Situation Update

- WFP conducted an assessment of three border markets in Aweil, Northern Bahr El Ghazal State. Although the basic food commodities, such as sorghum, wheat flour, sugar, broad beans, cooking oil and groundnuts, are available in the markets due to the cross-border trade with Sudan, the food prices are too high for the purchasing power of poor households. These prices are further increasing during the rainy season which makes most of the roads difficult to access or impassable, thus, increasing the transportation costs significantly.

- Widespread insecurity and sporadic fighting in the Equatoria region, the 'breadbasket' of the country, continue to uproot thousands of South Sudanese.

- WFP Aweil market assessment shows that, although the basic food commodities are available in the markets, the food prices are too high for the purchasing power of poor households.

Highlights

- Widespread insecurity and sporadic fighting in the Equatoria region, the 'breadbasket' of the country, continue to uproot thousands of South Sudanese.

In Numbers

- 4.2 million people assisted by WFP (2017)
- 2 million internally displaced people (OCHA)
- 1.8 million South Sudanese refugees (UNHCR)
- 212,969 seeking shelter with the UN (UNMISS)
- 6 million people facing severe food insecurity from June to July 2017 (IPC, June 2017)

Global Humanitarian Funding

Overall:
USD 1.64 billion
WFP share:
USD 774.1 million

WFP 6-month Net Funding Requirements (August 2017—January 2018)

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WFP Response

Food and Nutrition Assistance

- Currently, there are 8 integrated rapid response mechanism (IRRM) teams deployed in Unity, Jonglei and Upper Nile states, providing life-saving food and nutrition assistance to about 186,000 people, including 36,900 children under the age of five. WFP plans to deploy an additional 28 missions in the coming six weeks, assisting approximately 500,000 people.

Supply Chain

- Despite heavy and continuous rainfall across the country which makes most of the main routes difficult to access or impassable, WFP continues to deliver food and nutrition commodities by all means possible – by road, air and river – across South Sudan. WFP has dispatched 226,500mt of food since the beginning of this year.

- Over the past week, a WFP convoy of 28 trucks transported 935mt of food commodities to Kapoeta. In addition, a convoy of 29 trucks, carrying 1,000mt of food commodities is currently in transit from Juba to Bor.

Clusters and Common Services

Food Security & Livelihoods Cluster

- Over the past week, the Food Security and Livelihoods Cluster a range of technical working group (TWG) meetings including the agriculture, cash and livestock and the fisheries TWG.

Logistics Cluster

- In the past week, the Logistics Cluster facilitated the delivery of 94mt of cargo to Chuil, Jiech, Lankien, Mvolo, Pading, Pibor, Thaker, and Wechuol on behalf of 13 organizations.

- The Logistics Cluster supported Inter Cluster Response Missions to Chuil, Mvolo, Pading, and Weichjol by transporting 78mt of shelter and WASH supplies for six organizations.

- The most recent Access Constraints map can be found at this link.

UN Humanitarian Air Service (UNHAS)

- During the week, UNHAS transported 1,921 passengers and 21.4mt of light humanitarian cargo to 59 destinations across South Sudan.

- UNHAS performed two medical evacuations on behalf of two agencies. UNHAS facilitated nine security relocations and eight UNDSS security relocations.

- In support of the Inter-Cluster Working Group (ICWG) Rapid Response Mission (ICRM) mechanism, UNHAS supported two passengers from MEDAIR on a flight from Juba to Mvolo.

Feeder Roads

- Nothing significant to report.
## WFP Operations

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<td><strong>EMOP 200859 TOTAL</strong></td>
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* Unique beneficiaries, excluding overlap **July include overlap of beneficiaries
*** Estimated requirements for Oct-Dec included

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