MEASURING INDICATOR 16.2.2 ON TRAFFICKING IN PERSONS

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Current trends and figures

Way forward
• **Target 16.2:** End abuse, exploitation, trafficking and all forms of violence against and torture of children

• **Indicator 16.2.2:** Number of victims of human trafficking per 100,000 population, by sex, age and form of exploitation
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- Data on **detected victims of trafficking** are provided by national authorities competent in detecting trafficking victims
- Refer to cases of trafficking **officially recorded by national authorities**
- **350,000 victims** detected worldwide between 2003 - 2019
• **How to interpret** if Indicator 16.2.2 goes down?

• The number of detected victims as reported by law enforcement authorities **does not monitor the level of trafficking of persons in a given country**

• Changes in detected victims of trafficking can be due to a number of factors, including:
  • changes of law enforcement practices
  • changes in legislation
  • or changes trafficking dynamics
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- 148 countries
- 95 per cent of the world’s population

Source: UN-GLOTIP
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**FIG. 190** Number of countries in North Africa and the Middle East introducing a specific offence on trafficking in persons, December 2003-August 2020

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- **Countries with a specific offence on TiP criminalizing most/all forms of trafficking listed in the UN TiP Protocol**
- **Countries with no specific TiP offence or considering only some forms of trafficking**

Source: UNODC elaboration of national data.

Source: UN-GLOTIP
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Share of globally detected victims, by sex and age status

Source: UN-GLOTIP
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**FIG. 10** Trends in the shares of forms of exploitation among detected trafficking victims, 2006–2018

Source: UNODC elaboration of national data.

Source: UN-GLOTIP
MAP 6  Main detected transregional trafficking flows, 2014-2017

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MAP 25
Origins of trafficking victims detected in North Africa, 2018 (or most recent)

Source: UN/GLOTIP

Map showing origins of trafficking victims detected in North Africa, 2018, with percentages indicating 60% domestic (within countries), 21% West Africa, 19% East Africa, and 6% North Africa.

Source: UNODC elaboration of national data.

Note: The boundaries and names shown and the designations used on this map do not imply official endorsement or acceptance by the United Nations.
MAP. 26 Origins of trafficking victims detected in the Middle East, 2018 (or most recent)

Source: UN-GLOTIP

Source: UNODC elaboration of national data.

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• **Participate in annual data collection:** UN GLOTIP Questionnaire

→ 2021 questionnaire was sent to national focal points in May 2021. **Deadline is September 15, 2021**

• **Share existing administrative data** on trafficking in persons

• **Consider producing National Reports on Trafficking in persons**
Way forward

National Reports: requirements

• Full time trained and dedicated staff to data collection, analysis and reporting
• Establishment of a data collection system
• Adoption of data protection procedures