

# REGIONAL MOBILITY MAPPING

WEST AND CENTRAL AFRICA

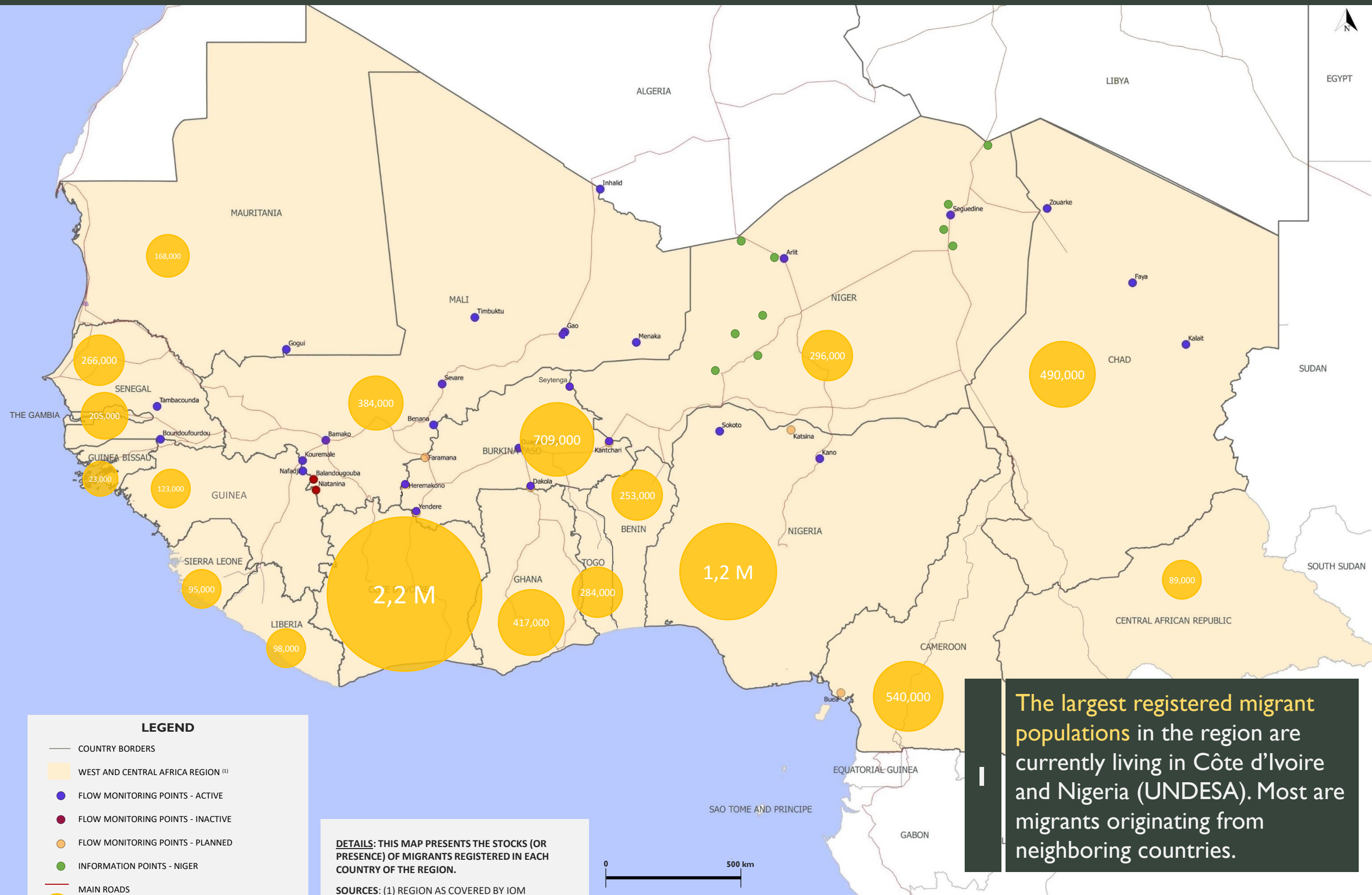
