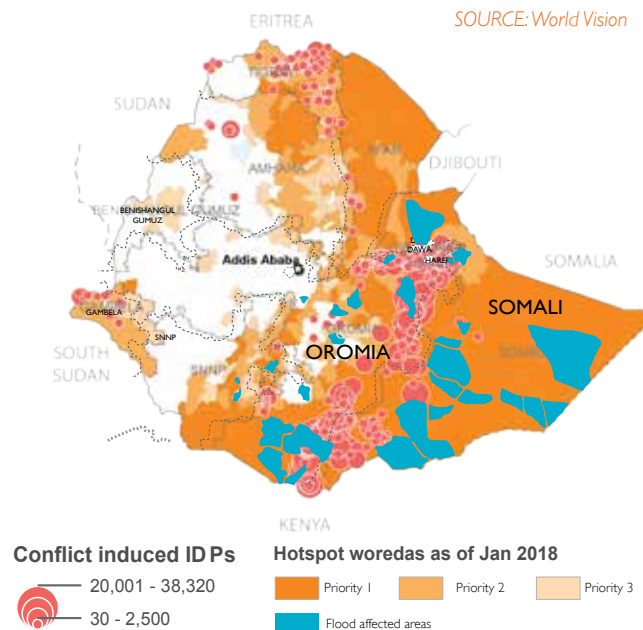


Key messages

- Conflict leads to large scale displacement:** Conflict between ethnic Oromos from West Guji and Gedeos from SNNP region resulted in large scale displacement from both sides, leaving people in dire need of food and non-food assistance. Currently, the government and partners are assessing the needs and will continue to provide coordinated support. Meanwhile, the regional governments of Oromia and SNNP are working jointly to return displaced people to their place of origin and restore peace and security in the area.
- Flash floods:** More than 165,000 people are in urgent need of assistance in Somali region. While shortages of rain has been the driver for drought, flash floods following heavy rains, mostly from the highland areas, continue to affect numerous people. Reported flash flood incidences since the second week of April have left hundreds of thousands of people in need of immediate humanitarian support in Afar (Awwsi), Oromia (Arsi, East Shewa, East and West Hararge zones) and Somali (7 zones) regions.
- Outbreaks of AWD and measles:** The outbreak of AWD is still an unresolved public health problem but it shows a downward trend in all nine regions. In 2018 only, a total of 157 cases have been reported from three regions, Somali, Dire Dawa and Tigray regions with no deaths reported. A measles outbreak is still prevalent in the country and cases continue to be reported.
- April- May meteorological forecast:** According to the National Meteorological Agency, the mid-season rain predicted for much of the country for the next two months will be close to normal with a possibility of above normal rainfall in some places.

