Water Shortages and Public Discontent in Yemen

Contextual Model

- **Climate Change**
  - Gradual Change in Temperature and/or Precipitation

- **Social and Economic Drivers**
  - Demographic Change
  - Economic Development
  - Infrastructure Development

- **Environmental Change**
  - Increased Water Scarcity

- **Intermediary Mechanisms**
  - Change in Access / Availability of Natural Resources

- **Fragility and Conflict Risks**
  - Grievances between Societal Groups
  - Anti-State Grievances
  - Displacements / Migration
  - Weakened State
  - Reduced State Capacity and/or Legitimacy
  - Crime / Violence / Extremism

**Context Factors**

- Water
  - Elite Exploitation
  - Water-stressed Area
  - Weak Institutions

- Food Insecurity
  - High Unemployment
  - Lack of Alternative Livelihoods
  - Low Level of Economic Development
  - Political Marginalization
  - Political Transition
  - Unequal Land Distribution
  - Unresponsive Government

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