

States with War/ Conflicts

By the end of 2022, the total number of people worldwide forced to flee their homes due to conflict, violence, fear of persecution and human rights abuses was 103 million. This is more than double the 42.7 million people who continued to be forcibly displaced a decade ago and the highest number since World War II. Unresolved regional tensions, a breakdown in the rule of law, absent or co-opted state institutions, illicit economic gain, and the scarcity of resources exacerbated by climate change have become dominant drivers of conflict.^{1,2}

32 countries currently in conflict

Currently, statistics show that there are 18 terrorist insurgencies, 9 civil wars, 2 drag wars, 2 wars, and 1 ethnic violence.⁴

103 Million Forcibly Displaced Worldwide

Of the 89.3 million people forced to leave their homes due to conflict, 27.1 million are refugees and 53.2 million are internally displaced persons, 4.6 million asylum seekers¹

90% of War-Time Casualties Are Civilians

A civilian is defined by being a person that is not in the army or the police force.³



74% HOSTED IN LOW AND MIDDLE-INCOME COUNTRIES

Low- and middle-income countries hosted 74 per cent of the world's refugees and Venezuelans displaced abroad.³ The Least Developed Countries provided asylum to 27 per cent of the total.

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3.7 MILLION REFUGEES HOSTED IN TÜRKIYE

Türkiye hosted nearly 3.7 million refugees, the largest population worldwide. Colombia was second with more than 1.8 million, including Venezuelans displaced abroad.

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76% ORIGINATED FROM JUST SIX COUNTRIES

69% of all refugees come from the following countries: Syrian Arab Republic (6.8 million), Venezuela (5.6 million), Afghanistan (2.8 million), South Sudan (2.4 million), Ukraine (5.4 million) and Myanmar (1.2 million).¹

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1 IN 6 ARE EXILED FROM THEIR COUNTRIES

Relative to their national populations, the island of Aruba hosted the largest number of Venezuelans displaced abroad (1 in 6) while Lebanon hosted the largest number of refugees (1 in 8),⁴ followed by Curaçao (1 in 10), Jordan (1 in 14) and Türkiye (1 in 23).^{1,3}



The World at War in 2023

Countries in which armed clashes between state forces and/or rebels were reported in 2023*

