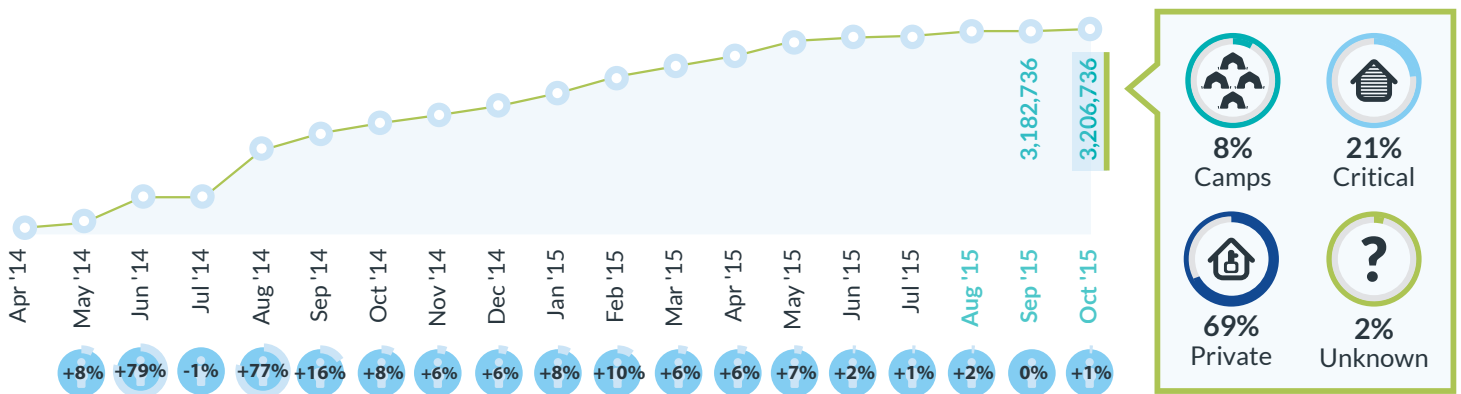


### DISPLACEMENT REACHES NEARLY 3.2 MILLION IDPs AMID CONTINUED RETURN MOVEMENTS

The Displacement Tracking Matrix (DTM) is IOM's information management tool that gathers specific data on the status and location of displaced persons across Iraq.

From January 2014 to 29 September 2015, the DTM identified **3,206,736** internally displaced individuals (534,456 families),<sup>1</sup> dispersed across 103 districts and 3,476 locations in Iraq.<sup>2</sup>

Considering the available information and the DTM methodology, the Humanitarian Country Team (HCT) maintains the planning figures for the humanitarian response at **3.2 million** internally displaced persons (IDPs).



## HIGHLIGHTS

#### Highlights - National Overview

- The governorates hosting the largest IDP populations remain Anbar, Baghdad, and Dahuk (Page 2) with a total of 1,587,600 individuals.
- A total of 87% of the displaced population (2,787,744 individuals) have fled Anbar, Ninewa and Salah al-Din (page 4).
- Following the Ramadi Crisis, since 1 April 2015 just over half a million individuals were displaced from Anbar (page 6).

#### From 27 August to 29 September 2015:

- Displacement has increased by just over 24,000 individuals (page 3).
- IDPs have primarily displaced from the governorates of Anbar (22,368 individuals), Ninewa (20,412) and Kirkuk governorates (10,200) (page 5).
- IDPs who accommodate in critical shelter arrangements have increased by 5,496 individuals (page 9)
- Returnees increased by 43,794 individuals (page 12).

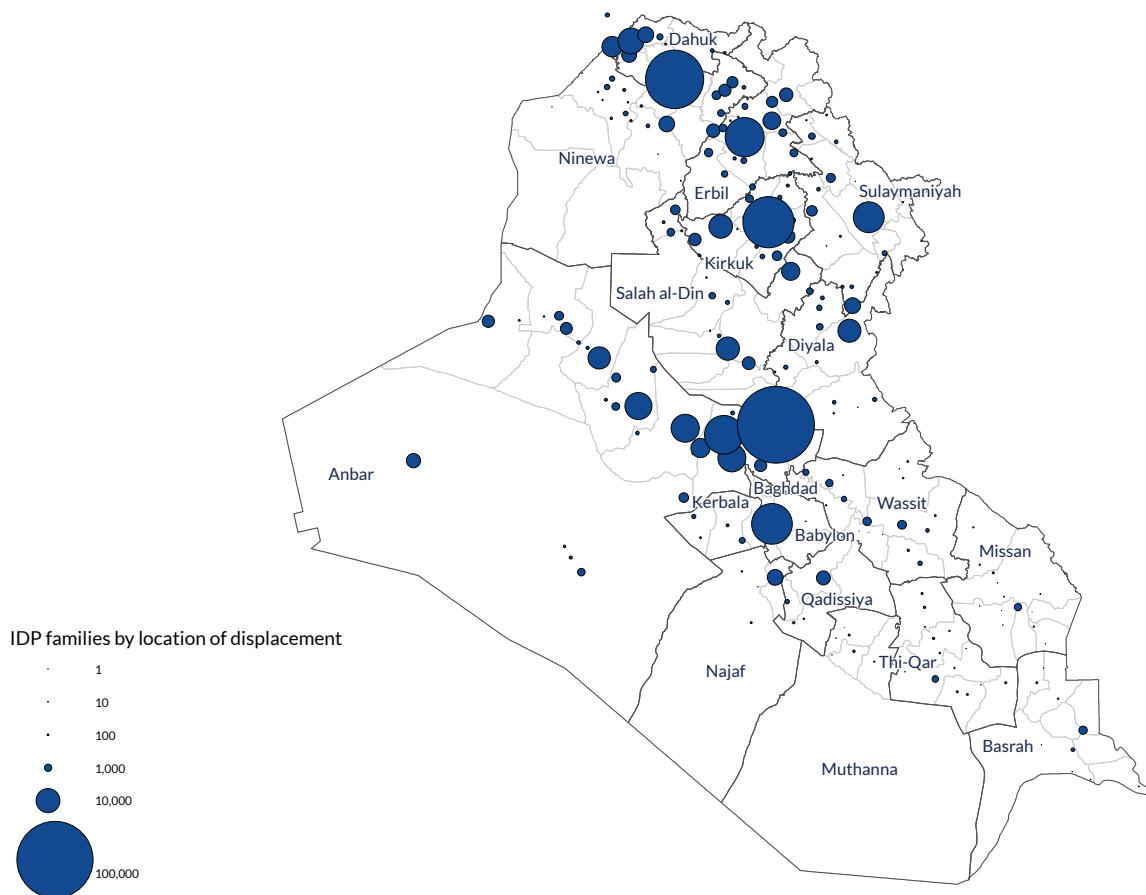
1. The number of individuals is calculated by multiplying the number of families by six, the average size of an Iraqi family.  
 2. A location is defined as an area that corresponds either to a sub-district (e.g. fourth official administrative division), a village for rural areas and a neighbourhood for urban areas (e.g. fifth official administrative division).

# OVERVIEW OF IDPs BY GEOGRAPHIC LOCATION

## KEY POINTS

- As of 29 September 2015, seven governorates host 82% (2,638,566 individuals) of the total identified IDP population. Anbar hosts 18% (583,050 individuals), Baghdad 18% (577,584), Dahuk 13% (426,966), Kirkuk 13% (401,280), Erbil 9% (284,310), Ninewa 6% (203,652) and Sulaymaniyah 5% (161,724).
- Central North Iraq hosts 68% of the IDPs (2,162,772 individuals), the Kurdistan Region of Iraq (KRI) hosts 27% of the IDPs (873,000 individuals)<sup>3</sup> and South Iraq hosts 5% of the IDPs (179,964 individuals).<sup>4</sup>
- The governorate that has experienced the highest IDP increase is Dahuk, whose IDP population has increased by 5% (19,362 individuals); most IDPs are from Ninewa and Salah al-Din governorates.