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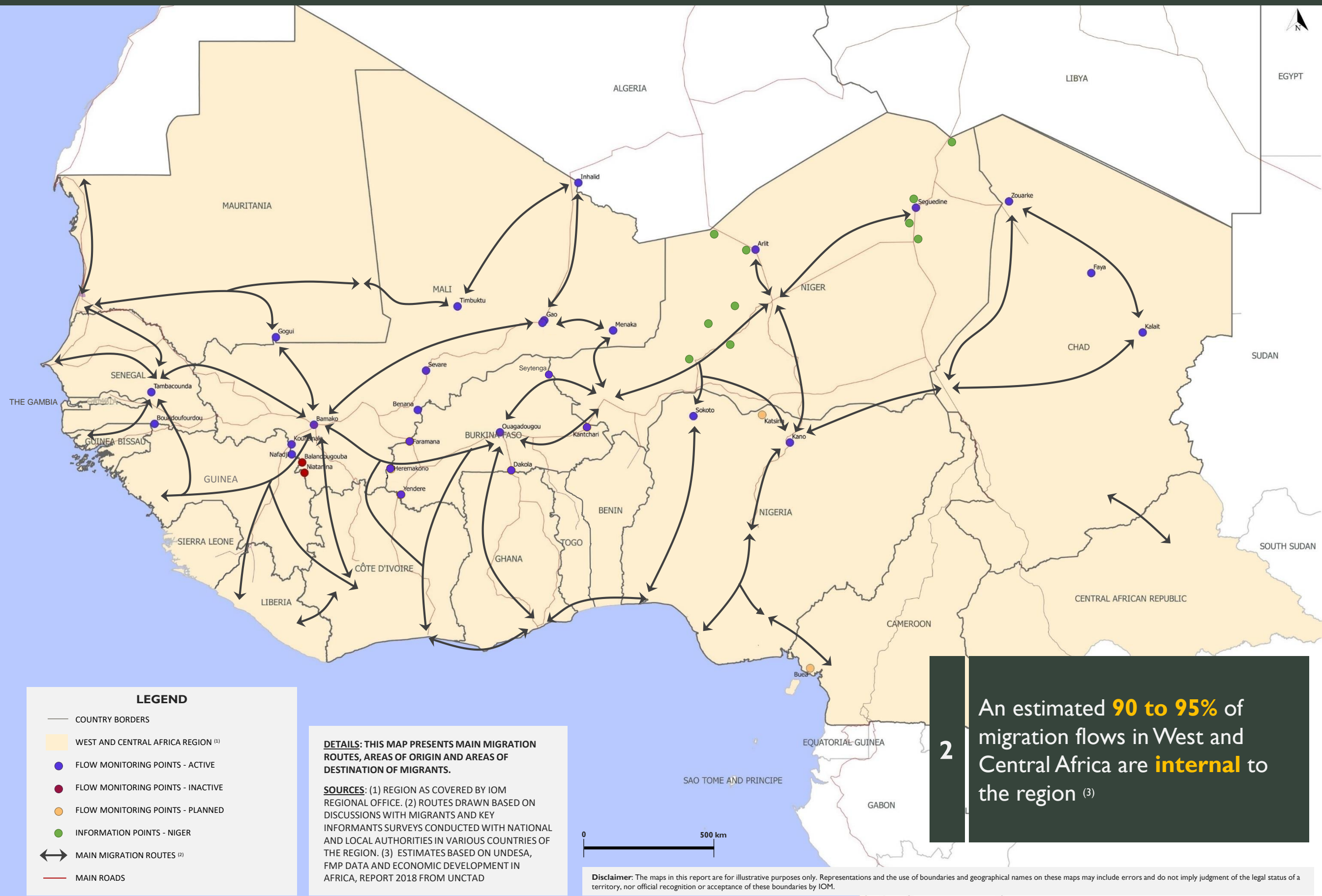


