

As the conflict in Yemen continues unabated, the trends show a devastating toll on civilians. Since March 2015, the number of people moving within the country in search of safety and livelihood has steadily increased to a staggering 3.2 million. At a time of widespread and worsening food insecurity, food imports remain in short supply, significantly driving up the price of commodities. Health facility based numbers on people killed and injured are now higher than at any other time in 2016. These numbers are believed to be much higher, however, since many injured do not seek help in a health facility and since many that die never make it to a facility. Also, since over half of health facilities, in 16 out of 22 governorates, are partially or totally not working, reporting capacity is functioning at sub optimal levels. The trends also reveal that those engaged in the conflict are not meeting their basic responsibilities, under international law, to respect, protect, and meet basic needs of the civilian population. Through a consistent presence, humanitarian partners have been able to steadily increase their reach to people in need across Yemen. However, the response does not match the requirements, as less than half of the funding needed has been received.

Recent key events

AUGUST

- 6 AUGUST**
Round of Peace Talks in Kuwait ends.
- 7 AUGUST**
An airstrike in a marketplace in Nihm District of Sana'a Governorate kills 18 civilians.
- 13 AUGUST**
An airstrike on a school in Haydan District of Sa'ada Governorate kills ten children.
- 15 AUGUST**
An airstrike on a hospital in the Abs District of Hajjah Governorate kills at least 11 people.
- 17 AUGUST**
Rockets fired from the direction of Yemen at the City of Najran in the Kingdom of Saudi Arabia, kill seven people.
- 25 AUGUST**
UN High Commissioner for Human Rights calls the international community to establish an international, independent body to carry out investigations in Yemen.

SEPTEMBER

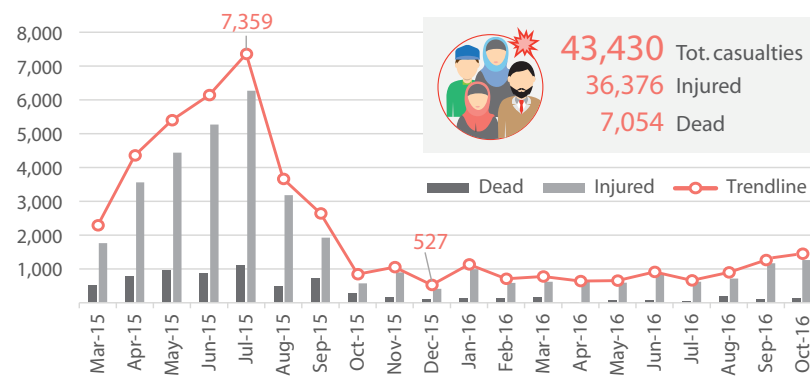
- 11 SEPTEMBER**
An airstrike hits a drilling rig which was constructing a water well in Arahab District of Sa'ada Governorate. A follow-up airstrike kills and injures first responders.
- 21 SEPTEMBER**
An airstrike hits a residential area of Al Hudaydah City killing 24 people and wounding over 100.

OCTOBER

- 3 OCTOBER**
A rocket attack in Taizz City kills 10 civilians, mostly children.
- 4 OCTOBER**
The UN Security Council issues a press statement, strongly condemning an attack from Yemen's coast on a United Arab Emirates vessel in the Bab Al Mandab Strait.
- 6 OCTOBER**
The Yemen Ministry of Public Health and Population announces a cholera outbreak in Sana'a Governorate.
- 8 OCTOBER**
Multiple airstrikes on a community hall in Sana'a City kill more than 140 people and wound over 500.
- 10 OCTOBER**
The UN Secretary General calls the 8 October 2016 airstrike a "heartless attack on civilians and an outrageous violation of international human rights law".

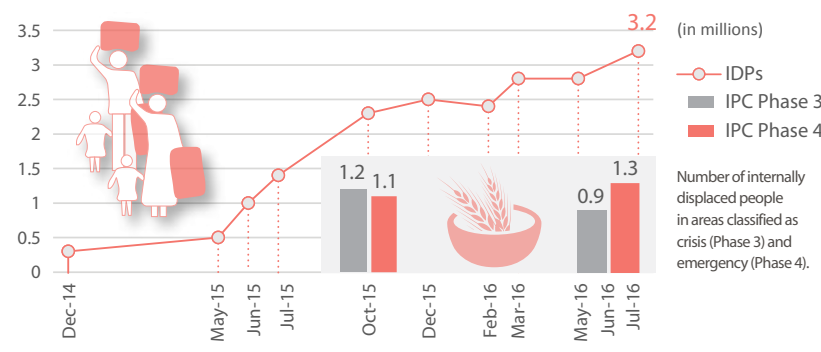
Source: UN 2016.

