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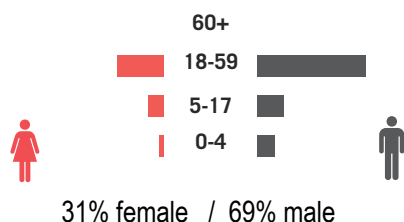
Date of data collection: **1-14 March**

Number of groups interviewed: **8**

Number of individuals accounted for: **196**

Group composition

Sex and age of individuals



Origin of assessed groups:



Groups including vulnerable individuals:

- 1** Pregnant women
- 2** Unaccompanied minors
- 3** n/a

Group profile:

	Afghan	Iraqi	Syrian	Other
Individuals alone or with friends	50%	43%	31%	0%
Partial nuclear family	0%	4%	17%	0%
Complete nuclear family	50%	26%	31%	0%
Extended family	0%	26%	21%	0%

Migration

Who took the decision to leave?

	Afghan	Iraqi	Syrian	Other
Individual(s) traveling	100%	85%	90%	0%
Spouse	0%	0%	5%	0%
Family member(s)	0%	15%	5%	0%
Local community	0%	0%	0%	0%
Group decision	0%	0%	0%	0%

Top reported push factors:

	Afghan	Iraqi	Syrian	Other
Active armed conflict	0%	28%	32%	0%
Lack of basic services	33%	8%	17%	0%
Violence and insecurity	33%	28%	22%	0%
Other factors	33%	41%	30%	0%

Top reported pull factors:

	Afghan	Iraqi	Syrian	Other
Safety and security	25%	33%	31%	0%
Livelihood opportunities	50%	22%	22%	0%
Welcoming country for refugees	0%	28%	29%	0%
Other factors	50%	17%	17%	0%

Migration

Time since arrival in current location:

	Afghan	Iraqi	Syrian	Other
Under one day	0%	0%	15%	0%
One day	0%	0%	10%	0%
Up to one week	0%	46%	55%	0%
Over one week	100%	54%	15%	0%

Time since leaving the area of origin:

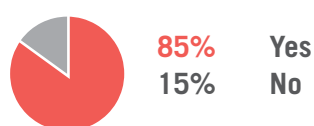
	Afghan	Iraqi	Syrian	Other
Up to one week	0%	0%	0%	0%
Up to one month	0%	54%	70%	0%
Over one month	100%	46%	30%	0%

Humanitarian needs

Priority reported needs:

- 1 Shelter
- 2 Health services
- 3 Means of communication

Proportion of people who have been pushed back:

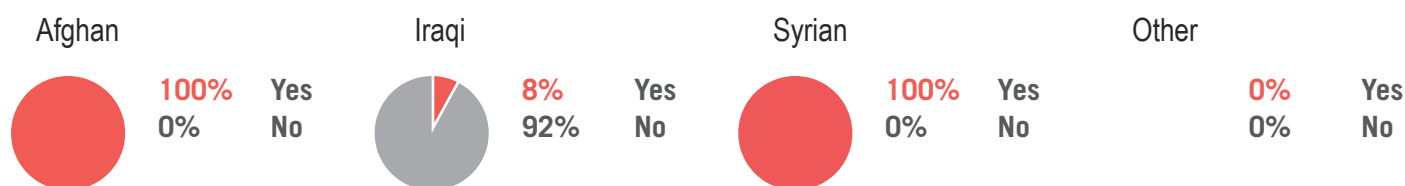


Top reported challenges where information is needed:

- 1 Border crossing
- 2 No further issue
- 3 Disability

Assistance

Proportion of people who received aid:



Intentions

If people had to stay more than 5 days at the current location, they reported they would:

	Afghan	Iraqi	Syrian	Other
Wait	100%	100%	100%	100%
Ask for asylum	0%	0%	0%	0%
Find an alternative route	0%	0%	0%	0%
Return to area of origin	0%	0%	0%	0%
Other	0%	0%	0%	0%

If people had to stay more than 2 weeks at the current location, they reported they would:

	Afghan	Iraqi	Syrian	Other
Wait	100%	54%	65%	0%
Ask for asylum	0%	8%	0%	0%
Find an alternative route	0%	39%	35%	0%
Return to area of origin	0%	0%	0%	0%
Other	0%	0%	0%	0%

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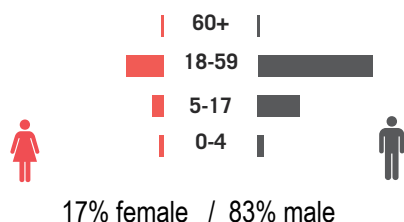
Date of data collection: **1-14 March**

Number of groups interviewed: **27**

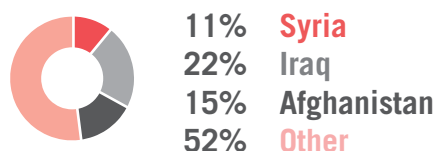
Number of individuals accounted for: **147**

Group composition

Sex and age of individuals



Origin of assessed groups:



Groups including vulnerable individuals:

- 1** Pregnant women
- 2** Unaccompanied minors
- 3** n/a

Group profile:

	Afghan	Iraqi	Syrian	Other
Individuals alone or with friends	80%	0%	28%	71%
Partial nuclear family	0%	33%	0%	4%
Complete nuclear family	0%	55%	28%	4%
Extended family	20%	11%	43%	21%

Migration

Who took the decision to leave?

	Afghan	Iraqi	Syrian	Other
Individual(s) traveling	100%	100%	67%	100%
Spouse	0%	0%	0%	0%
Family member(s)	0%	0%	33%	0%
Local community	0%	0%	0%	0%
Group decision	0%	0%	0%	0%

Top reported push factors:

	Afghan	Iraqi	Syrian	Other
Active armed conflict	8%	33%	33%	0%
Lack of basic services	17%	20%	11%	18%
Violence and insecurity	33%	27%	5%	6%
Other factors	41%	21%	84%	76%

Top reported pull factors:

	Afghan	Iraqi	Syrian	Other
Safety and security	31%	25%	30%	5%
Livelihood opportunities	31%	25%	30%	35%
Welcoming country for refugees	8%	25%	20%	12%
Other factors	30%	25%	20%	48%

Migration

Time since arrival in current location:

	Afghan	Iraqi	Syrian	Other
Under one day	0%	0%	0%	0%
One day	0%	20%	0%	0%
Up to one week	75%	80%	100%	60%
Over one week	25%	0%	0%	40%

Time since leaving the area of origin:

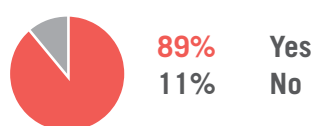
	Afghan	Iraqi	Syrian	Other
Up to one week	0%	0%	0%	0%
Up to one month	0%	60%	67%	67%
Over one month	100%	40%	33%	33%

Humanitarian needs

Priority reported needs:

- 1 Food
- 2 Shelter
- 3 NFI

Proportion of people who have been pushed back:



Top reported challenges where information is needed:

- 1 Border crossing
- 2 No further issue
- 3 No further issue

Assistance

Proportion of people who received aid:



Intentions

If people had to stay more than 5 days at the current location, they reported they would:

	Afghan	Iraqi	Syrian	Other
Wait	75%	100%	100%	87%
Ask for asylum	0%	0%	0%	0%
Find an alternative route	25%	0%	0%	13%
Return to area of origin	0%	0%	0%	0%
Other	0%	0%	0%	0%

If people had to stay more than 2 weeks at the current location, they reported they would:

	Afghan	Iraqi	Syrian	Other
Wait	25%	100%	67%	7%
Ask for asylum	0%	0%	0%	7%
Find an alternative route	75%	0%	33%	87%
Return to area of origin	0%	0%	0%	0%
Other	0%	0%	0%	0%