**DTM**

IOM DISPLACEMENT  
TRACKING MATRIX









## SECTORS ATTRACTING REGIONAL MIGRATION:



Services (auto repairs, housekeeping, etc.)



Mining



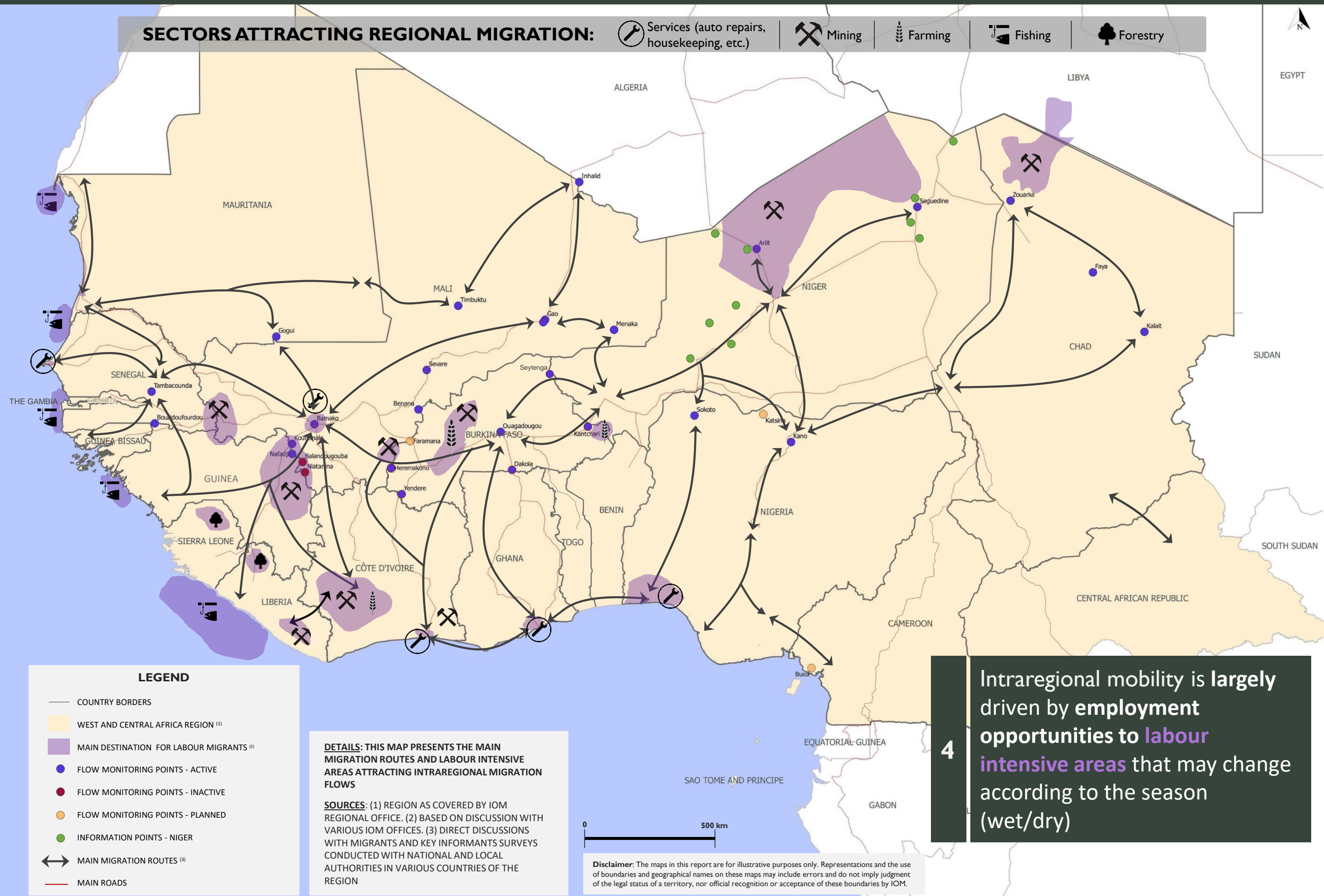
Farming



Fishing

