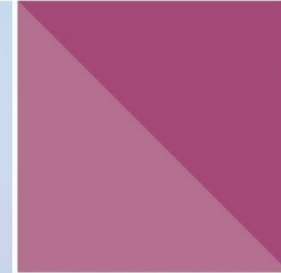




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# DELIVERING ON MIGRATION

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# DELIVERING A EUROPEAN RESPONSE TO THE TEST OF OUR GENERATION

## OUTSIDE THE EU



assist refugees where they are worldwide



resettling refugees to the EU



addressing the root causes of irregular migration with origin and transit countries

## AT THE EU'S BORDERS



tripled EU presence at sea, to save lives and dismantle trafficking networks



better manage our external borders



create 'hotspots' in Greece and Italy



identify and register every arrival  
1) asylum procedures  
2) return and readmission procedures

## INSIDE THE EU



relocate refugees to other EU Member States



simplify and harmonise our asylum system

## PROVIDING HUMANITARIAN ASSISTANCE WORLDWIDE

# 65 million

people are forcibly displaced worldwide

**85%** live in the developing world

**21.3 million** refugees

**40.8 million** internally displaced

**1.8 million** seeking asylum

The EU gives more than **€1 billion** a year to help refugees

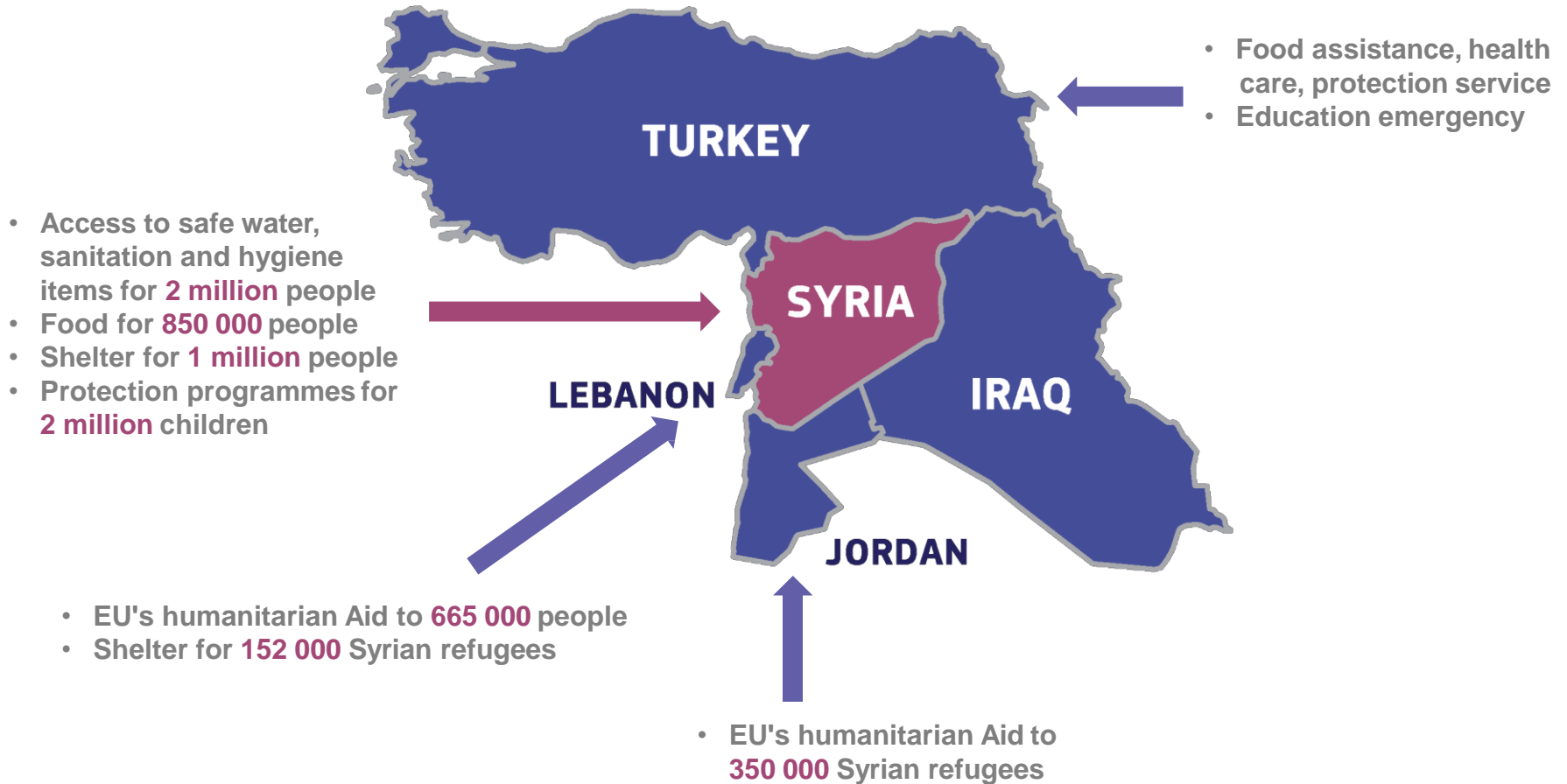


The EU and its Member States are the world's largest donor: **€75.5 billion** official development assistance in 2016

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## EU SUPPORT FOR SYRIAN REFUGEES IN SYRIA AND IN HOST COMMUNITIES

The EU is a leading donor in the response to the Syria crisis with **€6.8 billion**







## SETTING UP A NEW ASSISTANCE INSTRUMENT FOR EMERGENCY SUPPORT WITHIN THE EU

### WHAT

Direct humanitarian assistance in EU Member States



### HOW

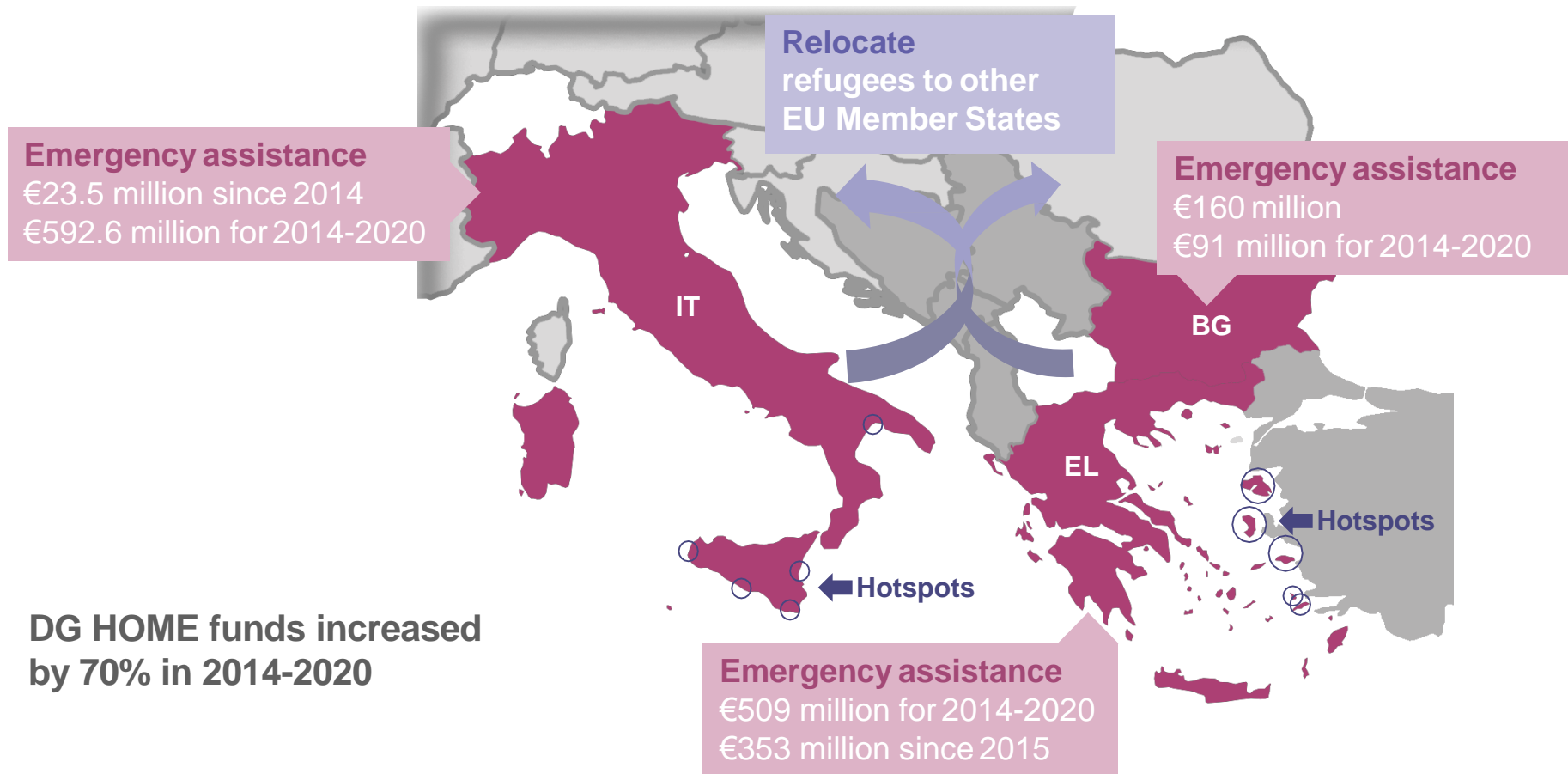
- Funding of **€700 million** for 2016 – 2018
- First priority - Greece: **€198 million** in 2016

