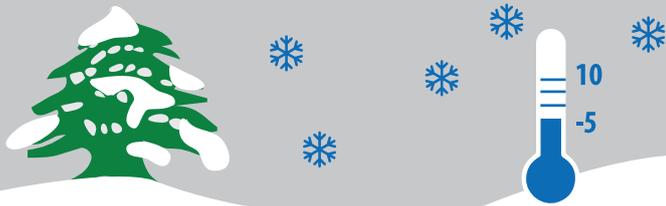


Average winter temperatures in Lebanon range between **-5 and 10 degrees (November - February)**



The coldest regions, **the North, Bekaa, and Mount Lebanon** also have the highest concentrations of refugees



Syrian refugees spend **45% of their income on food**, leaving little left for winter preparation



**72%** of refugees take on additional debts to meet winter needs  
**19%** consume less food



Winter needs include **fuel, stoves, clothes, blankets, additional food, and shelter weatherproofing**



**41%** of refugees live in inadequate shelter



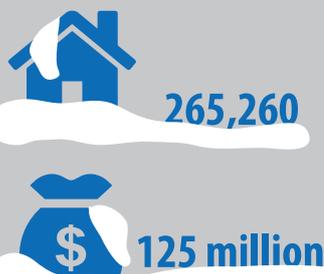
Refugees are precluded from important work during the winter, especially in **construction and agriculture**



Winter support will target **Syrian and Palestinian refugees as well as vulnerable Lebanese**



The 2016-17 Winter Support Programme will target **265,260 households and require \$125 million**, more than any previous year



**Eligibility for winter support** is determined based on economic and shelter vulnerabilities



The Winter Support Programme will focus on cash assistance of **\$75- \$147 per family per month**. In addition, **vulnerable Lebanese and refugees with children below 15 years** will receive a single top-up of **\$40 per child**



Winter cash assistance distributed is spent in the **local economy**; more than **\$115M** will be spent by March 2017