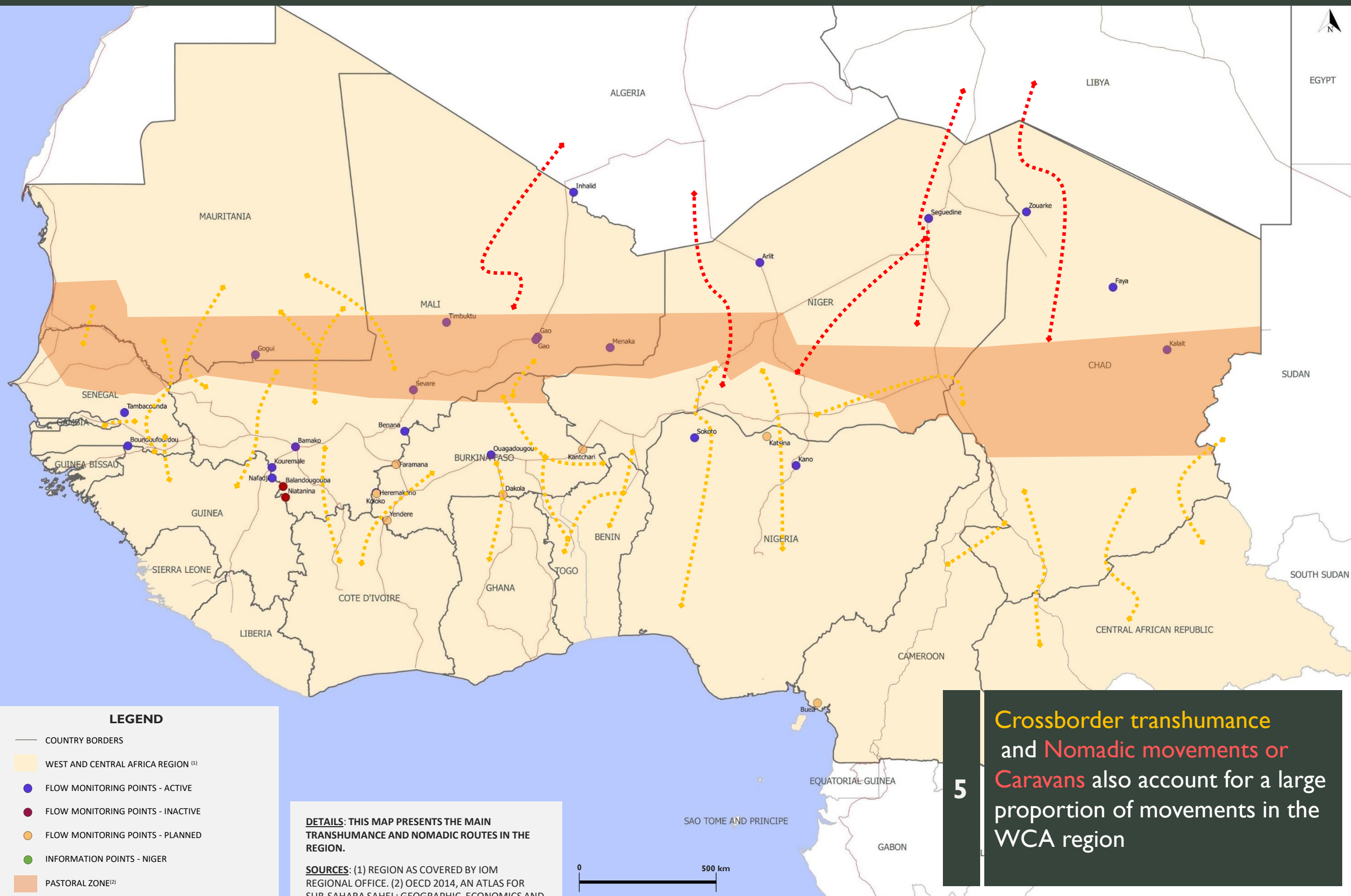


Forestry



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Intraregional mobility is largely driven by **employment opportunities to labour intensive areas** that may change according to the season (wet/dry)



