



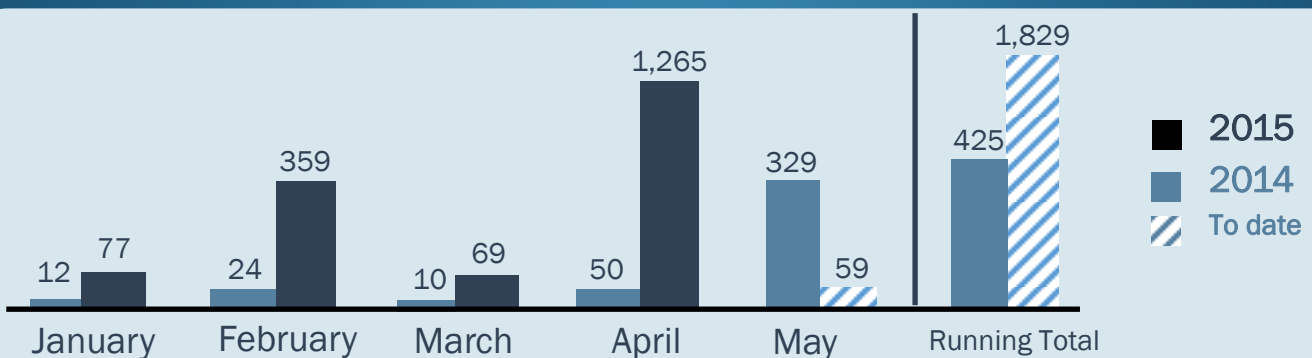
# MISSING MIGRANTS PROJECT

Mediterranean Update

7 MAY 2015



## MIGRANT FATALITIES



## MIGRANT ARRIVALS 2015

Total Arrivals: (to date) 63,470

EU	Arrivals
Italy	34,570
Greece	27,800
Malta	100
Spain	1,000
<b>Total</b>	<b>63,470</b>

