacement trends in all communes in Burundi (18 provinces). This assessment provides information on displacement periods, provinces of origin and new displacement phenomena.

**The colline level assessment** provides information regarding humanitarian needs in the top five displacement areas (collines\*) hosting the highest numbers of displaced persons. This assessment provides information on demographics, vulnerabilities and sectoral needs.

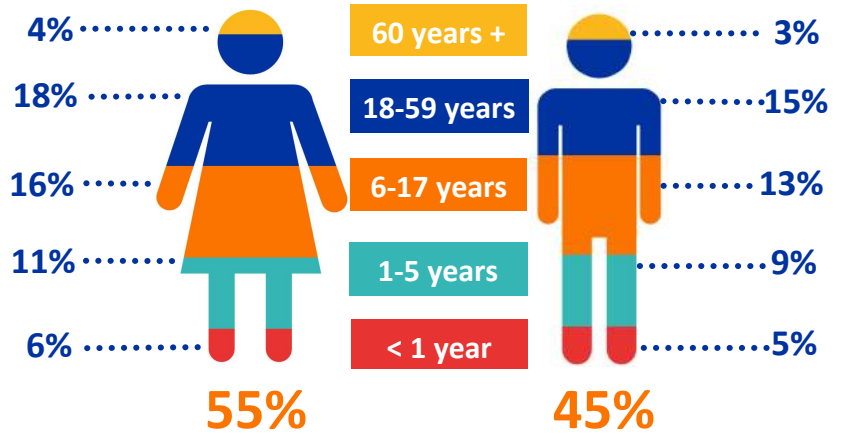
\*While colline assessments are conducted in the five collines hosting the highest numbers of displaced persons in each commune, two communes don't meet this criteria. Gihogazi and Shombo communes (Karusi province) both have three collines that host IDPs. Assessments from these collines are used in the analysis of this report.



# Highlights

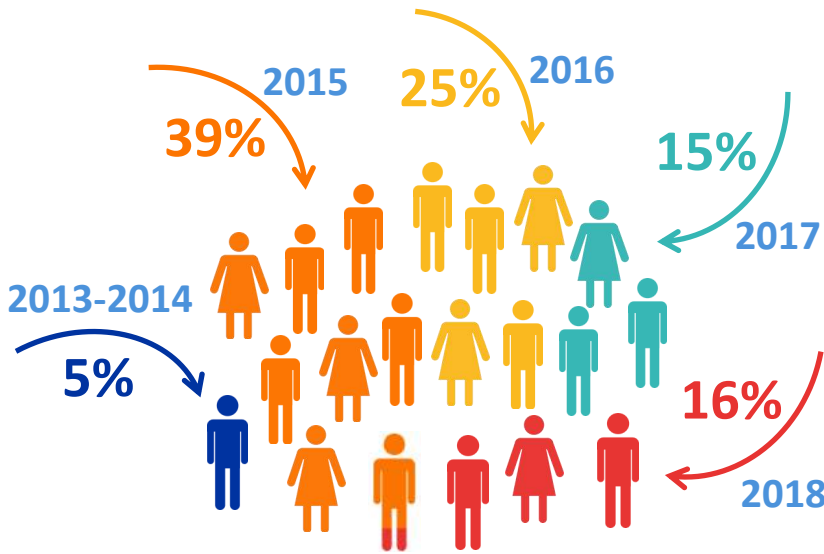
**187,026**  
internally displaced  
persons  
**41,060**  
displaced households

## DEMOGRAPHIC OF THE IDP POPULATION



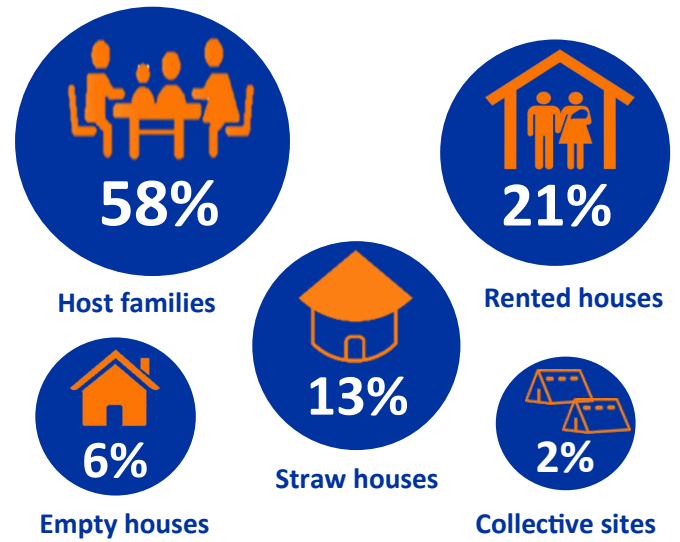
Graph 1: Demographic of the IDP population