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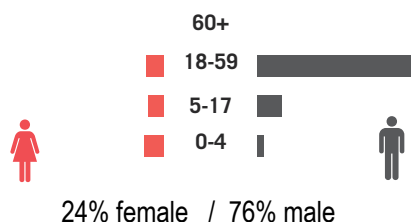
Date of data collection: **15-28 March**

Number of groups interviewed: **16**

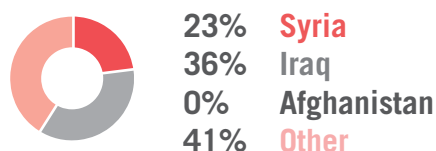
Number of individuals accounted for: **76**

Group composition

Sex and age of individuals



Origin of assessed groups:



Groups including vulnerable individuals:

- 1** Unaccompanied minors
- 2** Pregnant women
- 3** n/a

Group profile:

	Afghan	Iraqi	Syrian	Other
Individuals alone or with friends	0%	36%	40%	24%
Partial nuclear family	0%	0%	0%	0%
Complete nuclear family	0%	36%	0%	0%
Extended family	0%	27%	60%	0%

Migration

Who took the decision to leave?

	Afghan	Iraqi	Syrian	Other
Individual(s) traveling	0%	75%	40%	100%
Spouse	0%	0%	0%	0%
Family member(s)	0%	25%	60%	0%
Local community	0%	0%	0%	0%
Group decision	0%	0%	0%	0%

Top reported push factors:

	Afghan	Iraqi	Syrian	Other
Active armed conflict	0%	13%	33%	0%
Lack of basic services	0%	8%	0%	15%
Violence and insecurity	0%	33%	33%	4%
Other factors	0%	54%	34%	82%

Top reported pull factors:

	Afghan	Iraqi	Syrian	Other
Safety and security	0%	37%	38%	4%
Livelihood opportunities	0%	21%	23%	28%
Welcoming country for refugees	0%	26%	15%	7%
Other factors	0%	16%	31%	0%

Migration

Time since arrival in current location:

	Afghan	Iraqi	Syrian	Other
Under one day	0%	0%	0%	0%
One day	0%	13%	0%	11%
Up to one week	0%	38%	40%	0%
Over one week	0%	50%	60%	89%

Time since leaving the area of origin:

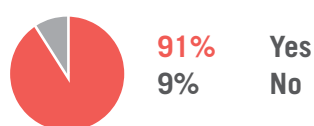
	Afghan	Iraqi	Syrian	Other
Up to one week	0%	0%	0%	0%
Up to one month	0%	38%	20%	11%
Over one month	0%	63%	80%	89%

Humanitarian needs

Priority reported needs:

- 1 Food
- 2 WASH
- 3 NFI

Proportion of people who have been pushed back:



Top reported challenges where information is needed:

- 1 Border crossing
- 2 No further issue
- 3 Likelihood of getting refugee

Assistance

Proportion of people who received aid:



Intentions

If people had to stay more than 5 days at the current location, they reported they would:

	Afghan	Iraqi	Syrian	Other
Wait	0%	88%	80%	56%
Ask for asylum	0%	0%	0%	0%
Find an alternative route	0%	13%	20%	44%
Return to area of origin	0%	0%	0%	0%
Other	0%	0%	0%	0%

If people had to stay more than 2 weeks at the current location, they reported they would:

	Afghan	Iraqi	Syrian	Other
Wait	0%	38%	20%	11%
Ask for asylum	0%	0%	20%	0%
Find an alternative route	0%	63%	60%	89%
Return to area of origin	0%	0%	0%	0%
Other	0%	0%	0%	0%

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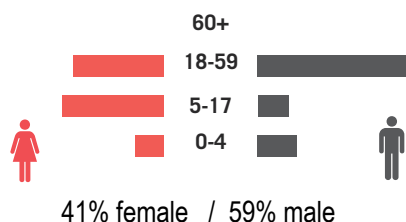
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Number of groups interviewed: **8**