Health facility based reported casualties (dead & injured) by month⁽¹⁾

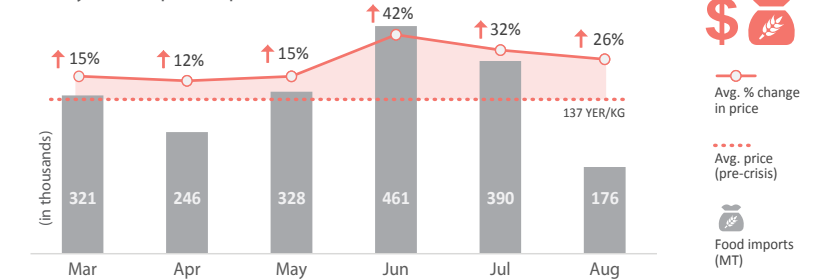


⁽¹⁾ Due to the high number of health facilities that are not functioning or partially functioning as a result of the conflict, these numbers are underreported and likely higher.

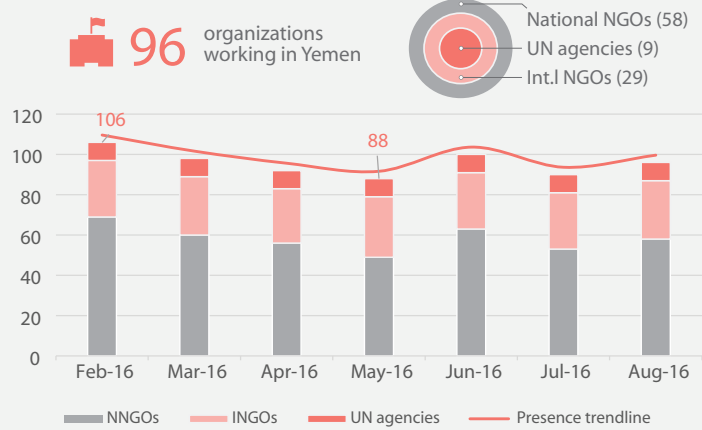
Population movement⁽²⁾ and Integrated Food Security Phase Classification (IPC)⁽³⁾



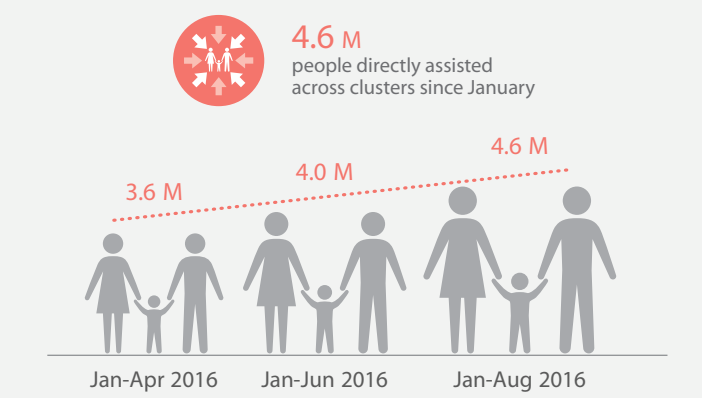
Monthly food imports & price fluctuation⁽⁴⁾



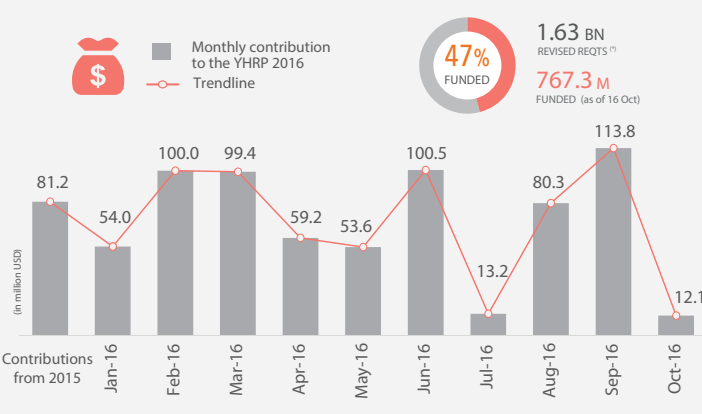
Operational presence⁽⁵⁾



People reached by humanitarian assistance across clusters⁽⁵⁾



Yemen Humanitarian Response Plan (YHRP) 2016 - Contributions⁽⁶⁾



Sources: ⁽¹⁾WHO (14 Oct 2016); ⁽²⁾TfPM, 10th Report (Aug 2016); ⁽³⁾IPC Proj. Oct - Dec 2015; ⁽⁴⁾IPC Report (Jun 2016); ⁽⁵⁾Logistics Cluster (Sep 2016); ⁽⁶⁾Clusters (Aug 2016); ⁽⁷⁾FTS (15 Oct 2016).