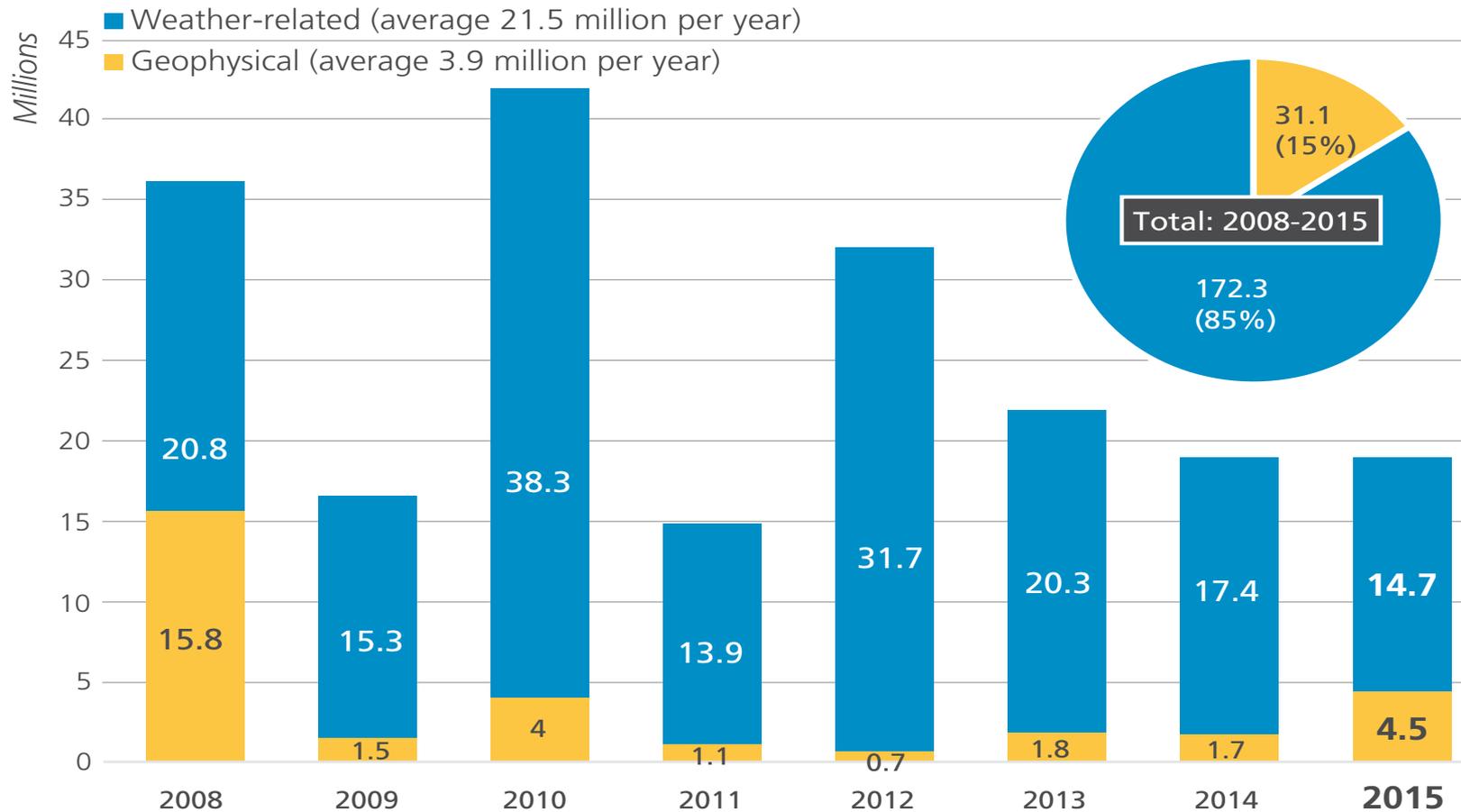


# **Bringing the farthest behind forward: shining a light on displaced populations**

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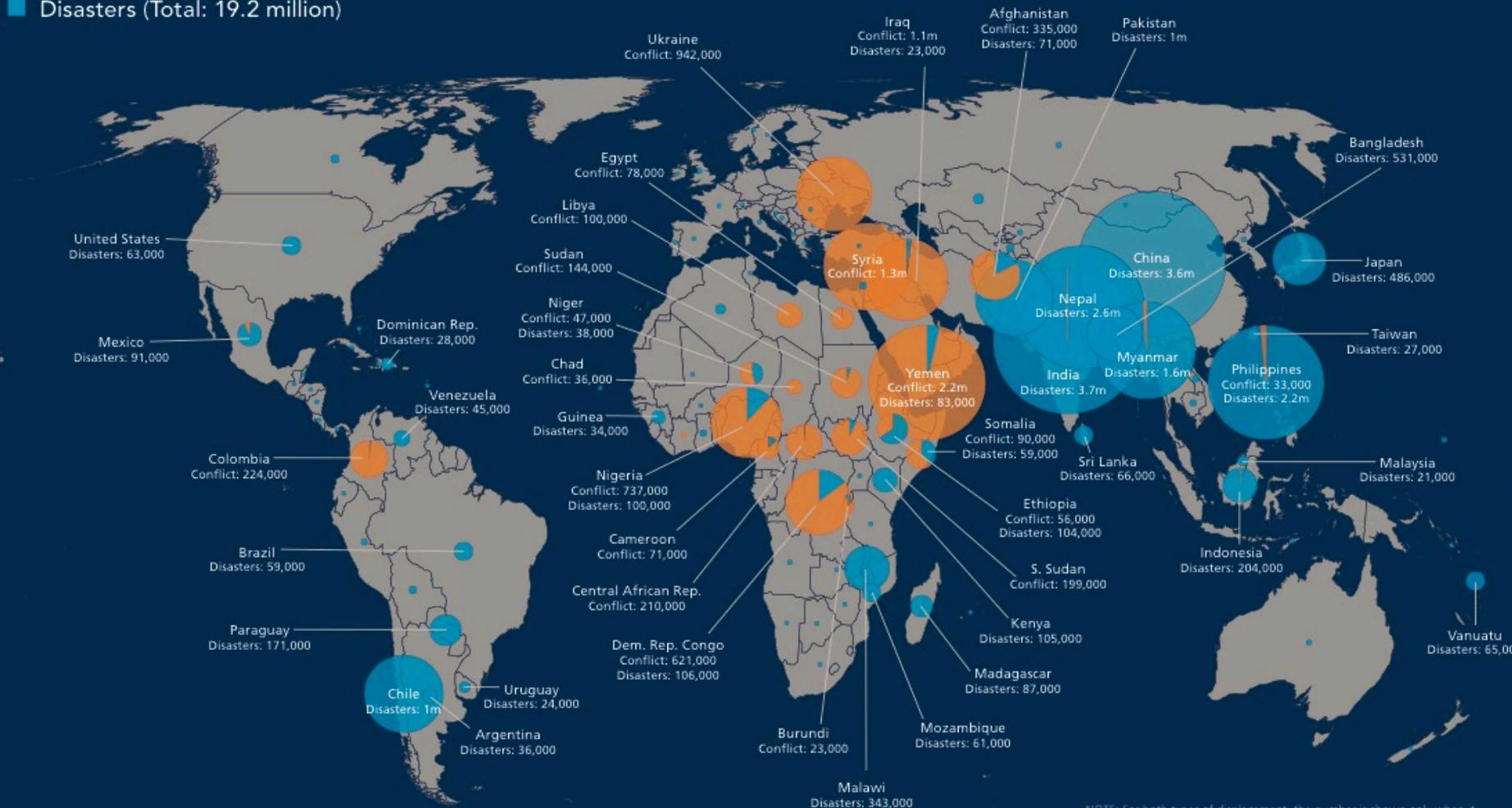
# Average of 21.5M displacements/year of people by impact of weather-related hazards



# New displacements associated with conflict and disasters in 2015

Conflict and violence (Total: 8.6 million)

Disasters (Total: 19.2 million)

