

MAJOR HIGHLIGHTS

- Winterization Plan Update: The sector partners have started the distribution of winter items that include high thermal blankets, winter clothing kits, winter clothing kits for children, new born kits, adult jackets, sleeping bags and additional plastic sheets. So far, a total of 316,012 individuals have been assisted with the winter items.
- Syrian Humanitarian Funds: Launch of 1St SHF Standard Allocation 2018 took place on 13th September 2018 with a total amount of \$20M, out of which \$6M was allocated both for Shelter and NFI sectors. Deadline for Submission was 26th of September. Fifteen NFI Projects were submitted that also included 2 Shelter components. Strategic and Technical review took place on the 4th of October. Out of fifteen submitted projects, five projects were approved with a total amount of \$ 3.23 M.
- GAM Orientation Session: On the 12th September, Shelter and NFI sector partners attended an orientation on the new Gender and Age Marker (GAM) that has been adopted this year to measure the compliance of each project against targeting/mainstreaming age and gender groups in the various phases of the project.
- Inter-agency convoy plan: During October the NFI Sector in coordination with its partners contributed to the preparation of IAC plan. The NFI sector partners participated in the upcoming bi-monthly plan for November and December 2018. The proposed locations include: Abul Thohur, Sanjar, Kafr Zeita, Madig Castle, Afrin, Menbij, Atareb and Big Orm, Haritan, Daret Azza and Zarbah targeting 352,400 individuals with 247,805 Non Food Items.

NUMBERS IN BRIEF

TOTAL NFI DISTRIBUTED



3,590,158

TOTAL AS OF

CORE NEL

SUPPLEMENTARY NEL

BENEFICIARIES ADEQUATELY SERVED

CORE NFI

HRP INDICATOR 1.1. NO. OF PEOPLE WHOSE NEEDS IN 520,659

1.8M

SERVED

HRP TARGET

RELATION TO CORE AND ESSEN-TIAL NFIS ARE MET 520,659 ACCOUNTS FOR BENEFICIARIES WHOSE NEEDS WERE ADEQUATELY MET FOR RECEIVING MORE THAN 4 CORE NFI (28% OF THE TOTAL TARGET OF 1.8 MILLION PEOPLE TARGETED BY SYRIA HUB 2018).

SUPPLEMENTARY NFI

HRP INDICATOR 1.2. NO. OF PEOPLE WHOSE NEEDS ARE MET FOR SEASONAL ASSIS-TANCE

SERVED

HRP TARGET

ESTIMATE NUMBER OF PEOPLE WHO RECEIVED MORE THAN 1 SEASONAL OR SUPPLEMENTARY ITEM IN SEPTEMBER 2018 (78% OF THE TOTAL TARGET OF 1.9 MILLION PEOPLE TARGETED BY SYRIA HUB 2018).

OVERALL REACHED BENEFICIARIES



TOTAL BENEFICIARIES AS OF OCTOBER 2018 WHO RECEIVED AT LEAST ONE / PART OF NEL

NFI BI-MONTHLY

September/October 2018, Issue No.17

FI Sector

GAPS AND CHALLENGES

- Based on last year NFI Post Distribution Monitoring, a limited number of NFIs, poor NFI quality including distribution of damaged items (i.e. broken solar lamps, or wet mattresses), and unorganized distribution are the top distribution issues that beneficiaries confronted with. Other reported distribution challenges include unequal distribution, delayed distribution of seasonal items, far distribution point, and non-adherence to minimum standards of distribution point.
- Access and safety are the key challenges in some parts of the country as well as partner capacity and heavy processes along with funding constraints.
- Lack of actual data on distribution recipients prevents the sector to better measure the actual reached and served beneficiaries.
- Lack of income-generating activities to provide the necessary financial means continues to hamper access to basic household items among the most vulnerable population in need.
- Limited participation of sector members affects coordination and the overall sectorial reach.
- Lack of reliable consolidated information for interagency convoy reach affects the sector's ability to determine the extent and impact of its convoy contribution.
- Opportunities for systematic field-based data collection remain very limited due to access or authorization restrictions, resulting in incomplete needs analysis in some areas.

