



WFP South Sudan Situation Report #117

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In Numbers

- 1.69 million** internally displaced people (OCHA estimates)
- 640,034** people displaced outside of South Sudan (UNHCR estimates)
- 181,536** people seeking shelter with the UN (UNMISS estimates)
- 2.8 million** people in emergency or crisis level food insecurity (IPC, January to March 2016)

Highlights

- WFP, FAO, and UNICEF develop an integrated plan in response to the country's pressing economic decline.
- Life-saving food and nutrition assistance reaches 46,000 IDPs in Malakal following recent violence in the Protection of Civilians (PoC) site.

WFP's Activities

- Following a joint analysis together with FAO and UNICEF, the three UN agencies have developed a response plan focusing on the urban poor in Juba. Analysis show, for example, that that minimum expenditure food basket has reached an all time high (SSP5,157) that is nearly five-fold of last year's figure. The integrated humanitarian response plan aims to mitigate the impact of the economic decline. WFP, FAO, and UNICEF will target 125,000 of the most vulnerable beneficiaries and jointly address food security, nutrition, urban livelihoods, water and sanitation needs. US\$21.2 million is urgently required for the six-month pilot phase.
- Peaceful distributions of GFD food baskets and nutrition commodities have concluded in the Malakal PoC as well as Malakal town, where some of the IDPs have fled following recent violence. In Malakal town, the successful distributions commenced only after agreement with local authorities on humanitarian space, protection, and targeted beneficiaries, and the use of UNMISS Force Protection and UNMAS clearance.



Food Assistance

- WFP and Cooperating Partners' Integrated Rapid Response Mechanism teams completed missions in Bilkey, Chuil, Kandak, Nyanapol, Pajut, Yuai (Jonglei); Thaker, Mayendit, Nyal (Unity); Dome, Gum, Mading, and Wau Shilluk (Upper Nile).
- IRRM teams are currently deployed in Mogok, Gorwai, Pieri, New Fangak, Mwot Tot, Pathai (Jonglei); Ganyiel, Jazeera, Mayom, Wangkei, Kueryiek, Ngop, Mankien (Unity); and Luil (Upper Nile).
- Upcoming planned missions will cover Dengjok, Nyndit, Kaldak, Nyambor, Pultruk, Walgak, Lankien, Pading, Kurwai (Jonglei); Thanyang, Nimni, Dablual, Bil, Kuach, Nhialdu (Unity); and Aburoc Mathiang, Ulang, Nyangore, Chotbora, Pagak, Maiwut, Unkir (Upper Nile).

Beneficiaries (January 2016)



Logistics

- A total of 31 convoys have been moved from Juba through the Western Corridor since 22 December 2015 (30,943 mt of assorted commodities). Out of those 31 convoys, so far 22 have been completed (delivery of 23,092 mt). The rest are in transit.
- The barge sets loaded with 2,000 mt of assorted food commodities which departed Bor on 13 February has finally docked at Malakal, on 22 February. Offloading is ongoing.
- One IL-76 has been withdrawn from South Sudan to support WFP's air response in Syria. Out of the six Ilyushins (IL-76) contracted, five remain operational in South Sudan.

Clusters and Special Operations



Food Security and Livelihoods Cluster

- The FSLC is supporting WFP and FAO with the CERF proposal which has the overall goal of addressing urgent needs in new emergencies (for example, new displacement in Wau, WBEG). WFP seeks to launch a general food distribution response for 50,000 beneficiaries over a period of two months.