*\* figures are IOM estimates, based on best data available as of 07/05/2015.*

## TOP FIVE COUNTRIES OF ORIGIN

1 January–30 April 2015

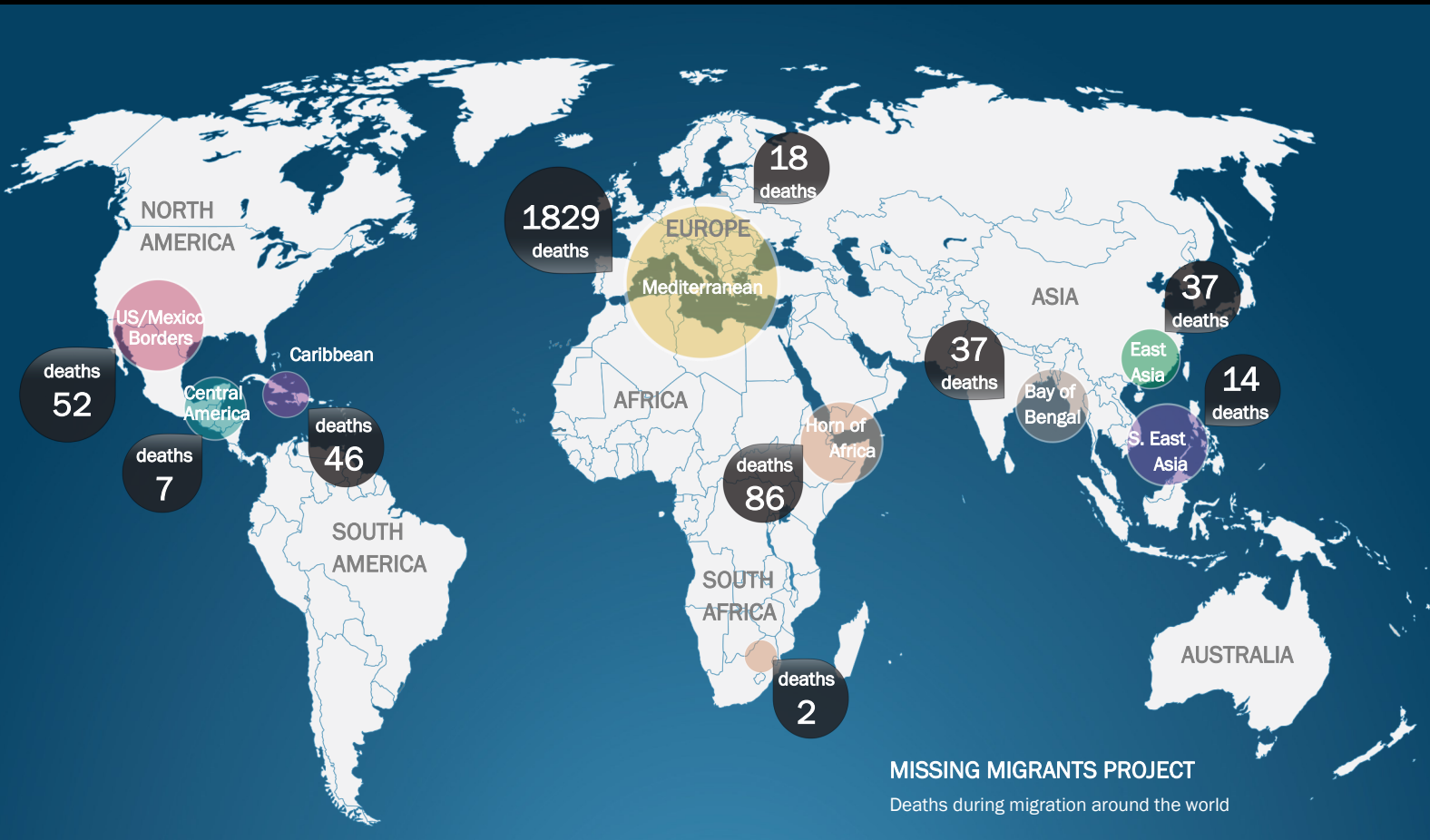
Destination

Origin Country	Greece*	Italy	Malta	Spain	Total
Syria	6,094	2,091	0	NA..	8,185
Eritrea	87	5,388	0	NA..	5,475
Somalia	440	3,717	3	NA..	4,160
Nigeria	137	2,789	0	NA..	2,926
Afghanistan	2,281	NA...	0	NA..	2,281

*\*as of 31 March*

Source: RES/MCD

# GLOBAL OVERVIEW: 2,100 MIGRANT DEATHS...(AND COUNTING) IN 2015



## KEY DATA ON MIGRANT FATALITIES

The Missing Migrants Project is the only global database sharing key data on deceased and missing migrants around the world. The aim is to strengthen advocacy and support a more informed policy response.

## SUPPORTING FAMILIES OF MISSING MIGRANTS

The project empowers families of the missing by providing information and guidance, including on identification of the missing and dead, with the aim of affirming the rights and dignity of migrants and their families.

## GLOBAL INFORMATION HUB ON MIGRATION

The project underlines the global scale of the crisis by sharing key information on migrants dying along migratory routes around the world. The platform also enables feedback from migrants and families of the missing.

### Deaths between Jan 2015 – May 2015

Regions	Deaths <sup>a</sup>
Mediterranean	1,829
Horn of Africa	86
US Mexico Border	52 <sup>b</sup>
Caribbean	46
Bay of Bengal	37
Europe <sup>c</sup>	18 <sup>c</sup>
East Asia	15
Southeast Asia	14
Central America	7
Southern Africa	2
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>2, 106</b>

#### Legend:

(a) These figures refer only to deaths that have been reported between Jan 1st, 2015–May 7th, 2015; unknown numbers are not recorded. This map represents only a base minimum.

(b) Data for Brooks County and Pima County.

(c) Includes deaths in Northern Europe, Southeastern Europe, and Western Europe.

\*Data based on best information available as of 7/5/2015.

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