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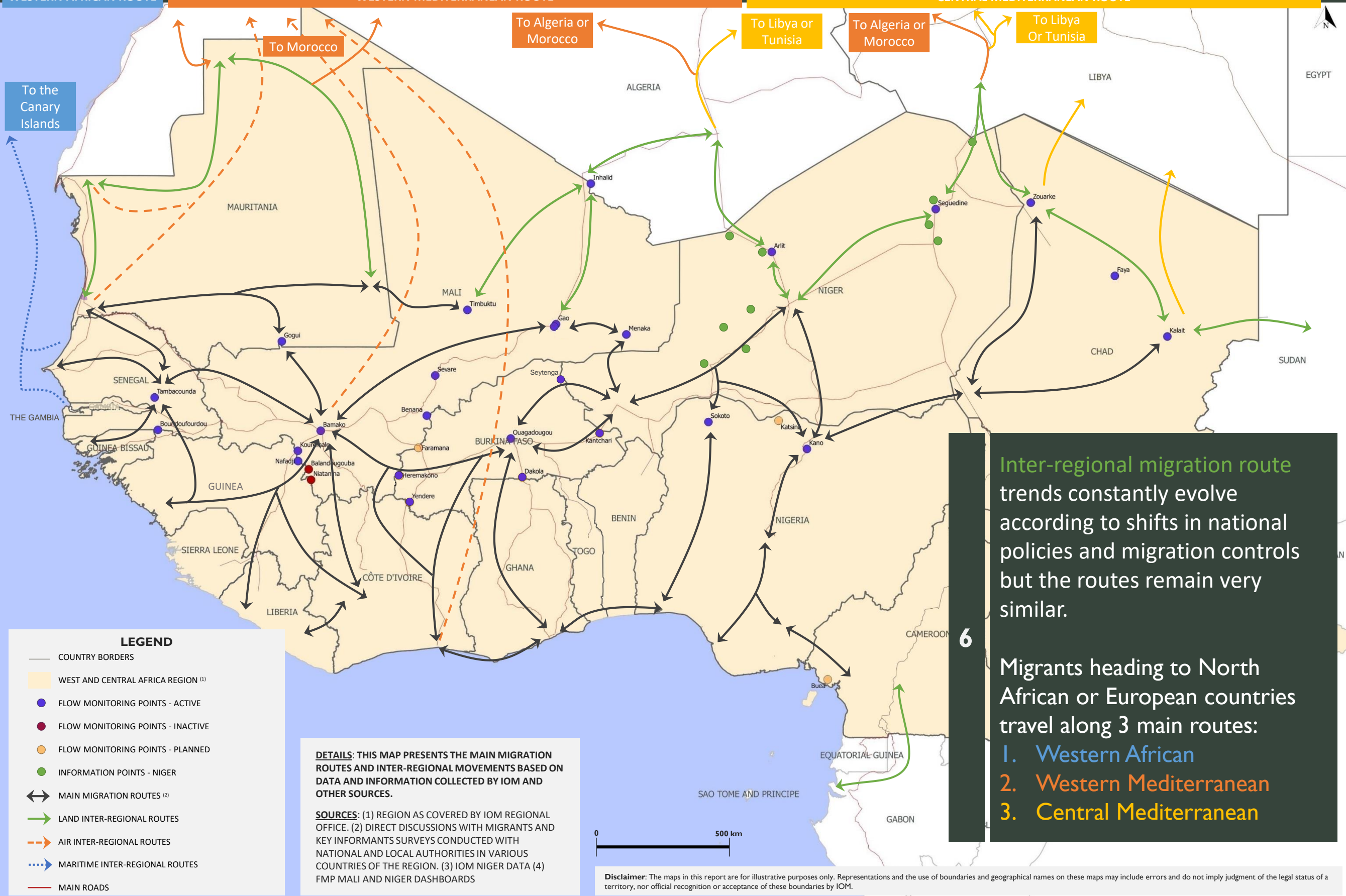
Crossborder transhumance and Nomadic movements or Caravans also account for a large proportion of movements in the WCA region

