WEEKLY HIGHLIGHTS

In the South-East, the number of IDPs decreased from 350,300 last week to 350,100 this week. In Kayin State, 120 people have newly been displaced within the same townships of Hpapun and Kyainseikgyi following airstrikes on 21 January. In addition, 43 IDPs from Hpapun Township have been displaced yet again, and sought safety in Hpapun town and Myaing Gyi Ngu area.

In Mon State, 1,127 IDPs in Kyaikto Township returned to their villages of origin in the same township.

Due to increased fighting on 20 January in Tanintharyi Region, 2,000 people were displaced within Palaw Township. In Dawei Township, Tanintharyi Region, 1,125 IDPs returned to their village of origin.

WEEKLY DISPLACEMENT FIGURES (1)

SOUTH-EAST (28 NOV - 23 JAN 2023)

(Thousands)

Source: UN in Myanmar as of (23 January 2023)