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INTRODUCTION

1. At its First Regular Session of 1997, the Executive Board requested a systematic analysis of the objectives established in the World Food Summit (WFS) Plan of Action indicating how, within its mandate, programmes, projects and other activities, WFP can contribute to achieving these objectives. Accordingly, this paper is submitted to the Executive Board for information and guidance.

THE BROAD FRAMEWORK

2. The analysis of the potential areas for WFP support in the implementation of the Summit Plan of Action (SPA) brings out the following key features.
 - By virtue of WFP's mandate, all its activities are relevant to SPA Commitments, often to more than one.
 - SPA does not assign priorities among the Commitments or Objectives. Since all WFP activities form part of SPA, a shifting of resources from one area of activities to another in accordance with SPA does not arise. Rather, strengthening current WFP activities is the key for WFP follow-up.
 - Similarly, SPA does not establish priorities among developing countries for achieving the goals of the World Food Summit. However, it calls for Official Development Assistance (ODA) to focus on countries that have a real need for it. This theme is reflected in the mandate of WFP which calls for a concentration of efforts and resources on the poorest people in the neediest countries. WFP has an operational target of allocating at least 90 percent of its development assistance to low-income, food-deficit countries, and at least 50 percent to least developed countries.
 - WFP will support SPA Commitments within the context of its four-year Strategic and Financial Plan, which sets as a priority a people-centred approach to food aid.

DIRECT AND INDIRECT LINKAGES

3. SPA contains seven Commitments, 27 Objectives and 177 Actions. In analysing the contents of SPA to develop a framework for WFP follow-up, the following features emerge:
 - Of the 27 Objectives, 19 (70 percent) have one or more Actions which are being directly supported by WFP resource commitments.
 - The Actions that are identified as being directly supported with a WFP resource commitment amount to 66 (37 percent of the total).
 - Another 58 Actions (33 percent of the total) are indirectly supported by one or more activities that provide direct support to some other Actions.



4. Actions included in SPA which are directly and indirectly related to WFP are shown in Table 1. The abbreviated versions of the Commitments, Objectives and Actions used in this Table are based on the format used by the ACC Network on Rural Development and Food Security for reporting inter-agency follow-up to the Summit. Some of the abbreviations in Table 1 as well as in Table 2 may seem puzzling in that they may not reflect all the main elements found in the Plan itself. Therefore, delegates are kindly requested to consult the World Food Summit Plan of Action when reading the attached Tables.
5. In Table 2, specific WFP activities linked to WFP's direct support for Actions in SPA are identified.

REPORT ON PROGRESS

6. At its 23rd Session (April 1997), the FAO Committee on World Food Security (CFS) requested reports on United Nations agency follow-up for the period up to end of 1997. These reports are to be based on the structure of Commitments and Objectives given in SPA. The measures and indicators that will be the basis for the report to be submitted by WFP are shown in Table 2. However, reports to CFS for later years will be based on the common reporting format which will be finalized by CFS at its 1998 Sessions.

KEY AREAS FOR WFP ACTION

7. Strengthening any of WFP's current activities implies stronger support to the implementation of SPA. However, there are several key areas where WFP support can be especially effective.

Linking emergency relief and development

8. Providing food to save lives in emergencies, as envisaged in Action 5.3 under Commitment 5, is a major element of WFP support to SPA. In emergency contexts, WFP's intervention starts with emergency humanitarian relief and is followed by reconstruction and rehabilitation leading to development. WFP is therefore uniquely well placed to ensure that emergency relief is also as developmental as possible. A key task in this context is to enlist United Nations and other partnerships as early as possible in the relief-to-development continuum.

Supporting women

9. Strengthening opportunities and options for women is crucial to food security. This is a theme carried from the Beijing Conference to the World Food Summit. The relevance of WFP's Commitments to Women is seen in many sections of SPA and is pronounced in the area of emergencies and rehabilitation. WFP will work with governments, civil society and other United Nations agencies to implement programmes addressing gender inequalities and to improve the design and operational performance of interventions targeted to women and children.