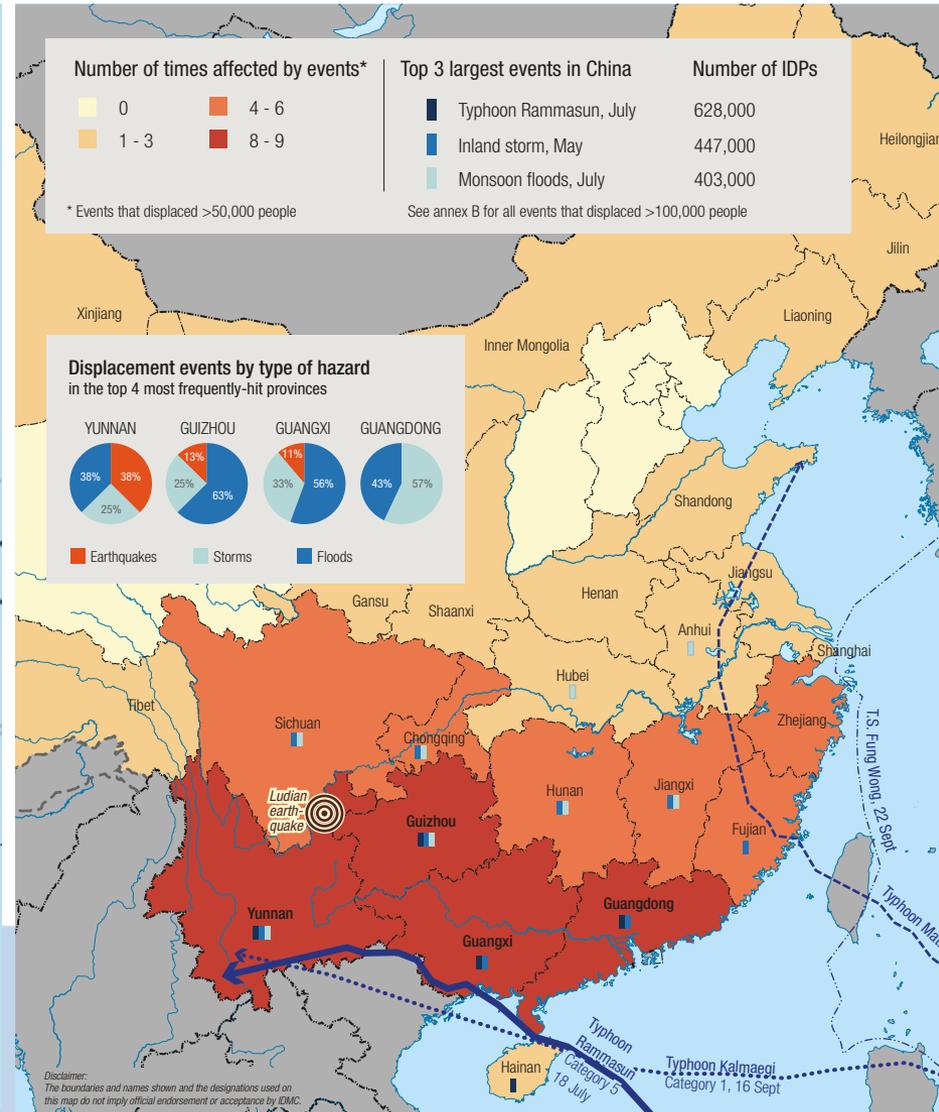