### WHY

- To respond to exceptional crises or disasters within EU Member States, which give rise to severe humanitarian consequences
- To fill a gap in EU instruments for emergency support inside Europe

## SUPPORTING MEMBER STATES FINANCIALLY AND TECHNICALLY TO COPE WITH THE MIGRATION CHALLENGE

**€7 billion**  
(2014-2020)



DG HOME funds increased by 70% in 2014-2020



## RELOCATIONS

- **2 Council decisions:**

**July 2015: 40.000 persons**

**September 2015: 120.000 persons**



**Persons arrived until 26 September 2017**

**Implemented relocations in February 2018: + 33.000**

**France: 4.700 (2<sup>nd</sup>) – Germany 9.200**

**Significant increase during 2017: 10.300**

**- regular relocations**

**- efforts by Greece and Italy**

**Candidates remaining:**

**- 400 in Greece**

**- 2.000 in Italy**

**Infringement procedures launched against:**

**Poland, Hungary, Czech Republic**

**No judicial procedure yet**

**FUTURE: Reform of Dublin: corrective mechanism**



## RESETTLEMENTS

- Council decision of July 2015:  
**Resettlement of 22.500 persons**

**+ Agreement with Turkey**

**Implemented resettlements in December 2017:**  
**26,000 persons**

**Communication of 27 September 2017:**

**Call to Member States to resettle at least 50.000 persons by the end of this Commission's mandate (2019)**

**Africa + Turkey + Jordan + Lebanon**

**Budget = 500 million EUR**

**February 2018: Commitment by Member States to resettle more than 40,000 persons (10.000 of which by France)**

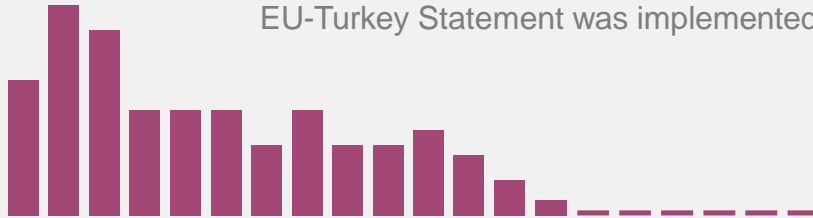
**//call to the United Nations**

**+ pilot project for private sponsors**



## CREATING SAFE AND LEGAL ROUTES FOR ASYLUM-SEEKERS

The **daily crossing** down from **10,000** in a single day in October 2015 to **78** daily average since the EU-Turkey Statement was implemented