Number of individuals accounted for: **218**

Group composition

Sex and age of individuals



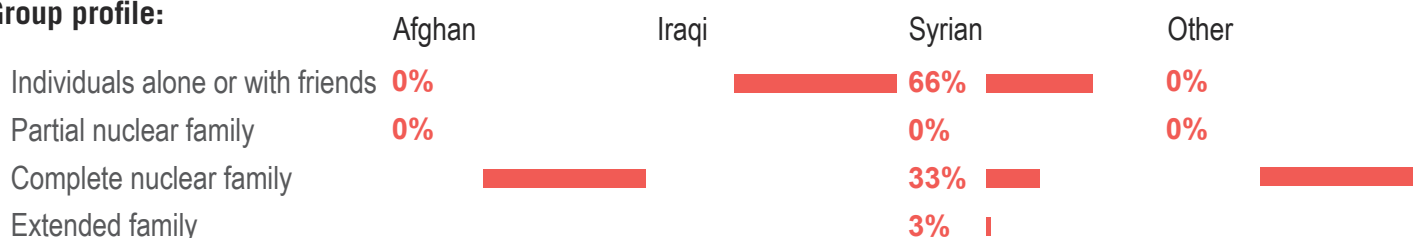
Origin of assessed groups:



Groups including vulnerable individuals:

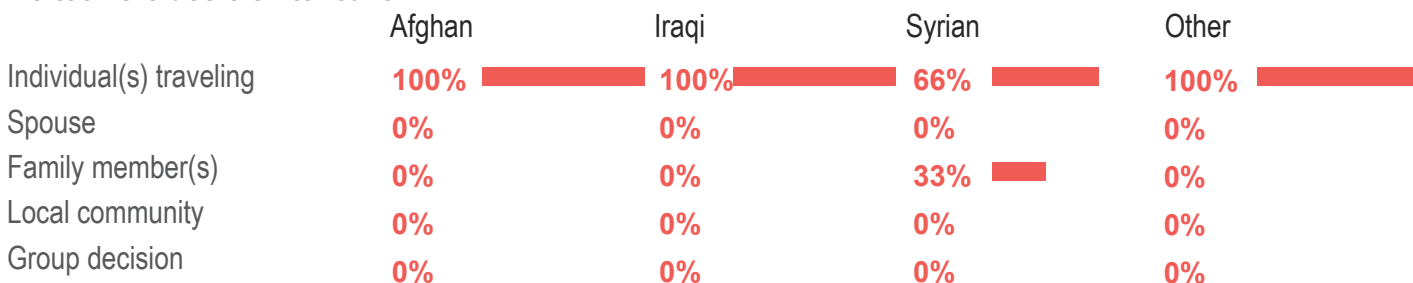
- 1** Pregnant women
- 2** n/a
- 3** n/a

Group profile:

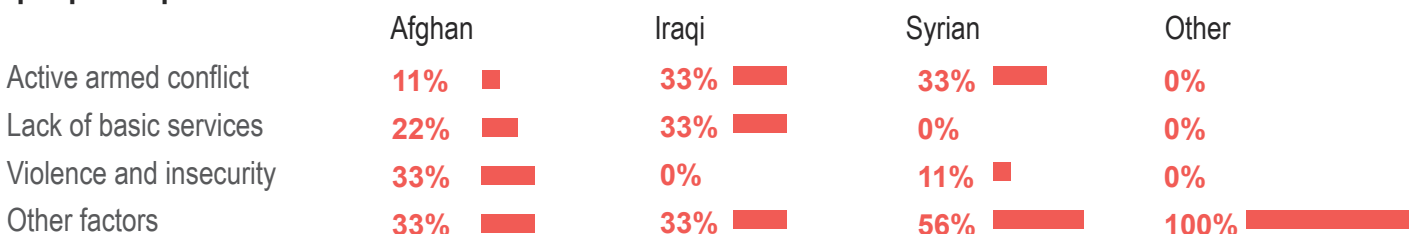


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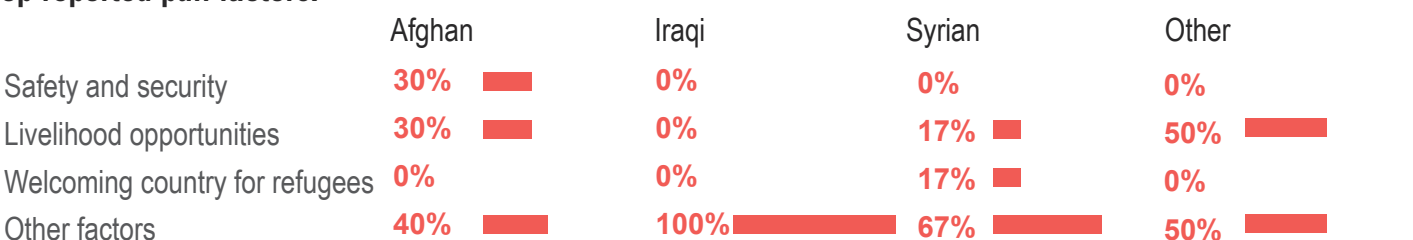
Who took the decision to leave?



Top reported push factors:



Top reported pull factors:



Migration

Time since arrival in current location:

	Afghan	Iraqi	Syrian	Other
Under one day	0%	0%	100%	0%
One day	0%	0%	0%	0%
Up to one week	0%	100%	0%	0%
Over one week	100%	0%	0%	100%

Time since leaving the area of origin:

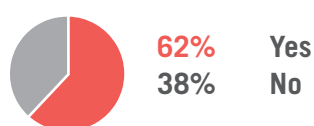
	Afghan	Iraqi	Syrian	Other
Up to one week	0%	0%	0%	0%
Up to one month	0%	0%	0%	0%
Over one month	100%	100%	100%	100%

Humanitarian needs

Priority reported needs:

- 1 Shelter
- 2 Communication
- 3 Health services

Proportion of people who have been pushed back:

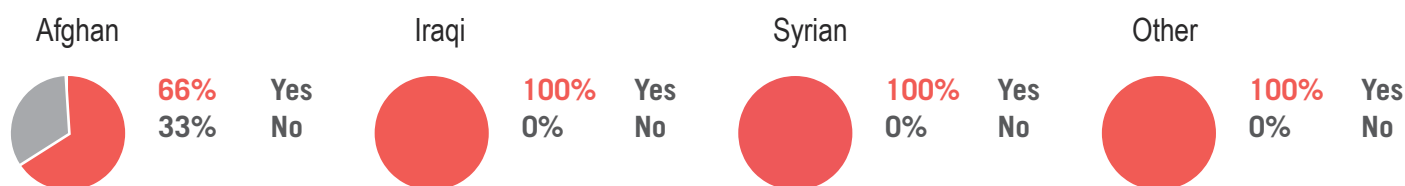


Top reported challenges where information is needed:

- 1 Border crossing
- 2 Asylum application
- 3 No further issue

Assistance

Proportion of people who received aid:



Intentions

If people had to stay more than 5 days at the current location, they reported they would:

	Afghan	Iraqi	Syrian	Other
Wait	66%	100%	100%	100%
Ask for asylum	0%	0%	0%	0%
Find an alternative route	33%	0%	0%	0%
Return to area of origin	0%	0%	0%	0%
Other	0%	0%	0%	0%

If people had to stay more than 2 weeks at the current location, they reported they would:

	Afghan	Iraqi	Syrian	Other
Wait	0%	100%	33%	100%
Ask for asylum	0%	0%	33%	0%
Find an alternative route	100%	0%	0%	0%
Return to area of origin	0%	0%	33%	0%
Other	0%	0%	0%	0%

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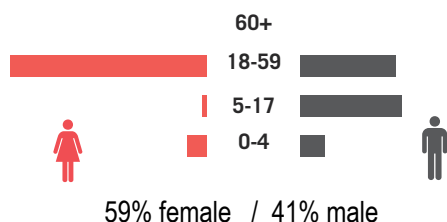
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Number of groups interviewed: **14**

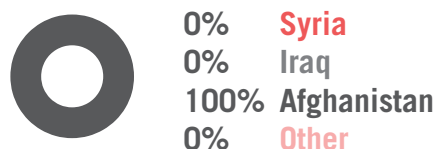
Number of individuals accounted for: **91**