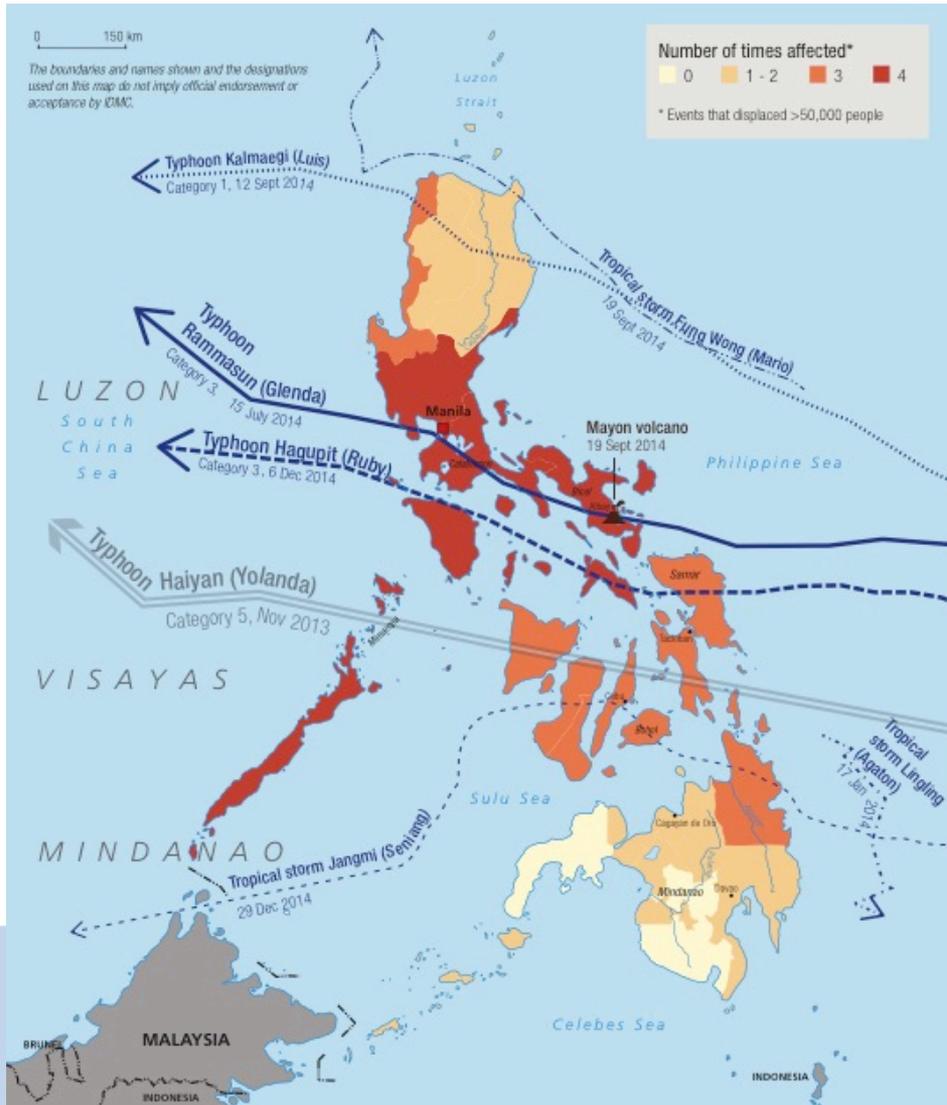