## 1.0 IDP LOCATIONS AND NUMBER OF INDIVIDUALS BY DISTRICT, OCTOBER 2015



3. The figure of the KRI is not inclusive of populations currently displaced in the districts of Akre, Al-Shikhan, Kitfi and Khanaqin.
4. To facilitate analysis, this report divides Iraq in three regions: the Kurdistan Region of Iraq (KRI) includes the Dahuk, Sulaymaniyah and Erbil governorates; the South includes the Basrah, Missan, Najaf, Thi-Qar, Qadissiya and Muthanna governorates; the Central North includes the Anbar, Babylon, Baghdad, Diyala, Kerbala, Kirkuk, Ninewa, Salah al-Din and Wassit governorates.

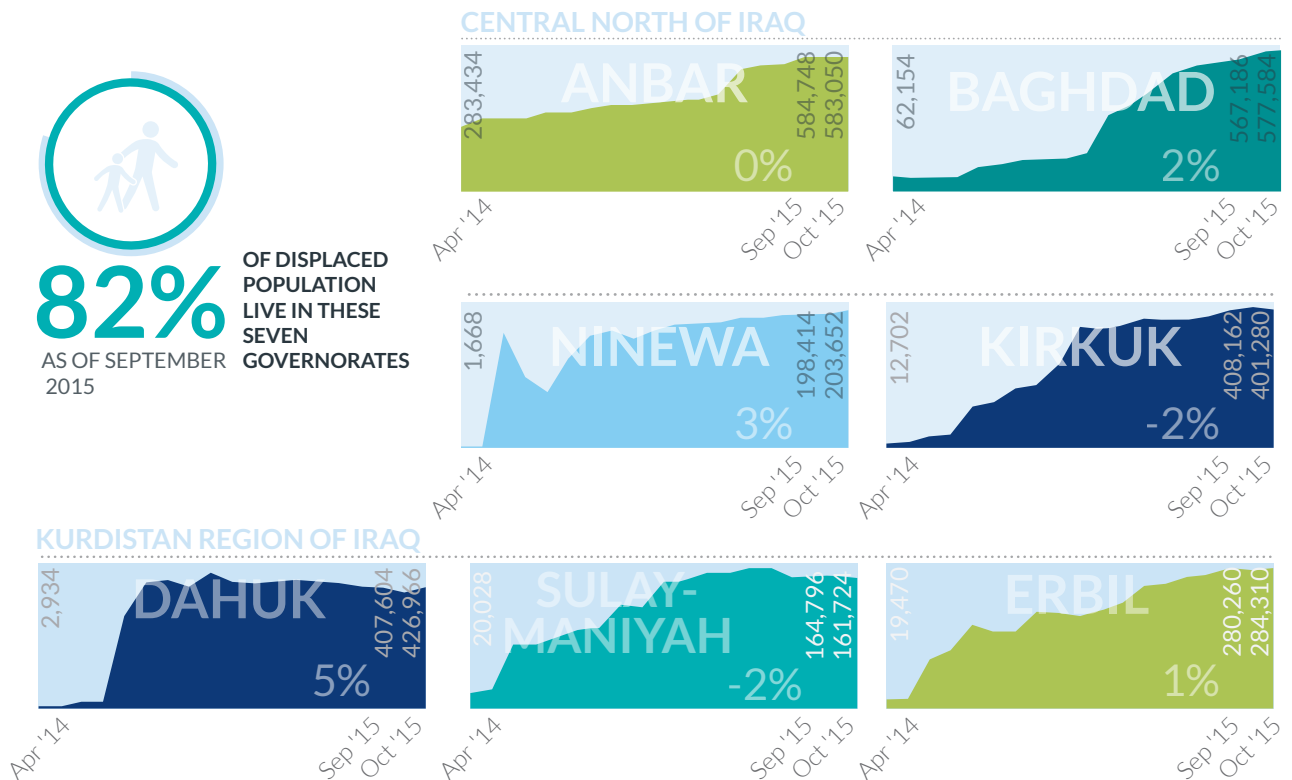
## 1.1 DISTRIBUTION OF IDP FAMILIES AND INDIVIDUALS BY GOVERNORATE

| Governorate of displacement | Families       | Individuals      | %           |
|-----------------------------|----------------|------------------|-------------|
| Anbar                       | 97,175         | 583,050          | 18%         |
| Babylon                     | 10,195         | 61,170           | 2%          |
| Baghdad                     | 96,264         | 577,584          | 18%         |
| Basrah                      | 1,808          | 10,848           | 0%          |
| Dahuk                       | 71,161         | 426,966          | 13%         |
| Diyala                      | 18,587         | 111,522          | 3%          |
| Erbil                       | 47,385         | 284,310          | 9%          |
| Kerbala                     | 11,395         | 68,370           | 2%          |
| Kirkuk                      | 66,880         | 401,280          | 13%         |
| Missan                      | 1,175          | 7,050            | 0%          |
| Muthanna                    | 301            | 1,806            | 0%          |
| Najaf                       | 14,051         | 84,306           | 3%          |
| Ninewa                      | 33,942         | 203,652          | 6%          |
| Qadissiya                   | 4,114          | 24,684           | 1%          |
| Salah al-Din                | 26,024         | 156,144          | 5%          |
| Sulaymaniyah                | 26,954         | 161,724          | 5%          |
| Thi-Qar                     | 1,583          | 9,498            | 0%          |
| Wassit                      | 5,462          | 32,772           | 1%          |
| <b>Total</b>                | <b>534,456</b> | <b>3,206,736</b> | <b>100%</b> |

During the reporting period, a decrease has been observed in the governorates of Diyala (7% of the total IDP population, or 8,334 individuals), Kirkuk (2% or 6,882 individuals) and Sulaymaniya (2% or 3,072 individuals). This decrease is attributable to return movements.

The districts hosting the highest number of IDPs are Kirkuk district in Kirkuk governorate (9% of the total IDP population or 274,392 individuals), Falluja in Anbar (8% or 269,160 individuals), Sumel in Dahuk (7% or 215,826), Karkh (6% or 188,964 individuals) in Baghdad governorate, and Erbil district in Erbil governorate (6% or 185,154 individuals).