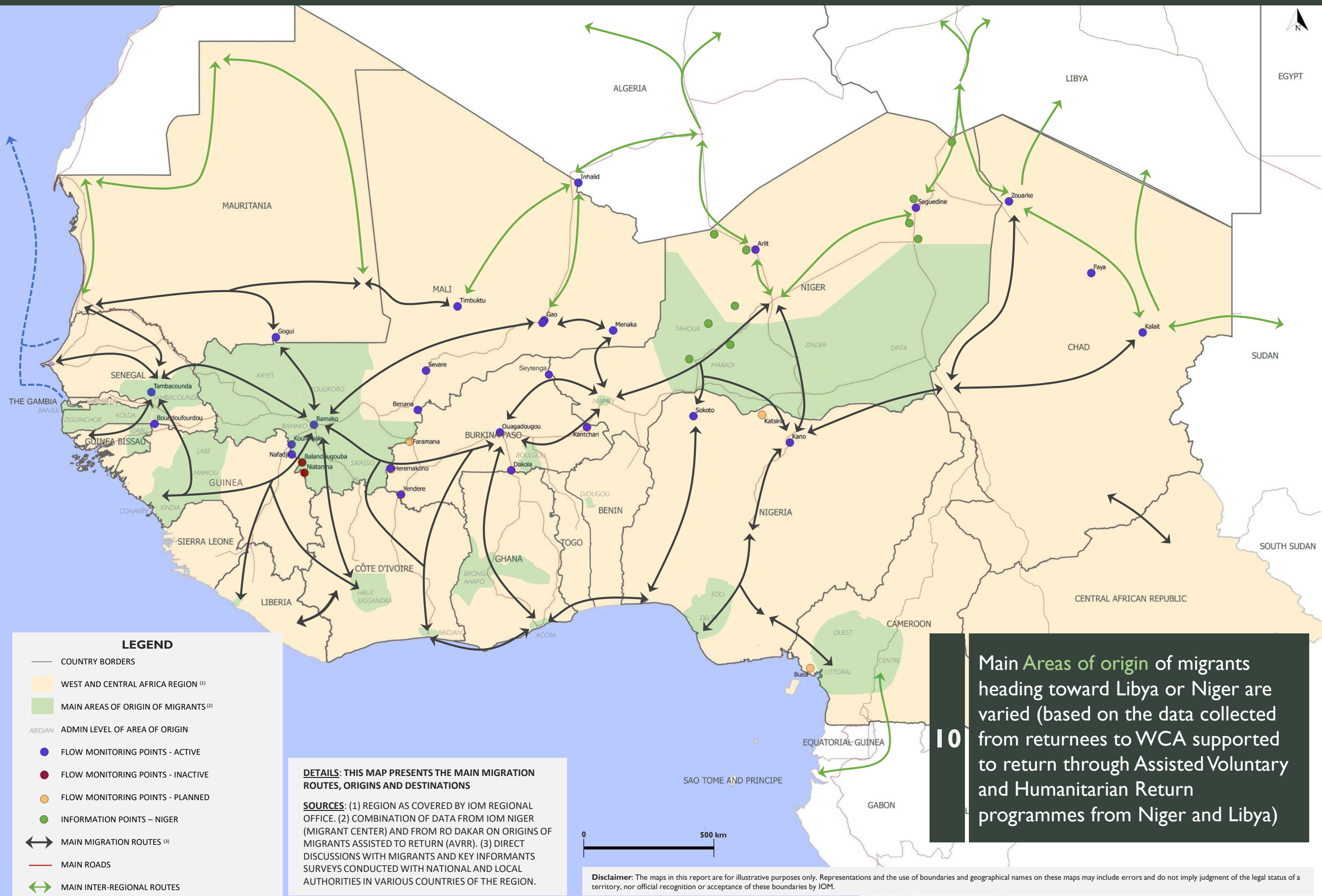


WESTERN AFRICAN ROUTE

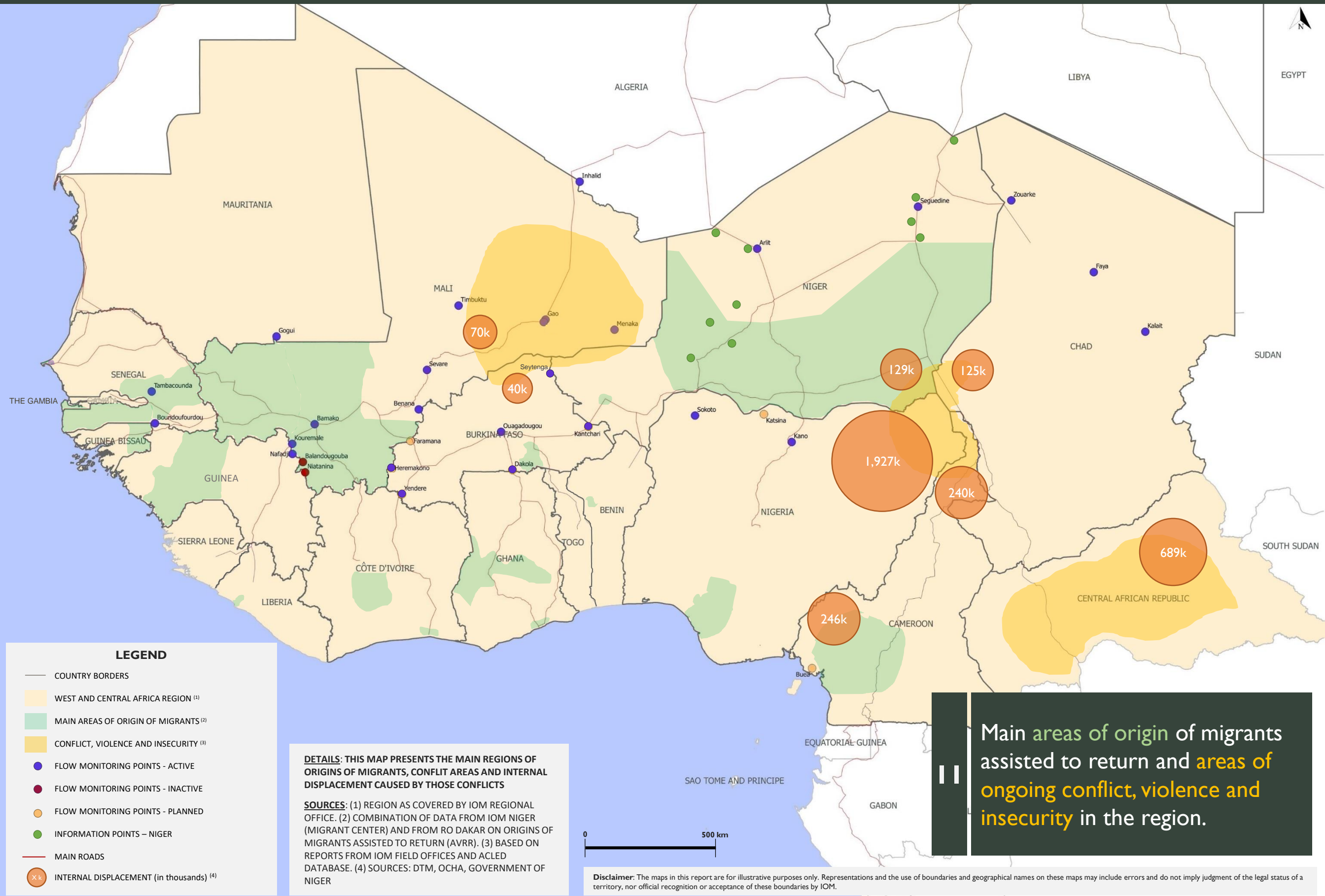