Logistics Cluster

- This past week, the Logistics Cluster delivered over 85 mt to Malakal, Mathiang, Mwot Tot, Pagak, Pathai, Pieri and Ulang on behalf of four organizations.
- The Logistics Cluster continues to support the high priority response to Malakal. 111 mt of Shelter, Health, Nutrition, Protection and Wash supplies have been delivered via the fixed wing aircraft since the onset of the recent emergency in the POC.
- In the past week, the Logistics Cluster continued to support three rapid response missions to Pathai, Pieri and Mwot Tot. Overall, approximately 20 mt have been delivered to the three destinations.
- The Logistics Cluster is currently coordinating with WFP on the delivery of humanitarian aid by road to Yuai on behalf of Tearfund.
- Offloading of the Logistics Cluster/WFP barge is ongoing in Malakal and is expected to be completed in the next two weeks.
- Road access continues to improve throughout the country. The most recent Access Constraints map can be found at the following link: <http://www.logcluster.org/map/access-constraints-map-26-february-2016>



Emergency Telecommunications Cluster (ETC)

- The ETC has provided an update to the Operation Management Team (OMT) on the works currently underway on the Humanitarian Internet Support Project (HISP) and the Digital Mobile Radio (DMR).
- The ETC is currently working with the Communication with Community (CwC) working group to help establish a feedback mechanism through a two-way communication platform. The workstream is being developed with Internews as the lead agency. This seeks to identify existing community structures to ensure access to information is extended to all, as well as to strengthen two-way flows of information through existing community mechanisms.
- During the reporting period, ETC has programmed 45 radios (handheld and mobile) and registered a new NGO (Development and Literacy Partners International) into the radio network. The number of security telecommunications services users now total over 1,900.



UN Humanitarian Air Service

- UNHAS RoSS published the weekly flight schedule, effective 01 March highlighting the new destinations and nominal fees of US\$250 and US\$275, as decided by the Steering Committee. UNHAS is facing funding challenges, with a three month funding shortfall of US\$5.8 million. WFP/UNHAS continues to advocate for more donor contributions to sustain the ongoing humanitarian response in the country.
- Two charter flights were facilitated on 02-03 March, without interruption to the scheduled operations. UNHAS utilized a Cessna Caravan to transport six UNOPS passengers to Kajo Keji and eight passengers to Malakal.
- Three Rapid Response Missions comprised of UNICEF and WFP passengers and mission cargo were flown to Motot, Pathai and Pieri on 29 February. Their return from Pathai and Pieri was supported on 04 March.
- Agencies' requests for extraction of 15 more passengers was made on 29 March due to the previous week's fighting in Pibor. Support to CRS and UNICEF was provided. Service to Mathiang, Kodok and Jikmir were cancelled to give priority to the security relocation. One IMC passenger was relocated from Akobo on a regular flight due to security reasons.
- Nine medical evacuations were facilitated utilizing UNHAS scheduled flights from Yida, Ajuong Thok, Yei and Maban for UNHCR and WFP.
- For the reporting period, UNHAS transported 1,875 passengers and 1013 metric tonnes of light humanitarian cargo serving 58 destinations.



Feeder Roads

- Monitoring missions took place this week to all ongoing road projects.
- The works on structures along Juba – Kajo Keji road are progressing well; currently three out of nine structures are under construction.

WFP Operations in South Sudan			
	2016 Requirements (in USD)	6 Months Net Funding Requirements (Feb-July) (in USD)	People Reached (December 2015)
EMOP 200859 (Oct 2015–Sept 2016)	424.4 million	129 million	799,336
PRRO 200572 (Jan 2014–Dec 2016)	277 million	49 million	316,710
SO 200775 Food Security and Livelihoods Cluster (Jan 2015–Dec 2016)	585,000	300,000	N/A
SO 200778 Logistics Cluster (Jan 2015–Dec 2016)	36.2 million	15 million	N/A
SO 200931 ETC (Jan-Dec 2016)	663,000	330,000	N/A
SO 200786 UNHAS (Jan 2015–Dec 2016)	58.6 million	15.9 million	N/A
The Feeder Roads Special Operation has a total budget of US\$167.3 million, with a shortfall of US\$70.4			

2015/2016 WFP South Sudan donors (listed alphabetically)*:



*Since 01 January 2015
Not included: UN CHF, World Bank and Private Donors

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