## PERIODS OF DISPLACEMENT



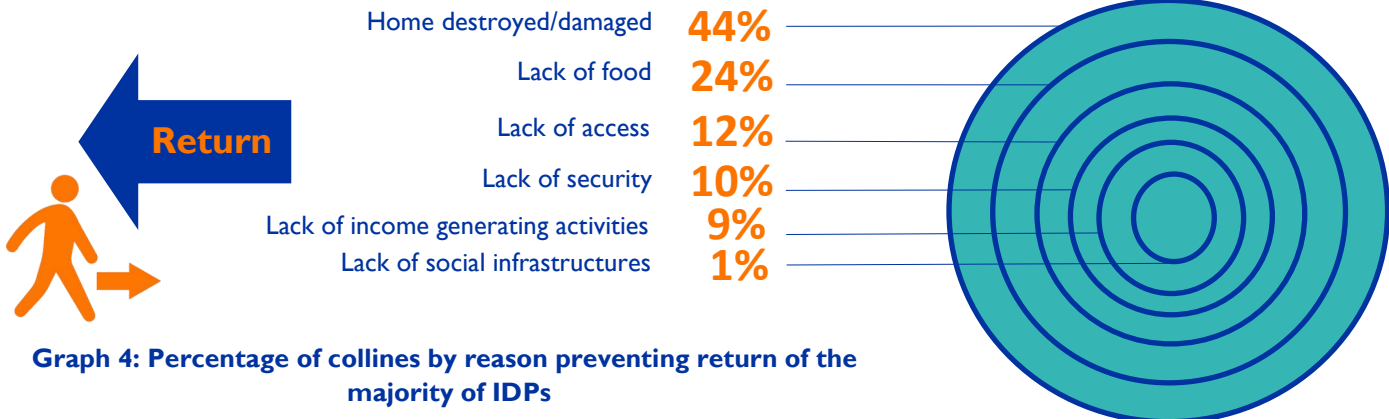
Graph 2: Percentage of currently displaced IDPs by period of initial displacement

## ACCOMMODATION TYPES



Graph 3: Percentage of IDPs by type of accommodation

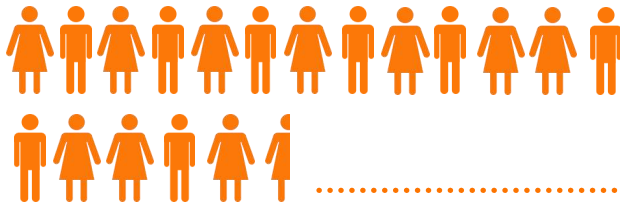
## REASONS PREVENTING THE RETURN OF IDPs



Graph 4: Percentage of collines by reason preventing return of the majority of IDPs

