



## Task Force on Population Movements 4th Report, 05<sup>th</sup> August 2015

### Introduction

On 20 April 2015, the Protection Cluster established the Task Force on Population Movements (TFPM), co-led by UNHCR and IOM, to provide more reliable and accurate data on displacement and generate a better understanding of displacement trends across the country. The primary objective of the TFPM is to inform the humanitarian response through the coordination of displacement tracking and monitoring, data collection exercises and dissemination of qualitative data on numbers, locations and priority needs of the internally displaced and other conflict affected communities in Yemen.

#### Key results of the 4<sup>th</sup> report:

- ✓ **245,919** displaced households in Yemen representing **1,439,118** individuals. This represents an increase of 26,815 households (152,028 individuals) since the 3<sup>rd</sup> report.
- ✓ **Hajjah** governorate continues to host the highest number of IDPs (298,788 individuals), followed by **Al Dhale'e** (235,656 individuals) and **Aden** (195,325 individuals). An additional significant increase is seen in **Hadramaut** with the governorate crossing the 100,000 mark (100,663 individuals).
- ✓ Main governorates of origin for displacement are **Aden, Al Dhale'e and Sa'ada**.

### Methodology

Since the conflict escalated, several humanitarian partners have conducted assessments in affected governorates, with different objectives (quick or sectorial needs surveys, for example). Various methodologies have been used for collecting different types of data at diverse levels of detail. The TFPM relies on these assessments and extracts basic information on internal displacement, which is consolidated in a database.

For quality control, duplicative data is omitted based on district of displacement, district of origin, and caseload. It should be noted that if a district is not mentioned in a report the assumption is that either the information is not available for the specific location or no displaced persons are living in that area. For this reason, such reports are not used by the TFPM.

To facilitate data harmonisation, the TFPM developed a reporting template to encourage partners to collect and report the same basic data. While the template has been widely circulated, it has not been systematically used highlighting the need for training and for closer coordination with partners who provide data.

The date of first displacement is usually not communicated by partners, which makes it difficult to confirm if households have been displaced during the reporting period or before. Furthermore, data on displacement is only reported once humanitarian partners are able to access an area of displacement. Other limitations are that at present there is no mechanism to track secondary displacement and any returns that take place. It has also been a challenge to collect sex and age disaggregated data and information pertaining to the number of female-headed households. For these reasons the report should be seen as a snapshot of the current situation. Nevertheless, the underlying assumption is that current displacement is reflective of new displacement, including of IDPs who may have been displaced prior to the current crisis. The statistics presented below are a summary of reports received as of end July 2015.

To address these challenges and generate more systematic and accurate reporting on displacement numbers and locations, the TFPM has agreed on a common methodology for Displacement Tracking and Monitoring. The first phase is to identify the different locations of displacement in each district of the country through area assessments. During the second phase location assessments will be conducted that will capture information on displacement numbers, demographics and cross-sectorial needs. Pilot data collection under this methodology was implemented in Aj Jawf and Aden governorates in June 2015 under the lead of IOM.

### Sources Partners

For the 4<sup>th</sup> report, twenty-nine partners shared information on displaced populations in comparison to thirty-three that contributed data to the 3<sup>rd</sup> report. Below is a summary of sources of displacement data by governorate:

Source of information	Abyan	Aden	AlBayda	AlDhalee	AlHudaydah	AlJawf	AlMaharah	AlMahwit	AmanatAlAsimah	Amran	Dhamar	Hadramaut	Hajjah	Ibb	Lahj	Marib	Raymah	Saada	Sanaa	Shabwah	Taizz	
AASWA																						
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GCCSR												•										
Governmental Emergency Committee					•																	
Health Office																	•					
HRC														•								
Humanitarian Forum Yemen			•									•		•								
ICRC														•								•
Intersos									•													
IOM (DTM)		•				•																
Islamic Help																•						
Mobadiron Foundation														•								
Nahdt Balad																		•				
NFDHR	•																					
Sama AlYemen and Seed																•						
Save the Children International											•											
Seed																						
UNFPA													•									
UNHCR					•					•												•
YRCS				•						•	•											•
YWU	•	•	•	•	•			•	•	•	•			•	•	•		•	•	•	•	•

