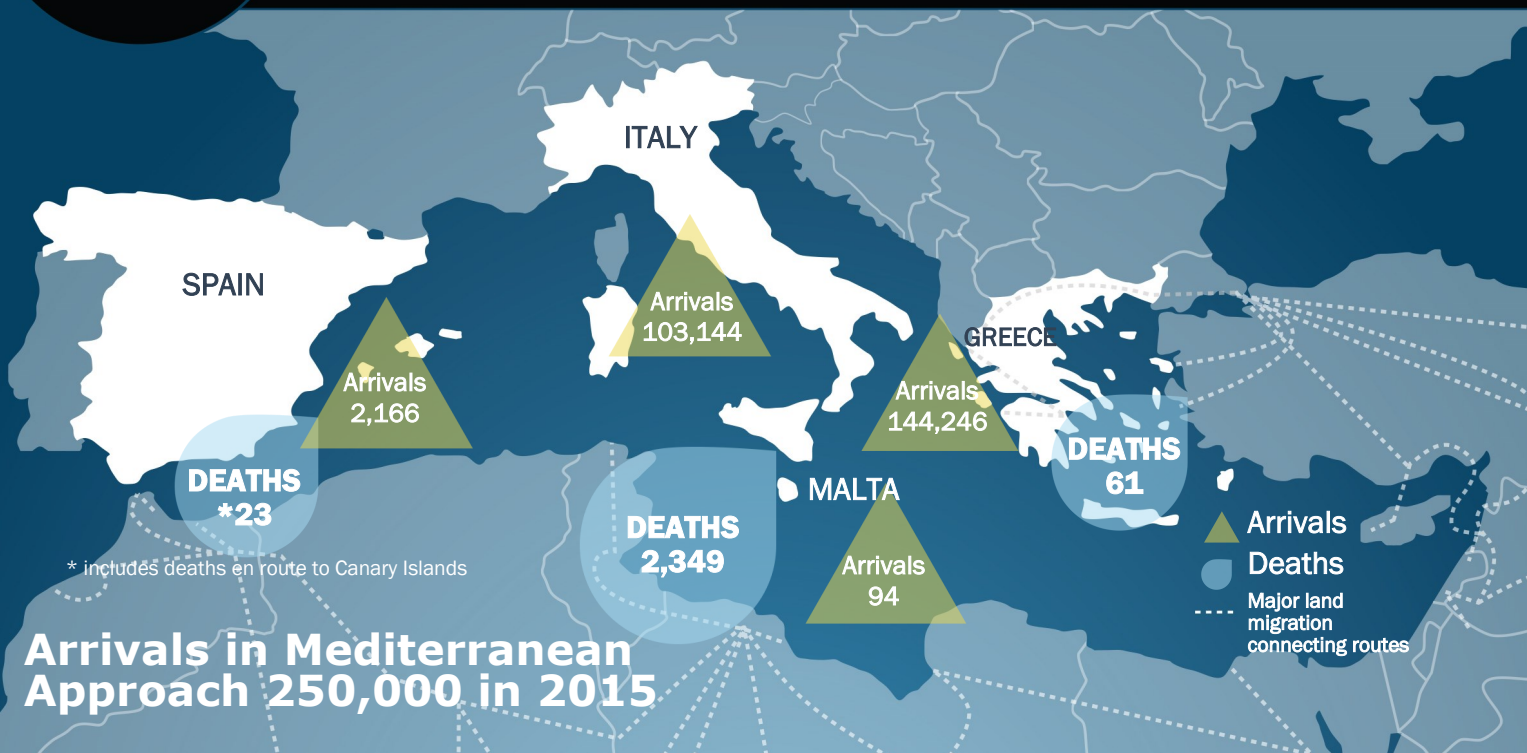




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*Arrival figures refer to irregular maritime arrivals only

MIGRANT FATALITIES IN THE MEDITERRANEAN



MIGRANT MARITIME ARRIVALS 2015

Total Arrivals: (to date) 249,650

Italy	103,144
Greece	144,246
Spain	2,166
Malta	94
Total	249,650

Estimates based on data from respective governments and IOM field offices as of 17/8/15. Data for Greece as of 16/8/15.

TOP FIVE COUNTRIES OF ORIGIN 2015

Destination

Origin Country	Destination		
	Italy	Greece	Malta
Eritrea	25,657	Syria 88,204	Mali 27
Nigeria	11,899	Afghanistan 32,414	Senegal 24
Somalia	7,538	Albania 9,713	Ivory Coast 18
Sudan	5,658	Pakistan 9,445	Guinea Bissau 11
Syria	5,495	Iraq 5,421	Gambia 5

