



Feed the Future Toolkit: Conflict Integration

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Ukraine War Squeezes Street Snack in Uganda

How Bad Is the Global Food Crisis
Going to Get?

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***Somalis Are Going Hungry. Their
Government Isn't Calling It a Famine.***

Humanitarian groups say Somalia's leader
declaration of famine

***How Russia's War on Ukraine is
Worsening Global Starvation***

Figure 1. Regional Trends in Populations Exposed to Conflict

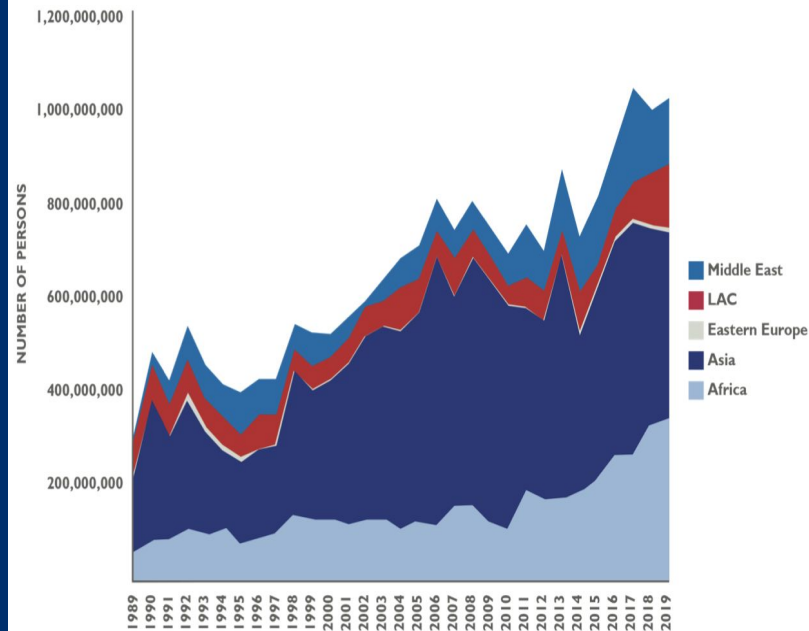


Table 1. Acute Food Crises and Political Stability

| Country | Total Persons in Crisis (WFP), 2019 | % Population Acutely Food Insecure (USAID), 2021* | Total Population, 2018 | % Total | Rank, Fragile States Index, 2019 ² | Ongoing Armed Conflict, 2019 |
|-----------------|-------------------------------------|---|------------------------|---------|---|------------------------------|
| South Sudan | 7.0 | >60% | 11.0 | 64% | 3rd | Yes |
| Yemen | 15.9 | >60% | 28.5 | 56% | 1st | Yes |
| Syria | 6.6 | N/A | 16.9 | 39% | 4th | Yes |
| Haiti | 3.7 | 20-40% | 11.1 | 33% | 12th | No |
| Venezuela | 9.3 | N/A | 28.9 | 32% | 32nd | No |
| Afghanistan | 11.3 | 20-40% | 37.2 | 30% | 9th | Yes |
| Dem. Rep. Congo | 15.6 | 5-20% | 84.1 | 19% | 5th | Yes |
| Sudan | 5.9 | 20-40% | 41.8 | 14% | 8th | Yes |
| Ethiopia | 8.0 | 5-20% | 109.2 | 7% | 23rd | Yes |
| Nigeria | 5.0 | 5-20% | 195.9 | 3% | 14th | Yes |

* Denotes forecasts for May 2021 based on Famine Early Warning Systems Network (FEWS NET) (2020). Sources: GNFC (2020), World Bank (2020), Fund for Peace (2020), Petterson and Öberg (2020).

Overview

Feed the Future

- USG's Global Hunger and Food Security Initiative
- Objectives: agriculture-led economic growth; strengthened resilience; a well nourished population
- Focused on 20 target countries in Africa, Asia and Latin America and the Caribbean