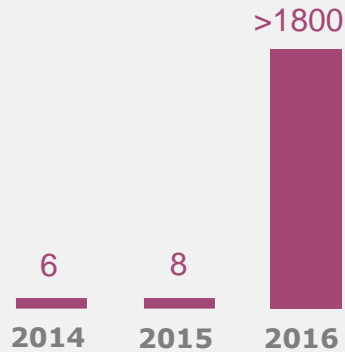
### Facility for Refugees in Turkey

**€2.8 billion**  
already mobilised

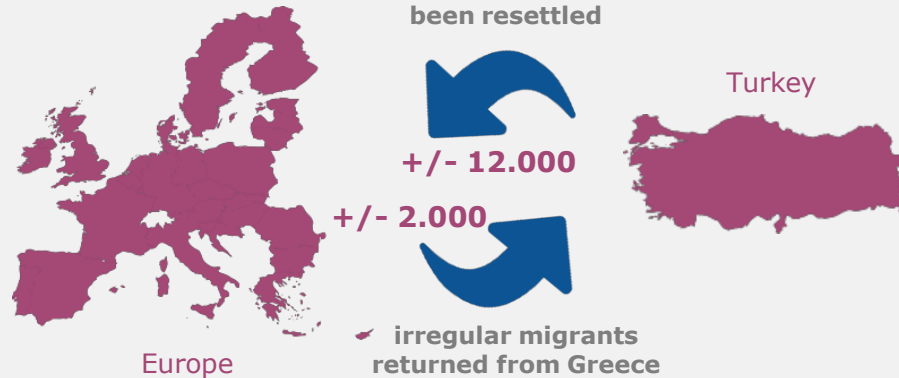
**€0.2 billion**

**€2.8 billion out of €3 billion already mobilised to improve conditions for refugees:** health, education, socio-economic support & humanitarian assistance