Advocacy for the hungry poor

10. The focus of WFP is on households with low and variable incomes, limited assets, few marketable skills, and few powerful advocates to act on their behalf. The hands-on experience of working directly with these people forms the most valuable basis for WFP efforts to move the issues of hunger and poverty to the top of the international and national agendas. WFP will use every opportunity to bring greater attention and resources to alleviating hunger and poverty.



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		Short Title	Relationship to WFP activities		
			Direct	Indirect	Not related
1	Comt.1	Enabling environment			
2	Obj. 1.1	Conflicts and peace			
3	Act. 1.1.a	assure peaceful conditions			X
4	Act. 1.1.b	develop democratic processes	X		
5	Act. 1.1.c	promote legal systems			X
6	Act. 1.1.d	recognize indigenous people	X		
7	Act. 1.1.e	seek prevention of conflict			X
8	Obj. 1.2	enabling economic conditions			
9	Act. 1.2.a	promote conducive policies		X	
10	Act. 1.2.b	enhance access to, sustainable use of resources		X	
11	Act. 1.2.c	integrate population policies (Cairo)		X	
12	Obj. 1.3	gender equality			
13	Act. 1.3.a	mainstream gender in policies (Beijing)	X		
14	Act. 1.3.b	women participation, access to resources		X	
15	Act. 1.3.c	women access to institutions	X		
16	Act. 1.3.d	women education and training in food activities	X		
17	Act. 1.3.e	extension services for and with women		X	
18	Act. 1.3.f	improve gender-specific data	X		
19	Act. 1.3.g	research on intra-household issues			X
20	Act. 1.3.h	women traditional knowledge and skills			X
21	Obj. 1.4	solidarity and opportunities			
22	Act. 1.4.a	invest in human resource development	X		
23	Act. 1.4.b	combat discrimination	X		
24	Act. 1.4.c	youth; women role in family nutrition		X	
25	Act. 1.4.d	protect children (1990 Summit)	X		
26	Comt.2	Access			
27	Obj. 2.1	Poverty eradication			
28	Act. 2.1.a	implement Copenhagen	X		
29	Act. 2.1.b	training	X		
30	Act. 2.1.c	encourage stable rural employment	X		
31	Act. 2.1.d	fair return, sustainable use of agriculture resources	X		
32	Act. 2.1.e	access to resources for agriculture	X		
33	Act. 2.1.f	access to genetic resources			X
34	Obj. 2.2	food-insecure people			
35	Act. 2.2.a	develop FIVIMS	X		
36	Act. 2.2.b	work for unemployed	X		
37	Act. 2.2.c	safety nets for food insecure	X		
38	Obj. 2.3	safe and adequate food supplies			
39	Act. 2.3.a	monitor food supplies and reserves	X		
40	Act. 2.3.b	control safety and quality		X	
41	Act. 2.3.c	encourage traditional foods	X		
42	Act. 2.3.d	improve food processing, marketing			X
43	Act. 2.3.e	encourage low-cost practices		X	
44	Act. 2.3.f	promote community-based programmes	X		
45	Act. 2.3.g	prevent and control microdeficiencies (ICN)	X		
46	Obj. 2.4	education and health			
47	Act. 2.4.a	promote access for all to health care		X	
48	Act. 2.4.b	promote access to clean water, sanitation	X		
49	Act. 2.4.c	promote access to complete primary education	X		
50	Act. 2.4.d	promote nutritional and health education	X		
51	Comt.3	Sustainable food production			
52	Obj. 3.1	Food production			
53	Act. 3.1.a	policies to optimize production		X	
54	Act. 3.1.b	encourage appropriate technologies		X	
55	Act. 3.1.c	conserve and sustain use biodiversity			X
56	Act. 3.1.d	promote mixed-farming and processing		X	
57	Act. 3.1.e	improve breeds, seeds and protection			X
58	Act. 3.1.f	improve livestock and feeding systems			X