## Number of displaced households per governorate

<i>IDPs by Governorate of Displacement</i>			
<i>Current Governorate</i>	<i>Households</i>	<i>Individuals</i>	<i>Average HH size</i>
Abyan	9,596	52,541	5
Aden	29,683	195,325	7
AlBayda	1,297	7,675	6
AlDhalee	34,895	235,656	7
AlHudaydah	8,523	53,016	6
AlJawf	7,269	48,053	7
AlMaharah	19	110	6
AlMahwit	5,935	36,618	6
AmanatAlAsimah	1,738	9,239	5
Amran	12,551	58,185	5
Dhamar	5,303	37,009	7
Hadramaut	16,878	100,663	6
Hajjah	49,798	298,788	6
Ibb	14,309	57,708	4
Lahj	8,183	38,484	5
Marib	7,165	42,999	6
Raymah	5,259	36,813	7
Saada	6,741	40,420	6
Sanaa	1,157	4,146	4
Shabwah	7,196	36,654	5
Taizz	12,424	49,016	4
<b>Grand Total</b>	<b>245,919</b>	<b>1,439,118</b>	<b>6</b>

For the 4<sup>th</sup> report, information was available for **250** districts compared to **213** districts for the 3<sup>rd</sup> report.

- **Aden (+11,225 individuals):** New statistics for Ash Shaikh Outhman district was provided by YWU, which explains the increase from the 3rd report.
- **Al Dahlee (+8,242 individuals):** CSSW and YWU provided updated information on figures that were included in the 3rd report.
- **Al Hudaydah (+4,356 individuals):** Updated figures were obtained as a result of non-Food Item (NFI) distributions by UNHCR in three districts: Al Munirah and Al Qanawis. In addition, YWU provided updated figures for Al Mansuriyah district, which they had previously provided for the 3<sup>rd</sup> report.
- **Al Jawf (+28,181 individuals):** IOM provided updated figures that were included in the 3rd report through implementation of the Displacement Tracking Matrix (DTM) in the governorate.

- **Amran (+8,472 individuals):** Updated statistics were shared by YWU, resulting in an increase in the number of displaced in Thula district. This explains the higher number of IDPs in this governorate compared to the 3rd report.
- **Dhamar: (+248 individuals):** A new partner shared data at the district level for the governorate resulting in an increase in the number from the 3<sup>rd</sup> report.
- **Hadramut (+60,678 individuals):** The Humanitarian Forum Yemen (HFY) shared new reports on three districts:
  - **Mukalla city:** In the 3rd report, the number of individuals reported as displaced in Mukalla (origin from Aden) was 13,446. For the 4<sup>th</sup> report HFY provided an updated figure for Mukalla city of individual 34,392.
  - **Ash Shihr:** In the 3rd report, the number of individuals reported as displaced in Ash Shihr (origin from Aden) was 8,000. For the 4<sup>th</sup> report HFY provided an updated figure for Ash Shihr of 43,392.
  - **Qulensya Wa Abd Al Kuri:** In the 3rd report, the number of individuals reported as displaced in Qulensya Wa Abd Al Kuri (origin from Aden) was 2,614. For the 4<sup>th</sup> report HFY provided an updated figure for Qulensya Wa Abd Al Kuri of 12,684.
- **Marib (+28,508 individuals):** New districts were added to the 4th report based on information provided by Sama Al Yemen. For some districts, YWU provided updated information on figures that were previously included in the 3rd report.

### Governorate of origin

The table below presents comparative data showing the place of origin of displaced individuals in their current place of displacement. Some key facts in this regard include:

- The governorate with the highest population from outside the governorate is Hadramaut (90,468 individuals).
- Aden hosts the highest displaced population that is displaced within the governorate itself (195,325).
- AlDhalee also hosts a large population displaced within the governorate itself (103,093) in addition to a population that has been displaced to the governorate from outside (22,399).
- There is a sizeable population whose location of origin is unknown (642,823), which highlights a deficiency in reporting.

<i>IDPs origins in Current Governorate (IND)</i>				
Current Governorate	From OTHER Governorate	From SAME Governorate	Unknown Origin	Grand Total
Abyan	42,091	10,421	30	52,541
Aden		195,325		195,325
AlBayda	5,855		1,820	7,675
AlDhalee	22,399	103,093	110,164	235,656
AlHudaydah	6,690	172	46,154	53,016
AlJawf	18,741	29,312		48,053
AlMaharah	110			110
AlMahwit	7,468		29,150	36,618
AmanatAlAsimah	6,032	274	2,933	9,239
Amran	18,628	327	39,230	58,185
Dhamar	37,009			37,009
Hadramaut	90,468		10,195	100,663
Hajjah			298,788	298,788
Ibb	3,305	157	54,246	57,708
Lahj	7,994	30,490		38,484
Marib	1,860	41,139		42,999
Raymah			36,813	36,813
Saada		27,120	13,300	40,420
Sanaa	4,146			4,146
Shabwah	7,619	29,035		36,654
Taizz	22,942	26,074		49,016
<b>Grand Total</b>	<b>303,357</b>	<b>492,938</b>	<b>642,823</b>	<b>1,439,118</b>