### DISPLACEMENT REASONS

Natural disasters



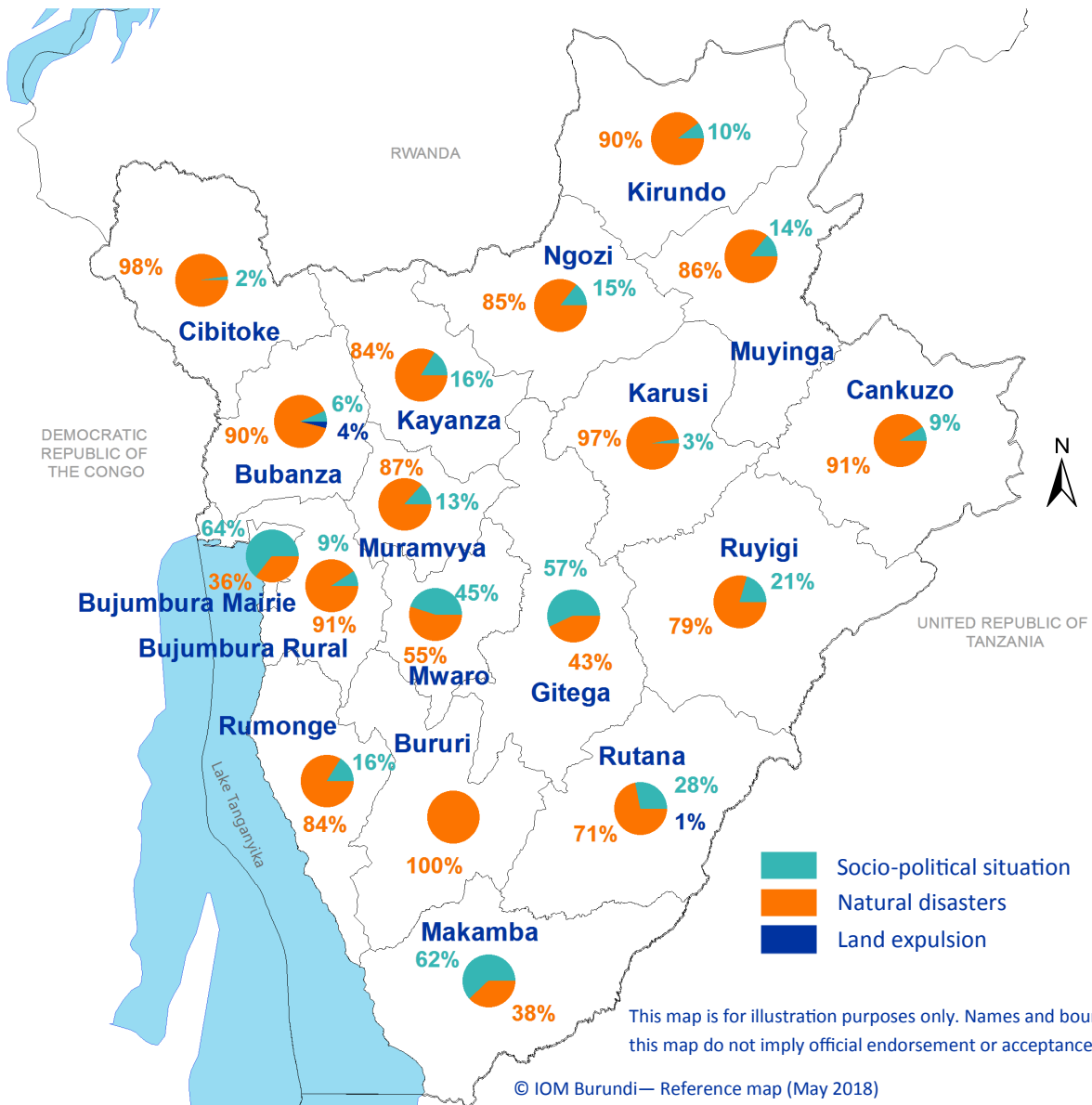
74%

Socio-political situation



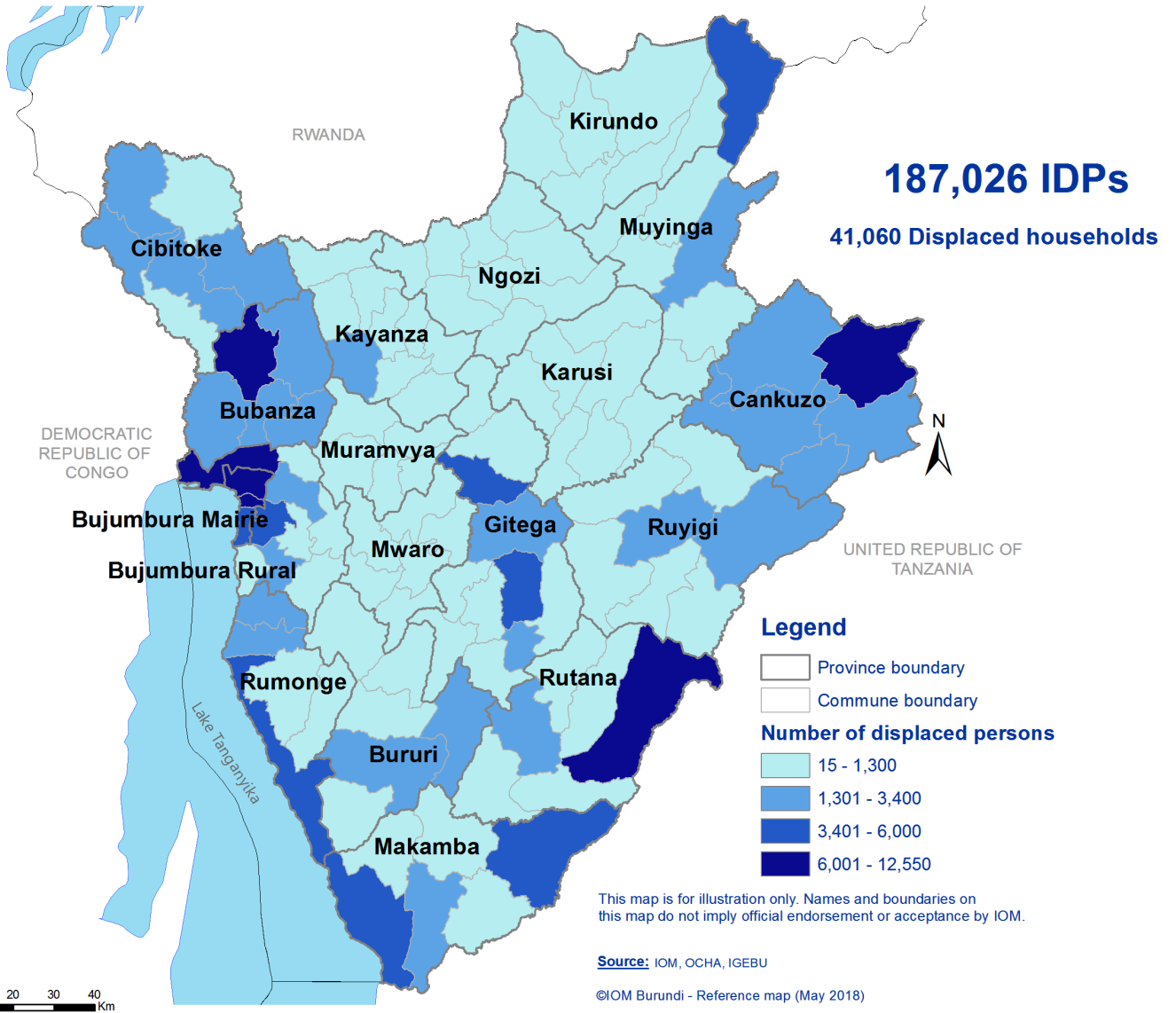
26%

Graph 5: Percentage of IDPs by reason of displacement

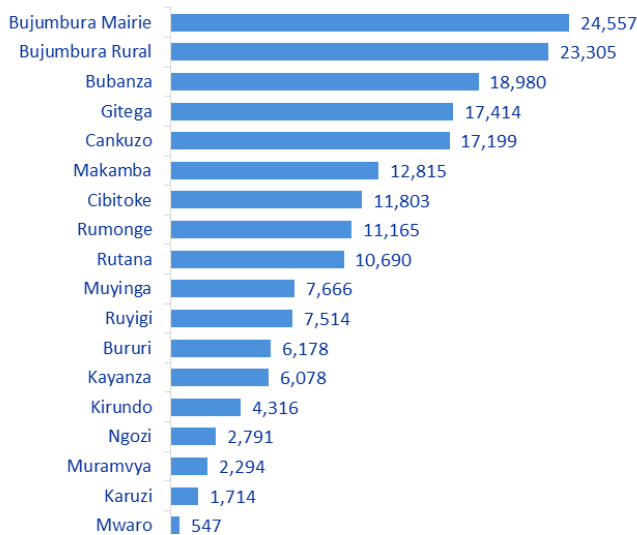


Map I: Percentage of IDPs by reason of displacement, by province

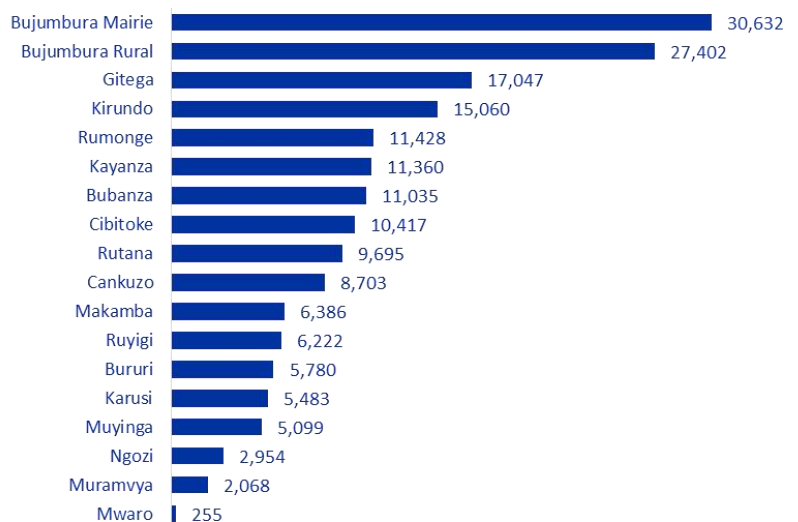
# IDP Presence



Map 2: IDP presence by commune



Graph 6: IDP Presence by commune



Graph 7: Estimated number of IDPs by province of origin

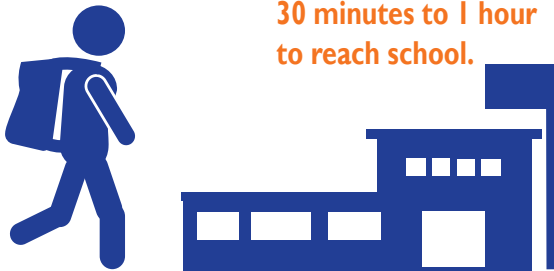
## IOM Displacement Tracking Matrix - May 2018

PROVINCE	NUMBER OF IDPs (households)	DISPLACEMENT REASONS			DISPLACEMENT TRENDS* Number of IDPs by month		
		Socio-political situation	Natural disaster	Other reasons	March	April	May
