

FINLAND'S HUMANITARIAN AID 2018

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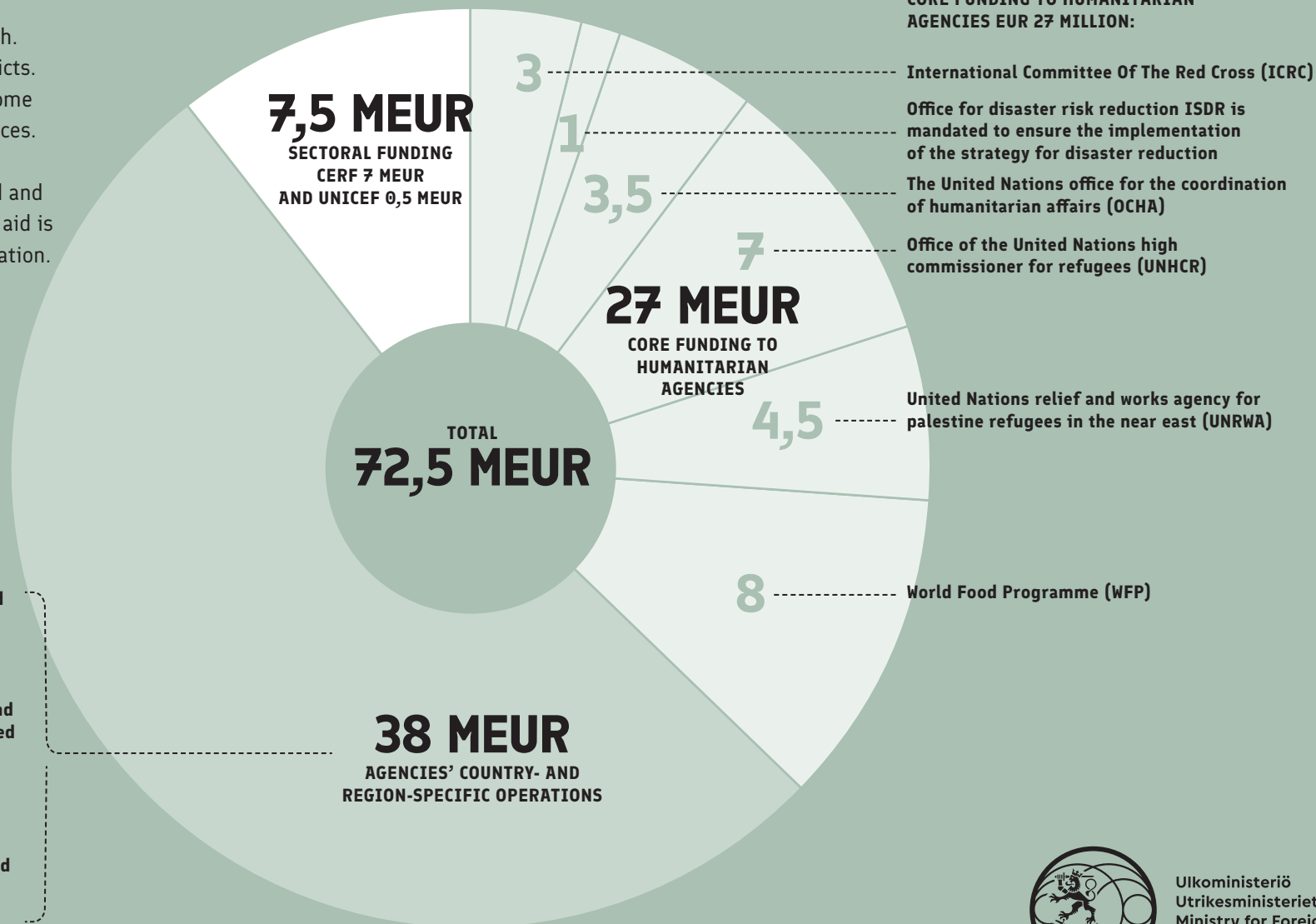
Need for humanitarian aid at record high. There are several ongoing serious conflicts. In addition, natural disasters have become more frequent as climate change advances.

Finland will direct aid to where the need and distress are the greatest. Humanitarian aid is a part of Finland's development cooperation.

UN specialized agencies: Office of The United Nations High Commissioner For Refugees UNHCR, World Food Programme WFP and UN Population Fund UNFPA

International Committee of The Red Cross and International Federation of Red Cross and Red Crescent Societies (ICRD/IFRC), support is partly channelled via the Finnish Red Cross

Finnish civil society organisations: Finn Church Aid, Fida International, Finnish Red Cross, Save the Children, World Vision Finland and Plan International Finland



CORE FUNDING TO HUMANITARIAN AGENCIES EUR 27 MILLION:

International Committee Of The Red Cross (ICRC)

Office for disaster risk reduction ISDR is mandated to ensure the implementation of the strategy for disaster reduction

The United Nations office for the coordination of humanitarian affairs (OCHA)

Office of the United Nations high commissioner for refugees (UNHCR)

United Nations relief and works agency for palestine refugees in the near east (UNRWA)

World Food Programme (WFP)



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WHAT ARE THE TARGETS AND REASONS OF AID?

Agencies' country- and region-specific operations EUR 38 million

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CONFLICTS



DROUGHT,
FOOD INSECURITY



DISEASES



POOR GOVERNANCE,
HUMAN RIGHTS
VIOLATIONS



COLLAPSE
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