Themes	Key questions	Dimensions				
		Status and Impact	Vulnerabilities and Risks	Trends	Information Gaps	
Drivers of the crisis and underlying factors	What are the main drivers of the crisis and what are the underlying factors of increased vulnerability?	What are the main drivers of the crisis (including environmental, socio-political, climatic and economic factors)?	What are the underlying factors (often pre-existing conditions) of the crisis (including environmental, socio-cultural and economic context as well as demographic, governance) that may lead to increased vulnerabilities?	<ul> <li>How are the main drivers likely to evolve in the short, medium and/or long term?</li> <li>How are underlying factors expected to evolve in the short, medium and/or long term?</li> </ul>		
Scope of the crisis and humanitarian profile	2. What is the geographical extent of the affected area?	<ul> <li>Which areas are affected?</li> <li>What is the severity and nature of the crisis in each area (e.g. which areas are most affected?)</li> </ul>	What are the pre-existing conditions in those different areas that may lead to increase vulnerabilities?	<ul> <li>Are other areas expected to be affected in the short, medium and/or long term?         Which ones and how?</li> <li>Is the geographical extent of the crisis likely to decrease?</li> </ul>		
	3. How many people are affected?	<ul> <li>How many people are affected (ratio male/female)? Where are they?</li> <li>How many girls, women, boys and men affected? Where are they?</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Identify which groups are most at risk?</li> <li>How many are they and where are they?</li> <li>How differently are those groups affected?</li> </ul>	How are the number, type and location of people affected likely to change in the short, medium and/or long term?	•	
Status of populations living in affected areas	4. What are the main characteristics (mortality, morbidity and dignity/quality of life) of affected populations?	What is the status of - and impact of the crisis on - mortality, morbidity and dignity/quality of life of affected populations?	<ul> <li>Identify which areas or groups are in the worse condition or most at risk?</li> <li>How are girls, women, boys and men distinctly affected?</li> <li>How differently are those areas or groups affected?</li> </ul>	What is the predicted evolution in terms of mortality, morbidity and dignity/quality of life?		
	5. What is the condition of affected populations in terms of protection?	<ul><li>What is the status of protection?</li><li>What was the impact of the crisis on protection?</li></ul>		What is the predicted evolution in terms of protection?	•	
	6. What is the condition of affected populations in terms of livelihoods?	<ul> <li>What is the status of local livelihoods and income opportunities?</li> <li>What was the impact of the crisis on local livelihoods and income opportunities?</li> </ul>		What is the predicted evolution in terms of livelihoods and income opportunities?		

Themes	Key questions	Dimensions				
		Status and Impact	Vulnerabilities and Risks	Trends	Information Gaps	
	7. What is the condition of affected populations in terms of access to and utilization of basic services and goods?	<ul> <li>What is the status of access to and utilization of basic services and goods?</li> <li>What was the impact of the crisis on access to and utilization of basic services and goods?</li> </ul>		What is the predicted evolution in terms of access to ad utilization of basic services and goods?		
	8. What are the local coping mechanisms of affected communities?	<ul> <li>What are the known coping mechanisms of local communities and how were they affected?</li> <li>Are they adaptable and sustainable?</li> </ul>	Are coping mechanisms weaker for certain areas or groups and which ones?	How sustainable are known coping mechanisms in the short, medium and long term?		
National Capacities and Response	9. What are the national/ sub-national, private sector, non-governmental and government capacities to respond?	What are the existing capacities (both regular capacities and those specifically designed for crisis response) and how have they been affected by the crisis?	<ul> <li>How sustainable are these capacities in the short, medium and/or long term?</li> <li>Can these capacities be expected to scale up, where and how?</li> </ul>			
	10. What are their interventions to date in response to the crisis?	<ul> <li>Have the actors identified undertaken any initial assistance or interventions in response to the crisis?</li> <li>Where, how many people were targeted, reached and covered by the different types of interventions?</li> </ul>				
International Capacities and Response	11. What is the international response capacity and how has it been affected?	<ul> <li>What is the international response capacity (both regular capacities &amp; those specifically designed for crisis response) and how were they affected?</li> <li>Are there any preparedness and coordination procedures in place?</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>How sustainable are these capacities in the short, medium and/or long term?</li> <li>Can these capacities be expected to scale up, where and how?</li> </ul>			
	12. Which agencies/ organizations are operating where and in what sectors of intervention?	Which agencies/organizations are operating where and in what sectors?			•	

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Themes	Key questions	Dimensions				
		Status and Impact	Vulnerabilities and Risks	Trends	Information Gaps	
	13. What are their interventions to date in response to the crisis?	What interventions are the actors identified already providing?			<b>&gt;</b>	
Humanitarian Access	14. What are the logistic considerations in terms of effects of the emergency and options for response?	What are the main considerations affecting the response (availability and quality of air/road/water transportation networks, telecommunications and storage facilities)?	Which affected areas or groups are most likely to be affected by these constraints?	How are logistics constraints expected to evolve?	•	
	15. What are the security considerations?	What are the main considerations affecting the local population and the delivery of assistance (armed groups, gender-based violence, sexual exploitation and abuse, and UXOs) and where are they?	Are security considerations likely to evolve in the short, medium and/or long term? Where and how?			
	16. How do civil-military relations feature in the context?	<ul><li>What are, if any, the civil-military relations?</li><li>How do they affect the local population and the response?</li></ul>	Are civil-military relations likely to evolve and how?		•	
	17. What proportion of the affected population (disaggregated by sex and age and according to sector) reachable for humanitarian interventions?	What proportion of the affected population is reachable by humanitarian interventions?	Are there groups or areas in need or specific needs (sectors) that are not or not sufficiently reachable? Which and where?	How is the proportion of the affected population reachable by humanitarian interventions likely to evolve in the short, medium and/or long term?	•	
Coverage and Gaps	18. To what extent are the conditions of affected populations (disaggregated by sex and age and according to sector) being addressed?	What proportion of the affected population is protected and assisted?	<ul> <li>Are there vulnerabilities in the population that need to be particularly addressed?</li> <li>Do the male and female populations have equal access to aid?</li> </ul>	How is the proportion of the affected population protected and assisted likely to evolve?		

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Themes	Key questions	Dimensions			
		Status and Impact	Vulnerabilities and Risks	Trends	Information Gaps
Strategic Humanitarian Priorities	19. What are the strategic priorities for humanitarian interventions?	Based on the information gathered through the above questions, what are the strategic priorities for humanitarian interventions in terms of geographical areas, affected groups and priority cluster/sector response domains?  Based on the information	<ul> <li>What are the priority geographical areas and affected groups to be targeted and how (core areas of interventions – e.g. cash for work; food; provision of health services or drugs)?</li> <li>How are the distinct needs for protection and for assistance of girls, boys, women and men addressed in the priorities?</li> </ul>	Are these priorities expected to evolve over time? In which timeframe and how?	
	20. Are there other key issues to be considered (environment, HIV, disability, etc.)?	What are the key cross-cutting issues to be considered in the prioritization of humanitarian interventions?		Is the influence of cross- cutting issues expected to evolve over time? In which timeframe and how?	•

See also note 26 in *Conduct the process of analysis*.