<b>Bubanza</b>	18,980 IDPs (3,880 households)	6%	90%	4%	18,959	18,795	18,980
<b>Bujumbura Mairie</b>	24,557 IDPs (5,106 households)	64%	36%		21,059	21,317	24,557
<b>Bujumbura Rural</b>	23,305 IDPs (4,520 households)	9%	91%		14,737	12,618	23,305
<b>Bururi</b>	6,178 IDPs (1,397 households)	100%			6,161	6,131	6,178
<b>Cankuzo</b>	17,199 IDPs (3,642 households)	9%	91%		15,943	16,103	17,199
<b>Cibitoke</b>	11,803 IDPs (2,509 households)	2%	98%		11,706	11,627	11,803
<b>Gitega</b>	17,414 IDPs (3,791 households)	57%	43%		18,655	18,052	17,414
<b>Karusi</b>	1,714 IDPs (483 households)	3%	97%		1,343	1,648	1,714
<b>Kayanza</b>	6,078 IDPs (2,355 households)	16%	84%		6,025	6,052	6,078
<b>Kirundo</b>	4,316 IDPs (1,285 households)	10%	90%		3,855	4,032	4,316
<b>Makamba</b>	12,815 IDPs (2,563 households)	62%	38%		12,350	12,115	12,815
<b>Muramvya</b>	2,294 IDPs (542 households)	13%	87%		1,923	1,932	2,294
<b>Muyinga</b>	7,666 IDPs (2,032 households)	14%	86%		7,856	7,463	7,666
<b>Mwaro</b>	547 IDPs (210 households)	45%	55%		730	669	547
<b>Ngozi</b>	2,791 IDPs (802 households)	15%	85%		2,554	2,517	2,791
<b>Rumonge</b>	11,165 IDPs (2,213 households)	16%	84%		12,733	10,936	11,165
<b>Rutana</b>	10,690 IDPs (2,170 households)	28%	71%	1%	10,127	10,041	10,690
<b>Ruyigi</b>	7,514 IDPs (1,560 households)	21%	79%		7,295	7,326	7,514

# Humanitarian Overview

## Education

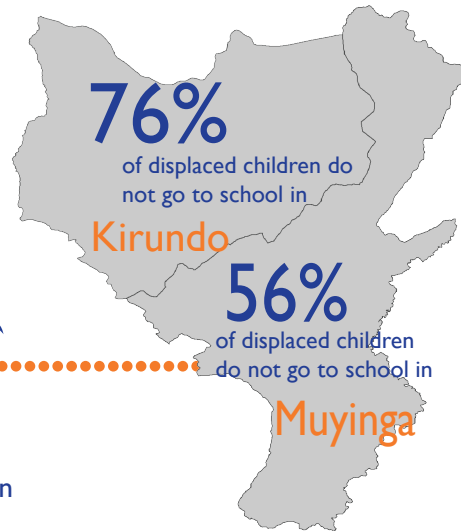
**69%** of surveyed collines reported that the majority of displaced children walk **30 minutes to 1 hour** to reach school.



