ETHIOPIA: AGRICULTURE SECTOR HRP AFAR REGION MONTHLY DASHBOARD
-October 2019

The devastating impact on agriculture following consecutive years of drought in Ethiopia is undisputed. While forecasts for 2019 indicate a probability of normal to above normal rain in most parts of Ethiopia, in east, south and southeastern regions, the upcoming rainy season (March to June) is forecasted to be average or below average. In areas where normal to above normal rains are expected, recovery will not be spontaneous, as previous drought-affected households are likely to require sustained humanitarian assistance as a result of exhausted coping mechanisms.

The sector will continue to work with pastoralists and agro-pastoralists to restore body conditions of remaining livestock to improve milk production and reproduction success rates through the provision of both feed and health interventions. The establishment of feed banks (concentrate and/or fodder production and storage), especially irrigated fodder production along river areas in Afar regions, will enhance the resilience of these communities to future shocks and provide means for local production and storage ofemergency livestock feed.

The sector recommends implementing other resilience-building activities such as seed banks, water harvesting and rehabilitation of water points (bore holes, shallow wells, ponds, water cistern, small irrigation schemes). Humanitarian assistance for IDPs and IDP returnees is largely dependent on IDPs' access to land and the livelihood assets they have been able to maintain during displacement. Emergency feed and animal health interventions are needed to reduce the burden on the resources of the host communities and prevent the spread of diseases,especially for animals displaced across regional borders.

KEY FIGURES OVERVIEW

HOUSEHOLDS IN NEED
335,273

HOUSEHOLDS TARGETED
177,207

IDP HOUSEHOLDS TARGETED
6,173

HOUSEHOLDS REACHED

61,187 — 35%

0m — 0%

FUNDING: 2019 ETHIOPIA AGRICULTURE SECTOR (as of 30 September 2019)

$13.9million
REQUESTED (USD)

1.3 million
FUNDED (USD)

FUNDED
9%

SEEDS

Crop seeds	2,242	12,352
Vegetable	2,219	

LIVESTOCK

Animal health	59,922	158,437
Animal Feed	6,540	40,260
Restocking	977	
Destocking	150	

RESILIENCE

Achieved | Not Achieved

IDPS RESPONSE

Livestock H &F	6,173
Crop	1,067

DONOR CONTRIBUTIONS ($)

	2019 funds	Carry Over Funds
EHF	0.57m	0.49m
EU	0.19m	

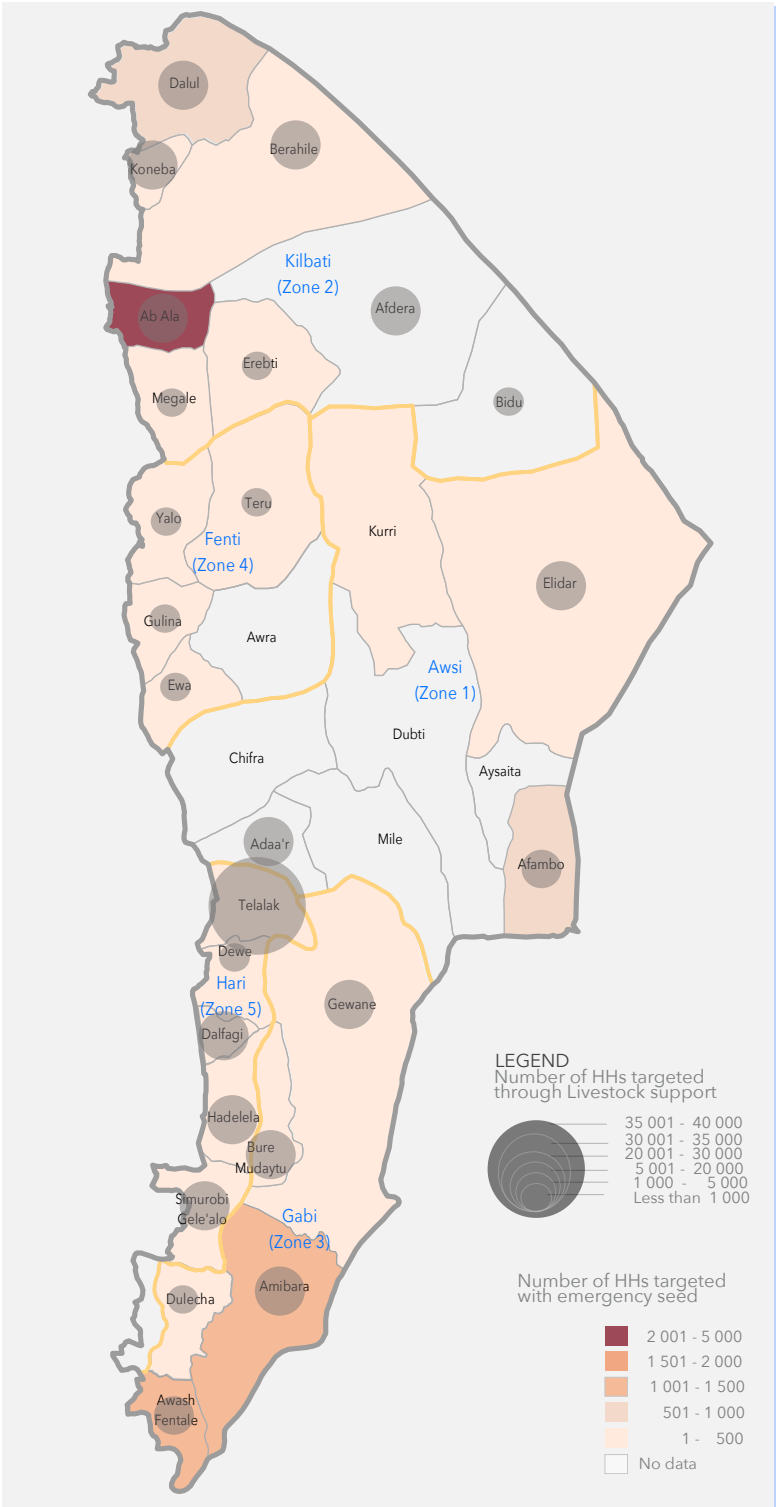
FUNDING ($) REQUIRED BY ACTIVITY

	Achieved	Not Achieved
Animal Feed	0.35m	12.3m
IDP Response	0.66m	
Animal Health	0.8m	0.49m
Emer. Seed	0.36m	
Restocking	0.05m	
Destocking	0.006m	

Beneficiaries by Zone

SEEDS | LIVESTOCK

	SEEDS	LIVESTOCK
Zone 1	720	21,074
Zone 2	5,943	48,006
Zone 3	4,155	20,319
Zone 4	698	698
Zone 5	1,534	67,668



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