

Background

The Water Price Monitoring assessment aims to establish a data collection, monitoring and reporting system on water market prices in order to allow humanitarian and development actors to better analyse humanitarian needs in areas particularly affected by drought.

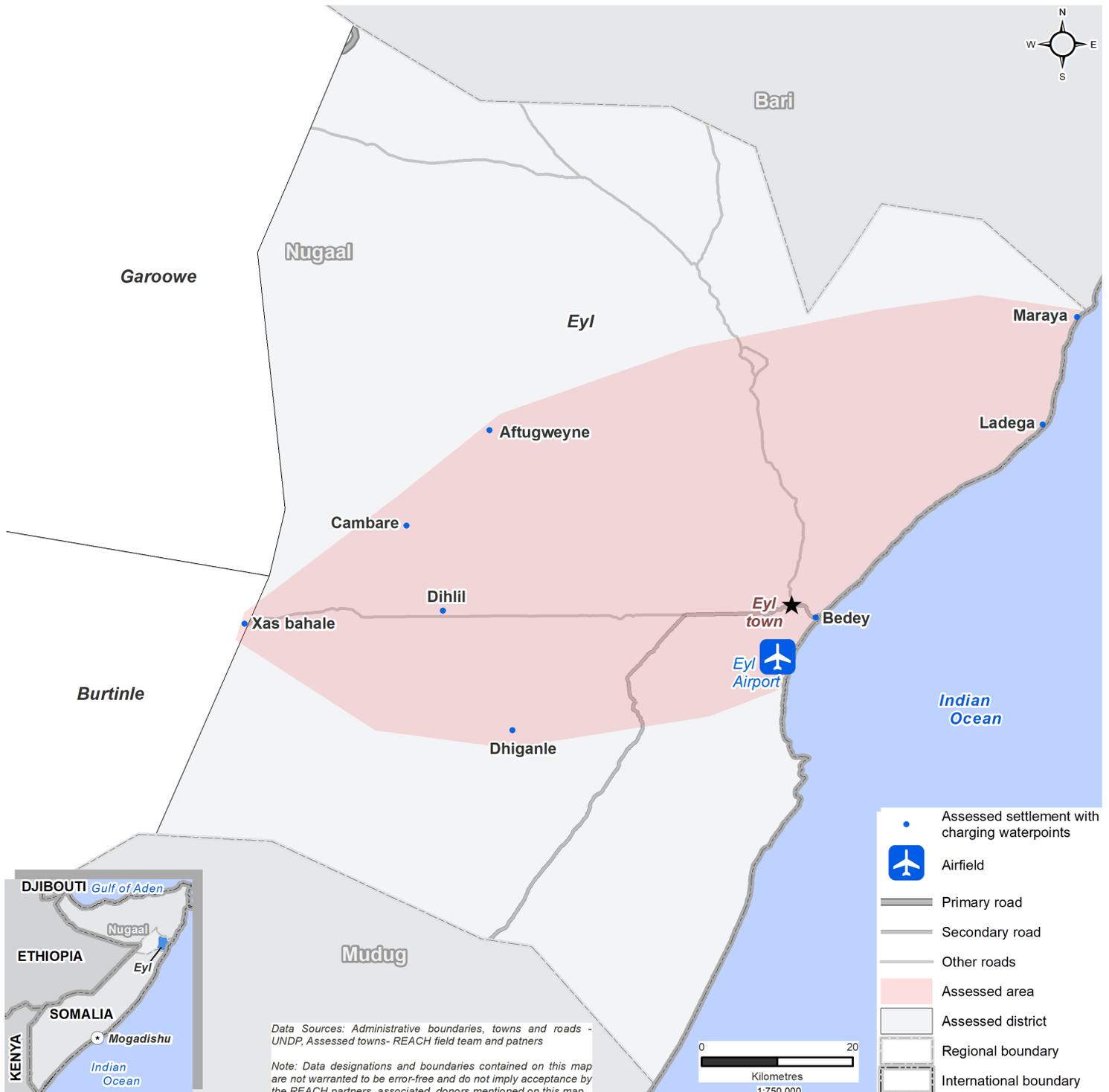
April data collection in Nugaal was conducted through a quantitative survey between 2 - 3 May, focusing only on those water points in the region that are charging for water. The assessment has followed the official district boundaries of the region.

All prices are shown in US Cents for 90L of water. This is the daily amount used by a household of six members, consuming the minimum Sphere standard of 15L water per person per day. Price changes are subject to exchange rate.

Key Findings

- This factsheet presents information collected from 17 water points in Eyl District, Nugaal Region.
- Prices of water in Nugaal reportedly decreased by an average of 55% from March to April.
- The majority (88%) of assessed water points showed a decrease in prices from March to April mainly due an increase in water supply following ongoing rains. Six percent (6%) showed an increase in price mainly due to changes in exchange rates while the other 6% showed no change in prices.
- The majority (76%) of assessed water points in Nugaal reportedly do not have their water treated at the distribution point. All the water points that have their water treated have it treated through chlorination.

Assessed Water Points



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Number of assessed water points:

March	17
April	17

Number of assessed water points, by type:

District	#	%
Burkad	9	53%
Kiosk	5	29%
Borehole	2	12%
Tank and tap	1	6%

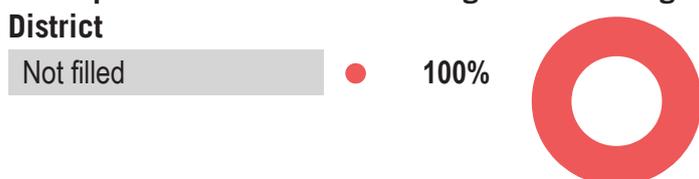
Water Point Administrator

Water points with the following administrator:



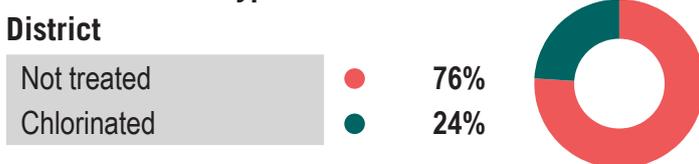
Water Point Filling

Water points that are refilled through the following:



Types of Water Treatment

Water treatment types:



Water Price

Prices are shown in US Cents.

1 USD = 28,588 SOS as of April 2018, average exchange rate reported. Price changes were calculated based on the average change across water points.

Average Price:

District	March	April	% Change
Eyl	101	45	-55%

Median Price:

District	March	April	% Change
Eyl	96	32	-67%

Water Price, by Water Point Administrator

Average Price:

District	March	April	% Change
Private	110	42	-62%
Community	99	46	-53%

Most Reported Problems

Water points reportedly having the following problems: (Respondents could select multiple options)

District	#	%
No problem	17	100%

Water Price, by Area

Area 1: Eyl