## 1.2 IDPS OVER TIME AND CHANGE BY GOVERNMENT OF DISPLACEMENT, OCTOBER 2015

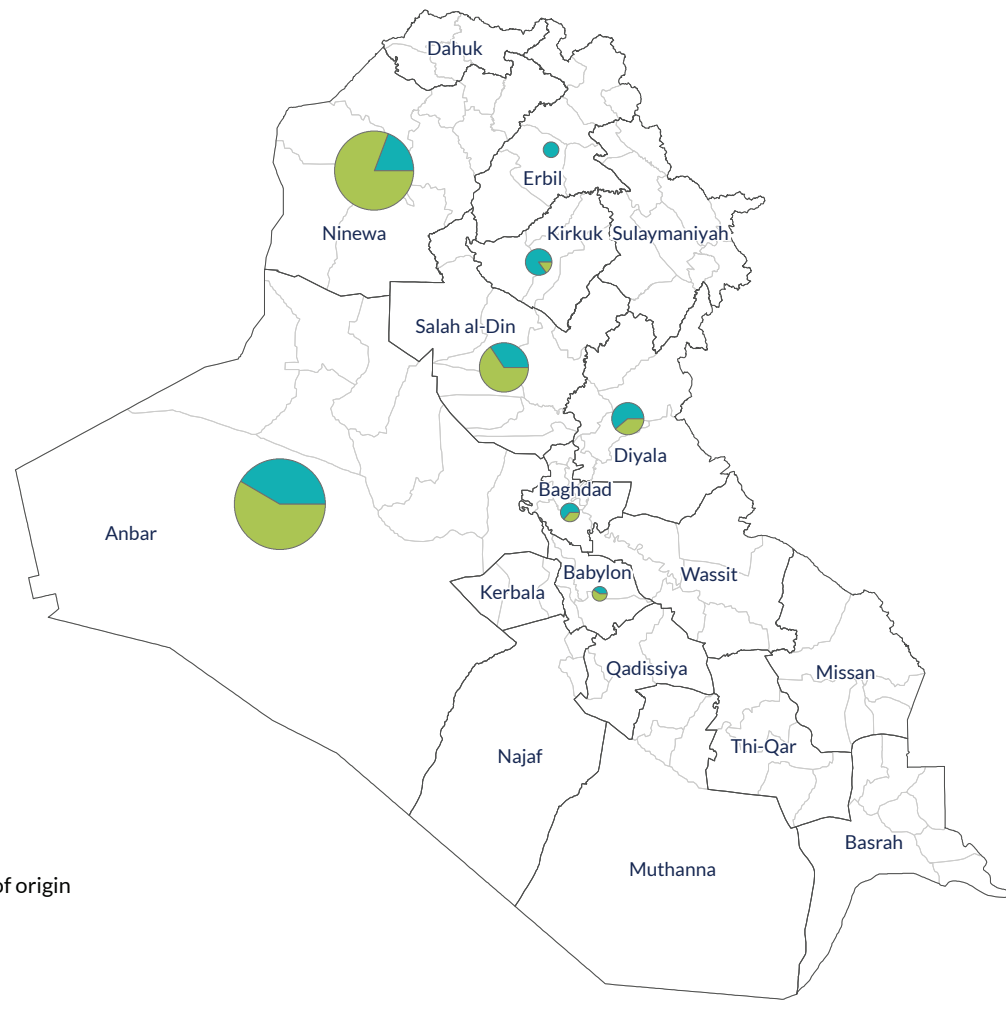


# OVERVIEW OF IDPs BY GOVERNORATE OF ORIGIN

## KEY POINTS

- As of 29 September 2015, the total IDP population is reportedly displaced from eight governorates: Anbar (42% or 1,356,960 individuals), Ninewa (32% or 1,032,018 individuals), Salah al-Din (12% or 398,766 individuals), Diyala (5% or 171,888 individuals), Kirkuk (4% or 113,778 individuals), Baghdad (2% or 57,564 individuals), Erbil (1% or 40,128 individuals) and Babylon (1% or 35,364 individuals).
- During the reporting period, there has been a high increase of IDPs originally from Anbar (2% of IDPs or 22,368 individuals), from Ninewa (2% or 20,412 individuals), and from Kirkuk (10% or 10,200 individuals). This increase might be due to the ongoing clashes between Armed Groups (AGs) and the Iraqi Security Forces (ISF) in the area of Falluja in Anbar, around the city of Kirkuk and in the villages surrounding the city of Mosul, in Ninewa.
- IDPs originally from Diyala and Salah al-Din governorates have decreased remarkably. The IDP population from Diyala has decreased by 9%, (17,646 individuals), while the IDP population from Salah al-Din has decreased by 2%, (8,376 individuals). The decrease is due to the ongoing return movements in both governorates, as IDPs are returning to their location of origin.

## 2.0 NUMBER OF DISPLACED INDIVIDUALS BY GOVERNORATE OF ORIGIN, OCTOBER 2015



## 2.1 IDPs DISPLACED WITHIN THEIR GOVERNORATE OF ORIGIN

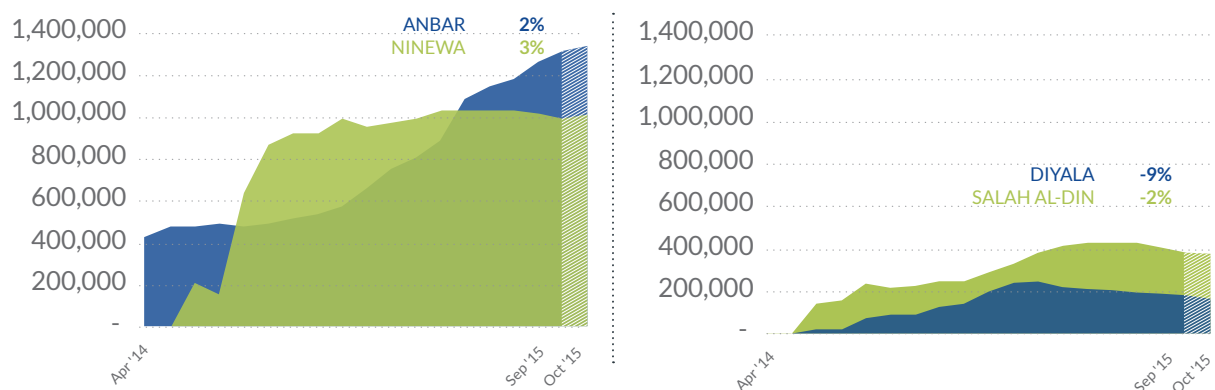


Some governorates of origin stand out because of the high level of internal displacement, namely the number of IDPs displaced within their governorate of origin. The figures of intra-governorate displacement is extremely high in Erbil (100% of IDPs displaced from Erbil or 40,128 individuals), Kirkuk (85% or 18,963 individuals), Baghdad (63% or 57,564 individuals) and Diyala (61% or 171,888 individuals).

## 2.2 IDPs BY GOVERNORATE OF DISPLACEMENT AND GOVERNORATE OF ORIGIN, OCTOBER 2015

| Governorate of displacement | Anbar            | Babylon       | Baghdad       | Diyala         | Erbil         | Kirkuk         | Ninewa           | Salah al-Din   | Total            |
|-----------------------------|------------------|---------------|---------------|----------------|---------------|----------------|------------------|----------------|------------------|
| Anbar                       | 564,024          | 3,000         | 5,760         | 132            | 0             | 0              | 2,532            | 7,602          | 583,050          |
| Babylon                     | 16,446           | 14,532        | 810           | 210            | 0             | 24             | 28,488           | 660            | 61,170           |
| Baghdad                     | 401,640          | 10,602        | 36,456        | 18,204         | 0             | 3,612          | 48,834           | 58,236         | 577,584          |
| Basrah                      | 2,460            | 90            | 270           | 366            | 0             | 690            | 3,696            | 3,276          | 10,848           |
| Dahuk                       | 4,182            | 0             | 0             | 0              | 0             | 0              | 421,344          | 1,440          | 426,966          |
| Diyala                      | 3,804            | 0             | 60            | 104,988        | 0             | 0              | 348              | 2,322          | 111,522          |
| Erbil                       | 126,396          | 0             | 0             | 630            | 40,038        | 0              | 81,210           | 36,036         | 284,310          |
| Kerbala                     | 5,412            | 1,320         | 198           | 330            | 0             | 534            | 60,018           | 558            | 68,370           |
| Kirkuk                      | 128,766          | 480           | 1,686         | 15,660         | 0             | 96,468         | 35,616           | 122,604        | 401,280          |
| Missan                      | 930              | 30            | 186           | 102            | 0             | 810            | 4,314            | 678            | 7,050            |
| Muthanna                    | 678              | 0             | 36            | 24             | 0             | 48             | 960              | 60             | 1,806            |
| Najaf                       | 3,570            | 0             | 96            | 144            | 0             | 432            | 79,584           | 480            | 84,306           |
| Ninewa                      | 3,186            | 0             | 0             | 0              | 0             | 0              | 198,996          | 1,470          | 203,652          |
| Qadissiya                   | 6,168            | 90            | 348           | 216            | 0             | 2,808          | 14,844           | 210            | 24,684           |
| Salah al-Din                | 8,502            | 0             | 1,320         | 3,126          | 90            | 6,342          | 42               | 136,722        | 156,144          |
| Sulaymaniyah                | 76,668           | 5,238         | 10,128        | 27,276         | 0             | 6              | 17,130           | 25,278         | 161,724          |
| Thi-Qar                     | 1,800            | 174           | 138           | 126            | 0             | 1,230          | 5,520            | 510            | 9,498            |
| Wassit                      | 2,328            | 78            | 72            | 354            | 0             | 774            | 28,542           | 624            | 32,772           |
| <b>Total</b>                | <b>1,356,960</b> | <b>35,634</b> | <b>57,564</b> | <b>171,888</b> | <b>40,128</b> | <b>113,778</b> | <b>1,032,018</b> | <b>398,766</b> | <b>3,206,736</b> |
| <b>%</b>                    | <b>42%</b>       | <b>1%</b>     | <b>2%</b>     | <b>5%</b>      | <b>1%</b>     | <b>4%</b>      | <b>32%</b>       | <b>12%</b>     | <b>100%</b>      |