NOTE: For both types of displacement, the number is shown only when it exceeds 20,000. The size of the pie charts is fixed for estimates of 5,000 or less. In a few cases, the same person may be displaced more than once.

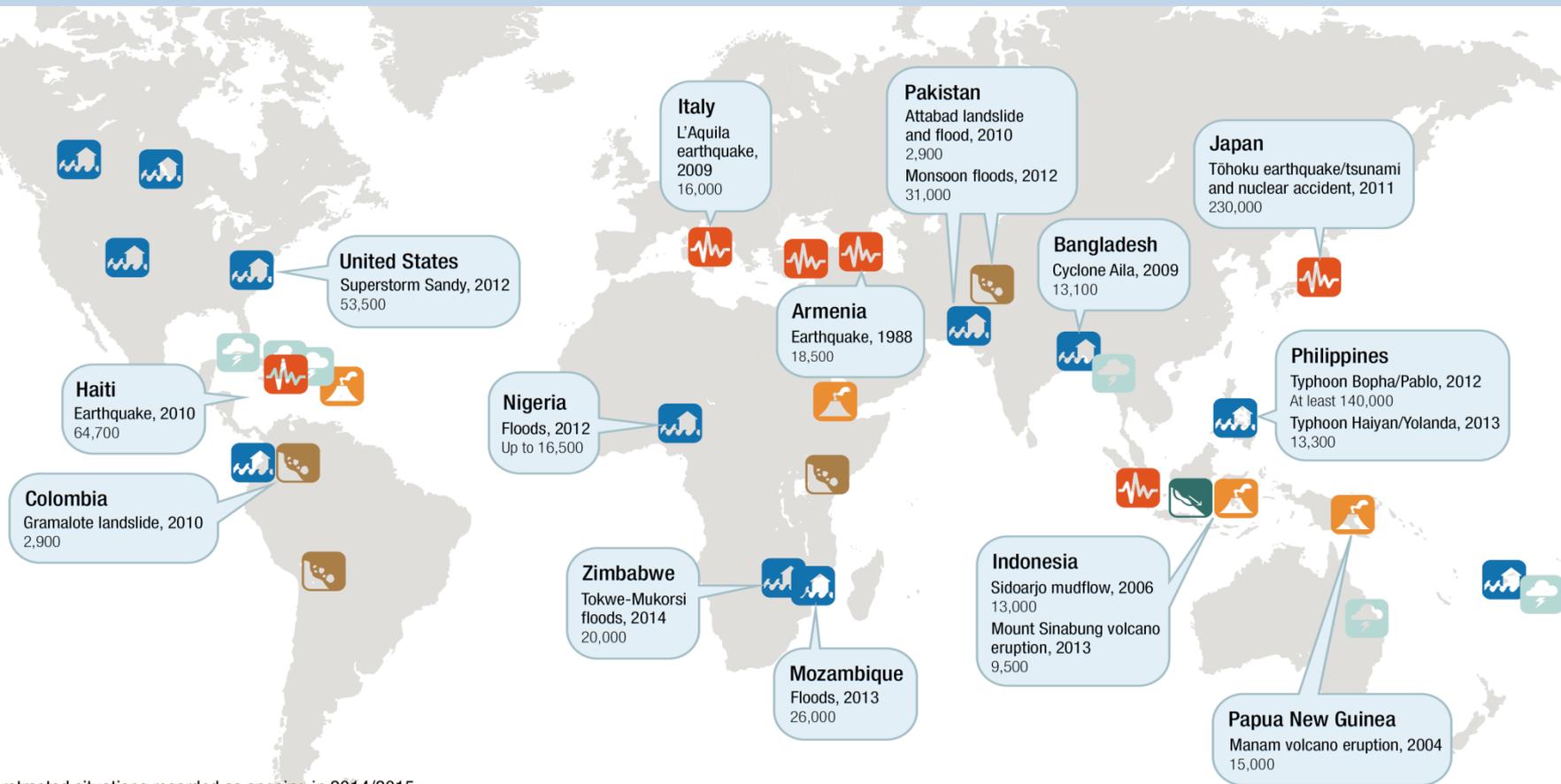
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# Understanding patterns & trends: Cumulative impacts of chronic displacement



# Understanding patterns & trends: Prolonged & protracted displacement



Location of protracted situations recorded as ongoing in 2014/2015

- Floods
- Landslide
- Volcanic eruption
- Earthquake
- Wet mass movement
- Storm

Sources: See annex C for listing of all events shown

Note: Events with at least 9,500 people still displaced and/or further discussed in case studies are labeled  
All figures are rounded to the nearest 100

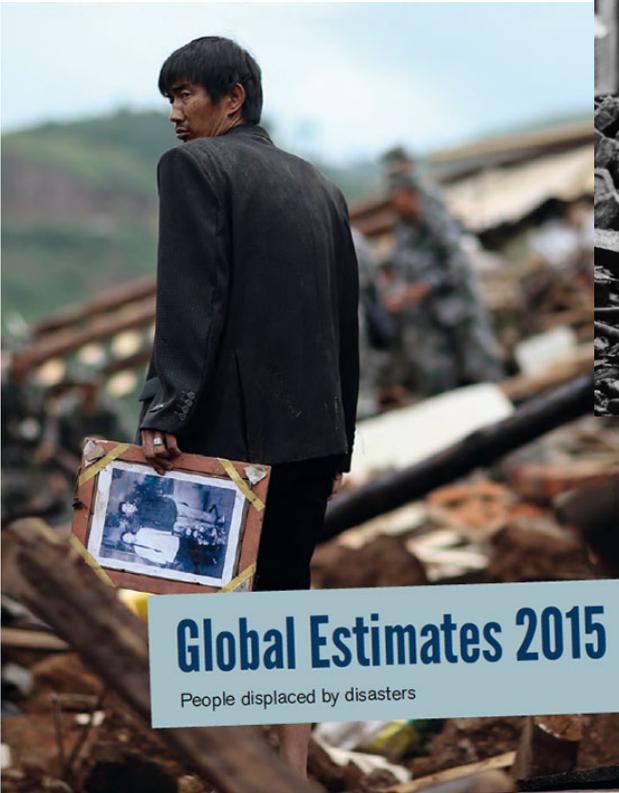
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People displaced by disasters

