

IRAQ – Conflict, displacement, cholera outbreak 🌟🚶🏠

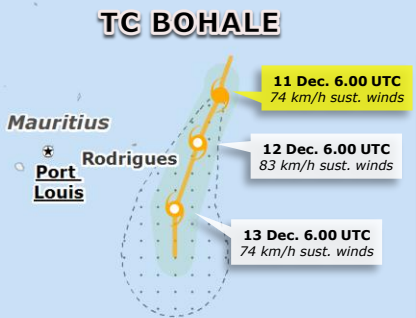
- Across the country, over 10 million people require humanitarian assistance as a direct consequence of violence and conflict – four times more than in 2014.
- Increased scrutiny of people seeking to enter Baghdad has been observed, with sponsorship requirements remaining in effect. A fluid security situation has been reported in Sinjar Mountain area, in Ninewa. Grave violations of Human Rights and International Humanitarian Law are further increasing with the intensification of the conflict.
- While people have dispersed to more than 3 500 different locations in the country, nearly 50 per cent are hosted in three governorates: Anbar, Baghdad and Dahuk.
- More than 2 400 people across 15 of 18 Iraqi governorates have contracted cholera since the outbreak was declared in mid-September, according to the Ministry of Health and the World Health Organization (WHO).

Sources: ECHO, NGOs, UN

JORDAN – Refugees 🚶

- Jordanian authorities have admitted 400 persons of the more than 12 000 who are at the berm border area between Syria and Jordan. At the transit/registration centres in Jordan, screening is taking place and preliminary profiling indicates that many had been stranded at the border for about two months, while others had arrived in the area some 15-20 days ago.
- Currently, 28 335 Syrian refugees are residing in Azraq, which has a capacity of 50 000 and has sufficient capacity to accommodate more refugees immediately. On 10 December, ECHO in cooperation with UNHCR and the Syrian Refugees Affairs Directorate (SRAD) organized the visit of the EU Ambassador and a delegation of EU Member States to the camp.

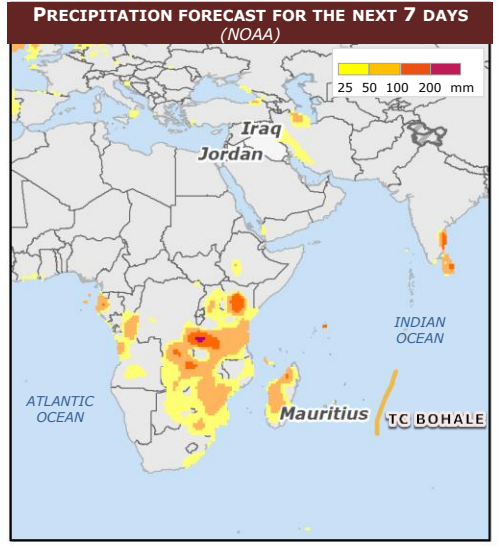
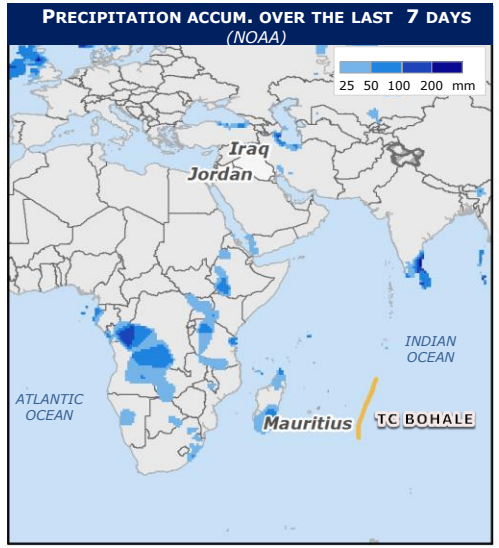
Sources: UNHCR, UNICEF, ICRC, ECHO



SOUTHERN INDIAN OCEAN – Tropical Cyclone 🌀

- Tropical Cyclone BOHALE formed over the southern Indian Ocean on 10 December and started moving south-west, strengthening. On 11 Dec at 6.00 UTC it had max. sustained winds of 75 km/h and its center was located approx. 700 km north-east of Rodrigues (Mauritius).
- Over the next 48 h it is forecast to continue moving south-west, roughly keeping its strength, and its center may pass approx. 400 km east of Rodrigues on 12 December evening, with max. sustained winds of 75-80 km/h. Moderate (locally heavy) rains and winds may affect this island on 12-13 December.

Sources: GDACS, JTWC, Meteo France-La Reunion, Mauritius Meteorological Services



TROPICAL CYCLONE (max. sustained winds)	Countries affected by
🌀 63-118 km/h	📍 Conflict/Displacement/Cholera outbreak
WIND BUFFER	🏠 Refugees
🟢 64-92 km/h	🌀 Tropical Cyclone
🟡 Area of track uncertainty	🏠 Cholera outbreak
	🚶 Conflict
	🏠 Refugees