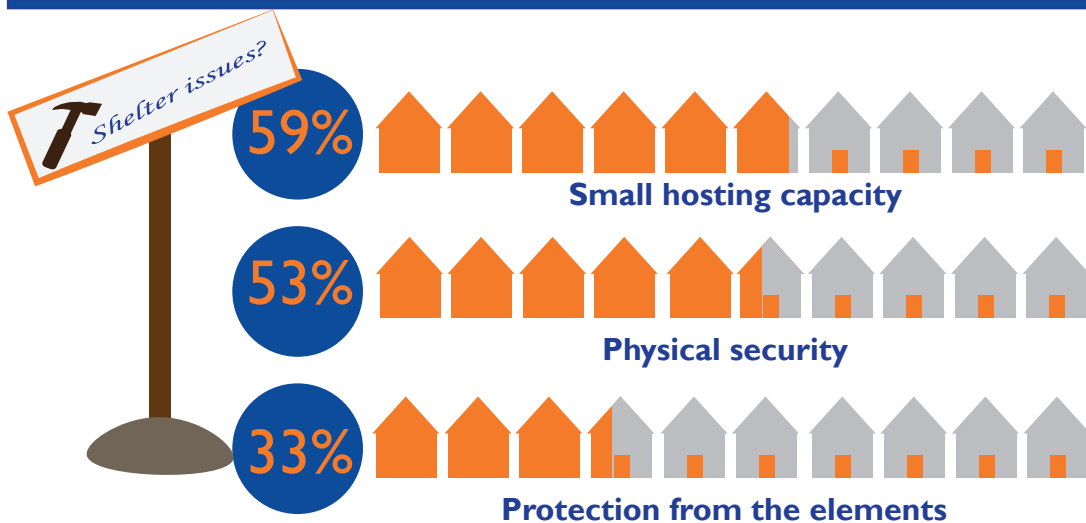
**30%**



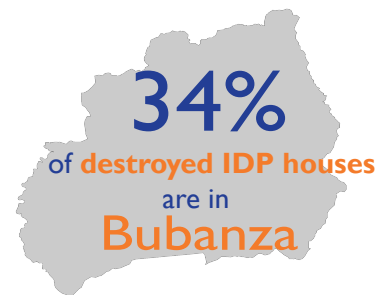
of school-age displaced children **do not go to school.**



## Shelter



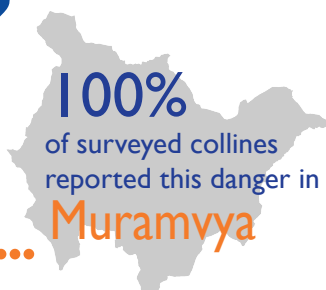
Graph 8: Percentage of collines reporting issues with IDP shelters



## Protection

**76%**

of surveyed collines reported that **wood collection areas** represent a danger to women and girls



**32%**

of collines reported the lack of **focal points trained on gender based violence** to whom GBV victims can report cases.

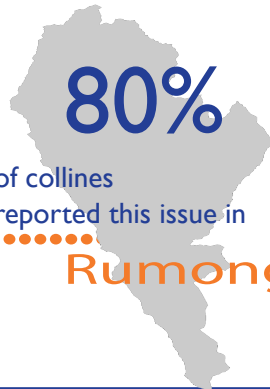


# Health

89%



of evaluated collines reported that **the walk time** to reach the health center is **more than 30 minutes**.



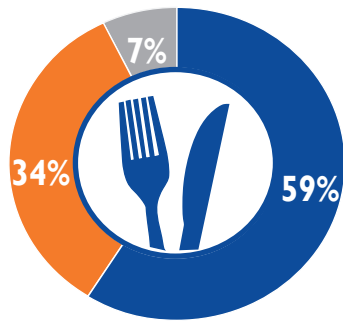
89%



of collines reported that **malaria** is the most recurrent health issue.

