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Keys facts for understanding world hunger



Global impact

Over 700 million people are currently undernourished.



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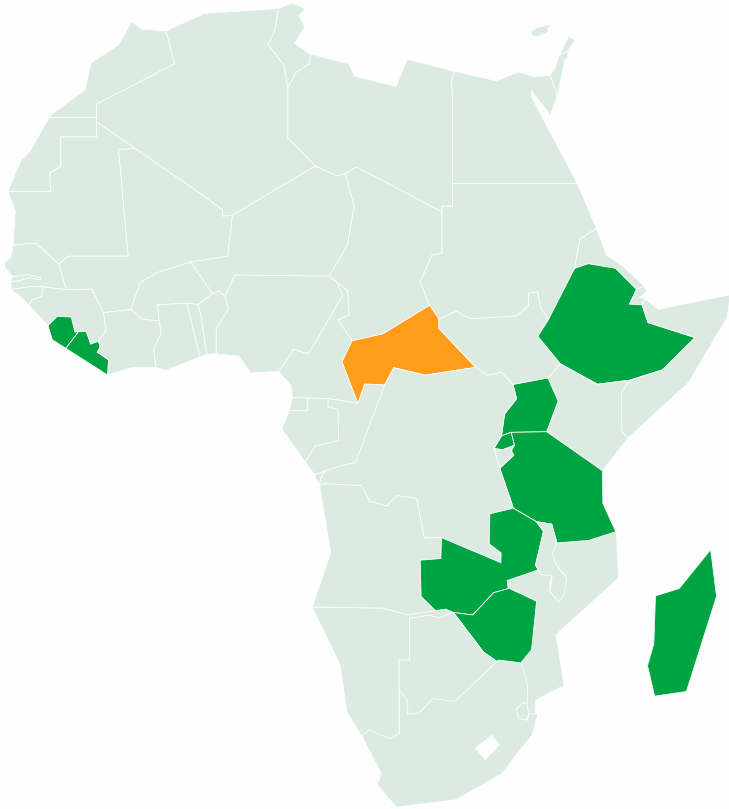
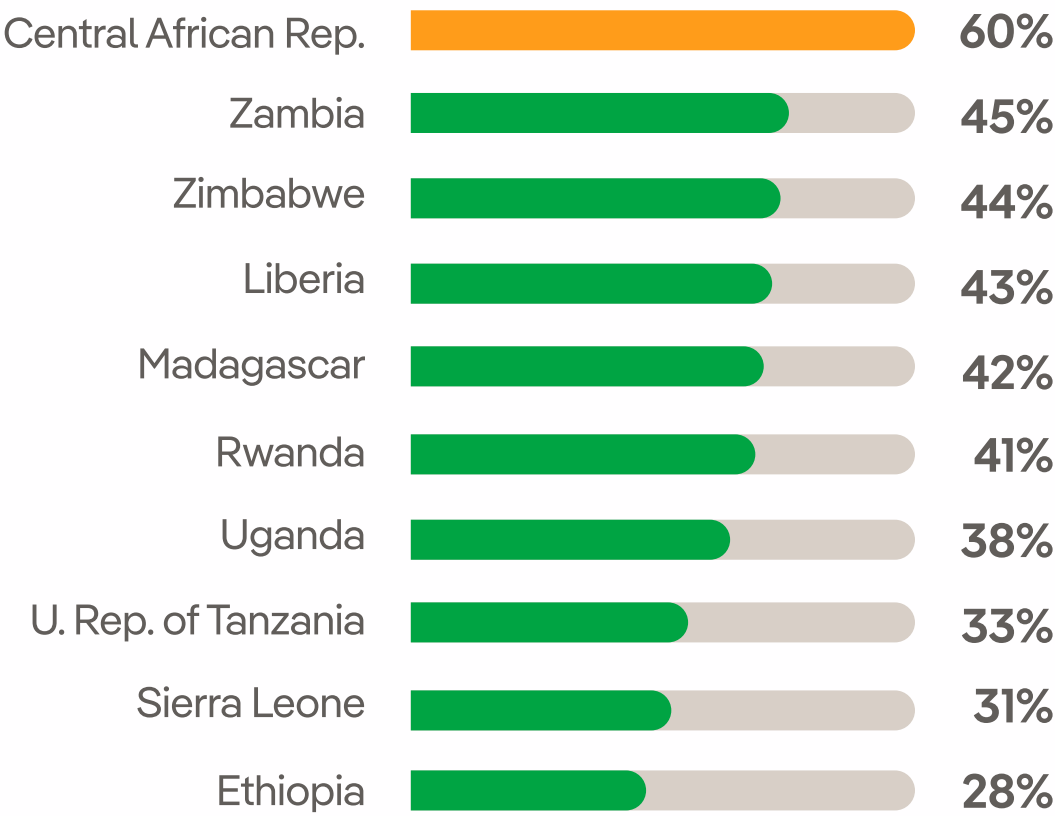
In sub-Saharan Africa, 22.5 per cent suffer from malnutrition. Numbers are also rising in West Asia and North Africa.



Population

148.1 million are children under the age of 5.

The 10 countries with the highest percentage of hunger:



Main causes

Lack of food production systems and sustainable agriculture, shortage of aid for the sector, food waste and high level of vulnerability of certain populations to natural disasters and war.



Is there a solution?

Although the figure for malnutrition has improved compared to the 900 million people declared in 2000, we must strive to improve production and cultivation systems and encourage access to resources for women farmers.

Source: FAO (2022) and UN (2022).