## 2.3 IDPs OVER TIME BY GOVERNORATE OF ORIGIN AND PERCENTAGE CHANGE OVER THE REPORTING PERIOD, OCTOBER 2015

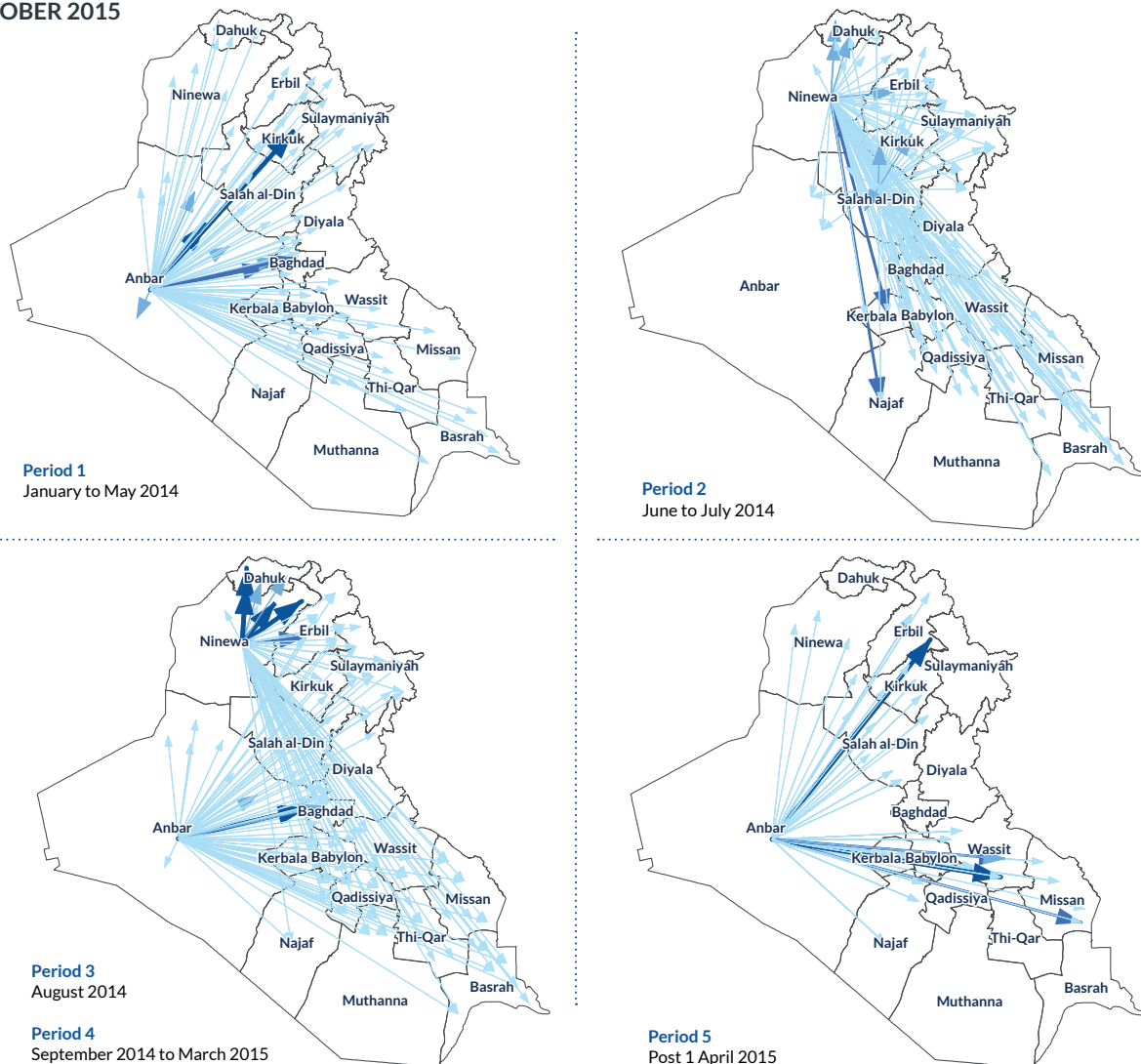


# OVERVIEW OF IDPs BY PERIOD OF DISPLACEMENT

## KEY POINTS

- The majority of the identified IDP population was displaced during the month of August 2014 (26% or 830,202 individuals) when hostilities mainly affected the Sinjar region in Ninewa governorate.<sup>5</sup>
- A slightly smaller number (22% or 691,500 individuals) of identified IDPs were displaced between the months of June and July 2014, when hostilities particularly affected the area of Mosul in Ninewa governorate.
- Approximately 17% of IDPs (554,202 individuals) were displaced between September 2014 and March 2015, and a similar number (16% or 508,104 individuals) from January to June 2014 when the current crisis broke out, mainly affecting Anbar governorate.
- Approximately 19% of the identified displaced population (622,728 individuals) were displaced after 1 April 2015.

### 3.0 LOCATIONS AND THE NUMBER OF DISPLACED INDIVIDUALS BY DISTRICT AND PERIOD OF DISPLACEMENT, OCTOBER 2015



IDP families by period of displacement



5. From the onset on the current crisis at the beginning of 2014, five main periods of displacement have been identified: January –May 2014, June–July 2014, August 2014, post-1 September 2014–March 2015, and post-1 April 2015 to date.

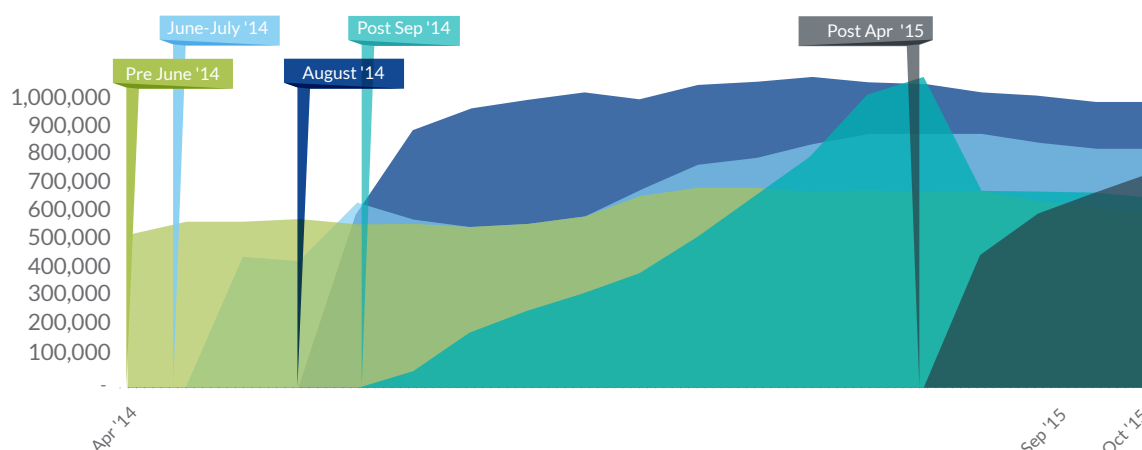
## 3.1 IDPs BY GOVERNORATE AND PERIOD OF DISPLACEMENT, OCTOBER 2015

