Migration.tsv dataset codebook

Variable	Label	Description	Data origin
Year	Year of observation		unhcr.org
Origin	Country of origin	Name of country of origin of forcibly displaced people	unhcr.org
Country	Country of destination	Name of country of destination of forcibly displaced people	unhcr.org
Refugees	Number of refugees	Include individuals recognised under the 1951 Convention relating to the Status of Refugees; its 1967 Protocol; the 1969 OAU Convention Governing the Specific Aspects of Refugee Problems in Africa; those recognised in accordance with the UNHCR Statute; individuals granted complementary forms of protection; or those enjoying temporary protection. Since 2007, the refugee population also includes people in a refugee-like situation.	unhcr.org
Asylum.seekers	Number of asylum seekers	Individuals who have sought international protection and whose claims for refugee status have not yet been determined, irrespective of when they may have been lodged.	unhcr.org
Returned.refugees	Number of returned refugees	Former refugees who have returned to their country of origin spontaneously or in an organised fashion but are yet to be fully integrated. Such return would normally only take place in conditions of safety and dignity.	unhcr.org
IDP	Number Internal Deplaced People	People or groups of individuals who have been forced to leave their homes or places of habitual residence, in particular as a result of, or in order to avoid the effects of armed conflict, situations of generalised violence, violations of human rights, or natural or man-made disasters, and who have not crossed an international border. For the purposes of UNHCR's statistics, this population only includes conflict-generated IDPs to whom the Office extends protection and/or assistance. Since 2007, the IDP population also includes people in an IDP-like situation. For global IDP estimates, see www.internal-displacement.org.	unhcr.org
Returned.IDP	Number of returned IDP	refer to those IDPs who were beneficiaries of UNHCR's protection and assistance activities and who returned to their areas of origin or habitual residence during the year.	unhcr.org

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Stateless	Number of stateless person	**Stateless persons** are defined under international law as persons who are not considered as nationals by any State under the operation of its law. In other words, they do not possess the nationality of any State. UNHCR statistics refer to persons who fall under the agency's statelessness mandate because they are stateless according to this international definition, but data from some countries may also include persons with undetermined nationality.	unhcr.org
Others	Number of others person of concern	refers to individuals who do not necessarily fall directly into any of the groups above, but to whom UNHCR extends its protection and/or assistance services, based on humanitarian or other special grounds.	unhcr.org
Total	Total of person of concern	Total of others, stateless, returned IDP, IDP, asylum.seekers, refugees, returned refugees	unhcr.org
country.lat	Latitude of country of destination		
country.long	Longitude of country of destination		
origin.lat	Latitude of country of origin		
origin.long	Longitude of country of origin		
origin.alpha3	Alpha 3 code of country of origin	alpha-3 codes are three-letter country codes defined in ISO 3166-1 to represent countries, dependent territories, and special areas of geographical interest	ISO 3166
country.alpha3	Alpha 3 code of country of destination	alpha-3 codes are three-letter country codes defined in ISO 3166-1 to represent countries, dependent territories, and special areas of geographical interest	ISO 3166
IntensityLevel	Armed conflict intensity level in country of origin	0 No armed conflict 1 (Minor): Between 25 and 999 battle-related deaths in a given year. 2 (War): 1000 or more battle-related deaths in a given year.	http://ucdp.uu.se/downloads/dyadic/ucdp-dyadic-1-2016.pdf