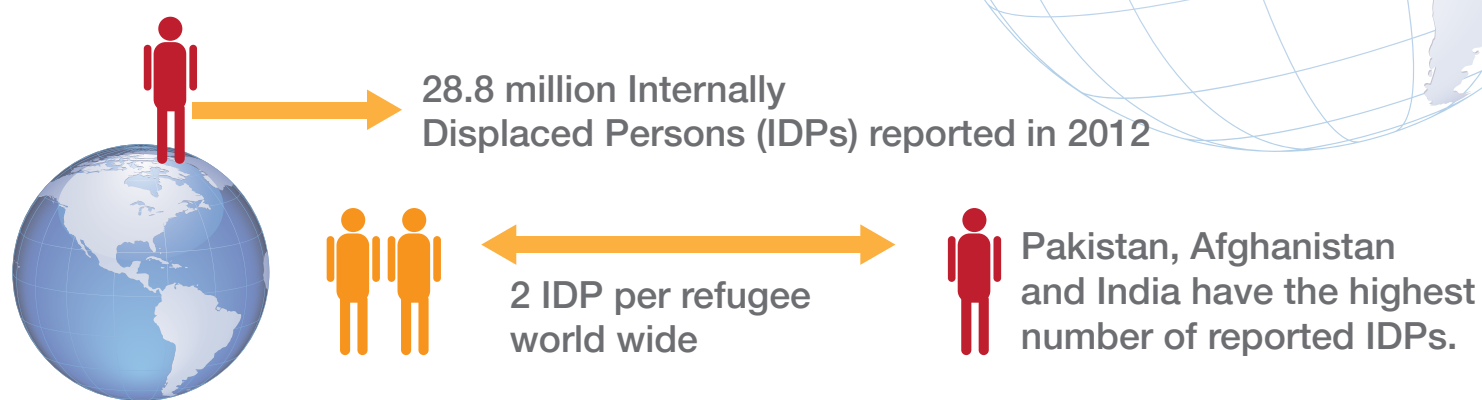


Internally Displaced Communities



Number of Indian IDPs - at least 5,40,000.

CAUSES



Internal armed conflict



Deliberate policy or practice of arbitrary displacement

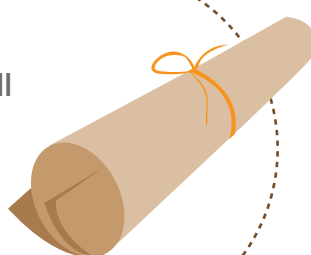


Communal violence

Where are India's internally displaced people from?

Place	No. of displacement
Jammu & Kashmir	2, 65, 000
North- east India	2, 08, 000
Central India	1, 48, 000
Gujarat & Orissa	At least 29, 000

On September 26, 2013, India adopted a historic new bill "The Right to Fair Compensation and Transparency in Land Acquisition, Resettlement and Rehabilitation Act" (LARR). For the first time, it addresses internal displacement caused by development.

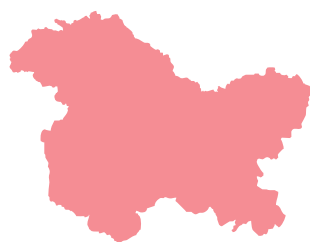


Legislates the obligation of the project which causes the displacement to resettle affected communities

Enables the recovery of affected communities

Provides a measure of protection of the human rights of IDPs

Sets forth new economic entitlements for IDPs



Jammu & Kashmir

A package of ₹16.18 billion has been given to provide incentives for displaced Kashmiri Pandits.

The self-employed and start-ups to receive a grant of ₹2,50,000

Farmers were to receive assistance in the amount of ₹1,00,000

People were displaced by Bodo-Muslim and Bodo-Santhal violence

Displaced people went for wage employment in the unorganised sector

They worked as agricultural labourers, as day labourers in construction or were hired as domestic workers by locals



Assam



Chhattisgarh

People displaced because of Naxalite conflict worked as daily labourers in Government-run construction projects and in the collection of forest plants.



Andhra Pradesh

Among the tribal people who had fled from Chhattisgarh to Andhra Pradesh because of the Naxalite conflict, some found work as farm labourers, with men earning ₹50 and women only ₹30 per day.



Gujarat

A committee appointed by the Supreme Court reported in June 2007 that the economic conditions of the IDPs were dire, with their means of livelihood having ended since the 2002 riots and their former clients unwilling to use their services.