### Irregular migrants returned from Greece to Turkey

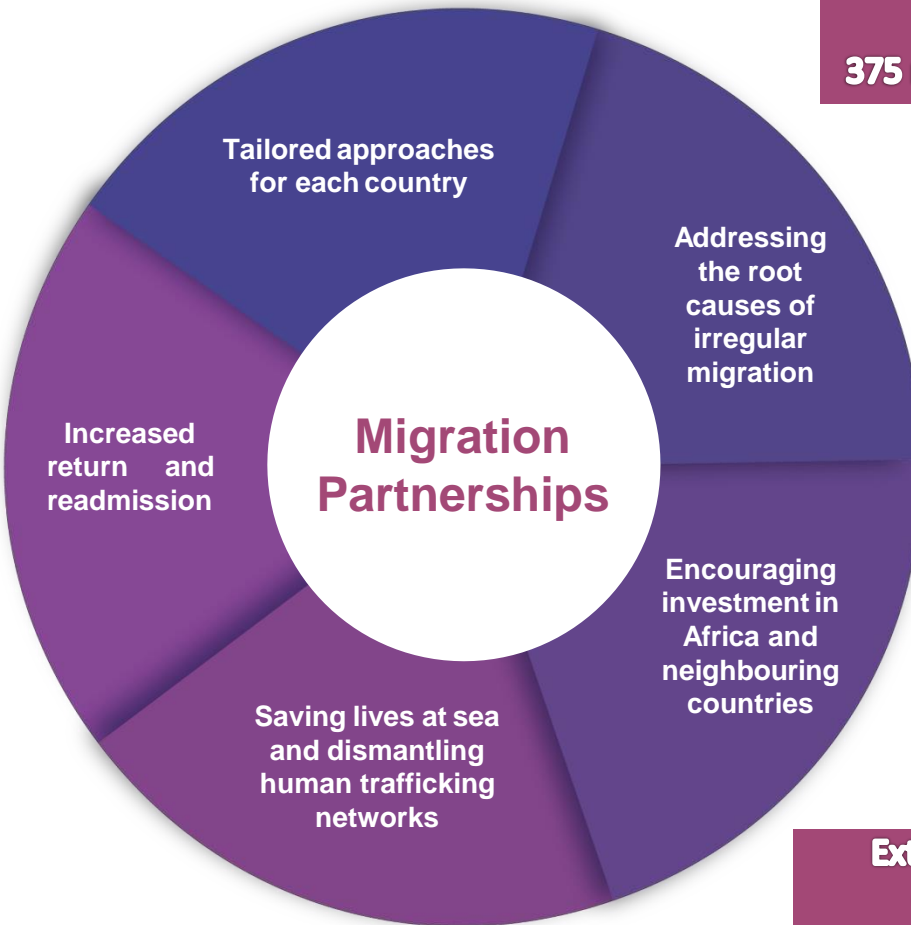


### Syrian refugees have been resettled

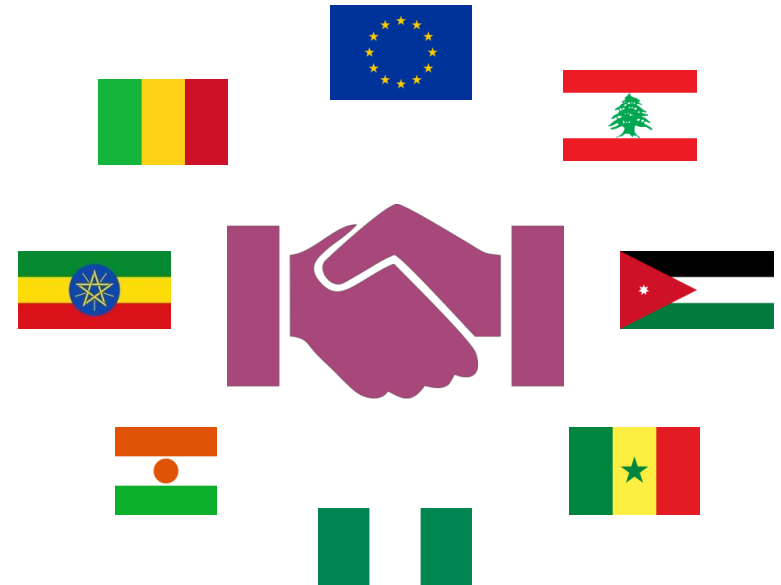


For every Syrian readmitted by Turkey from Greek islands, **another Syrian should be resettled from Turkey to the EU**

