



General country data

a. Figures

Chad		Source & date
Population	14,452,543	WB (2016)
IHDI	0.396	UNDP (2015)
Gender development Index	0.765	UNDP (2015)
Maternal mortality ratio per 100,000 births	856	UNDP (2015)
Gini Index	43.3	WB (2011)
Social Support	0.954	WHR (2016)
UNHCR population	554,248	UNHCR(2017)
INFORM RISK	7.8	INFORM (2017)
Fragile State Index	109.4	FSI (2017)
Number of mine victims	6	L & CM Monitor (2016)
Amount of demining aid (M USD)	3.786	L & CM Monitor (2016)
Amount of development aid (M USD)	1.449	OECD (2016)

b. Humanitarian law instruments ratified by the country

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| → Mine Ban Treaty | signed in 2012 |
| → Convention on Cluster Munitions | ratified in 2013 |
| → Convention on the Rights of Persons with Disabilities | ratified in 1999 |

c. Geopolitical analysis

Idriss Deby has been President of Chad since 1990. He is currently in his 5th term, which he won in April 2016. Parliamentary elections were scheduled for 2016, but postponed until further notice. Protests against Idriss Déby led to tensions with the Chadian security forces between February and August 2016.

Chad is surrounded by multiple regional security challenges. In June 2017, faced with a prolonged financial crisis, the president threatened to reduce the number of Chadian troops involved in regional military operations. Chad has also announced that it was **closing its border with Libya** to combat drug trafficking, arms smuggling and illegal migration in the area. The **regions on the country's northern border** with Libya have been declared military zones. These measures could also be used to put pressure on opposition groups.

The presence of Boko Haram, which carries out attacks in the region from its base in Nigeria, continues to destabilise the **Lake region**. In 2017, killings and kidnappings of civilians, as well as the destruction of homes, were reported, mainly in the northern and southern basins of the Lake region. In 2018, attacks by the armed group continue to regularly affect villages in border areas, despite a decrease due to the rise in the lake's water level.

HI's work in Chad

HI has been present in Chad with some interruptions since the 1990s. The mission reopened permanently in 2014. HI operates in N'Djamena and the Lake Chad region (Centre-Ouest), in the East in Ouaddaï and in the so-called "BET" regions of the north, Borkou and Ennedi West, notably through a project to assist victims of mines and explosive remnants of war, and vulnerable people in Kirdimi (Borkou) and Hadjer Hadid (Ouaddaï) until the end of 2018. New projects have been launched in Logone Occidental (Sud) around the city of Moudou. In the north of the country, HI is launching a major project in consortium with Mine Advisory Group (MAG), Secours catholique et développement (SECADEV) and the Fondation Suisse pour le déminage (FSD): the Demining and Economic Development Project (PRODECO).