| Governorate of displacement | Pre-June '14   | June-July '14  | August '14     | Post September '14 | Post April '15 | Total            |
|-----------------------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|--------------------|----------------|------------------|
| Anbar                       | 241,890        | 21,912         | 0              | 70,284             | 248,964        | 583,050          |
| Babylon                     | 1,038          | 33,174         | 10,110         | 9,438              | 7,410          | 61,170           |
| Baghdad                     | 96,492         | 60,720         | 62,526         | 167,946            | 189,900        | 577,584          |
| Basrah                      | 240            | 4,734          | 1,980          | 3,192              | 702            | 10,848           |
| Dahuk                       | 4,182          | 66,492         | 356,292        | 0                  | 0              | 426,966          |
| Diyala                      | 840            | 53,394         | 15,108         | 39,510             | 2,670          | 111,522          |
| Erbil                       | 35,538         | 77,856         | 69,276         | 27,270             | 74,370         | 284,310          |
| Kerbala                     | 2,784          | 48,810         | 15,834         | 216                | 726            | 68,370           |
| Kirkuk                      | 85,476         | 108,966        | 59,070         | 104,472            | 43,296         | 401,280          |
| Missan                      | 36             | 1,458          | 3,582          | 1,416              | 558            | 7,050            |
| Muthanna                    | 168            | 516            | 612            | 144                | 366            | 1,806            |
| Najaf                       | 2,046          | 58,446         | 17,196         | 5,514              | 1,104          | 84,306           |
| Ninewa                      | 2,154          | 26,472         | 132,942        | 37,788             | 4,296          | 203,652          |
| Qadissiya                   | 216            | 6,276          | 12,300         | 4,632              | 1,260          | 24,684           |
| Salah al-Din                | 2,670          | 51,954         | 38,388         | 29,682             | 33,450         | 156,144          |
| Sulaymaniyah                | 31,038         | 44,310         | 24,984         | 49,782             | 11,610         | 161,724          |
| Thi-Qar                     | 504            | 2,928          | 3,756          | 1,656              | 654            | 9,498            |
| Wassit                      | 792            | 23,082         | 6,246          | 1,260              | 1,392          | 32,772           |
| <b>Total</b>                | <b>508,104</b> | <b>691,500</b> | <b>830,202</b> | <b>554,202</b>     | <b>622,728</b> | <b>3,206,736</b> |
| <b>%</b>                    | <b>16%</b>     | <b>22%</b>     | <b>26%</b>     | <b>17%</b>         | <b>19%</b>     | <b>100%</b>      |

The number of IDPs displaced before April 2015 has been decreasing, with the sole exception of the IDPs displaced in August 2014, whose number remained stable during the reporting period and did not register any increase. The number of IDPs displaced before June 2014, in June-July 2014 and September 2014-March 2015 decreased by 4%, 1% and 2% respectively. This can be explained by the ongoing returning movements, which however did not affect the IDP population displaced during the Sinjar Crisis.

Only the number of IDPs displaced after 1 April 2015 has been increasing. DTM recorded an increase of 10%, corresponding to 58,458 individuals; of these, 90% are originally from Anbar, 6% from Kirkuk and 4% from Salah al-Din.

## 3.2 IDPs OVER TIME AND CHANGE BY DISPLACEMENT PERIOD, OCTOBER 2015



## 3.2.1 PERCENTAGE CHANGE BY DISPLACEMENT PERIOD, OCTOBER 2015



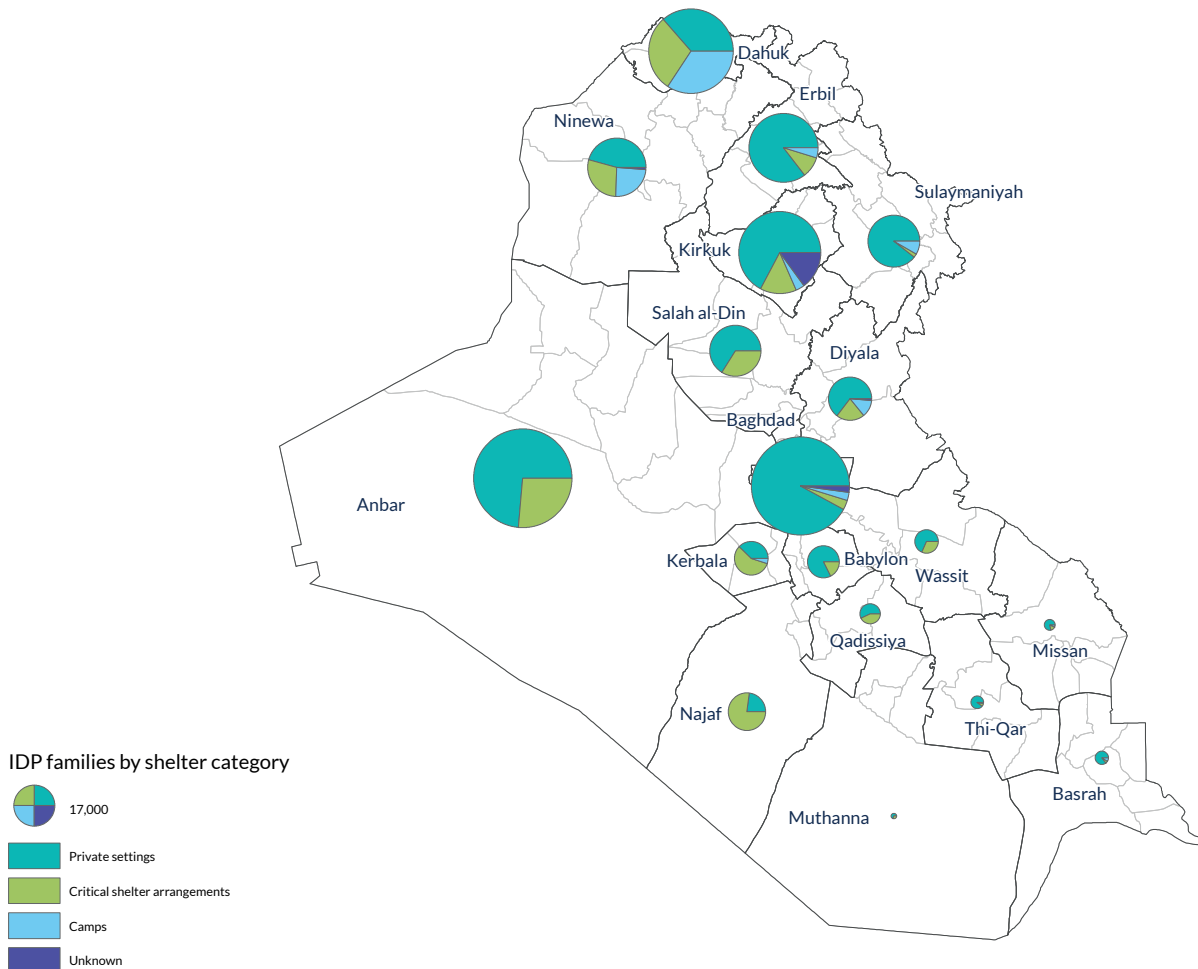


# OVERVIEW OF IDPs BY SHELTER ARRANGEMENTS

## KEY POINTS

- The majority of identified IDPs (69% or 2,197,542 individuals) are reportedly housed in private settings. Of the total IDP population, 40% (1,276,584 individuals) are hosted in rented houses, 28% (898,038 individuals) are with host families, and 1% (22,920 individuals) are in hotels/motels.<sup>6</sup>
- Fewer (20% or 622,002 individuals) are in critical shelters. Overall, 9% (301,356 individuals) are in unfinished buildings, 4% (137,022 individuals) are in religious buildings, 5% (175,854 individuals) are in informal settlements, and 1% (37,254 individuals) are in school buildings.<sup>7</sup>
- The IDPs living in camps represent 8% of the total IDP population (271,116 individuals). Those whose shelter arrangements are still unknown represent 2% of the total IDP population (78,822 individuals).
- The IDP population accommodated in private settings remained stable during the reporting period. The IDP population in camps has increased by 5% (13,428 individuals), especially in Baghdad governorate, and those in critical shelters by 1% (5,496 individuals), particularly in Kirkuk governorate.

