



Refugees/Migrants Emergency Response - Italy

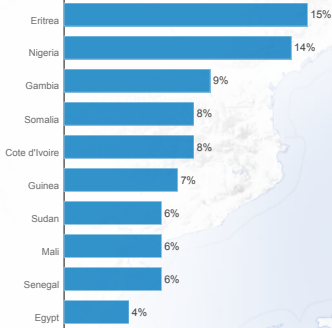
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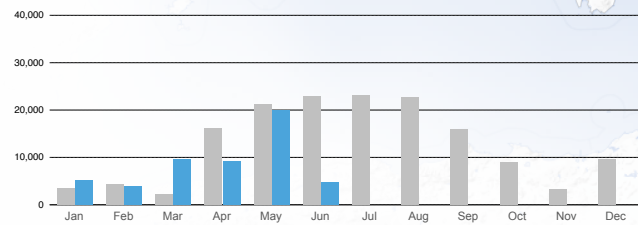
Increasing numbers of refugees and migrants take their chances aboard unseaworthy boats and dinghies in a desperate bid to reach Europe. The vast majority of those attempting this dangerous crossing are in need of international protection, fleeing war, violence and persecution in their country of origin. Every year these movements continue to exact a devastating toll on human life.

Top-10 nationalities of Mediterranean sea arrivals

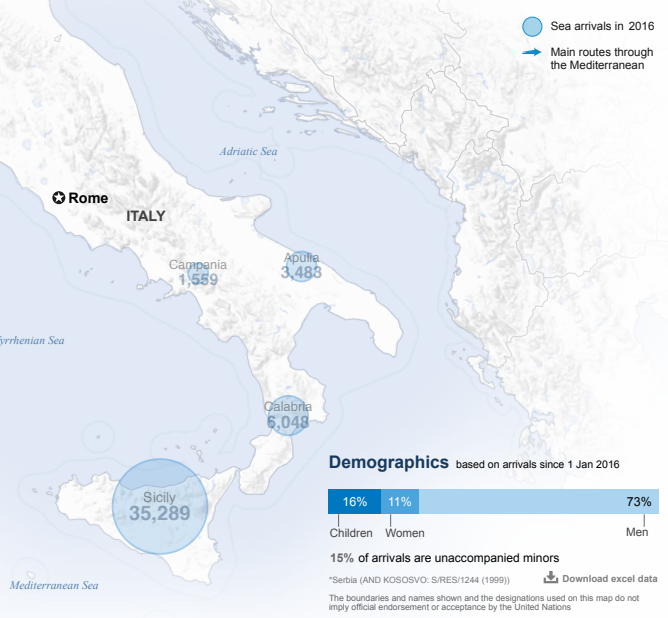
Top-10 nationalities represent **84%** of the sea arrivals based on arrivals since 1 Jan 2016



Comparison of monthly Mediterranean sea arrivals



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52,637 arrivals by sea in 2016
153,842 arrivals by sea in 2015
29% of arrivals come from the world's top 10 refugee-producing countries



Demographics

based on arrivals since 1 Jan 2016

16%	11%	73%
Children	Women	Men

15% of arrivals are unaccompanied minors

*Serbia (AND KOSOVO): S/RES/1244 (1999) [Download excel data](#)

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