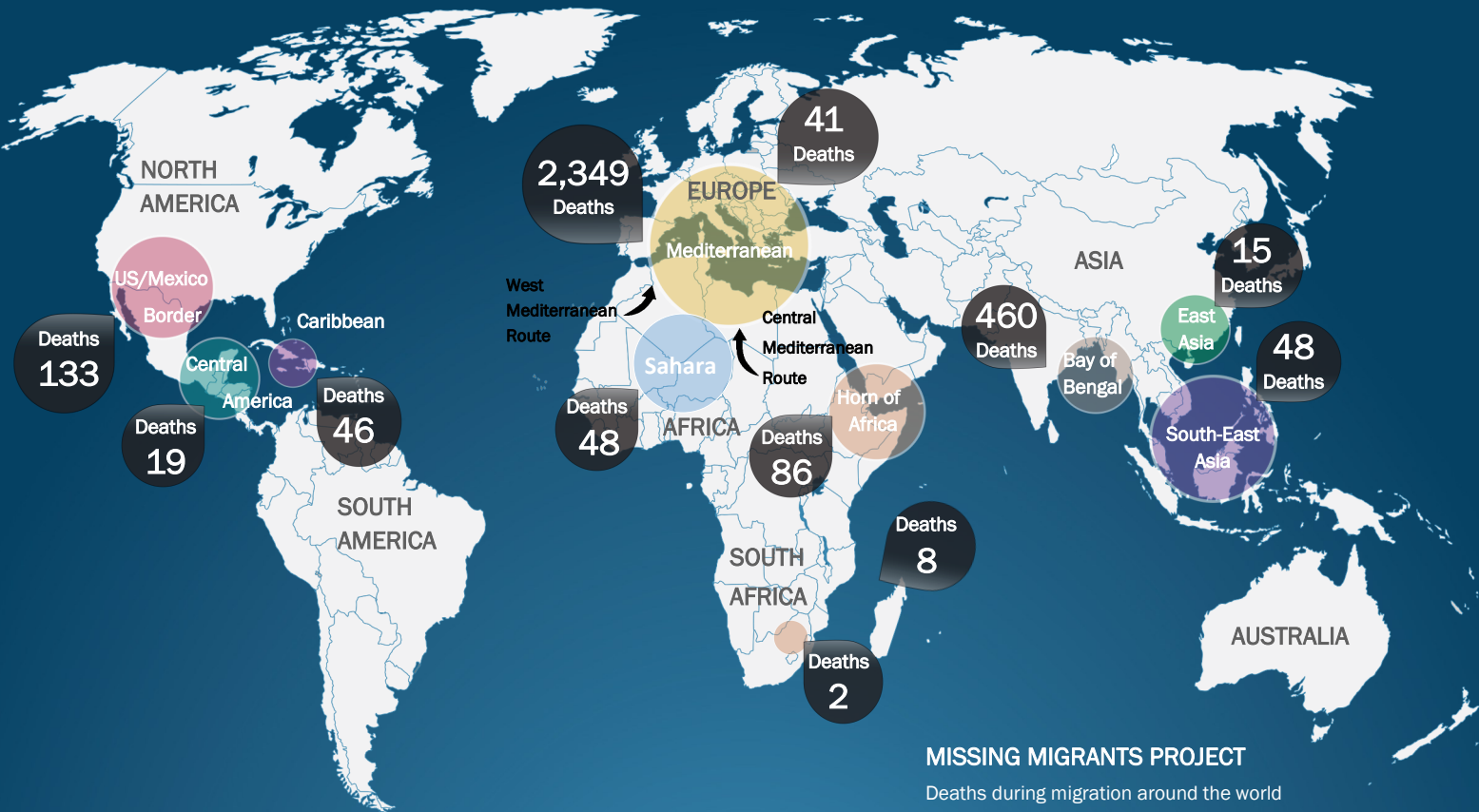
Data for Italy and Malta as of 31/7/15. Data for Greece as of 30/6/15 and includes both maritime and land arrivals.

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GLOBAL OVERVIEW: 3,255 MIGRANT DEATHS TO DATE IN 2015 (est.)



KEY DATA ON MIGRANT FATALITIES

Missing Migrants Project is the only global database sharing key data on deceased and missing migrants around the world. The aim is to strengthen advocacy and support a more informed policy response.

SUPPORTING FAMILIES OF MISSING MIGRANTS

Missing Migrants Project empowers families of the missing by providing information and guidance, including on identification of the missing and dead, with the aim of affirming the rights and dignity of migrants and their families.

GLOBAL INFORMATION HUB ON MIGRATION

Missing Migrants Project underlines the global scale of the crisis by sharing key information on migrants dying along migratory routes around the world. The platform also engages feedback from migrants and families of the missing.

Deaths between 1 January to 17 August 2015

Regions	Deaths ^a
Mediterranean	2,349
Bay of Bengal	460
US/Mexico Border	133
Horn of Africa	86
Sahara	48
South-East Asia	48
Caribbean	46
Europe ^b	41
East Asia	15
Central America	19
Southeast Africa	8
Southern Africa	2
TOTAL	3,255

Legend:

- (a) Figures refer to documented deaths. Documented instances, therefore, potentially depict only a small share of actual stock. This map represents a base minimum.
- (b) Includes deaths in Northern Europe, Southeastern Europe, and Western Europe.

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