

EAST AFRICA REGION

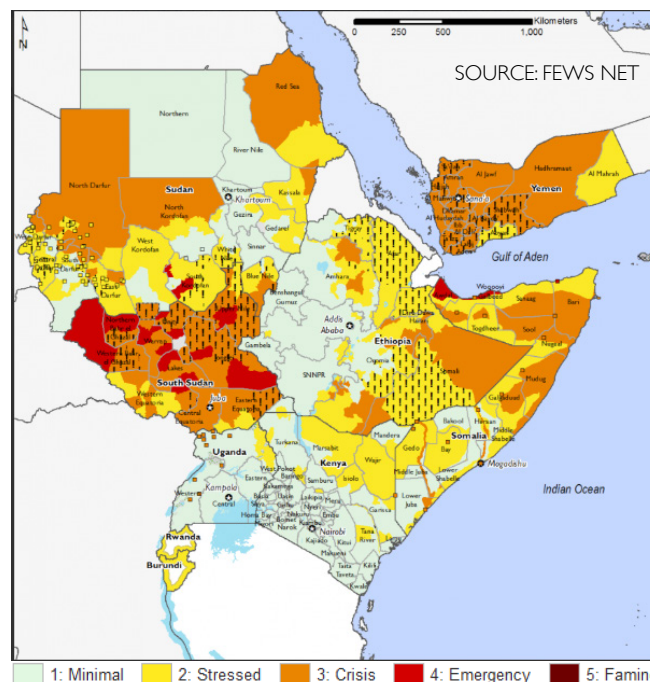
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Key messages

- Humanitarian needs:** An estimated 30 million people across East Africa region are in need of humanitarian assistance. Various crises like conflict, drought, floods, and disease outbreaks and rising cost of fuel and food prices have left them extremely vulnerable.
- Families are food insecure:** An estimated 15 million people in South Sudan, Somalia, Ethiopia and Kenya, are at risk of not having enough food to eat due to poor harvests following drought conditions and floods, and the threat of conflict that has disrupted people's livelihoods and rising food prices. South Sudan is the hardest hit with 7.1 million at risk of acute food insecurity, and 2.3 million in the emergency phase of food insecurity-just one level down from famine. Children don't have enough to eat because of various crises, and as a result face the greatest risk of malnutrition.
- Internal conflicts on the increase:** Natural disasters and conflict has forced 8.5 million people to flee their homes across South Sudan, Somalia, Ethiopia and Kenya. Conflict is the largest driver of displacement – with children often witnessing or experiencing horrific violence, exploitation and abuse. Internal conflicts in the Oromia, SNNP and Somali regions has led to a mass displacement crisis in the southern part of Ethiopia, prompting a surge in the number of people needing urgent humanitarian assistance.
- World Vision response:** World Vision is responding to the needs of families in crises in South Sudan, Ethiopia, Kenya, Somalia, Sudan, Uganda, Rwanda and Tanzania, reaching more than 3 million people in July 2018. Still, large-scale, long-term lifesaving assistance as well as support in recovery is needed to respond to the needs of populations affected by the effects of conflict, threatened by diseases and natural disasters like drought and floods.

