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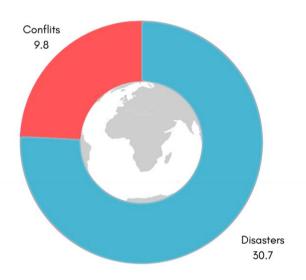
### **GROWING CLIMATE-INDUCED HUMANITARIAN NEEDS**

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#### Natural hazards and extreme weather events displace more people than conflicts.

In 2020, disasters associated with natural hazards and extreme weather events led to 30.7 million of new displacements, significantly higher than 9.8 million caused by conflicts. The impact of climate change on humanitarian needs is most obvious, where 12 million people were displaced by disasters and 186,000 by conflicts. Tropical storms and floods were primary cause of displacement in the region. In Southeast Asia, three countries were among the ten countries with the most new displacements by disasters in 2020, including the Philippines, Vietnam and Indonesia.

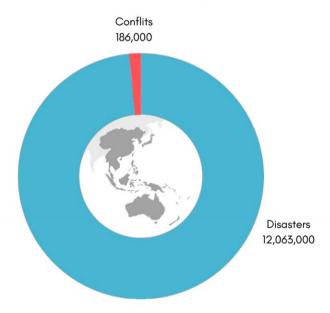
# New Displacements in the World in 2020 (by million)



### Adapted from source:

Climate Action Tracker, Glasgow's 2030 credibility gap: net zero's lip service to climate action, 9 November 2021 https://climateactiontracker.org/publications/glasgows-2030-credibility-gap-net-zeros-lip-service-to-climate-action/

## New Displacements in East Asia and the Pacific in 2020



### Adapted from source:

"Global Report on Internal Displacement 2021: Internal Displacement in a Changing Climate" (Geneva: Internal Displacement Monitoring Centre, 2021). https://www.internal-displacement.org/global-report/grid2021/.

#### New Displacements in Southeast Asia in 2020

