# Global overview on humanitarian needs and operational concerns and priorities



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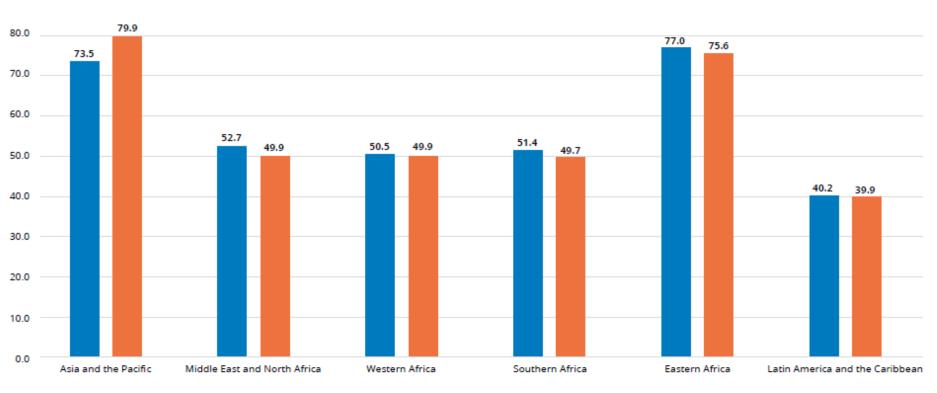
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June 2023

## **FOOD INSECURITY AND TRENDS IN 2023**

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- 345 million people are acutely food insecure.
- 40.4 million people across 51 countries are in emergency or worse levels of acute food insecurity in 2023.
- Globally, 45 million children under 5 years are estimated to suffer from acute malnutrition.



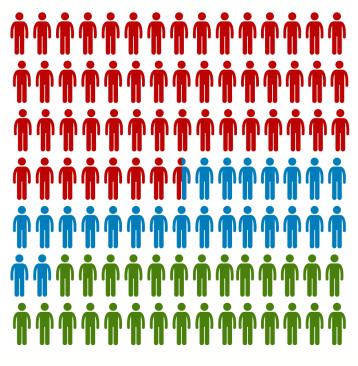
#### Number of people in acute food insecurity, in millions

February 2023, 79 countries, including Ukraine ripple effects in 18 countries June 2023, 79 countries, including Ukraine ripple effects in 7 countries

## SAVING LIVES, CHANGING LIVES



### **Scaling up assistance**

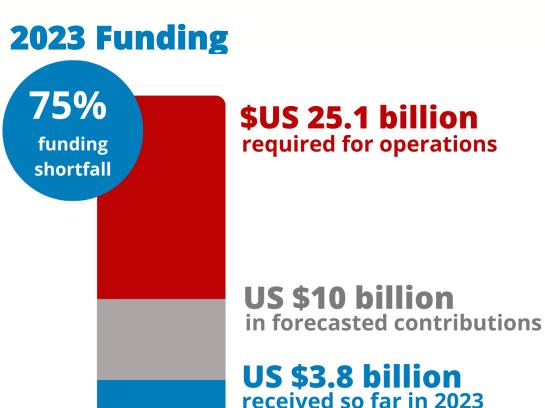


**345 million** people acutely food insecure

**171.5 million** people targeted for assistance in 2023

**94 million** people reached with WFP

assistance Jan - Mar 2023



ADDRESS THE FUNDING GAP

**Funds are required immediately** to achieve these. Without the required flexible funding, WFP is forced to cut rations and make tough decisions about who receives assistance.