Food insecurity

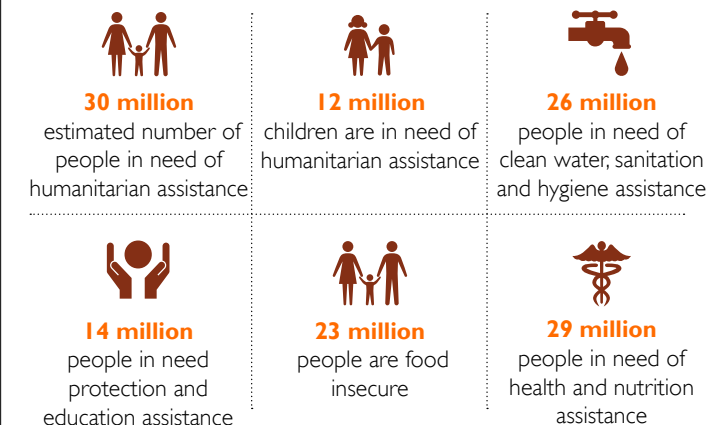
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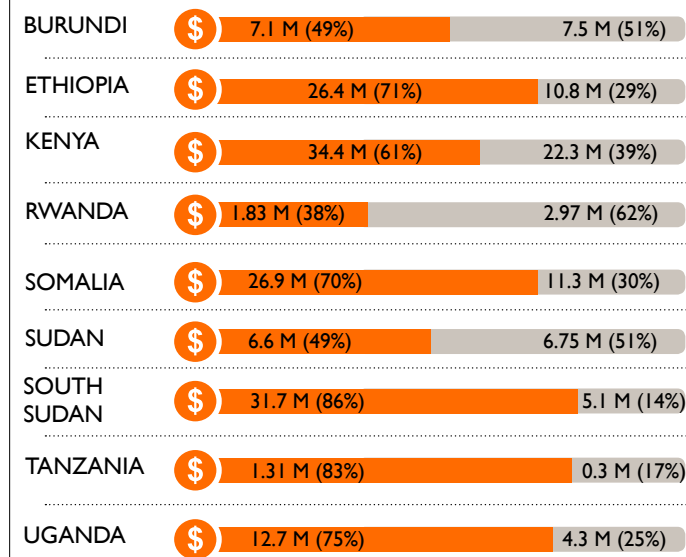
Gaps and needs

- Children and their families across the region are more and more becoming vulnerable to various kinds of disasters like conflict, floods and food insecurity. Millions have been forced out of their homes because of conflict in recent months and are in desperate need of basic services like clean water, health care, shelter items and livelihoods support.
- World Vision is appealing for US\$71.3 million in order to provide short-term emergency support to families in need and recovery programmes to help affected families bounce back and restore their livelihoods.

Humanitarian needs



Funding needs *All financial figures in US\$



● Funding received ● Funding gap

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Situation overview

- **Burundi:** Displaced populations are dependent on humanitarian assistance. As at the end of June, there was an estimated 178,267 refugees from the Democratic Republic of Congo. Without assistance, many would likely face Crisis (IPC Phase 3)
- **Ethiopia:** Inter-communal conflict in Ethiopia's Oromia, Southern Nations, Nationalities, and Peoples (SNNP) and the Somali region has displaced over a million people.
- **Kenya:** An estimated 2.35 million are in Crisis Phase of food insecurity and require immediate food assistance.
- **Rwanda:** Conflict has driven refugees Rwanda currently hosts an estimated 174,922 refugees of these over 54.3% are from Burundi while, slightly over 45.3% are from the DRC and the rest of from other nationalities.
- **Somalia:** Protracted conflict in southern and central regions of Somalia has led to displacements of thousands. An estimated 2.6 million are internally displaced due to conflict and drought, while another 395,000 by floods.
- **South Sudan:** Nearly 1.9 million are internally displaced by conflict in South Sudan, over 7 million are the threat of acute food insecurity and in the absence of humanitarian assistance, conditions could deteriorate.
- **Sudan:** An estimated 5.5 million people are in need of humanitarian assistance, of these, 3.1 million are in Darfur region. Sudan, also hosts an estimated 766,064 refugees.
- **Tanzania:** Currently there are an estimated 149,207 refugees from the DRC and Burundi, of which 92,541 are children, who have fled conflict in their countries.
- **Uganda:** Uganda remains the highest host of refugees from South Sudan, Burundi and DRC. Children are in need of extra protection.

Response achievements

Reporting period July 01-July 30 2018



1,190,614

people reached with food security and livelihoods



367,724

people reached water, sanitation and hygiene assistance



145,149

people reached with education interventions



951,641

people reached with food assistance



468,424

people reached with nutrition assistance



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37,010

people reached with shelter and essential relief items



118,311

people reached with protection interventions



484,118

people reached with health assistance

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