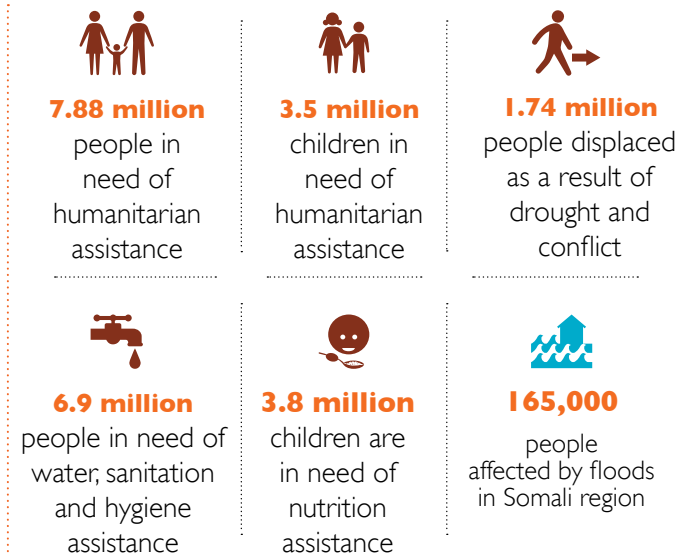
Food insecurity, displacement & floods



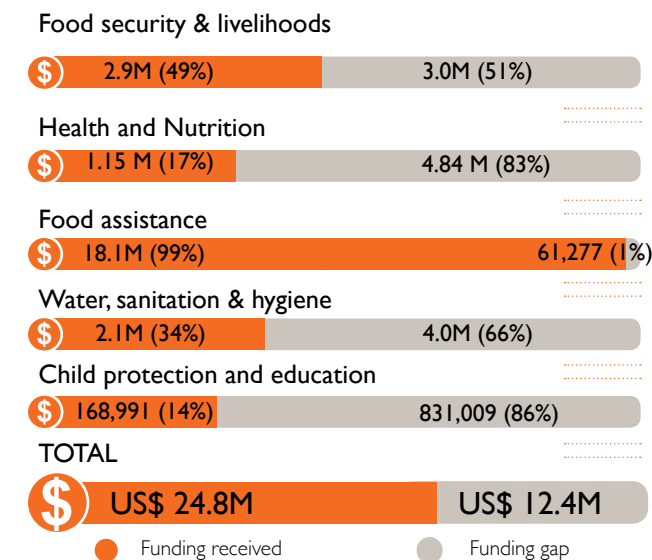
Gaps and needs

- The fund secured for Global Response East Africa Hunger Crisis so far is US \$24,870,396 which is only 66.71% of the appeal US \$37.3 million. The draft response plan for mid-year has an appeal of US \$23.7 million.
- New emergency cases are now being reported in World Vision Ethiopia's operation areas which were not included in the plan and demanding additional budget. The rise of internally displaced people reported in mid-April caused by conflict between West Guji Oromo and Gedio ethnic groups requires humanitarian assistance.
- Education, nutrition and the health sectors remained in priority sequence as suffering from the largest budget gaps in the response effort by World Vision Ethiopia.

Humanitarian needs



Funding needs (Continued from 2017)



*All financial figures in US\$

Response highlights



WATER, SANITATION & HYGIENE

- **Water supply structure:** Installation of electromechanical system (pump and generator) has been completed for Shershera emergency water supply expansion project in Melka Soda woreda. The system is serving 3,000 people (930 girls, 870 boys, 630 women and 570 men). The construction of seven water supply expansion projects is progressing well with a completion rate of range of 10% to 90%.



FOOD ASSISTANCE

- **Food distribution:** 158,317 people have received food that was distributed for 10 woredas. Accordingly, 2374.755MT of wheat, 237.475MT of pulses and 71.243MT of oil were distributed by World Vision through the JEOP.
- **Registered Children (RC) receiving assistance:** 12,125 affected children in World Vision's sponsorship programme have been served with food assistance and medical support from Ethiopian government, JEOP, World Food Programme and World Vision Ethiopia budget.



HEALTH AND NUTRITION

- **Nutrition assistance:** 2,338 severely acute malnourished children received assistance at 124 Outpatient Therapeutic Programmes and 20 Stabilization Centre sites across four projects.
- **Trainings:** More than 300 health workers attended different trainings about managing basic severe acute malnutrition, infant and young child feeding and community management of malnutrition.
- **New projects launched:** Two new projects with a budget of US \$144,835 were launched to control a malaria and scabies epidemic at Abaya and Shshego respectively.



FOOD SECURITY AND LIVELIHOODS

- **Input provision:** 2MT of improved maize seed and 214 litres of insecticides have been procured and will be distributed to Dollo Ado irrigation users. Moreover, 145 improved goats and sheep were distributed to 72 households in Amaro.
- **Farmers training:** 230 farmers from Dollo area were trained on agricultural extension, cooperative management, maize production, seed processing and storage.



RESPONDING TO DISPLACED PEOPLE

- **New Response:** Medicine valued US\$10,000 was provided to Gedeb woreda health office as a quick response to provide health assistance to newly displaced people.
- World Vision Ethiopia employees contributed US \$19,550 to provide assistance to internally displaced people by distributing 423 tins of powdered milk, 3,960 packets of pasta, 10,000 pieces of soap and 847 bottles of hair oil; benefiting 1,743 people resettled in Batu town.



EDUCATION AND PROTECTION

- **Child-Friendly Spaces (CFS):** One reading corner, child-friendly space and one shower were constructed to serve internally displaced people in Tulo, benefiting 44 displaced children and their community.



