

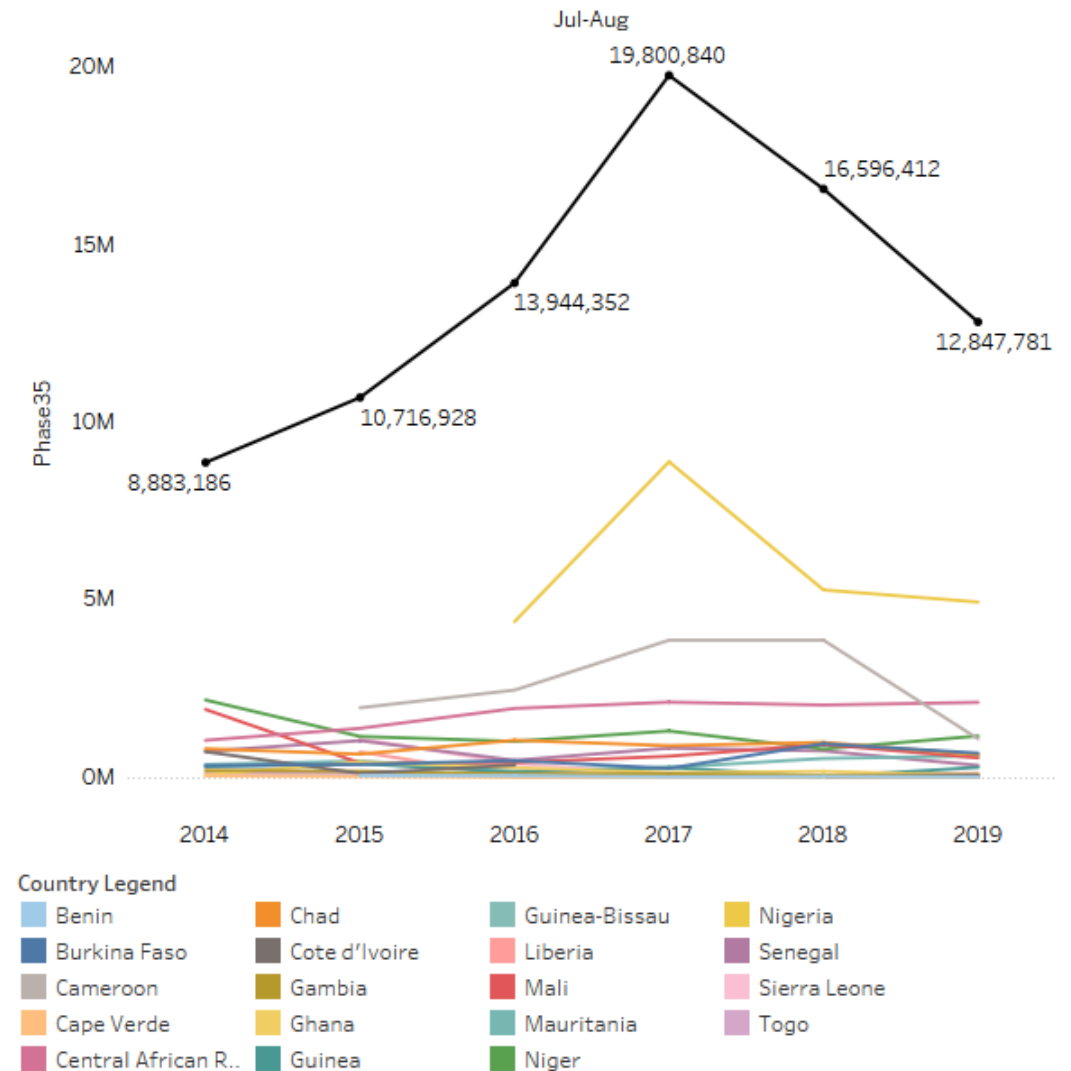


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Regional Overview

Food Insecurity in the Region

- **12.8 Million People across the Region** in Food Insecurity – overall decrease since 2017;
- **BUT** heightened food insecurity in conflict hot-spots like Liptako-Gourma area, Lake Chad Basin, CAR, NW SW Cameroon;
- Acute malnutrition alarming **in key epicentres in the Sahel countries**;
- In pockets of **Burkina Faso, Chad, Mali, Mauritania and Niger**, GAM rates exceed emergency threshold.