CRISIS BACKGROUND: The crisis in Syrian Arab Republic that started in March 2011 has transformed into a complex emergency that has displaced around 6.4 million people in various parts of the country. As per the 2018 Humanitarian Needs Overview, around 13.1 million people are in need of humanitarian assistance of which around 5.4 million people are in need of NFI support and other multi-sectorial assistance as they continue to struggle in an unsafe and uncertain environment. The degree of resilience and positive coping mechanism of the affected population have gradually reduced due to the protracted nature of the hostilities. Purchasing power and the ability to provide for their basic household needs have decreased due to economic recession that left many people unemployed and the prospect of accessing essential household items has also declined due to limited access in some areas.



HUMANITARIAN STORY



UNRWA distributed emergency assistance, including NFI to more than 2,000 Palestine refugee families who were displaced from Yarmouk. One of the beneficiaries, Salwa Hussein Issa is 38- year old. She was displaced from Yarmouk camp in April 2018, along with her 6 children and her husband. UNRWA provides her with food assistance and cash assistance, which she uses to pay the rent. She also received winterization assistance from UNRWA in October. She said "I received two mattresses, blankets and a mat. We are surviving, thank God. We would like to thank UNRWA. The Agency has helped us greatly."

NFI Sector Coordination Team

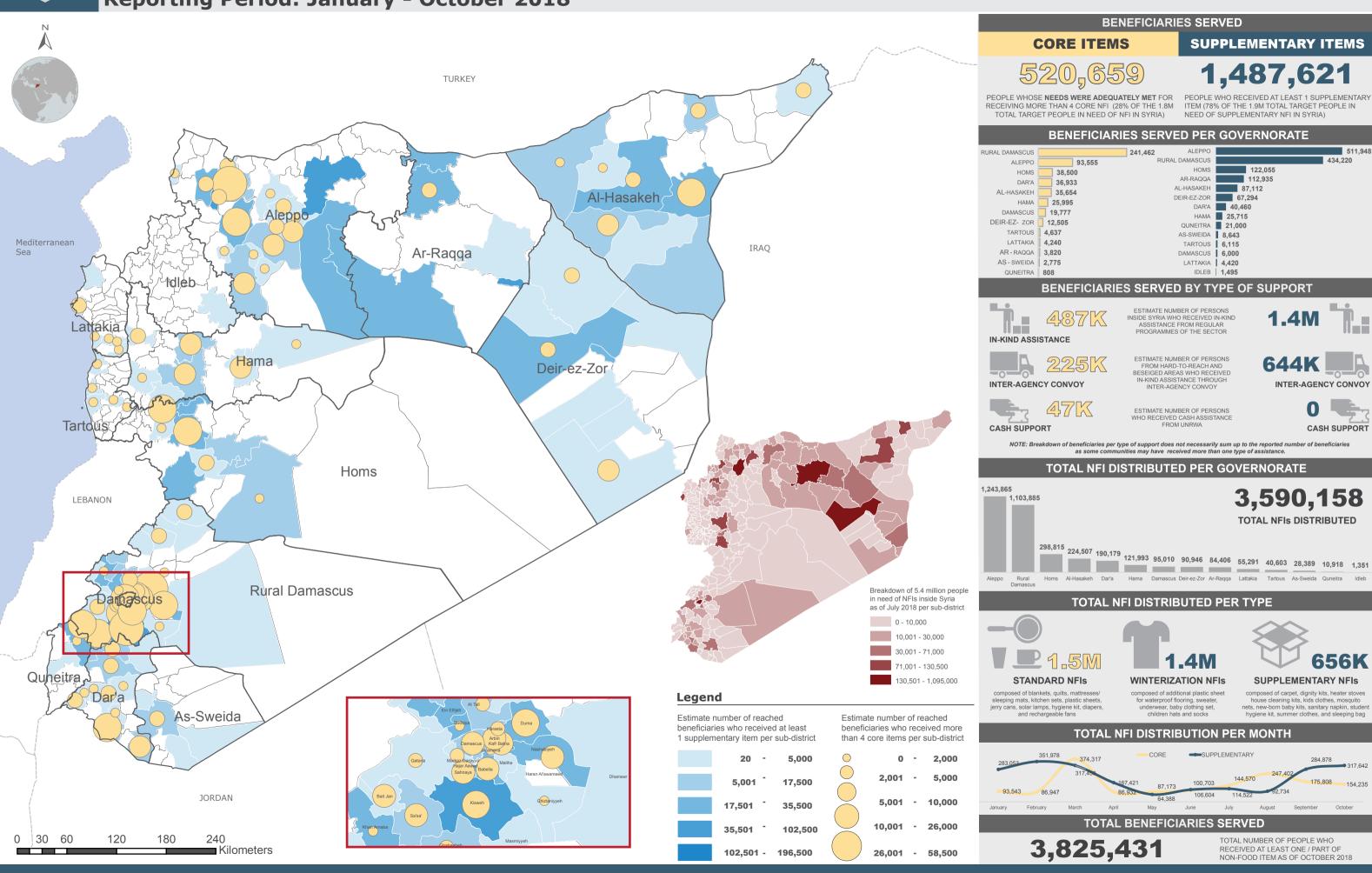
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SYRIA: NFI RESPONSE