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Short Title			Direct	Indirect	Not related
59 Act. 3.1.g	aquaculture		X		
60 Act. 3.1.h	forest products to enhance food security		X		
61 Act. 3.1.i	transboundary plagues				X
62 Obj. 3.2	environmental threats				
63 Act. 3.2.a	monitor natural resources for food production		X		
64 Act. 3.2.b	improve use of resources for food production		X		
65 Act. 3.2.c	improve use of water		X		
66 Act. 3.2.d	promote responsible fisheries				X
67 Act. 3.2.e	plant genetic resources				X
68 Act. 3.2.f	animal genetic resources				X
69 Act. 3.2.g	forests conservation and sustainable use		X		
70 Act. 3.2.h	understand global threats				X
71 Act. 3.2.i	implement Leipzig				X
72 Act. 3.2.j	ratify, implement Conventions			X	
73 Act. 3.2.k	special actions for stressed areas		X		
74 Obj. 3.3	technologies				
75 Act. 3.3.a	strengthen training, extension			X	
76 Act. 3.3.b	promote transfer and extension				X
77 Act. 3.3.c	reduce women workload			X	
78 Act. 3.3.d	develop eco-eco technologies				X
79 Obj. 3.4	research				
80 Act. 3.4.a	strengthen national systems				X
81 Act. 3.4.b	strengthen CGIAR				X
82 Act. 3.4.c	support food security research				X
83 Act. 3.4.d	enhance participation				X
84 Act. 3.4.e	promote dissemination				X
85 Act. 3.4.f	ensure gender perspective				X
86 Act. 3.4.g	promote integrated knowledge				X
87 Act. 3.4.h	promote appropriate technologies				X
88 Act. 3.4.i	promote climate forecast				X
89 Obj. 3.5	rural development				
90 Act. 3.5.a	foster revitalization in rural sector		X		
91 Act. 3.5.b	strengthen local institutions			X	
92 Act. 3.5.c	enable rural actors			X	
93 Act. 3.5.d	develop, diversify rural markets		X		
94 Act. 3.5.e	follow-up WCARRD			X	
95 Act. 3.5.f	develop training for resources management		X		
96 Act. 3.5.g	develop educational infrastructure				X
97 Act. 3.5.h	promote rural finance systems		X		
98 Act. 3.5.i	increase opportunity for rural employment			X	
99 Act. 3.5.j	foster rural organizations			X	
100 Act. 3.5.k	recognize farmers organizations			X	
101 Act. 3.5.l	promote farmers coops and businesses			X	
102 Act. 3.5.m	enhance exchanges among people				X
103 Act. 3.5.n	develop south-south cooperation (nutrition)		X		
104 Act. 3.5.o	implement UNCED, especially Chapter 14			X	
105 Comt.4	Trade for food security				
106 Obj. 4.1	Use trade framework				
107 Act. 4.1.a	develop / promote internal markets		X		
108 Act. 4.1.b	prevent adverse impact on women			X	
109 Act. 4.1.c	pursue URA implementation			X	
110 Act. 4.1.d	assist countries to adjust				X
111 Act. 4.1.e	promote assistance to LIFDC agriculture			X	
112 Act. 4.1.f	promote techno assistance and transfer				X
113 Act. 4.1.g	supportiveness of trade and environment			X	
114 Act. 4.1.h	conduct fish trade sustainably				X
115 Obj. 4.2	food imports needs				
116 Act. 4.2.a	safeguard import ability				X
117 Act. 4.2.b	be reliable sources of supply				X
118 Act. 4.2.c	reduce subsidies on food exports				X