Projects

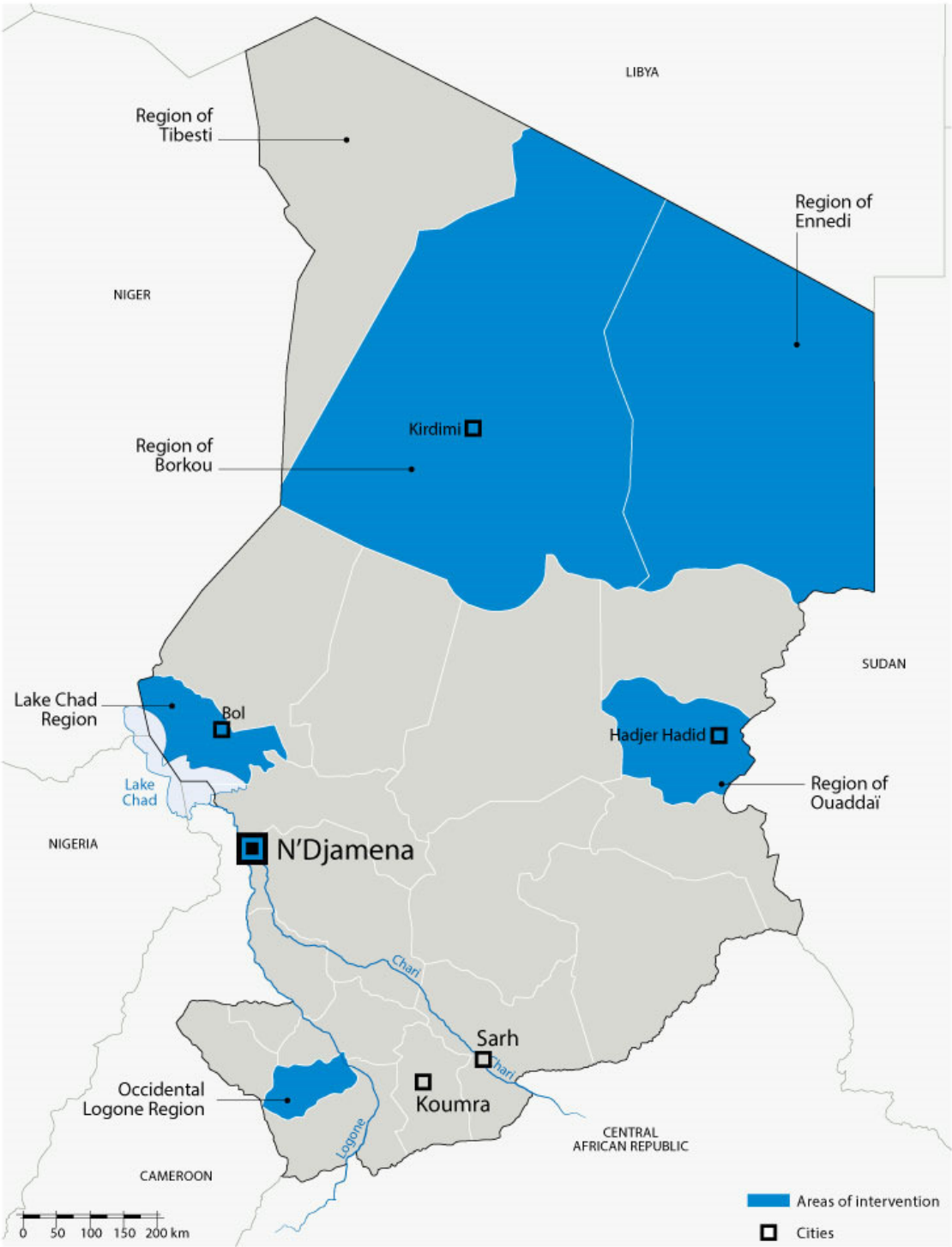
Title of the project	Sector of intervention	Funding bodies (main) at the present time	Funding period
Victim assistance for inclusive and sustainable development (PADEMIN 2)	Victim assistance Civil society / CSO Rehabilitation	European Union	07/11/2014 – 06/10/2018
Integrated and inclusive support for the education, protection and livelihoods of children and people with special needs affected by the Lake Chad crisis (consortium with COOPI)	Education/Inclusive education Protection Rehabilitation	ECHO DDC (UNICEF)	01/06/2017 - 31/06/2018 (with NCE 1 month)
Integrated and inclusive support for the education, protection and livelihoods of children and people with special needs affected by the Lake Chad crisis	Social and economic inclusion	SCAC/CDCS	01/08/2017 – 31/07/2018
Support for mine clearance, development and the social protection of vulnerable people (PRODECO)	Mine action Social and economic inclusion	European Union (FFU)	09/2017 – 08/2021
Support for the inclusion and improvement of the quality of life of children and young people with disabilities in Chad	Social and economic inclusion Rehabilitation Civil society / CSO	AFD	01/01/2018 – 31/12/2021

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HI Staff in Chad

The programme team in Chad has 70 staff members (13 expatriate staff and 57 nationals)



Chad




Ongoing projects: service sectors where HI leads projects and focuses on operational partnerships

Sector	Goal of projects in this sector	Main activities	Beneficiaries in 2017	End beneficiaries (2021)	Partners	Location
 Mine action	Victim assistance VA (PADEMIN)	Victim assistance	More than 3,000 direct beneficiaries; more than 100,000 indirect beneficiaries	At least 10 members of the National Demining Centre and regional demining centres. At least 600 people with disabilities and casualties of anti-personnel mines/explosive remnants At least 4,200 people	- National High Commission for Demining (HCND); - INGO MAG (consortium); - Fondation Suisse de Déminage (SDF);	Kirdimi (Borku), Hadjet Hadid (Ouaddaï)
	Risk education (UNICEF 3)	Risk education, marking of contaminated areas, training of humanitarian actors	- 3990 people benefited from awareness-raising; - 22 focal points trained; - 77 aid actors benefited from awareness-raising; - 172 community awareness-raising sessions	-6,400 people benefited from awareness-raising - 70% of beneficiaries have children including children with disabilities or mine victims; - 20 community focal points trained in risk education (conventional marking). - 100 humanitarian aid actors benefited from awareness-raising in the intervention area		Bagasola – Liwa (Lake) axis
	Mine clearance (PRODECO): areas affected by mines and explosive remnants of war (ERW) are identified, cleared and made available to communities	Technical and non-technical surveys, community liaison, data collection, risk education, clearance and destruction of explosive remnants	0	- 1,500,000 sq.m. have been made available to the populations of Borku and Ennedi Ouest;		Sub-prefecture of Faya (Borku)
	Inter-ministerial coordination on VA (PADEMIN)	Implementation of the PANAV, GECAV, coordination of RART,	10	10 national and regional representatives of the National Department for the Inclusion of	- National Union of Disabled People's Organisations	N'Djamena

