1,427 people were apprehended while trying to enter Greece (1,304) and Bulgaria (123) in April 2017. In addition a further 136 individuals to return to Turkey through Greek borders were apprehended by the Turkish Land Forces.

As of the end of April 2017, 5,282 people have crossed over to Greece.

In 2017, 37 people have passed away while trying to cross to Greece.

5,035 Syrians have been resettled to the EU from Turkey as of April 27th.

1,049 people were returned to Turkey as part of the EU-Turkey Statement as of the April 27th.

1,551 people were intercepted at sea by the Turkish Coast Guard in April 2017 alone. In total, 4,527 people have been apprehended at sea in 2017.

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There are over 3.3 million asylum seekers and refugee in Turkey as of end of April 2017. In addition to 2,999,225 Syrians, there are over 300,000 refugees from mainly Iraq (45%), Iran (43%) and Afghanistan (11%).

In April 2017 alone, Turkish Land Forces apprehended 22,962 people along its borders. The majority of apprehensions occur at the Syrian border (92%).

DGMM figures indicate that 38,916 irregular migrants have been apprehended in Turkey in 2017 as of April 27th. The majority were from Afghanistan (27%), Pakistan (21%), Syria (19%) and Iraq (10%).

117 people entering from Iraq and 108 from Iran apprehended at Turkish borders in April 2017.

According to UNHCR, as of May 2nd, there are 62,018 stranded refugees and migrants in Greece.

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All data and figures have been compiled from Turkish government sources (Directorate General for Migration Management (DGMM), Turkish Land Forces, and Coast Guard Services), UNHCR, IOM and local and regional media sources.