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			Short Title	Relationship to WFP activities		
				Direct	Indirect	Not related
119	Act.	4.2.d	have responsible export policies			X
120	Act.	4.2.e	implement the Decision on measures...		X	
121	Act.	4.2.f	ban export restrictions			X
122	Act.	4.2.g	monitor price and stocks (FAO)		X	
123	Obj.	4.3	continue reform process			
124	Act.	4.3.a	supply of staple food for food security		X	
125	Act.	4.3.b	continue reform process			X
126	Act.	4.3.c	assist countries in negotiations (FAO)			X
127	Comt.5		Emergencies			
128	Obj.	5.1	Prevent emergencies			
129	Act.	5.1.a	prevent conflicts		X	
130	Act.	5.1.b	combat terrorism			X
131	Act.	5.1.c	discuss land mines		X	
132	Obj.	5.2	preparedness			
133	Act.	5.2.a	prepare vulnerability information	X		
134	Act.	5.2.b	establish preparedness strategies (ICN)		X	
135	Act.	5.2.c	develop and apply climate forecast		X	
136	Act.	5.2.d	promote community-based surveillance		X	
137	Obj.	5.3	response			
138	Act.	5.3.a	strengthen response mechanisms	X		
139	Act.	5.3.b	supervision of response operations	X		
140	Act.	5.3.c	food security reserves policies	X		
141	Act.	5.3.d	promote triangular food aid	X		
142	Act.	5.3.e	protect lives of civilians	X		
143	Act.	5.3.f	protect access to food	X		
144	Act.	5.3.g	consider white helmets		X	
145	Obj.	5.4	relief to development			
146	Act.	5.4.a	review standards for food relief	X		
147	Act.	5.4.b	foster transition from relief to development	X		
148	Act.	5.4.c	pursue post-emergency rehabilitation	X		
149	Comt.6		Investment			
150	Obj.	6.1	Policy framework			
151	Act.	6.1.a	policies to enhance investment for Food Security		X	
152	Act.	6.1.b	strengthen HRD and public institutions	X		
153	Act.	6.1.c	encourage partnerships	X		
154	Act.	6.1.d	strengthen regional cooperation		X	
155	Obj.	6.2	investment for production			
156	Act.	6.2.a	raise funding for food security	X		
157	Act.	6.2.b	encourage investment in water		X	
158	Act.	6.2.c	invest in food security and natural resources	X		
159	Act.	6.2.d	secure financial assistance to Food Security			X
160	Act.	6.2.e	strive towards 0.7% ODA			X
161	Act.	6.2.f	focus ODA on the neediest	X		
162	Act.	6.2.g	reduce military expenditure			X
163	Act.	6.2.h	mobilize domestic savings		X	
164	Act.	6.2.i	provide access to credit		X	
165	Act.	6.2.j	promote investments for small-scale producers	X		
166	Act.	6.2.k	invest in human resource development	X		
167	Act.	6.2.l	enhance transfer of resources		X	
168	Act.	6.2.m	seek solution to debt problem			X
169	Act.	6.2.n	explore debt swaps for food security		X	
170	Comt.7		Follow-up to WFS			
171	Obj.	7.1	National implementation			
172	Act.	7.1.a	review policies		X	
173	Act.	7.1.b	set targets			X
174	Act.	7.1.c	launch Food for All campaign			X
175	Act.	7.1.d	encourage role of civil society	X		
176	Act.	7.1.e	mobilization resources for community Food Security initiatives			X



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			Direct	Indirect	Not related
177	Act. 7.1.f	collect information on nutrition	X		
178	Act. 7.1.g	complement ICN plans		X	
179	Act. 7.1.h	implement other UN conferences		X	
180	Obj. 7.2	cooperation			
181	Act. 7.2.a	direct UN on poverty eradication, food insecure		X	
182	Act. 7.2.b	UN discuss FIVIMS	X		
183	Act. 7.2.c	improve data collection	X		
184	Act. 7.2.d	review UN functions regarding Food Security		X	
185	Act. 7.2.e	review resources for Food Security		X	
186	Act. 7.2.f	increase cooperation and synergy	X		
187	Act. 7.2.g	focus on national capacity building	X		
188	Act. 7.2.h	ACC coordinate, role of FAO		X	
189	Act. 7.2.i	assist countries in implementation	X		
190	Act. 7.2.j	UN follow-up at national level	X		
191	Act. 7.2.k	technical assistance on food security		X	
192	Act. 7.2.l	partnerships for cooperation	X		
193	Act. 7.2.m	raise profile of food security	X		
194	Act. 7.2.n	safeguard food security under austerity		X	
195	Act. 7.2.o	role of development banks			X
196	Obj. 7.3	monitor			
197	Act. 7.3.a	set monitoring process (CFS)		X	
198	Act. 7.3.b	set process for setting targets (CFS)		X	
199	Act. 7.3.c	report to CFS	X		
200	Act. 7.3.d	report to ACC			X
201	Act. 7.3.e	monitor through CFS		X	
202	Act. 7.3.f	report to ECOSOC	X		
203	Act. 7.3.g	encourage civil society participation			X
204	Act. 7.3.h	major review 2006		X	
205	Obj. 7.4	right to food			
206	Act. 7.4.a	implement Article 11			X
207	Act. 7.4.b	Adhere to Covenant			X
208	Act. 7.4.c	monitoring by Committee on ESC Rights			X
209	Act. 7.4.d	contribution of treaty bodies		X	
210	Act. 7.4.e	define right to food		X	
211	Obj. 7.5	responsibilities			
212		no action			