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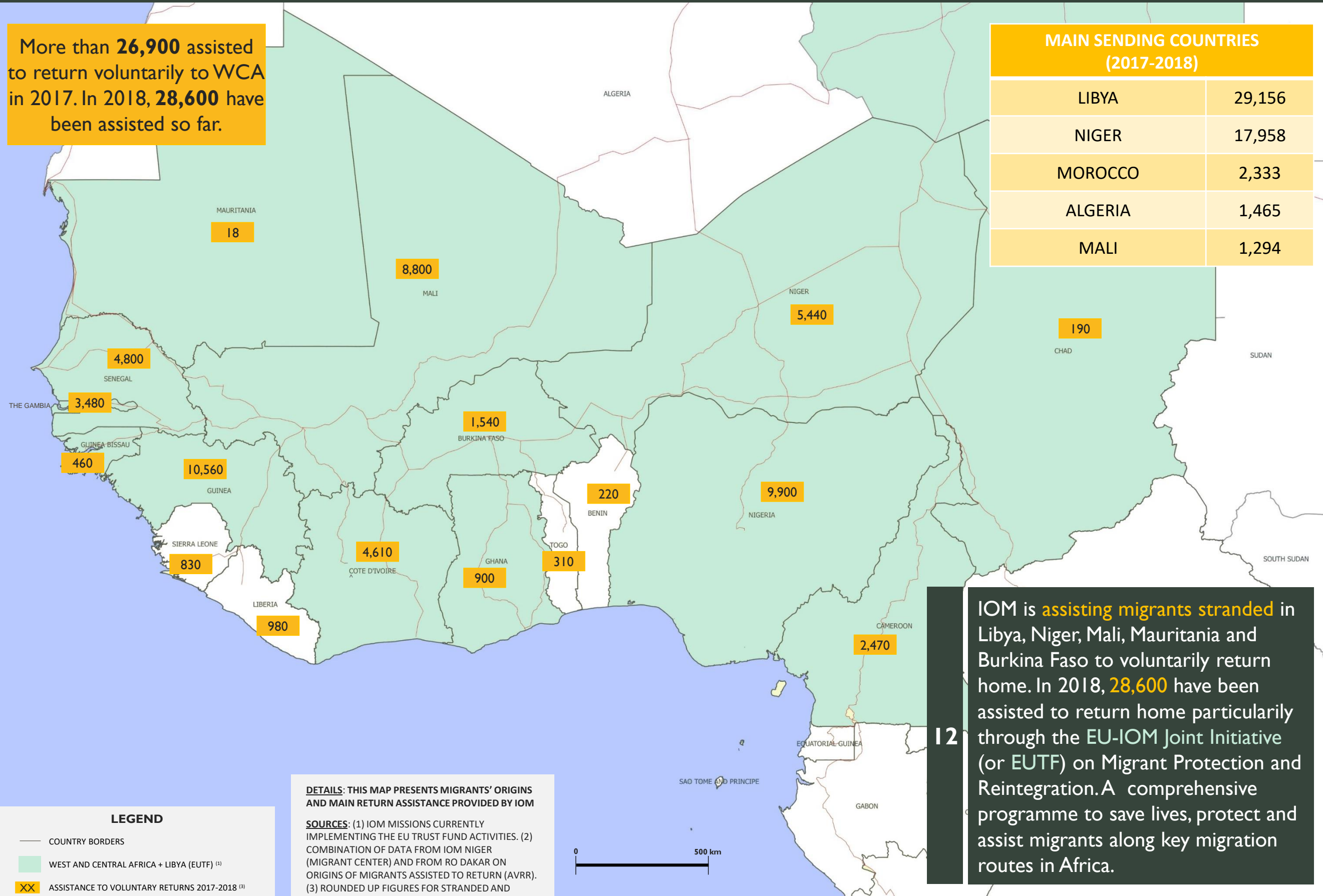