159,995

children reached with life-saving humanitarian assistance in April 2018



826,527

children reached since the beginning of the response in 2017

Response achievements

Reporting period April 01 - April 30, 2018



5,233

people reached with food security and livelihoods



3,246

children reached with food security and livelihoods



95,962

people reached with health and nutrition services



69,723

children reached with health and nutrition services



840

people reached with education and protection services



640

children reached with education and protection services



11,500

people reached with clean water and sanitation



2,478

children reached with clean water and sanitation



158,317

people reached with food assistance



83,908

children reached with food assistance



271,852

people reached with life-saving humanitarian assistance in April 2018



1,394,891

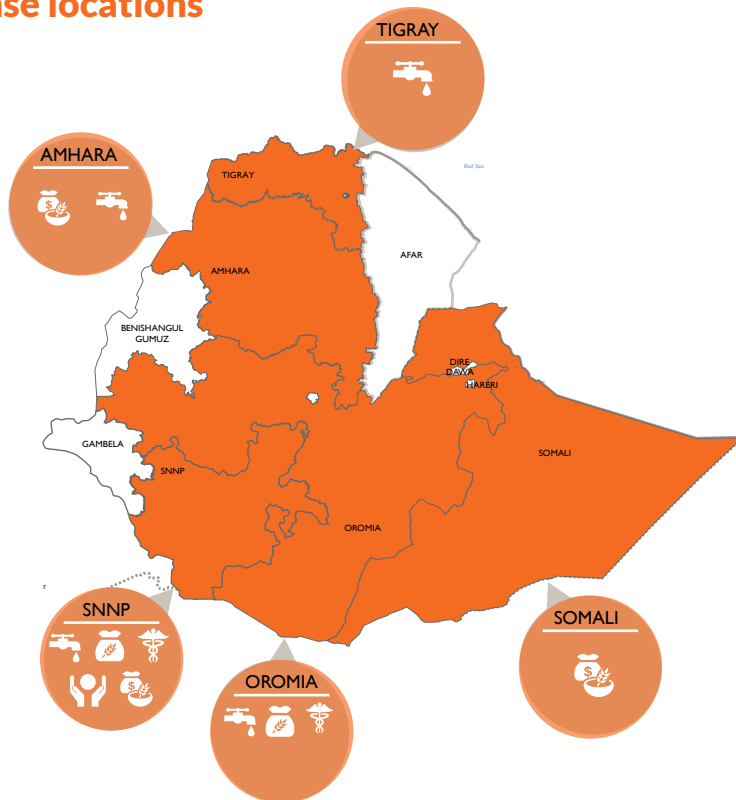
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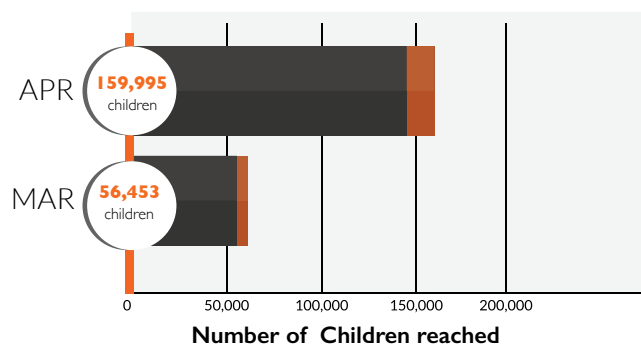
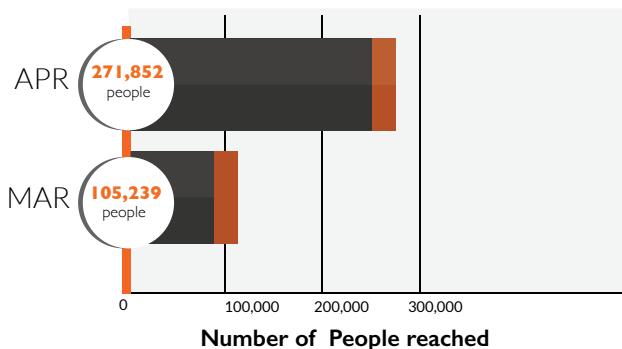
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