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Disability rights and policies		inter-ministerial and multi-actor coordination of VA		People with Disabilities (DNRPH) and the Ministry of Public Health (MSP) + 60 social and health workers	(UNAPHT); - National Department for the Inclusion of People with Disabilities of the Ministry for Social Action, National Solidarity and the Family	
	Support to DPOs (PADEMIN)	International Day of Persons with Disabilities, DPO training, advocacy	20 DPO's	20 members of representative organisations of mine victims, explosive remnants of war and other people with disabilities		N'Djamena, Abbéché (West), Bol (Lake)
	Support to DPOs	Training of DPOs, structuring of the National Union, advocacy		10 disabled people's organisations and their national union (UNAPHT)		N'Djamena, Bol (Lake)
 Inclusive education	Inclusive education and protection	Training of community-based teachers and other teachers, personalised support to children with special needs	106 children with disabilities and/or special needs case-managed by the project; 611 children have accessed educational opportunities through formal education; 1974 children (including 819 girls) have accessed educational opportunities through informal education;	22,347 of which: - 16,751 people including 2,765 students, teenagers and young people: 2,045 children in formal education and 720 teenagers; - 47 teachers - 5530 parents of students, - 4 IPEP's (primary school teaching inspectors) and 3 teaching advisors; - 12 organisations; - 84 children with disabilities and children with special needs and their families.	- Regional National Education Department of the Lake Region (DREN); - Regional Social Action Department of the Lake Region (DRAS)	Bol (Lake)
	 Economic inclusion	Economic inclusion	Implement income-generating activities (IGAs) in line with	132 households identified and in process of	132 households with children enrolled in school as part of the education project	- Voluntary work development committee of Chad (CDVT);

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Socio-economic inclusion		personal goals	training/endowment		- Liaison unit of women's organisations (CELIAF);	
	Social and economic inclusion	IGAs, social nets (graduation model), business training, partnerships with private/entrepreneurial structures		1800 beneficiaries (50% men; 50% women; 75% young people aged 20 to 30)	To be determined (Expertise France, Essor, other entities etc)	N'Djamena, Bol (Lake), Moundou
	Social and economic inclusion (PRODECO): Sustainable and inclusive development is promoted in Borku and Ennedi Ouest based on an integrated approach to land security, local ecological development and the inclusion of vulnerable people	Implement IGAs, productive social nets (graduation model)		- 250 of the most vulnerable households; - 1000 people (50% of whom are women) benefit from vocational training; - At least 500 people (50% of whom are women) benefit from individual or group business support;	Local NGOs to be confirmed (APIDEL, APIL, BARRA-BARRA)	5 sub-prefectures including 3 in Borkou: Faya, Kirdimi and Yarda and two in Ennedi: Fada and Ounianga-Kebir
 Rehabilitation	Referral and physical and functional rehabilitation	Identification, referral, orthopaedic-fitting, rehabilitation	More than 20 people	15 child victims referred to a rehabilitation health facility	- Network of rehabilitation actors (RART); Kabalaye orthopaedic-fitting and rehabilitation centre (CARK) via SECADEV;	Bagasola – Liwa (Lake)
	Referral and physical and functional rehabilitation	Identification, referral, orthopaedic-fitting, rehabilitation	88 children	Up to 90 children identified, referred and/or supported	- Orthopaedic-fitting and rehabilitation centre supported by the Maison Notre Dame de la Paix in Moundou (MNDP); - ONGI Handicap Santé;	Bol (Lake)
	Referral and physical and functional rehabilitation	Identification, referral, orthopaedic-fitting, rehabilitation, mobile monitoring team, equipping/fitting of centres, training		- 10,000 people with disabilities benefit from rehabilitation services; 40 services (rehabilitation, health or socio-professional inclusion) strengthened	- National centre for orthopaedic-fitting and rehabilitation (CNAR)	N'Djamena, Bol (Lake), Moundou (Logone Occidental)
	Referral (PRODECO): Mine and ERW victims and people with disabilities benefit from access to rehabilitation care	Identification, referral, orthopaedic-fitting, rehabilitation		500 mine victims and other individuals case-managed and self-reliance improved:		N'Djamena, Kirdimi (Borku) and Hadher-Hadid (Ouaddaï)