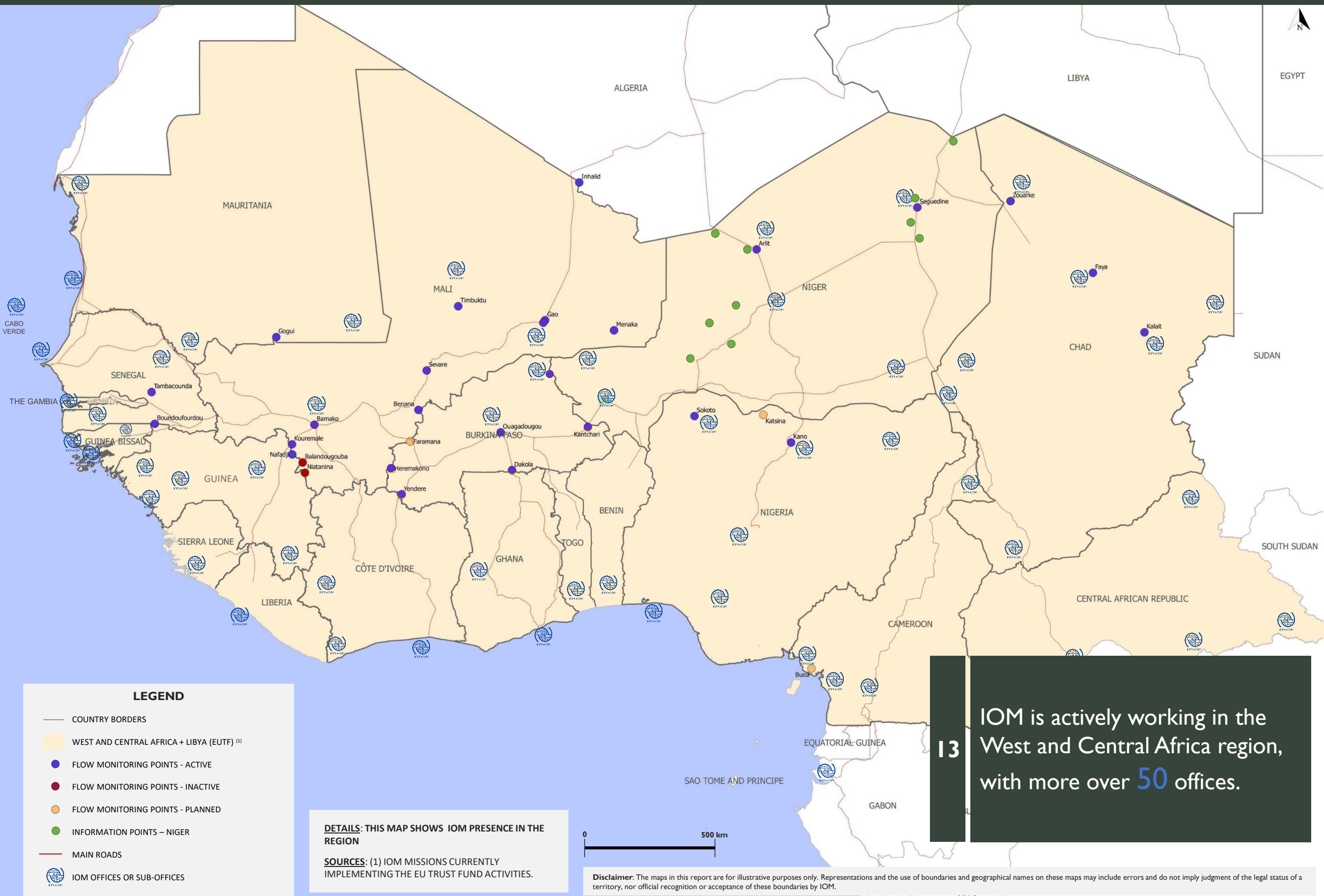


More than **26,900** assisted to return voluntarily to WCA in 2017. In 2018, **28,600** have been assisted so far.

## MAIN SENDING COUNTRIES (2017-2018)

LIBYA	29,156
NIGER	17,958
MOROCCO	2,333
ALGERIA	1,465
MALI	1,294







## **DATA SOURCES**

IOM Flow Monitoring Points ([flow.iom.int](http://flow.iom.int))

IOM AVRR data

IOM Niger data of regions of origins

IOM Niger Search & Rescue

IOM Italy, Spain and Greece data compilations

IOM country offices (labour intensive areas)

### **NATIONAL WORKSHOPS ON CAPTURING DISPLACEMENT AND MOVEMENTS DATA**

(Capo Verde, Mauritania, Senegal, The Gambia, Guinea, Guinea-Bissau, Burkina Faso, Niger, Nigeria, Liberia, Sierra Leone, Ghana, Côte d'Ivoire, Togo and Benin)

**MINISTRIES OF INTERIOR** (Spain, Italy,  
Greece, Niger)

UNDESA migrant database

ACLED (security incident data)

OECD (transhumance data)



International Organization for Migration (IOM)  
The UN Migration Agency

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