

MINKA MIDDLE EAST INITIATIVE

Addressing together the consequences of the Syrian and Iraqi crisis, mitigating the vulnerabilities generated by population displacement and strengthening the resilience of host countries.

13.5 M

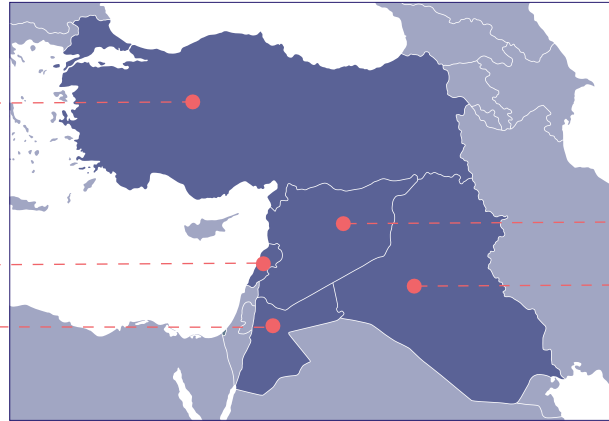
refugees and displaced persons, fleeing the fighting in Syria and Iraq¹

PEOPLE LIVING BELOW THE POVERTY LINE

Turkey **17%**²

Lebanon **30%**³

Jordan **15.7%**⁴



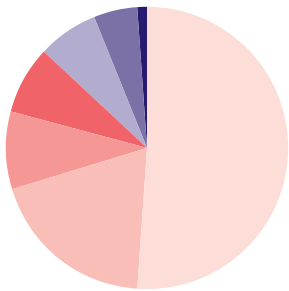
Syria **83%**⁵

Iraq **22.5%** total and **40%** in the liberated territories from Daech⁶

WITHIN THIS CONTEXT,

AFD AND ITS PARTNERS AIM TO PROVIDE A LASTING RESPONSE THAT IS BEST ADAPTED TO PEOPLE'S NEEDS

A wide diversity of partners



- States: €66 M
- International NGOs: €24.6 M
- National CSOs: €11.4 M
- International organizations: €10 M
- Expertise France: €8.9 M
- Multi-donor funds: €6.5 M
- Researchers and experts: €1.3 M:
 - 29 researchers supported by the Fund via the network of the French Institute for the Near-East (Ifpo),
 - 15 research studies and 2 PhD scholarships,
 - 6 research-action seminars.

A partnership with common goals⁷

175,000 people living in situations of vulnerability have access to healthcare services, safe water, and education

7,000 young people living in situations of vulnerability benefit from vocational training leading to certification

36 organizations responding to the crises are supported

A SUSTAINABLE FUNDING

€290 M

financed over **5 years** by the Minka Fund to support peacebuilding

¹ IOM and UNHCR, 2019
² OECD, 2017
³ MoSA, 2018
⁴ GOJ/DOS, 2018
⁵ ESCWA, 2015
⁶ HNO 2018
⁷ Projects underway as of March 2019

