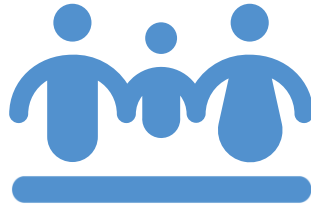


# Dry Corridor Crisis (GUATEMALA, EL SALVADOR, HONDURAS, NICARAGUA)

## PEOPLE TARGETED 2019

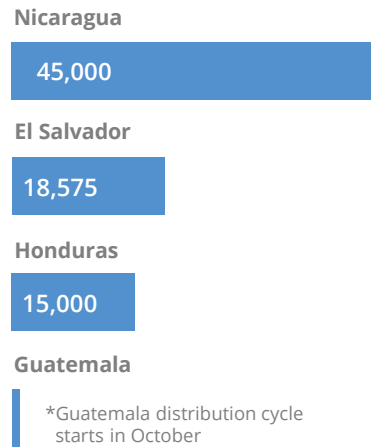
702,000



Guatemala	Nicaragua
150,500	80,000
El Salvador	Honduras
121,500	350,000

SOURCE: WFP, SEP 2019

## PEOPLE ASSISTED By Country



## FUNDING

Dry Corridor (Guatemala, El Salvador, Honduras, Nicaragua)

October 2019 – March 2020

**US\$47.4m**  
Net funding requirements

## KEY MESSAGES

**Over 1.4m** people urgently need food assistance.

**60-80%** likelihood that extreme weather events will hit in the next harvest season.

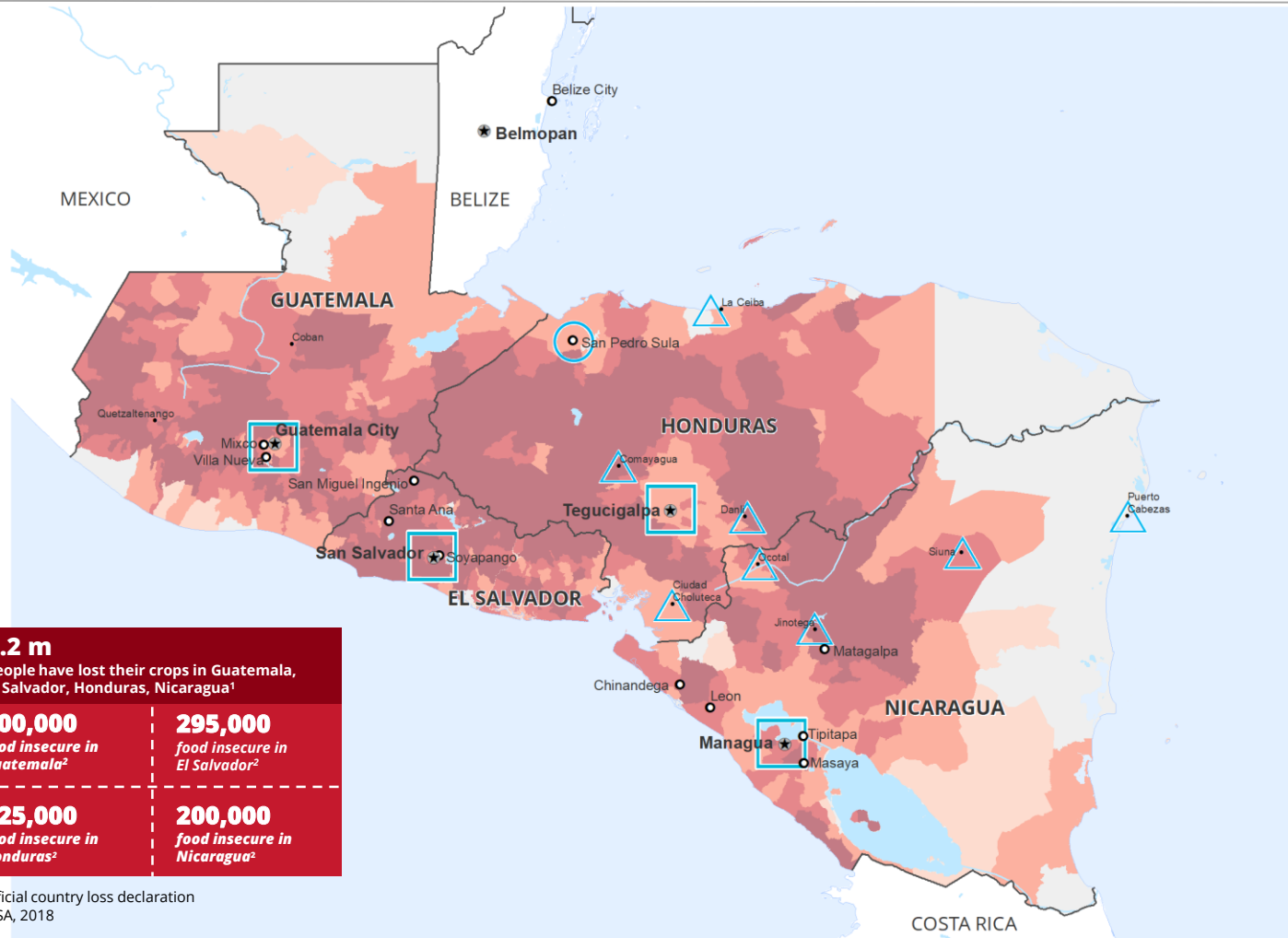
**8 out of 10** households resort to crisis and emergency coping mechanisms in the most affected communities.

**35 year** the worst dry cropping season in the last 35 years in central America.

**Over 25%** of households do not have sufficient income to cover the cost of the basic food basket.

**30%** of households with migrants cited the adverse effects of climate on their food production & access as the main reason for migration.

SOURCE: WFP, SEP 2019



## Current Households Extreme Coping Strategies



In Guatemala, **82%** are adopting negative coping strategies related to their productive assets.



In Honduras, **25%** of households are applying emergency coping strategies.



In El Salvador, **7%** of households have gone at least 1 day without food and **50%** had to reduce food rations.



In Nicaragua, in **7 out of 10 families** at least one member had to migrate in search for better employment opportunities.

SOURCE: WFP, OCT 2018

## WFP DRY CORRIDOR CRISIS

Guatemala Country Strategic Plan (2018-2021)  
<https://www1.wfp.org/operations/gt01-guatemala-country-strategic-plan-2018-2022>

El Salvador Country Strategic Plan (2017-2021)  
<https://www1.wfp.org/operations/sv01-el-salvador-country-strategic-plan-2017-2021>

Honduras Country Strategic Plan (2018-2021)  
<https://www1.wfp.org/operations/hn01-honduras-country-strategic-plan-2018-2021>

Nicaragua Country Strategic Plan (2019-2023)  
<https://www1.wfp.org/operations/ni02-nicaragua-country-strategic-plan-2019-2023>



**Erosion Propensity**  
% of administrative surface potentially affected by erosion

- < 5% Very Low
- 5 - 10% Low
- 10 - 30% Medium
- 30 - 50% High
- > 50% Very High

- ★ National Capital
- Major Town
- Intermediate Town
- International Boundary
- River
- Surface Waterbody

Data sources: The map represents the percentage of admin2 surface interested by erosion process (>5Tons/ha per year). The methodology used to calculate the erosion process is the RUSLE equation. Dry corridor area defined by CEPREDENAC, 2001.

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