## ENHANCING COOPERATION WITH OUR AFRICAN PARTNERS AND TACKLING THE ROOT CAUSES OF MIGRATION



**EU Trust Fund for Africa:  
EUR 3,3 billion  
375 million from Member States**



**External Investment Plan:  
objectif of 44 billion**

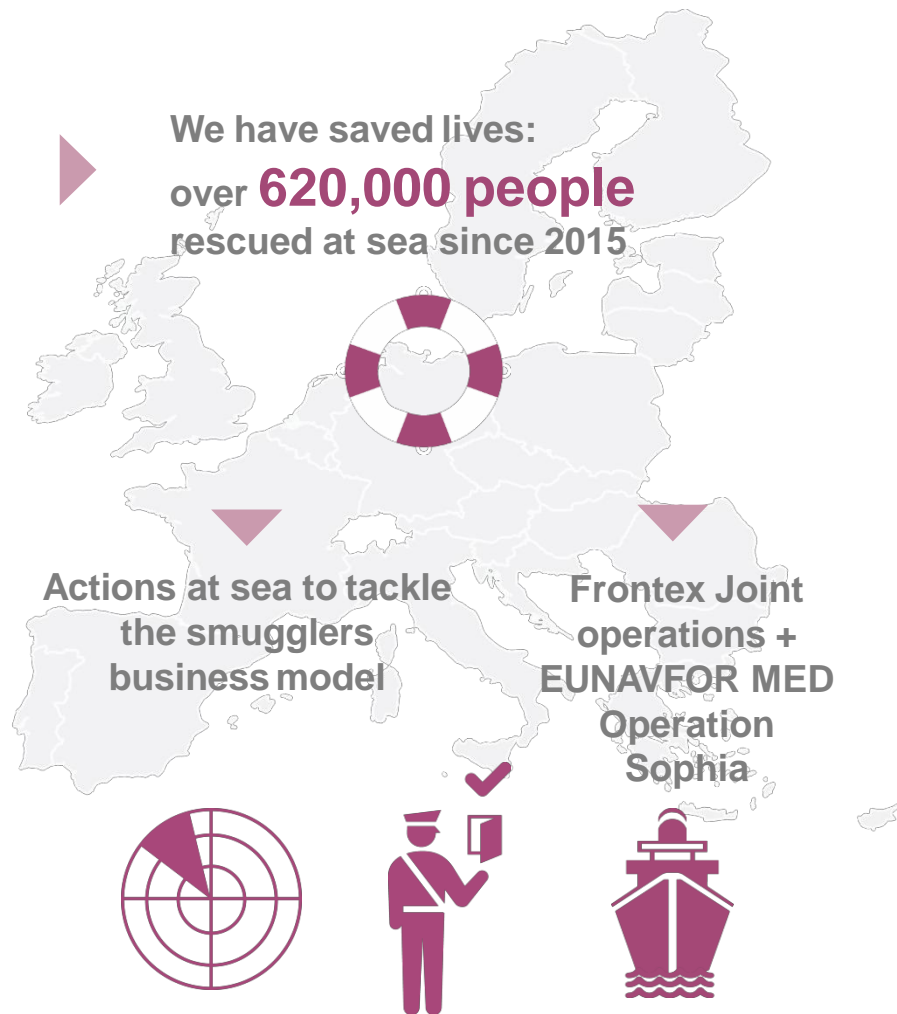
## SAVING LIVES AND DISRUPTING SMUGGLING NETWORKS

▶ **9 out of 10 refugees and migrants** have paid organised criminals and people smugglers