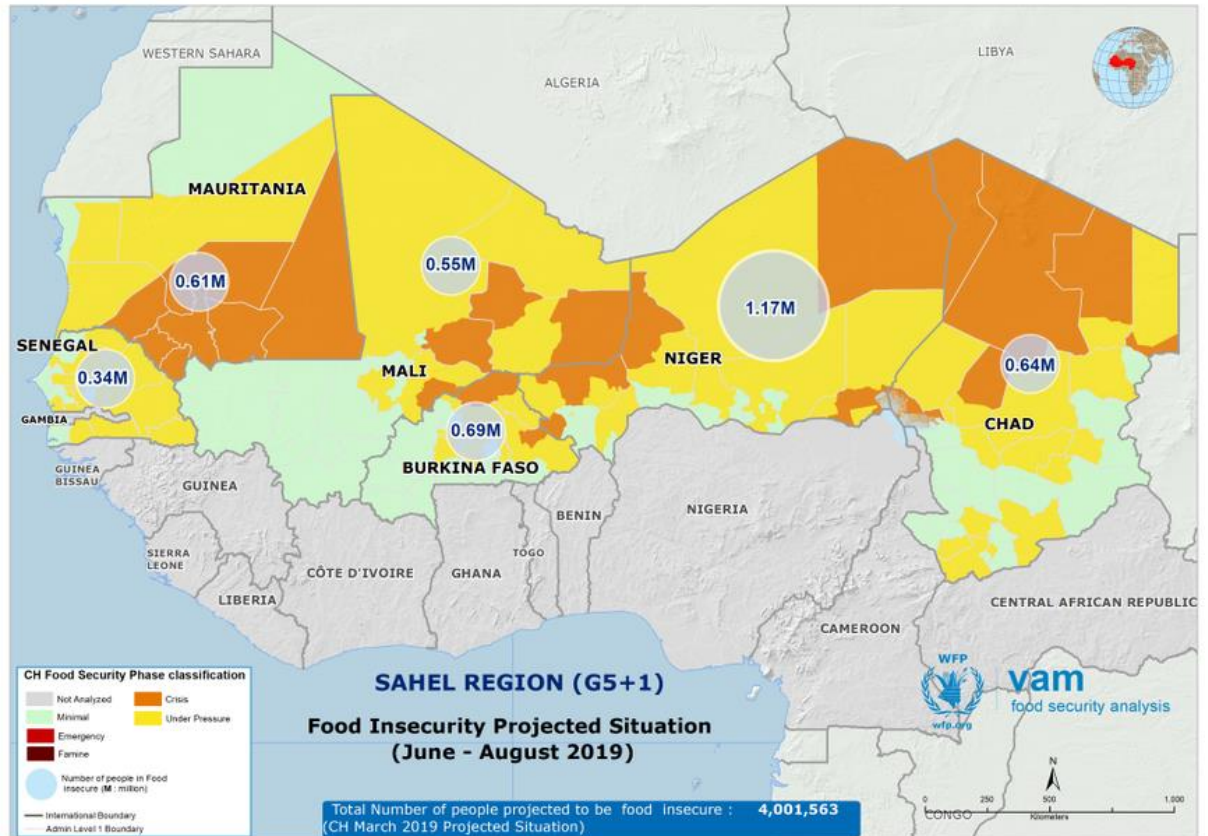


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Conflict & Displacement Worsening the Lean Season

- 4 million food insecure in the G5 + Senegal
- This year's driving factor of food insecurity:
 - Conflicts
 - Massive displacement
 - Disruption of livelihoods
- Violence has displaced more than 1.3 million people from their homes
- Humanitarian response to be stepped up immediately





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The Integrated Resilience Programme in the Sahel

Recurrence of shocks and crisis calls for a paradigm shift in the way we respond

The Plan

- **2 million people (800 communities)** with integrated package;
- Aligned with National Governments; G5 Resilience Plan; UN Support Plan
- Built around a Coalition of partners (RBA, UNICEF)

8 Months after Implementation

- 730,000 beneficiaries** reached with an integrated package:
- 350,000 FFA participants (cash-based)
 - 250,000 children at school
 - 120,000 Nutrition beneficiaries
 - 10,000 Capacity Strengthening



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Examples of Positive Developments in the Region

Côte d'Ivoire

- **Centre of Excellence against Hunger & Malnutrition**
- **Knowledge & exchange platform**

Sao Tome & Principe

- **Strong collaboration with WFP**
- **Contributed 2/3 of the 5 year CSP up for approval shortly**

Benin

- **Robust National Integrated School Feeding programme**
- **Committed USD 84 Million for Programme expansion**

Critical Funding Needs

USD 253 million, to reach **3.3 million conflict affected people**

Additional funding of **USD 35 million** to reach **1 million people** by the end of 2019 as part of the resilience package





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