Water Shortages and Public Discontent in Yemen

Contextual Model

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Clim ate Change

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In termediary Mechanisms

Fragility and Conflict Risks

**Social and Economic Drivers**

- Gradual Change in Temperature and/or Precipitation
- Increased Water Scarcity
- Change in Access / Availability of Natural Resources
- 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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