Annex 1: Map – IDPs by district

Annex 2: Dashboard

Annex 3: Dataset, IDPs by current governorate/district and basic tabulation



# Task Force on Population Movements Dashboard



as of 5 August 2015

Yemen Protection Cluster

## KEY FIGURES



**1,439,118**

Number of displaced individuals in Yemen as of 5 August 2015



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Average household size



**245,919**

Number of displaced households in Yemen as of 5 August 2015

## Sources of information

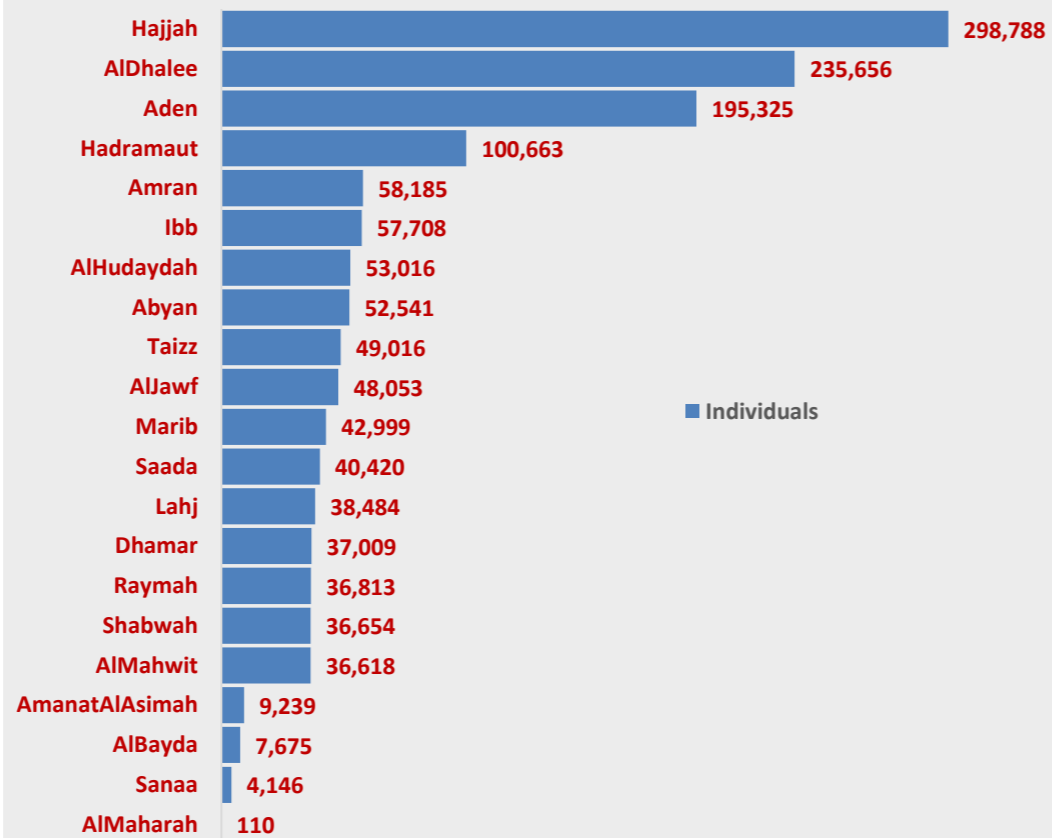


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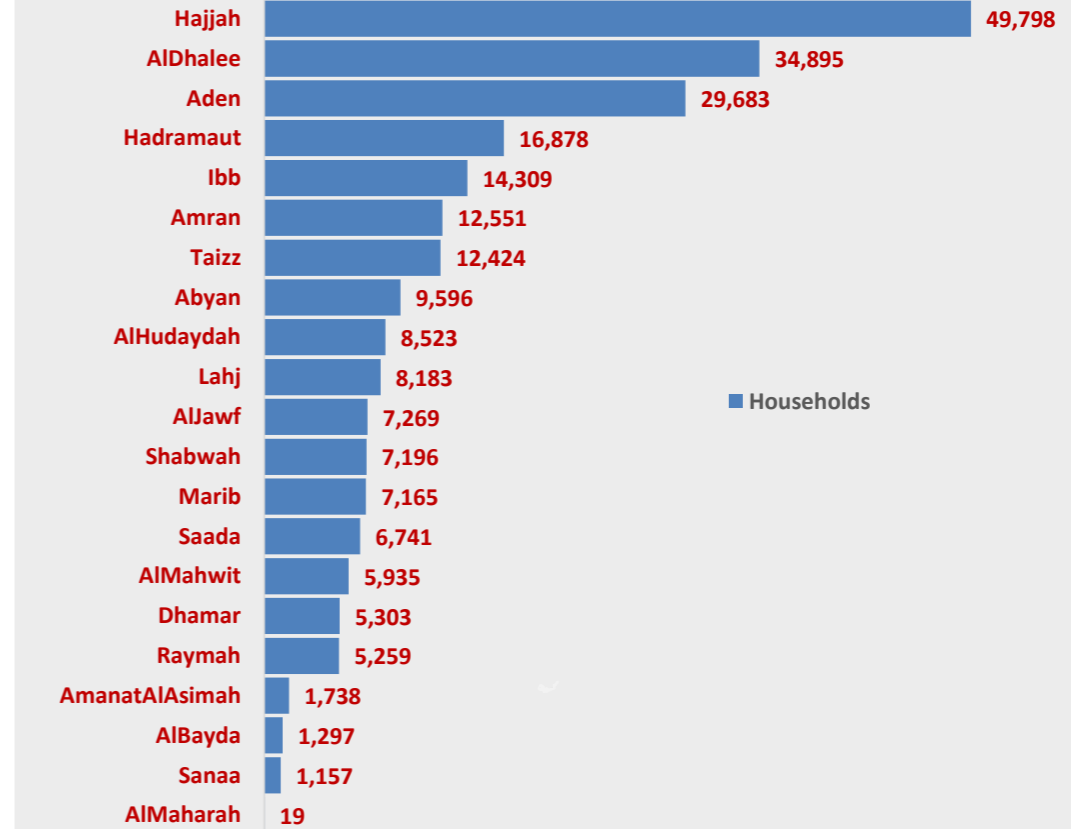


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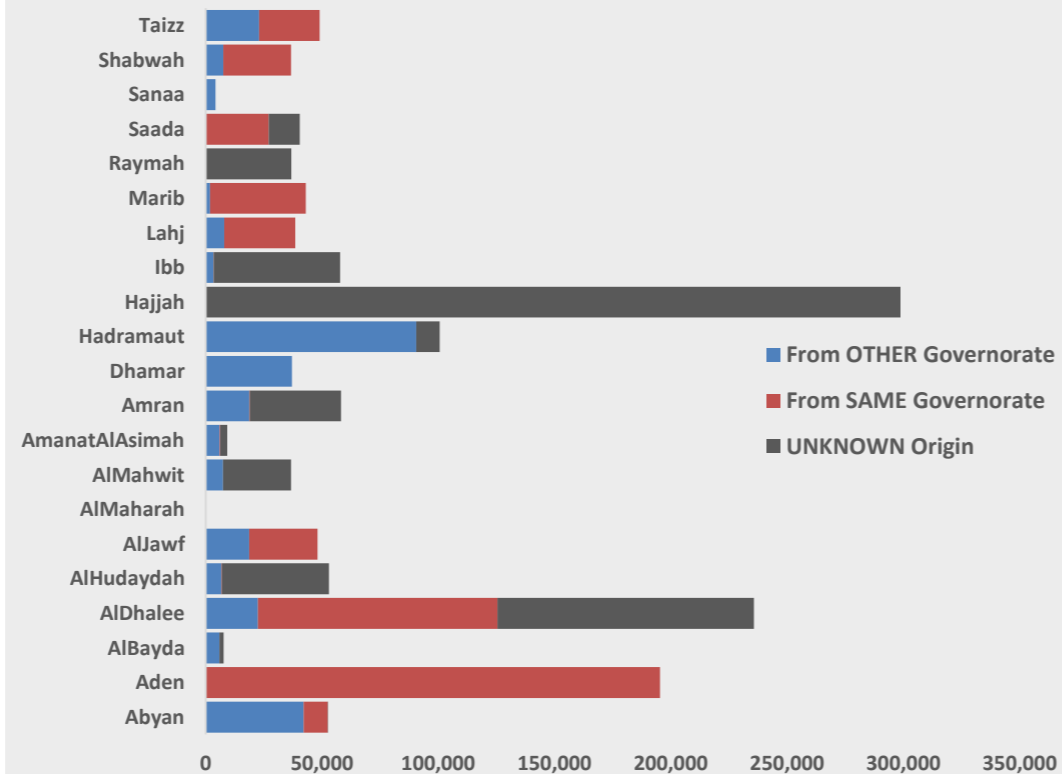
### IDPs by Current Governorate (INDs)



### IDPs by Current Governorate (HHs)



### IDPs by Governorate of Origin (INDs)



### IDPs by Governorate of Origin (HHs)

