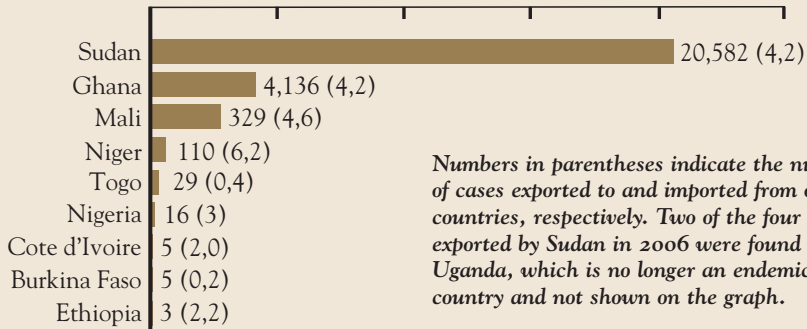


DISTRIBUTION BY COUNTRY OF 25,217 CASES OF DRACUNCULIASIS REPORTED DURING 2006

Number of Cases

0 5,000 10,000 15,000 20,000 25,000



Numbers in parentheses indicate the number of cases exported to and imported from other countries, respectively. Two of the four cases exported by Sudan in 2006 were found in Uganda, which is no longer an endemic country and not shown on the graph.

To date, 11 countries have stopped Guinea worm transmission: Benin, 2004; Mauritania, 2004; Uganda, 2003; Central African Republic, 2001; Chad, 1998; Cameroon, 1997; Yemen, 1997; Senegal, 1997; India, 1996; Kenya, 1994; Pakistan, 1993.