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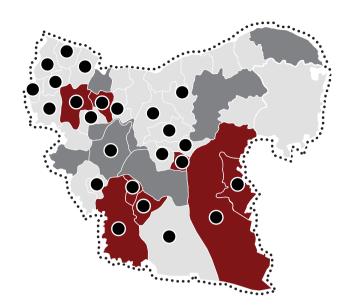




SYRIA: INTER-AGENCY CONVOY



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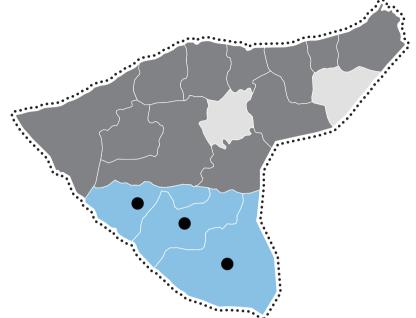


TOTAL NUMBER OF INTER-AGENCY

TOTAL COMMUNITIES COVERED OF WHICH 15 (100%) ARE IN HTR AREAS

TOTAL PEOPLE REACHED OF WHICH 273,970 (100%) ARE FROM HTR AREAS

TOTAL NO. OF NFIs DISTRIBUTED IN INTER-AGENCY CONVOYS





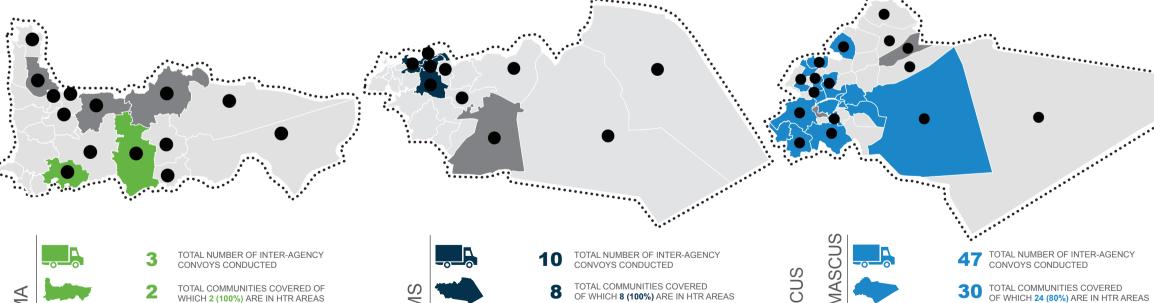
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10 TOTAL NUMBER OF INTER-AGENCY CONVOYS CONDUCTED

TOTAL COMMUNITIES COVERED OF 10 WHICH 10 (100%) ARE IN HTR AREAS

TOTAL PEOPLE REACHED OF WHICH 60,205 (100%) ARE FROM HTR AREAS

TOTAL NO. OF NFIs DISTRIBUTED



TOTAL COMMUNITIES COVERED OF WHICH 2 (100%) ARE IN HTR AREAS

TOTAL PEOPLE REACHED OF WHICH 6,310 (100%) ARE FROM HTR AREAS

TOTAL NO. OF NFIs DISTRIBUTED



TOTAL COMMUNITIES COVERED OF WHICH 8 (100%) ARE IN HTR AREAS

WHICH 208,250 (100%) ARE FROM TOTAL NO. OF NFIs DISTRIBUTED

DAMASCUS DAMASCUS

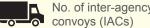
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AND 6 (20%) ARE FROM BESIEGED AREAS