# Food Security

59%



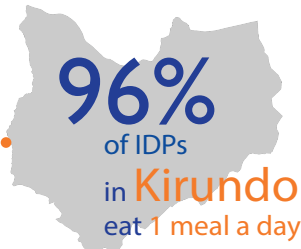
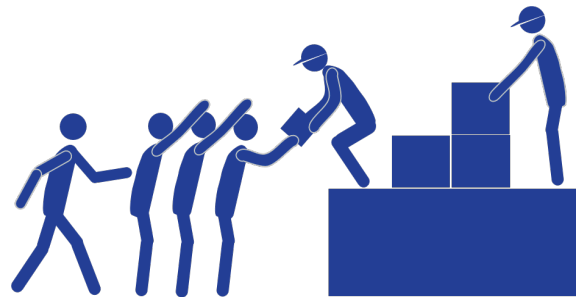
- 1 meal
- 2 meals
- 3 meals

Graph 9: Number of meals per day for IDPs

2%

of collines report that there were **food distributions to IDPs** in the last 3 months.

of surveyed collines reported that IDPs only have access to **1 meal a day**.



# WASH



including:

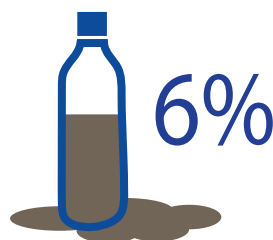
38%

of surveyed collines reported **concerns about the quality of drinking water**.

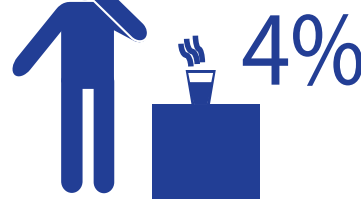
Water residue



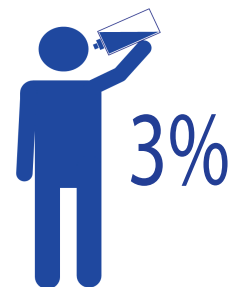
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Smell

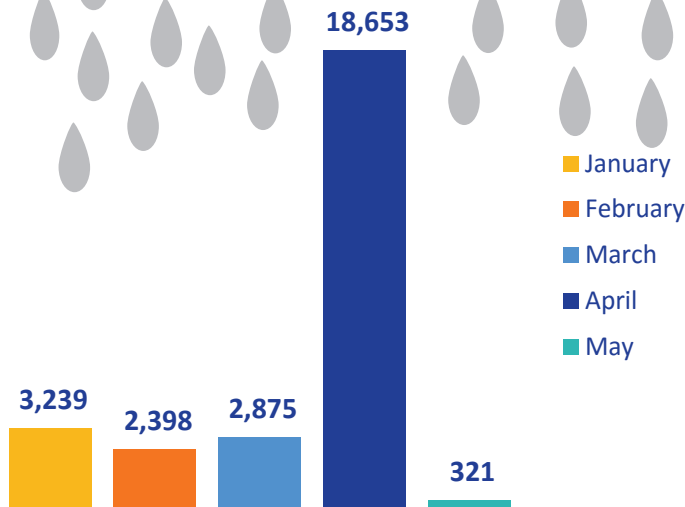


Taste



# The rainy season

May marks the end of the rainy season, which this year has induced significant natural disaster-related displacement and destruction throughout the country. Destruction and damage caused by natural disasters have affected both displaced and host populations. Since January 2018, DTM has been tracking the most severe natural disaster events, including torrential rains, violent winds, landslides, and floods. This page and the next provide a picture of the effects of natural disasters during the rainy season.



## Since January:

- > 1600 houses destroyed
- > 2000 houses damaged
- > 100 people injured
- 15 persons deceased
- > 30 roads and bridges destroyed

Graph 10: Monthly distribution of IDPs due to natural disasters



Photo 1: Damaged classroom due to torrential rains and strong winds. Bururi province, Rutovu commune © IOM 2018.



Photo 2: IDP home partially destroyed by torrential rains. Bujumbura Mairie province, Ntangwa commune © IOM 2018.



Photo 3: Large hall damaged by torrential rains and strong winds. Bururi province, Rutovu commune © IOM 2018.



Photo 4: Construction of a temporary shelter for an IDP whose house was completely destroyed by torrential rains. Ngozi province, Kiremba commune © IOM 2018.



Photo 5: IDP home partially destroyed by torrential rains. Bubanza province, Gihanga commune © IOM 2018.

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Photo: Visit to a displaced household affected by torrential rains. Ngozi province, Kiremba commune ©IOM 2018.

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