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Actions for WFP direct follow-up	Key Indicators for 1997 Report
Commitment One	
Objective 1.1	
<i>action 1.1 (b): develop democratic, participatory processes</i>	
i. participatory processes in WFP projects	Number of projects with explicit participatory components/countries
<i>action 1.1 (d): recognize indigenous people</i>	
i. food assistance to tribal workers/ community development	Number of projects / countries
Objective 1.3	
<i>action 1.3 (a): mainstream gender in policies (Beijing)</i>	
i. gender action plans to implement Commitments to Women	Progress on Beijing Commitments: i. women control over relief food; ii. actions on micronutrient issue; iii. mechanisms for women leadership; iv. gender equity in management positions; v. targets to invest 60% of resources in women and girls; vi. actions for gender equity in education resource use; vii. assuring long-term project benefits to women; viii. gender-specific reporting; ix. MOUs with partners
ii. gender analysis/planning training	Number of training sessions/ countries
<i>action 1.3 (c): women access to institutions</i>	
i. WFP staffing policy	Percentage of women at management levels
<i>action 1.3 (d): women education and training</i>	
i. Vulnerable Group training	Number of vulnerable group development (VGD) projects
<i>action 1.3 (f): improve gender-specific data</i>	
i. gender-specific reporting	Number of reporting systems developed/ Number of country offices supported by gender specialists
Objective 1.4	
<i>action 1.4 (a): invest in human resource development</i>	
i. support for school feeding and VGD projects	Number of projects/ countries
<i>action 1.4 (b): combat discrimination</i>	
i. WFP interventions for gender equity	(same as for Action 1.3 (a))
ii. interventions for tribal community development	(same as for Action 1.1 (d))
<i>action 1.4 (d): protect children (1990 Summit)</i>	
i. confirmation of projects to ILO standards	ILO involvement in design of WFP's FFW projects
Commitment Two	
Objective 2.1	
<i>action 2.1 (a): implement Copenhagen</i>	
i. support catalyzing self-reliant growth	Total number of development projects
ii. support to human resource development	Number of projects in human resource development (HRD) category/countries
<i>action 2.1 (b): training</i>	
i. support for training	Number of VGD training activities; number of counterparts trained
<i>action 2.1 (c): encourage stable rural employment</i>	
i. FFWs in "hungry seasons"	Number of projects addressing seasonal