## 4.0 IDP LOCATIONS AND NUMBER OF INDIVIDUALS BY GOVERNORATE OF DISPLACEMENT AND SHELTER TYPE, OCTOBER 2015



6. Private settings include rented houses, hotels/ motels and host families.

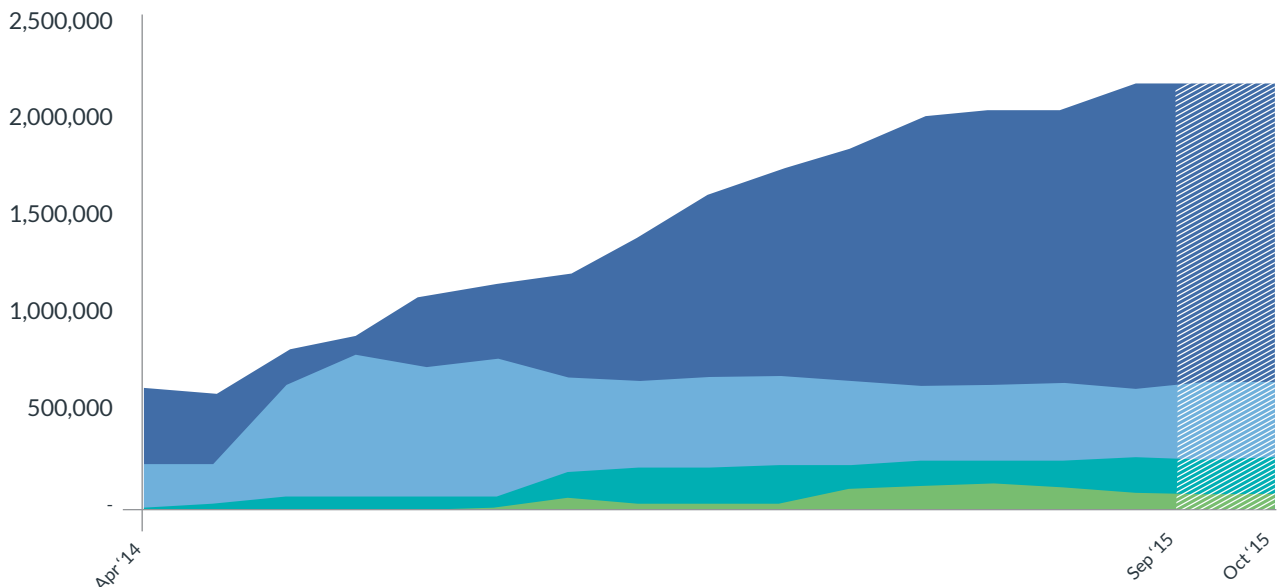
7. Critical shelter arrangements include informal settlements, religious buildings, schools, and unfinished and abandoned buildings.



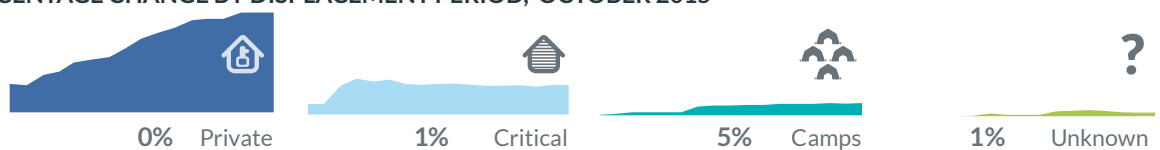
4.1 IDPs INDIVIDUALS BY SHELTER TYPE, OCTOBER 2015

| Governorate of displacement | Camp           | Host Families  | Hotel/ Motel  | Informal Settlements | Other        | Private home | Public building | Religious Building | Rented housing   | School Building | Unfinished building | Unknown       | Total            |
|-----------------------------|----------------|----------------|---------------|----------------------|--------------|--------------|-----------------|--------------------|------------------|-----------------|---------------------|---------------|------------------|
| Anbar                       | 0              | 377,118        | 0             | 86,970               | 0            | 0            | 0               | 1,344              | 51,612           | 22,482          | 43,524              | 0             | 583,050          |
| Babylon                     | 0              | 14,862         | 546           | 3,006                | 0            | 0            | 0               | 5,526              | 35,094           | 222             | 1,914               | 0             | 61,170           |
| Baghdad                     | 15,372         | 290,868        | 1,410         | 12,192               | 162          | 0            | 0               | 3,360              | 239,892          | 1,842           | 324                 | 12,162        | 577,584          |
| Basrah                      | 996            | 3,414          | 348           | 222                  | 168          | 0            | 0               | 162                | 5,472            | 18              | 0                   | 48            | 10,848           |
| Dahuk                       | 146,436        | 32,862         | 6,204         | 14,274               | 0            | 0            | 0               | 1,854              | 116,580          | 180             | 108,576             | 0             | 426,966          |
| Diyala                      | 14,238         | 32,364         | 0             | 0                    | 1,560        | 0            | 0               | 30                 | 39,612           | 162             | 21,852              | 1,704         | 111,522          |
| Erbil                       | 13,344         | 16,500         | 10,326        | 18,468               | 0            | 0            | 0               | 2,712              | 216,282          | 180             | 6,498               | 0             | 284,310          |
| Kerbala                     | 3,432          | 936            | 1,878         | 78                   | 6            | 0            | 0               | 38,382             | 23,070           | 558             | 30                  | 0             | 68,370           |
| Kirkuk                      | 13,764         | 39,390         | 0             | 13,242               | 0            | 0            | 0               | 0                  | 230,340          | 84              | 44,220              | 60,240        | 401,280          |
| Missan                      | 462            | 3,006          | 0             | 162                  | 54           | 0            | 0               | 60                 | 2,514            | 786             | 6                   | 0             | 7,050            |
| Muthanna                    | 0              | 156            | 0             | 0                    | 282          | 0            | 0               | 150                | 1,104            | 30              | 84                  | 0             | 1,806            |
| Najaf                       | 0              | 1,866          | 78            | 78                   | 0            | 0            | 0               | 64,758             | 17,436           | 0               | 90                  | 0             | 84,306           |
| Ninewa                      | 49,464         | 43,368         | 0             | 972                  | 0            | 0            | 0               | 1,902              | 49,962           | 3,732           | 51,672              | 2,580         | 203,652          |
| Qadissiya                   | 0              | 4,482          | 0             | 156                  | 2,856        | 0            | 0               | 6,294              | 9,636            | 12              | 1,248               | 0             | 24,684           |
| Salah al-Din                | 0              | 17,436         | 0             | 24,714               | 2,406        | 0            | 0               | 510                | 84,906           | 6,786           | 18,186              | 1,200         | 156,144          |
| Sulaymaniyah                | 13,278         | 0              | 1,890         | 462                  | 276          | 0            | 0               | 570                | 141,840          | 150             | 2,370               | 888           | 161,724          |
| Thi-Qar                     | 330            | 4,866          | 0             | 48                   | 0            | 0            | 0               | 624                | 3,624            | 6               | 0                   | 0             | 9,498            |
| Wassit                      | 0              | 14,544         | 240           | 810                  | 0            | 0            | 0               | 8,784              | 7,608            | 24              | 762                 | 0             | 32,772           |
| <b>Total</b>                | <b>271,116</b> | <b>898,038</b> | <b>22,920</b> | <b>175,854</b>       | <b>7,770</b> | <b>0</b>     | <b>0</b>        | <b>137,022</b>     | <b>1,276,584</b> | <b>37,254</b>   | <b>301,356</b>      | <b>78,822</b> | <b>3,206,736</b> |
| <b>%</b>                    | <b>8%</b>      | <b>28%</b>     | <b>1%</b>     | <b>5%</b>            | <b>0%</b>    | <b>0%</b>    | <b>0%</b>       | <b>4%</b>          | <b>40%</b>       | <b>1%</b>       | <b>9%</b>           | <b>2%</b>     | <b>100%</b>      |