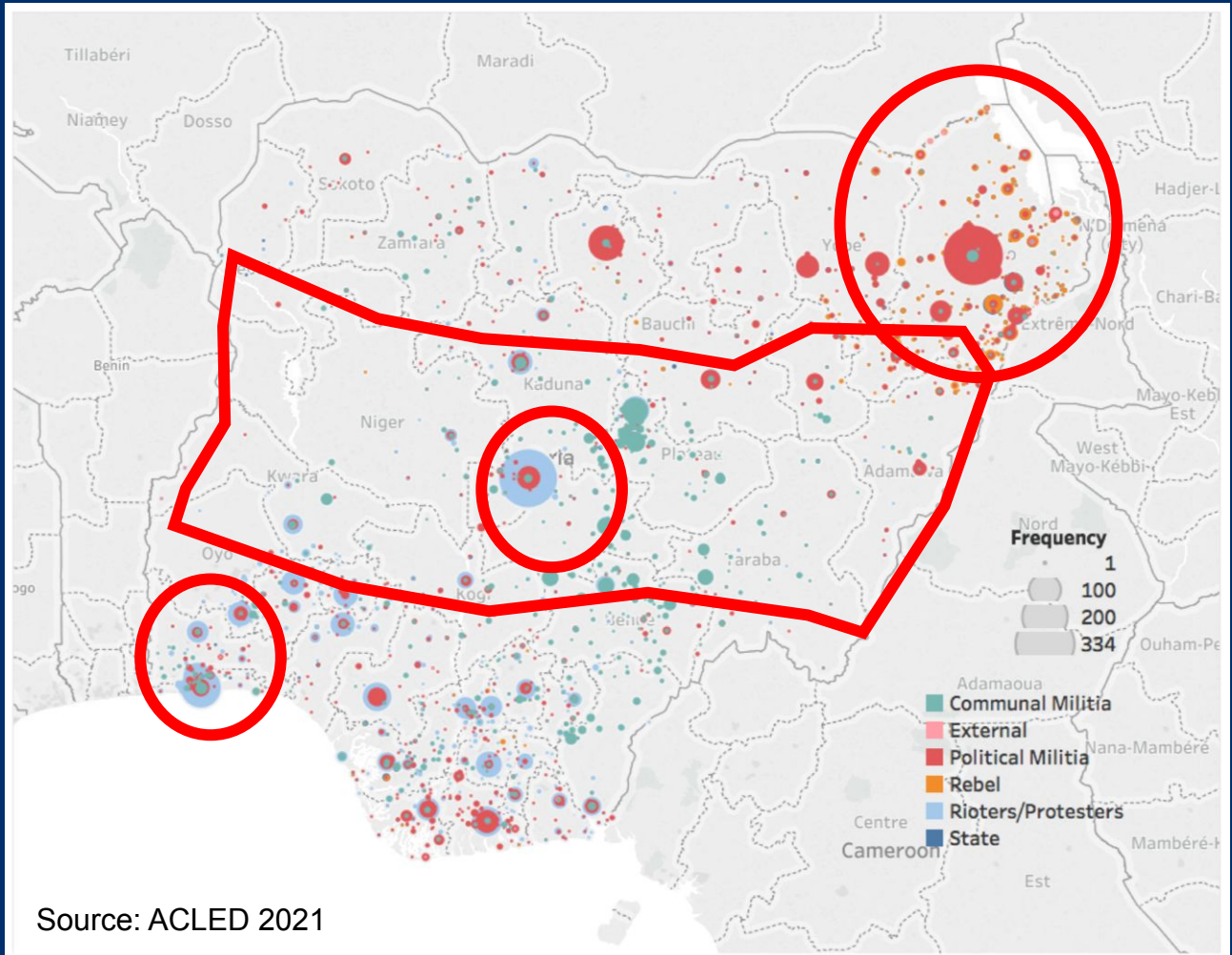
Global Food Security Strategy (2022-2026)

- Elevates Climate Change, COVID-19, Equity and Inclusion, Food Systems
- **And conflict, through a new cross-cutting goal**



What's inside this toolkit?

- **Relationship between conflict and food systems**
- **Throughout the Program Cycle...**
 - Developing a conflict sensitive theory of change
 - Conflict sensitive activity design and implementation
 - Conflict sensitive MEL
- **Programming Examples**
- **Resilience and Conflict**
- **Mission Case Studies**



Source: ACLED 2021

Niger's Terres Eau Vie Activity

TWO-WAY RELATIONSHIP BETWEEN ACTIVITY & CONTEXT

Meeting NRM goals impossible without addressing conflict

NRM needs to address local and national dynamics fueling conflict



ADAPT ACCORDINGLY

Farmers and pastoralists delimit corridors and co-create shared rules through local conventions

Land reform advocacy at national levels addressing pastoralist exclusion



UNDERSTAND CONTEXT

National policy favors farmers over pastoralists

Conflict rising as climate change shifts livestock corridors



SHARED DYNAMICS OF PEACE, SECURITY & SECTOR GOALS

Shared info and rules around land use strengthen NRM, peace and security

Reduced conflict begets future interdependence and collaboration