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Actions for WFP direct follow-up	Key Indicators for 1997 Report
	hunger/countries
<i>action 2.1 (d): fair return, sustainable agriculture</i>	
i. support to forestry, soil and water conservation/rehabilitation	Number of projects/ countries
<i>action 2.1 (e): access to agricultural resources</i>	
i. support to resettlement schemes	Number of schemes / countries being supported
Objective 2.2	
<i>action 2.2 (a): develop FIVIMS</i>	
i. vulnerability profiles development	Number of countries receiving VAM assistance
ii. capacity-building initiatives	Number of countries benefiting from capacity-building activities
<i>action 2.2 (b): work for unemployed</i>	
i. food-for-work projects	Total number of projects/ countries
<i>action 2.2 (c): safety nets for food-insecure, esp. children</i>	
i. supplementary feeding for children/ mothers	Number of projects/ countries
ii. food for work to avoid seasonal hunger	Number of projects/ countries
Objective 2.3	
<i>action 2.3 (a): monitor food supplies and reserves</i>	
i. joint country food assessment missions	Number of missions/ countries
<i>action 2.3 (c): encourage traditional foods</i>	
i. local purchases and commodity exchanges by WFP	Total tonnage/ countries
<i>action 2.3 (f): promote community-based programs</i>	
i. adoption of participatory approaches in projects	(same as for Action 1.1 (b))
<i>action 2.3 (g): prevent/control microdeficiencies (ICN)</i>	
i. low-cost blended food provision	Number of projects/ countries
ii. food fortification	Number of projects/ countries
Objective 2.4	
<i>action 2.4 (b): promote access to clean water, sanitation</i>	
i. support to clean water/ sanitation projects	Number of projects with such components/ countries
<i>action 2.4 (c): promote access to primary education</i>	
i. school feeding assistance	Number of projects/ countries
<i>action 2.4 (d): promote nutritional and health education</i>	
i. support for nutritional and health education	Number of projects/ countries
Commitment Three	
Objective 3.1	
<i>action 3.1 (g): aquaculture</i>	
i. support to fish farming	Number of projects with fish farming components
<i>action 3.1 (h): forests to enhance food security</i>	
i. support to forest-dependent activities of poor	Number of projects/ countries
Objective 3.2	
<i>action 3.2 (a): monitor natural resources for food prod.</i>	
i. support for natural resource conservation/rehabilitation	(same as for Action 2.1 (d))
<i>action 3.2 (b): improve use of resources for food production</i>	
i. FFWs for forestry, soil and water conservation/rehabilitation	Number of projects/ countries
<i>action 3.2 (c): improve use of water</i>	
i. reducing impact of droughts/floods	Number of projects with related components



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Actions for WFP direct follow-up	Key Indicators for 1997 Report
<i>action 3.2 (g): forests conservation and sustainable use</i>	
i. support for forest/land/water conservation	(same as for Action 3.2 (b))
<i>action 3.2 (k): special actions for stressed areas</i>	
i. assisting areas affected by refugee settlements/emergencies	Number of areas supported
Objective 3.5	
<i>action 3.5 (a): foster revitalization in rural sector</i>	
i. All WFP activities in the rural sectors	(no specific reporting)
<i>action 3.5 (d): develop, diversify rural markets</i>	
i. support through local purchases/ commodity exchanges	Number of countries/ tonnage
ii. support to rural infrastructure	Number of FFWs for rural infrastructure/ countries
<i>action 3.5 (f): develop training for resource management</i>	
i. support for training programs	Number of projects with training components/ countries
<i>action 3.5 (h): promote rural finance systems</i>	
i. support to community credit projects	Number of projects with credit components/ countries
<i>action 3.5 (n): develop South-South cooperation (nutrition)</i>	
i. promoting sharing of knowledge on food assistance	Preparation of catalogue of relevant institutions
Commitment Four	
Objective 4.1	
<i>action 4.1 (a): develop/promote internal markets</i>	
i. local purchases	(same as for Action 2.3 (c))
ii. triangular transactions/ commodity exchanges	Total value/ number of operations
Commitment Five	
Objective 5.2	
<i>action 5.2 (a): prepare vulnerability information</i>	
i. establishment of VAM units	(same as for Action 2.2 (a))
iii. partnerships	Number of major partnerships
Objective 5.3	
<i>action 5.3 (a): strengthen response mechanisms</i>	
i. Rapid Response Teams	Number of deployments
ii. contingency planning (CP)	Number of CP exercises
iii. Augmented Logistics Intervention Team for Emergencies (ALITE):	
a) logistics capacity assessment	Number of assessments
b) Military and Civil Defense activities	Number of key activities
c) Logistics standby capacities	Number of deployments
<i>action 5.3 (b): supervision of response mechanisms</i>	
i. Food Aid Monitors	Number of operations monitored
ii. action under WFP monitoring system	Number of monitoring systems set up
<i>action 5.3 (c): food security reserve policies</i>	
i. WFP support to country-level food reserves	Number of programmss
<i>action 5.3 (d): promote triangular food aid</i>	
i. triangular transactions	Total number/ value in emergency-related regions
<i>action 5.3 (e): protect lives of civilians</i>	
i. WFP-assisted evacuations	Number of evacuation operations/ countries
<i>action 5.3 (f): protect access to food</i>	
i. food aid to save lives	Total beneficiaries/ tonnage/ countries
Objective 5.4	



