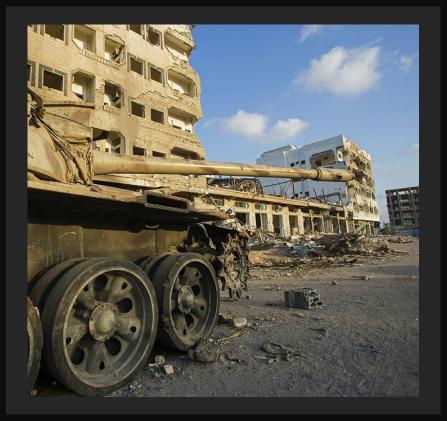
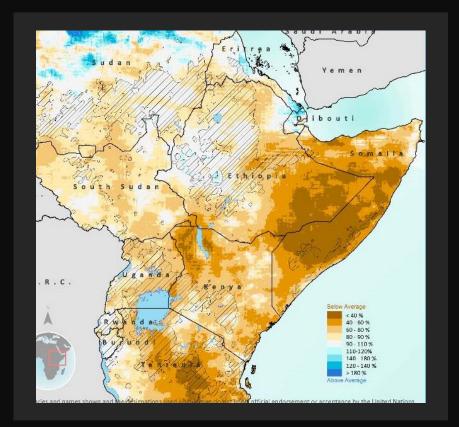
BRIEFING ON FOUR COUNTRIES FACING FAMINE

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Reasons for aggravated food insecurity





How is food security affected?



What should be done?





Saving and changing lives and livelihoods



Famine is an acknowledgment of collective failure



Famine is declared when there is evidence of the following three conditions in a single location:

Food ShortagesAcute MalnutritionIncreased MortalityAt least 20% of the population
faces extreme food shortagesAt least 30% of children suffer
from acute malnutritionDaily deaths occur at double
the normal rate

Where are we now?

	CRISIS	EMERGENCY	CATASTROPHE/FAMINE
NIGERIA (Jun-Aug.2017) (Northeast: Adamawa, Borno, Yobe)	3.03 m	1.97 m	121,000
SOMALIA (Feb-June 2017)	2.47 m	439,000	_
SOUTH SUDAN			
(Feb-April 2017)	3.76 m	1.07 m	100,000
(May-July 2017)	3.98 m	1.46 m	90,000
YEMEN (Mar-July 2017)	10.18 m	6.77 m	_