4.2 IDPs OVERTIME AND CHANGE BY SHELTER TYPE, OCTOBER 2015



4.2.1 PERCENTAGE CHANGE BY DISPLACEMENT PERIOD, OCTOBER 2015

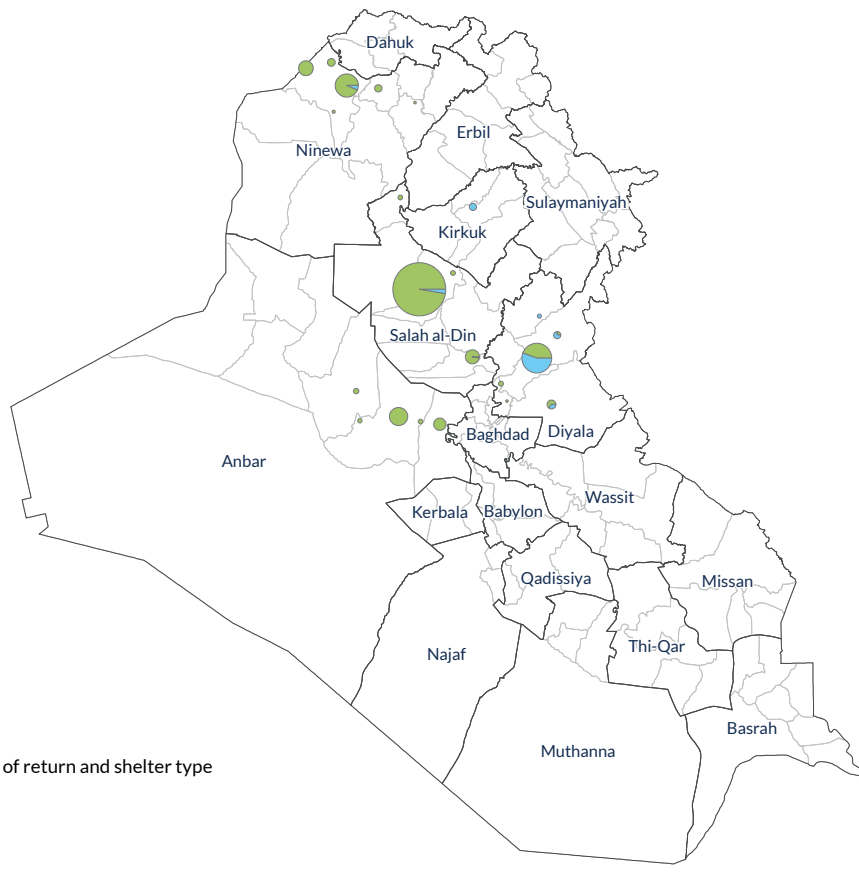


# OVERVIEW OF RETURNEES TRACKING

## KEY POINTS

- As of 29 September 2015, a total of 56,587 families (402,660 individuals) are reported to have returned to their location of origin.<sup>8</sup>
- Approximately 54% of returnees (218,928 individuals) have returned to Salah al-Din governorate and 39% of total returnees (155,694 individuals) to Tikrit district alone, specifically to Merkaz, Tikrit. This return movement has been taking place since mid-June.
- Of the remaining returnees, 16% (77,316 individuals) returned to Diyala, and 17% (63,138) to Ninewa, primarily to the northern districts of Telafar and Tilkaif, thanks to improved security conditions.
- Kirkuk is the last governorate of displacement of 24% of the currently identified returnees (97,656 individuals). Approximately 90% of returnees who were last displaced in Kirkuk governorate returned to Salah al-Din (88,476 individuals).

## 5.0 NUMBER OF RETURNEES BY DISTRICT AND PERCENTAGES OF THOSE WHO RETURNED TO THEIR HABITUAL RESIDENCE, OCTOBER 2015



8. "Go and see" visits are not captured by the returnee tracking system, which focuses on permanent return.

## 5.1 RETURNEE FAMILIES AND INDIVIDUALS BY GOVERNORATE AND DISTRICT OF RETURN, OCTOBER 2015

| Governorate               | District     | FAMILIES      | IDP            | %           |
|---------------------------|--------------|---------------|----------------|-------------|
| Anbar                     | Falluja      | 1,799         | 10,794         | 3%          |
| Anbar                     | Heet         | 375           | 2,250          | 1%          |
| Anbar                     | Ramadi       | 4,419         | 26,514         | 7%          |
| <b>Anbar Total</b>        |              | <b>6,593</b>  | <b>39,558</b>  | <b>10%</b>  |
| Diyala                    | Al-Khalis    | <b>6,304</b>  | 37,824         | 9%          |
| Diyala                    | Al-Muqdadiya | 5,777         | 34,662         | 9%          |
| Diyala                    | Khanaqin     | 605           | 3,630          | 1%          |
| Diyala                    | Kifri        | 200           | 1,200          | 0%          |
| <b>Diyala Total</b>       |              | <b>12,886</b> | <b>77,316</b>  | <b>19%</b>  |
| Kirkuk                    | Kirkuk       | <b>620</b>    | 3,720          | 1%          |
| <b>Kirkuk Total</b>       |              | <b>620</b>    | <b>3,720</b>   | <b>1%</b>   |
| Ninewa                    | Mosul        | 73            | 438            | 0%          |
| Ninewa                    | Telafar      | 8,480         | 50,880         | 13%         |
| Ninewa                    | Tilkaif      | 1,970         | 11,820         | 3%          |
| <b>Ninewa Total</b>       |              | <b>10,523</b> | <b>63,138</b>  | <b>16%</b>  |
| Salah al-Din              | Al-Daur      | <b>4,690</b>  | 28,140         | 7%          |
| Salah al-Din              | Baiji        | <b>1,375</b>  | 8,250          | 2%          |
| Salah al-Din              | Balad        | 1,865         | 11,190         | 3%          |
| Salah al-Din              | Samarra      | 2,609         | 15,654         | 4%          |
| Salah al-Din              | Tikrit       | <b>25,949</b> | 155,694        | <b>39%</b>  |
| <b>Salah al-Din Total</b> |              | <b>36,488</b> | <b>218,928</b> | <b>54%</b>  |
| <b>Grand Total</b>        |              | <b>67,110</b> | <b>402,660</b> | <b>100%</b> |



ANBAR



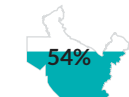
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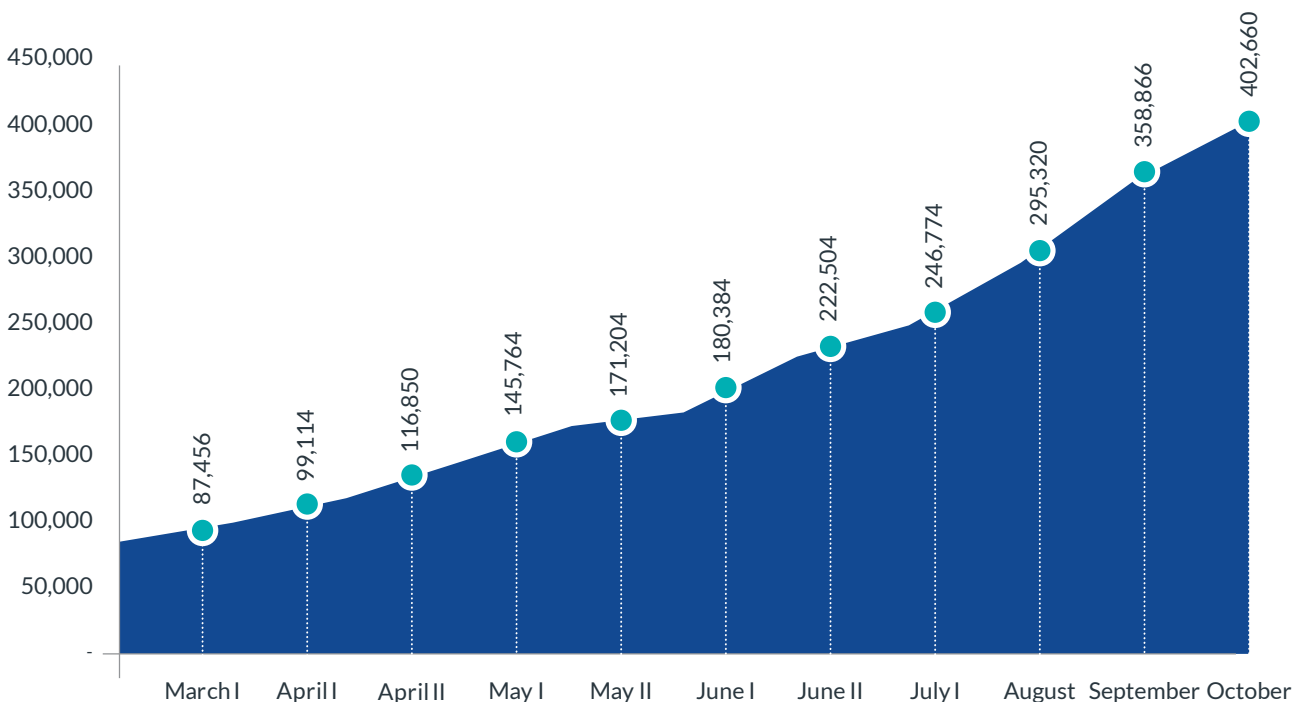