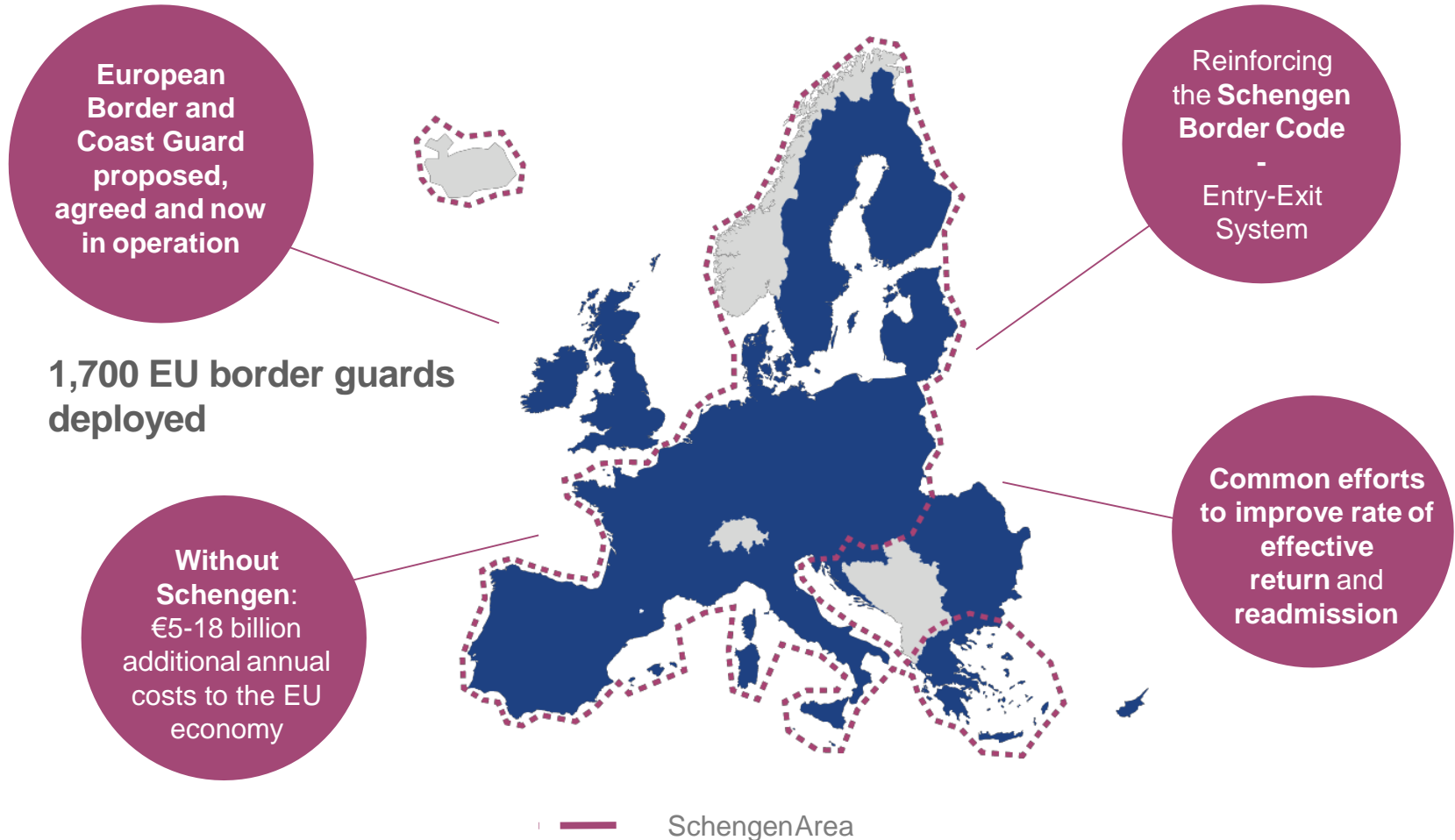


▶ People smuggling networks made more than **€ 4 billion** last year, exploiting the million migrants arriving in Greece and Italy

▶ We have saved lives: over **620,000 people** rescued at sea since 2015

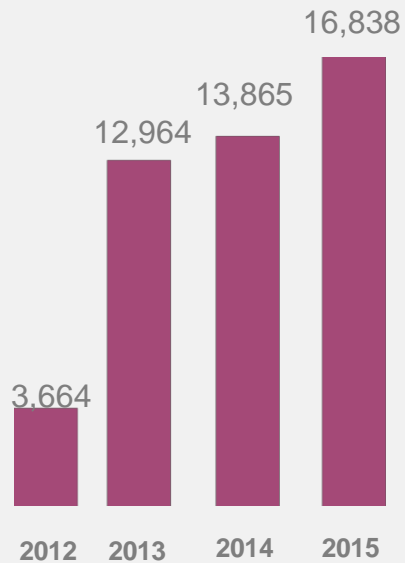


## STRENGTHENING OUR EXTERNAL BORDERS AND MAKING OUR RETURN POLICY MORE EFFECTIVE

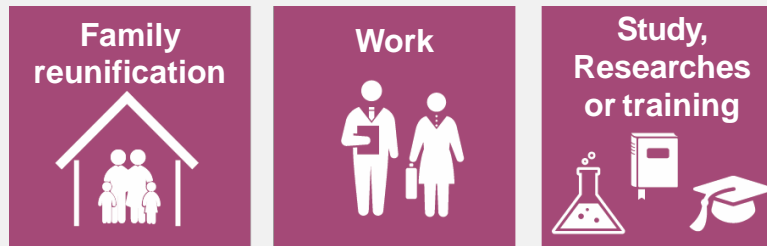


## PROMOTING A NEW EUROPEAN POLICY ON LEGAL MIGRATION

Blue Card work permits issued in EU Member States



How can migrants enter the EU legally?



The EU Blue Card Directive  
Seasonal Workers Directive  
Intra-corporate Transferees Directive  
Single Permit Directive

## STRENGTHENING THE COMMON EUROPEAN ASYLUM SYSTEM

Different treatment encourages **secondary movements** and **asylum shopping**



We need a more **humane, fair, coherent** and **efficient** European Asylum policy

### The European Commission tabled proposals to:



Simplify, clarify and shorten the asylum procedures



Create uniform standards for protection of asylum seekers



Harmonise reception conditions



Revising the fingerprint database system



Make the European Asylum Support Office a genuine European Asylum Agency





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