WHICH 491,283(90%) ARE FROM HTR AREAS AND 53,082(10%) ARE FROM BESIEGED AREAS

1942 TOTAL NO. OF NFIS DISTRIBUTED

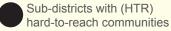
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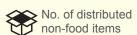








Sub-districts with besieged and HTR communities



Areas covered by

SUMMARY



95 TOTAL NUMBER OF INTER-AGENCY **CONVOYS**



TOTAL COMMUNITIES COVERED OF WHICH 6 (7%) ARE IN BESIEGED AREAS & 73 (93%) FROM HTR AREAS



1,124,928

TOTAL PEOPLE REACHED OF WHICH **53,082 (4%)** FROM BESIEGED AREAS AND 1,071,846 (96%) FROM HTR AREAS



978,937

TOTAL NO. OF NFIs DISTRIBUTED / **VOUCHER IN INTER-AGENCY CONVOYS**

NAME OF BESIEGED AND HTR COMMUNITIES COVERED BY INTER-AGENCY CONVOY (2018)

GOVERNORATE	TOTAL HTR AND BESIEGED COMMUNITIES	REACHED HTR AND BESIEGED COMMUNITIES
ALEPPO	588	• 15
AL-HASAKEH	• 30	• 3
DEIR EZZOR	• 136	• 10
HAMA	• 12	• 2
HOMS	• 42	• 7
RURAL DAMASCUS	● 61 ※ 26	● 23 ※ 6
DAMASCUS	● 1 ※ 2	● 1 ※ 0

FOOTNOTE/S:

A. The beneficiaries of convoy were calculated based on status of communities as per OCHA's list HTR and besieged communities since

B. The information presented here only shows EPDC, GOPA, ICMC, OCHA, UNHCR, UNICEF and UNRWA reports.

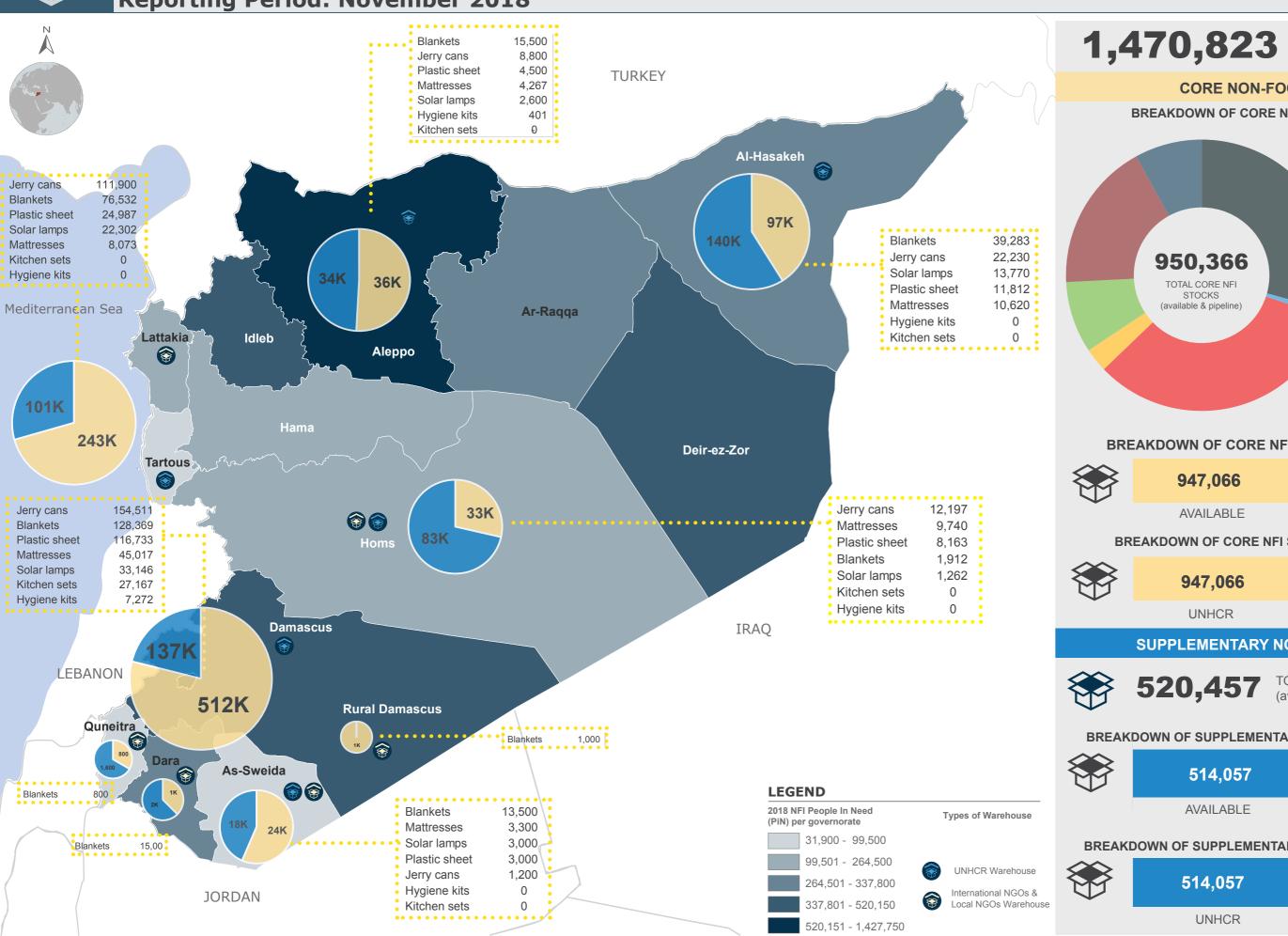
C. One convoy is counted as one completed trip in each day.