SALAH AL-DIN

Salah al-Din is the last governorate of displacement of 24% of returnees (98,340 individuals). Just as with Diyala, all returnees from Salah al-Din were internally displaced within their governorate of origin and returned to their location of origin in the governorate.

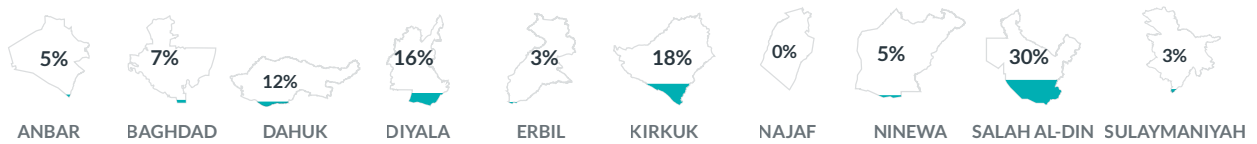
Diyala is the last governorate of displacement of 16% of the identified returnees (65,574 individuals). All of the returnees displaced in Diyala were internally displaced and are reported to have returned to their location of origin within the governorate.

## 5.2 DISTRIBUTION OF RETURNEES OVER TIME



## 5.3 RETURNEES BY DISTRICT OF RETURN AND LAST GOVERNORATE OF DISPLACEMENT, OCTOBER 2015

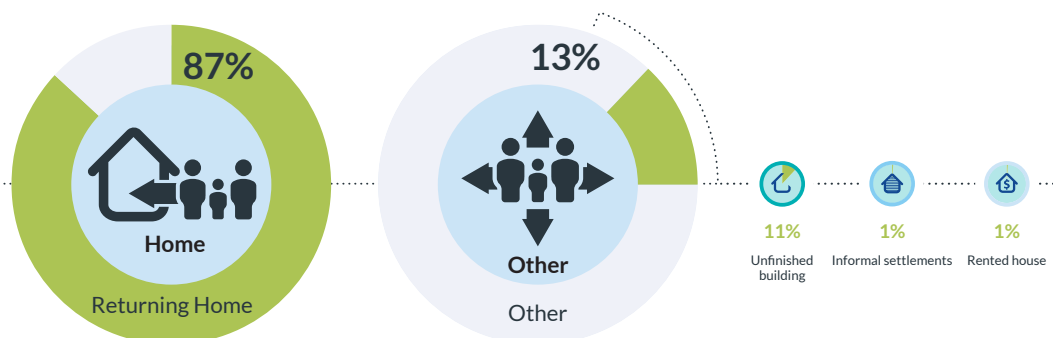
| District of return | Last Governorate of Displacement |               |               |               |               |               |            |               |               |               | Total          |
|--------------------|----------------------------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|----------------|
|                    | Anbar                            | Baghdad       | Dahuk         | Diyala        | Erbil         | Kirkuk        | Najaf      | Ninewa        | Salah Al-Din  | Sulaymaniyah  |                |
| Anbar              | 17,448                           | 22,110        | 0             | 0             | 0             | 0             | 0          | 0             | 0             | 0             | 39,558         |
| Diyala             | 330                              | 0             | 0             | 65,574        | 0             | 5,460         | 0          | 0             | 0             | 5,952         | 77,316         |
| Kirkuk             | 0                                | 0             | 0             | 0             | 0             | 3,720         | 0          | 0             | 0             | 0             | 3,720          |
| Ninewa             | 0                                | 0             | 44,340        | 0             | 90            | 0             | 0          | 18,708        | 0             | 0             | 63,138         |
| Salah al-Din       | 0                                | 3,540         | 0             | 0             | 17,280        | 88,476        | 120        | 0             | 98,340        | 11,172        | 218,928        |
| <b>Total</b>       | <b>17,778</b>                    | <b>25,650</b> | <b>44,340</b> | <b>65,574</b> | <b>17,370</b> | <b>97,656</b> | <b>120</b> | <b>18,708</b> | <b>98,340</b> | <b>17,124</b> | <b>402,660</b> |
| %                  | 4%                               | 6%            | 11%           | 16%           | 4%            | 24%           | 0%         | 5%            | 24%           | 4%            | 100%           |



## 5.4 RETURNEES BY DISTRICT OF RETURN AND PERIOD OF DISPLACEMENT, OCTOBER 2015

| Governorate of return | June-July '14  | August '14     | Post Sept '14  | Post April '15 | Total          |
|-----------------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|
| Anbar                 | 0              | 0              | 5,916          | 33,642         | 39,558         |
| Diyala                | 32,322         | 0              | 44,994         | 0              | 77,316         |
| Kirkuk                | 0              | 0              | 3,720          | 0              | 3,720          |
| Ninewa                | 0              | 63,138         | 0              | 0              | 63,138         |
| Salah al-Din          | 118,806        | 52,362         | 47,760         | 0              | 218,928        |
| <b>Total</b>          | <b>151,128</b> | <b>115,500</b> | <b>102,390</b> | <b>33,642</b>  | <b>402,660</b> |
| %                     | 38%            | 29%            | 25%            | 8%             | 100%           |

## 5.5 PERCENTAGE OF RETURNEES BY SHELTER TYPE, OCTOBER 2015



## METHODOLOGY

IOM's DTM aims to monitor displacement and provide accurate data about the IDP population in Iraq. Data are collected through IOM's Rapid Assessment and Response Teams (RART), composed of 140 staff members deployed across the Iraqi territory.

The Master List (ML) data and the Returnees Master List (RML) data are gathered through a well-established large network of over 1,300 Key Informants (KI); community leaders, mukhtars, local authorities, and security forces make up most of the KIs. Additional information is gathered from government registration data and partner agencies.

IOM RARTs collect ML data continuously and report biweekly. However, limited access and other operational constraints can limit information-gathering activities. The variation in displacement figures observed between the reporting periods may occur due to influencing factors such as the increased accuracy of displacement tracking, continuous identification of previously displaced groups and the inclusion of data regarding secondary displacements within Iraq.

The displaced populations are identified through a process of collection, verification, triangulation and validation of data. IOM continues to closely coordinate with federal, regional, and local authorities to maintain a shared and accurate understanding of displacement across Iraq.

The Emergency Tracking System is an additional component of the DTM portfolio and a reactive tool aiming to provide real-time displacement figures in the case of emergency situations. Initial estimates are gathered through a set of monitoring techniques that include data gathering from KIs, on the spot visits and displacement flow-monitoring at checkpoints and bottlenecks. The information gathered through the ETS is further verified and eventually incorporated in the DTM ML.