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Actions for WFP direct follow-up	Key Indicators for 1997 Report
<i>action 5.4 (a): review standards for food relief</i>	
i. WFP/NGO food needs assessments	Total number/ countries
ii. joint WFP/HCR evaluations	Total number/ countries
<i>action 5.4 (b): foster transition from relief to development</i>	
i. projects assisting long-term development in disaster-prone areas	Number of projects / countries
<i>action 5.4 (c): pursue post-emergency rehabilitation</i>	
i. rehabilitation and development support	Total rehab./ dev. projects in disaster-related areas
Commitment Six	
Objective 6.1	
<i>action 6.1 (b): strengthen HRD and public institutions</i>	
i. contributing to national capacity building	Number of national counterparts trained
<i>action 6.1 (c): encourage partnerships</i>	
i. WFP partnerships for co-financing	Number of projects/ countries with co-financing
ii. WFP partnerships for technical collaboration	Number of projects with technical collaborations
Objective 6.2	
<i>action 6.2 (a): raise funding for food security</i>	
i. Fund raising activities/ advocacy	Resources received by WFP
<i>action 6.2 (c): invest in food security and natural resources</i>	
i. WFP investments in natural resources sector	(same as for Action 3.2 (b))
<i>action 6.2 (f): focus ODA on the neediest</i>	
i. WFP relief and development activities in LIFDCs	% of total WFP expenditures
ii. WFP relief and development activities in LDCs (%)	% of total WFP expenditures
iii. WFP development activities in LIFDCs	% of total WFP development assistance
iv. WFP development activities in LDCs	% of total WFP development assistance
<i>action 6.2 (j): promote investments for small-scale producers</i>	
i. WFP support to credit programs	Number of projects with credit components
<i>action 6.2 (k): invest in human resource development</i>	
i. WFP portfolio on education, health and nutrition	Total cost/ countries
Commitment Seven	
Objective 7.1	
<i>action 7.1 (d): encourage role of civil society</i>	
i. partnerships with NGOs	Number of national/international NGO partnerships
<i>action 7.1 (f): collect nutrition information</i>	
i. VAM assistance for collecting nutrition information	Number of countries with VAM assistance
Objective 7.2	
<i>action 7.2 (b): UN discuss FIVIMS</i>	
i. WFP participation in FIVIMS consultations	Participation in consultations
<i>action 7.2 (c): improve data collection</i>	
i. VAM assistance	Number of countries with VAM assistance
ii. data collection under Gender Action Plans	Number of countries providing gender-specific data
<i>action 7.2 (f): increase cooperation and synergy</i>	
i. promoting sharing of food assistance experience/ expertise	(same as for action 3.5 (N))
<i>action 7.2 (g): focus on national capacity building</i>	
i. counterpart training	Number of projects with counterpart training / countries
ii. cataloguing of technical expertise	Progress on catalogue preparation



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Actions for WFP direct follow-up	Key Indicators for 1997 Report
<i>action 7.2 (i): assist countries in implementation</i> (all WFP activities in country operations)	Responses to relevant requests
<i>action 7.2 (j): UN follow-up at national level</i>	
i. WFP participation	WFP participation under leadership of Resident Coordinator
<i>action 7.2 (l): partnerships for cooperation</i>	
i. promoting sharing of food assistance experience/expertise	Actions to encourage exchange of experience
<i>action 7.2 (m): raise profile of food security</i>	
i. global/regional advocacy initiatives	Seminars/ lectures; dialogue with governments
ii. collaborations to combat hunger	Active participation in other agency initiatives
Objective 7.3	
<i>action 7.3 (c): report to the CFS</i>	
i. WFP reporting to CFS	Submission of report to CFS
<i>action 7.3 (f): report to ECOSOC</i>	
i. WFP reports to CFS/FAO Council/ECOSOC	Submission of report

