As the brutal conflict continues in Syria, millions of people continue to be in need. Hundreds of thousands have been killed in the conflict between the Assad regime, extremist groups and moderate opposition groups. In response to the crisis, the UK has committed £2.3 billion since 2012. This includes allocations to over 30 implementing partners (including United Nations agencies, international non-governmental organisations and the Red Cross) and is helping to meet the immediate needs of vulnerable people in Syria and of refugees in the region. In addition, £46 million from the UK Conflict, Stability and Security Fund has been allocated by DFID to support local capacity and build stability. Our support is reaching millions of people and has saved lives in Syria, Jordan, Lebanon, Turkey, Iraq and Egypt.

Key Facts

- 13.5 million People in need of humanitarian assistance in Syria (UNOCHA 31.03.2016)
- 6.6 million Of those in need in Syria are internally displaced (UNOCHA 31.03.2016)
- 4.8 million Syrian refugees in neighbouring countries (UNHCR 25.04.2016)
- 8.4 million Children in need of which 2.4 million are refugees (UNICEF 31.03.2016)
- Over 250,000 People killed as a result of the conflict (UNOCHA 10.03.2016)
- $8.96 billion 2016 UN consolidated appeal target for the Syria crisis

DFID Funding

**Announced allocations to date (£ million – rounded)**

- Syria: £561m
- Lebanon: £302m
- Jordan: £191m
- Turkey: £32m
- Iraq: £19m
- Egypt: £2m
- Regional: £11m

Total: £1.12 billion

**Spent FY11/12 – FY15/16 (£ million – rounded)**

- Syria: £510m
- Lebanon: £242m
- Jordan: £183m
- Turkey: £32m
- Iraq: £19m
- Egypt: £2m
- Regional: £11m

Total: £998m

Key Country Objectives

**Syria**

- Meet the needs of the most vulnerable groups including in hard-to-reach areas.
- Build resilience at individual, community and institutional levels to enable people to cope in the short term and provide the foundation for a future political transition.
- Strengthen the moderate opposition’s capacity to provide governance and basic services and thereby provide an alternative to extremist groups such as ISIL and to the Assad regime.
- Improve the effectiveness of the overall international response to the crisis.

**Lebanon**

- Provide humanitarian assistance to the most vulnerable Syrians, Palestinians and Lebanese, that, over time, strengthens the resilience of refugees in a sustainable way.
- Expand the education system to reach Syrian refugee children whilst maintaining the quality of education for Lebanese children.
- Support the most vulnerable and conflict-prone municipalities to provide and improve basic service delivery and infrastructure.
- Expand jobs and livelihoods opportunities for both Lebanese and Syrians.
Jordan

- Provide humanitarian assistance and services for the most vulnerable people in refugee camps and host communities.
- Support the delivery of basic services in municipalities with the most refugees.
- Improve the quality of education for all early grade primary school children in Jordan and help to integrate Syrian refugees into the education system.
- Build longer term stability by supporting Jordan’s programme of political and economic reform as part of the cross-Government Arab Partnership.
- Support Palestinian refugees in Jordan.

Regional

- Use international diplomacy - including in the United Nations Security Council - to protect civilians from violence, get aid to all those who need it wherever they are and improve the effectiveness of the UN-led response.
- Mobilise increased international funding for the crisis.
- Provide technical assistance to improve coordination and information management.
- Support monitoring and evaluation activities.

Key Results (February 2012 to June 2015)\(^4\)

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<td><strong>Food</strong>: Number of rations provided(^5)</td>
<td>15,175,918</td>
<td>4,819,864</td>
<td>19,995,782</td>
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<td><strong>Water</strong>: Number of people with access to clean water sources (peak month)(^6)</td>
<td>1,636,075</td>
<td>980,920</td>
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<td><strong>Sanitation/Hygiene</strong>: Number of instances when people have benefited from sanitation and hygiene activities(^7)</td>
<td>6,979,503</td>
<td>285,613</td>
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<td><strong>Health</strong>: Number of medical consultations for emergency trauma and primary healthcare cases</td>
<td>2,063,734</td>
<td>471,361</td>
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<td><strong>Shelter</strong>: Number of people supported through shelter interventions</td>
<td>89,795</td>
<td>327,159</td>
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<td><strong>Relief</strong>: Number of relief packages distributed</td>
<td>4,043,057</td>
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<td>4,624,840</td>
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<td><strong>Agriculture/Livelihoods</strong>: Number of people supported through agriculture/livelihoods interventions</td>
<td>466,273</td>
<td>127,863</td>
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<td>308,072</td>
<td>365,329</td>
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<td>36,885</td>
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<td>227,793</td>
<td>23,360</td>
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Source and methodology for results: [click here](#)

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\(^4\) Some results from key partners, including UN agencies, are not yet included due to a lag in reporting.
\(^5\) A food ration provides food for one person for one month. Food rations can be provided as in-kind goods, cash or vouchers.
\(^6\) Water results for Syria and the region cannot be added together because the peak month is different for each context. The cumulative peak month is the month in which the combined number of people assisted was highest.
\(^7\) Some people may have benefited from more than one activity. A wide range of activities are covered, including distribution of hygiene kits, hygiene awareness campaigns and infrastructure.