SYRIA: NFI STOCKPILE

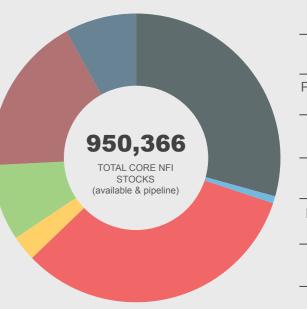
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CORE NON-FOOD ITEMS

BREAKDOWN OF CORE NFI STOCKS PER TYPE



JERRY CANS 310,838

BLANKETS 278,396

PLASTIC SHEET 169,195

MATTRESSES 81,017

SOLAR LAMPS 76.080

KITCHEN SETS

HYGIENE KITS 7,673

DIAPERS

BREAKDOWN OF CORE NFI STOCKS PER STATUS

3,300

PIPELINE

BREAKDOWN OF CORE NFI STOCKS PER AGENCY

3,300

GOPA

SUPPLEMENTARY NON-FOOD ITEMS

TOTAL SUPPLEMENTARY NFI (available and pipeline)

BREAKDOWN OF SUPPLEMENTARY NFI STOCKS PER STATUS

6,400

PIPELINE

BREAKDOWN OF SUPPLEMENTARY NFI STOCKS PER AGENCY

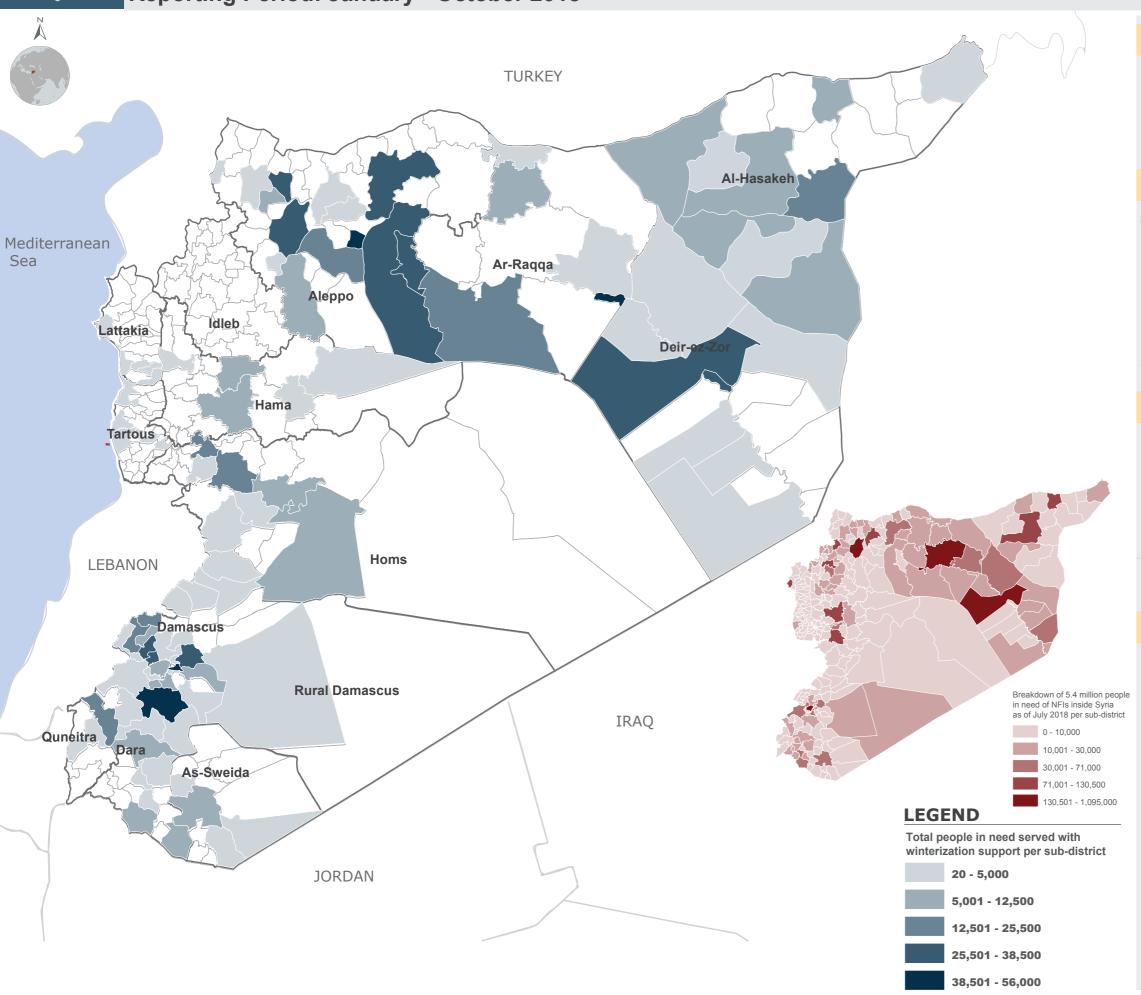
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SYRIA: NFI WINTERIZATION SUPPORT



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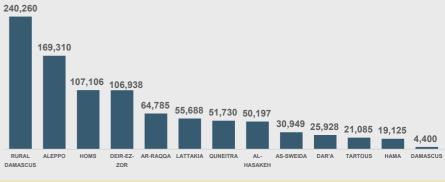


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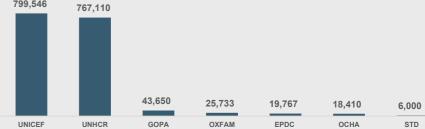
SUMMARY



BREAKDOWN OF BENEFICIARIES PER GOVERNORATE



BREAKDOWN OF BENEFICIARIES PER AGENCY



NOTE: Breakdown of beneficiaries per agency does not necessarily sum up to the reported total number of winterization beneficiaries as there could be some duplication of served beneficiaries per agency.

QUANTITY OF WINTER ITEMS PER TYPE

1,444,488

ESTIMATE NUMBER OF WINTER ITEMS DISTRIBUTED



ESTIMATE QUANTITY OF WINTER CLOTHING KITS*

221,396



ESTIMATE QUANTITY OF PLASTIC SHEET \ WATER PROOF FLOORING

94,870

ESTIMATE QUANTITY OF OTHER ITEMS

1,128,222

*NOTE: Content of winterization kit per agency varies.

IOM (cotton underwear long sleeve with long pants, wool gloves, wool hats, wool scarves, wool socks) UNHCR (sweater, underwear, baby clothing set, high thermal blanket, plastic sheet, sleeping bag, jackets) UNICEF (children winter clothes)