Group composition

Sex and age of individuals



Origin of assessed groups:



Groups including vulnerable individuals:

- 1** Adult with physical disability
- 2** Adult with mental disability
- 3** Unaccompanied minors

Group profile:

	Afghan	Iraqi	Syrian	Other
Individuals alone or with friends	50%	0%	0%	0%
Partial nuclear family	7%	0%	0%	0%
Complete nuclear family	36%	0%	0%	0%
Extended family	7%	0%	0%	0%

Migration

Who took the decision to leave?

	Afghan	Iraqi	Syrian	Other
Individual(s) traveling	86%	0%	0%	0%
Spouse	0%	0%	0%	0%
Family member(s)	0%	0%	0%	0%
Local community	0%	0%	0%	0%
Group decision	14%	0%	0%	0%

Top reported push factors:

	Afghan	Iraqi	Syrian	Other
Active armed conflict	24%	0%	0%	0%
Lack of basic services	2%	0%	0%	0%
Violence and insecurity	31%	0%	0%	0%
Other factors	43%	0%	0%	0%

Top reported pull factors:

	Afghan	Iraqi	Syrian	Other
Safety and security	35%	0%	0%	0%
Livelihood opportunities	29%	0%	0%	0%
Welcoming country for refugees	0%	0%	0%	0%
Other factors	36%	0%	0%	0%

Migration

Time since arrival in current location:

	Afghan	Iraqi	Syrian	Other
Under one day	0%	0%	0%	0%
One day	0%	0%	0%	0%
Up to one week	0%	0%	0%	0%
Over one week	100%	0%	0%	0%

Time since leaving the area of origin:

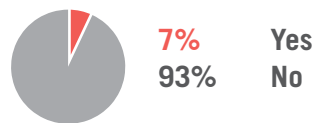
	Afghan	Iraqi	Syrian	Other
Up to one week	0%	0%	0%	0%
Up to one month	0%	0%	0%	0%
Over one month	100%	0%	0%	0%

Humanitarian needs

Priority reported needs:

- 1 Shelter
- 2 WASH
- 3 Health services

Proportion of people who have been pushed back:

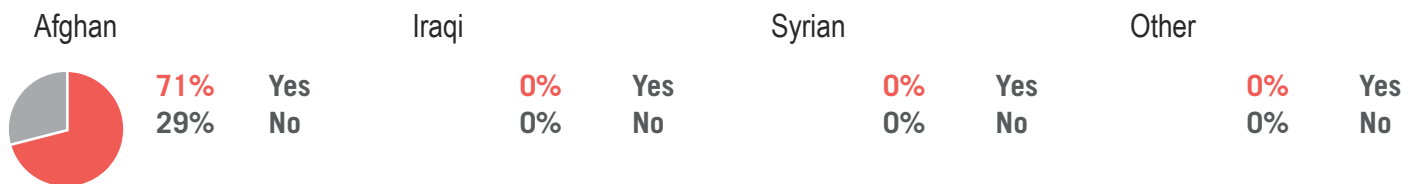


Top reported challenges where information is needed:

- 1 Border crossing
- 2 Likelihood of getting refugee status
- 3 How to access medical services

Assistance

Proportion of people who received aid:



Intentions

If people had to stay more than 5 days at the current location, they reported they would:

	Afghan	Iraqi	Syrian	Other
Wait	100%	0%	0%	0%
Ask for asylum	0%	0%	0%	0%
Find an alternative route	0%	0%	0%	0%
Return to area of origin	0%	0%	0%	0%
Other	0%	0%	0%	0%

If people had to stay more than 2 weeks at the current location, they reported they would:

	Afghan	Iraqi	Syrian	Other
Wait	93%	0%	0%	0%
Ask for asylum	0%	0%	0%	0%
Find an alternative route	7%	0%	0%	0%
Return to area of origin	0%	0%	0%	0%
Other	0%	0%	0%	0%