



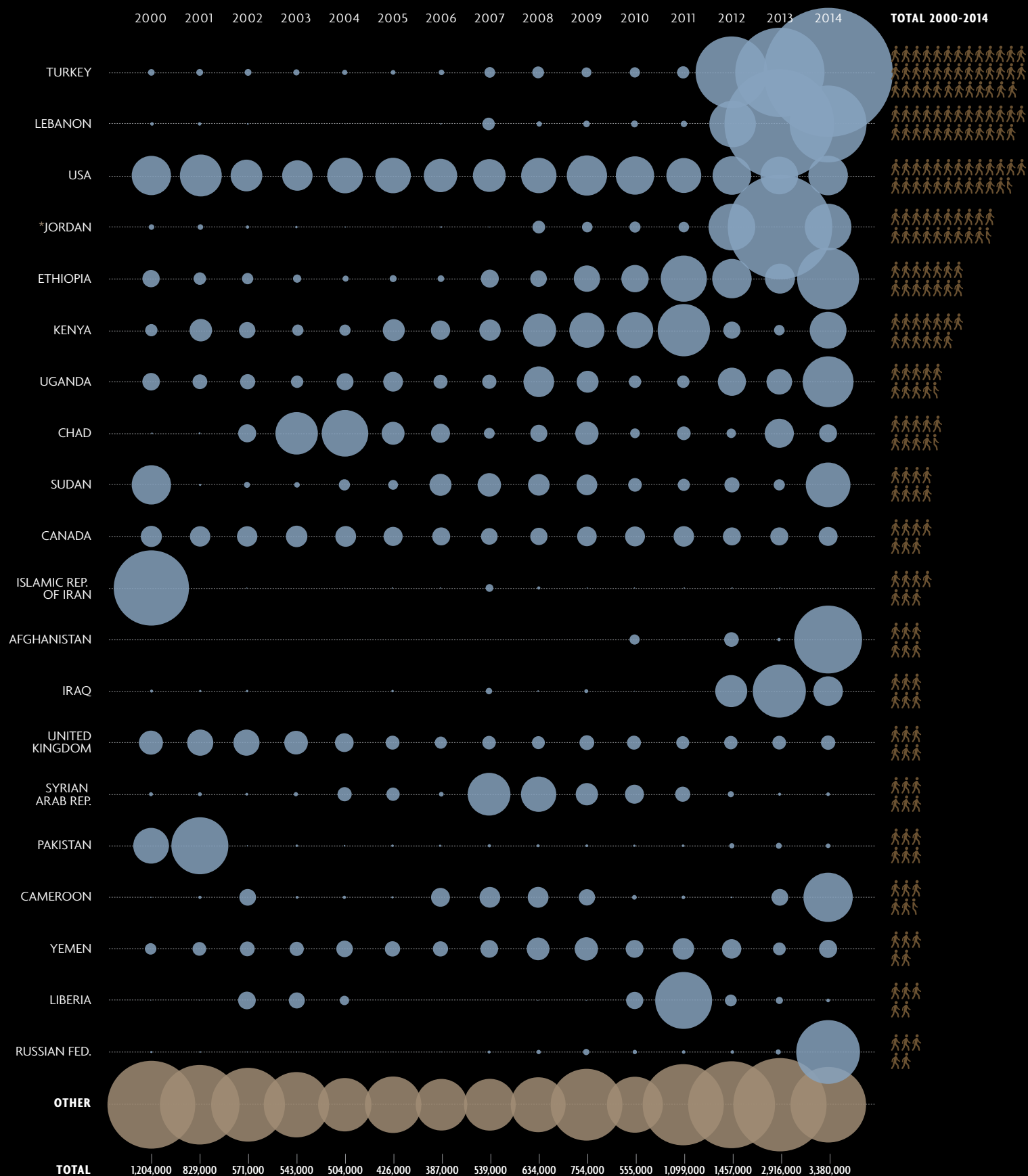
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THE TOP 20 COUNTRIES

TO HAVE GRANTED PROTECTION TO REFUGEES IN THE 21ST CENTURY

Number of people who have been granted refugee status, complementary forms of protection and temporary protection during the year. It also includes refugees arriving through resettlement programmes. Country ranking based on cumulative number of grants and arrivals between 2000 and 2014.



*The total number of Iraqi refugees who arrived in Jordan is unknown. This graph is limited to Iraqis who were registered by UNHCR.



Number of persons

1,000

10,000

100,000

1,000,000

1 icon = 50,000 persons



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More detailed analyses, including the definitions used and limitations of the data, can be found in Chapters I to VI.

GLOBAL TRENDS

59.5 million



Some 19.5 million persons were refugees: 14.4 million under UNHCR's mandate and 5.1 million Palestinian refugees registered by UNRWA. The global figure included 38.2 million internally displaced persons¹ and 1.8 million asylum-seekers. The total was the highest recorded level in the post-World War II era. If these 59.5 million persons were a nation, they would make up the 24th largest in the world.

By end-2014, **59.5 million individuals** were forcibly displaced worldwide as a result of persecution, conflict, generalized violence, or human rights violations. This is 8.3 million persons more than the previous year (51.2 million) and the highest annual increase on record.

An estimated **13.9 million individuals** were newly displaced due to conflict or persecution in 2014. This includes 11.0 million persons newly displaced within the borders of their own country, the highest figure on record.² The other 2.9 million individuals were new refugees.

42,500

During 2014, conflict and persecution forced an average of **42,500 individuals per day** to leave their home and seek protection elsewhere, either within the borders of their own country or in other countries. This compares to 32,200 per day in 2013, 23,400 in 2012, 14,200 in 2011, and 10,900 in 2010.

TOTAL POPULATION OF CONCERN

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The 2014 Statistical Yearbook identifies seven population categories:

1. refugees
2. asylum-seekers

By the end of 2014, the total population of concern to UNHCR was estimated at **54.96 million people**, broken down as follows:

--- 14.4 million refugees^{*}

--- 1.8 million asylum-seekers

--- 126,800 refugees who had returned to

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