**What are the causes of conflict?**

- **40%** of internal conflicts have a link to exploitation of natural resources and the struggle for fair access.
- Local conflicts can occur between communities who have different identities, ethnicities, religious beliefs or feel excluded from power.

**By 2030, Sustainable Development Goal number 16 aims to reduce all forms of violence and related death rates.**

**Where is conflict taking place?**

- **65.6** million people were forcibly displaced at the end of 2016 as a result of conflict, violence or human rights violations. That is a total bigger than the population of the UK.
- Since 2011, civil war in Syria has led to **470,000** deaths directly, or indirectly.

**What is the humanitarian response to the crisis in Syria?**

- **10.5** million food packages
- **27.5** million monthly food rations
- **10** million vaccines
- **2.71** billion: 60% needs inside Syria, 40% in neighbouring countries
- **1.5** billion: £2.71 billion: 60% needs inside Syria, 40% in neighbouring countries

**13.1 million** people in need

**US$8** billion needed to help people of Syria and across the region.

**What is The United Nations High Commissioner for Refugees?**

UNHCR seeks to uphold the basic rights of uprooted stateless people. In times of displacement they provide:

- Medicine
- Food
- Stoves
- Blankets
- Tents

**Turkey hosts 3.3 million refugees from Syria**

- **5 million** people have fled

**Syrian families in refugees tent in Turkey**

- **1.75 million** children out of school

**Explosion in Kobane, Syria**

In 2017, there were around **200** conflicts worldwide.

- **50%** of 2018
- **2030**

- **1 in 3** women and girls experience violence in their lifetime

**2 billion people** live in countries where development outcomes are affected by conflict.

**Conflict leads to inequality**

**8 million people are internally displaced (people who have not crossed a border for safety)**

**1.2 million** people are internally displaced (people who have not crossed a border for safety).

**470,000** deaths directly, or indirectly.

**1.75 million** children out of school

**Syria**

**Golan Heights**

**Turkey**

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