High-Level Missions

- WFP Executive Director, Mr. David Beasley, and Director General of FAO, Mr. José Graziano da Silva, visited South Sudan on a joint mission on 22 and 23 May 2017. The objective of the high-level mission was to raise awareness of the ongoing humanitarian crisis and strengthen the collaboration with the Government of South Sudan and UN agencies. To this end, the delegation met with the First Vice President of the Republic of South Sudan, H.E. Taban Deng Gai, the UN Special Representative of the Secretary General (SRSG), Mr. David Shearer, and various donors in Juba. Moreover, the delegation visited a protection of civilians (POC) site in Juba and witnessed WFP and FAO operations in action in Ganyiel and Kok in Unity State and personally interacted with people assisted. This was the first visit of the Director General of FAO and the newly appointed Executive Director to WFP operations in South Sudan since he assumed office in April.

Highlights

- Joint Mission of WFP Executive Director and the Director General of FAO visited South Sudan
- Since the beginning of the year WFP assisted a total of 2.8 million people

In Numbers

1.8 million people assisted by WFP (April)
2 million internally displaced people (OCHA)
1.7 million South Sudanese refugees (UNHCR)
217,622 seeking shelter with the UN (UNMISS)
5.5 million people facing severe food insecurity from May to July 2017 (IPC, Feb. 2017)

People assisted
April 2017

GENDER MARKER: EMOP 200859

Global Humanitarian Funding

Overall: USD 1.64 billion
WFP share: USD 774.1 million

WFP 6-month Net Funding Requirements (June—November 2017)

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Food and Nutrition Assistance

- In April, WFP assisted a total of 1.8 million people through general food distributions (GFD), blanket/targeted supplementary feeding for children and pregnant and nursing mothers and food for education programmes. Since the beginning of the year, WFP has assisted a total of 2.8 million people across South Sudan.
- Currently, there are 7 integrated rapid response mechanism (IRRM) teams deployed in Upper Nile, Unity and Jonglei states, providing 2,100mt of life-saving food assistance to about 112,600 people, including 23,400 children under the age of five. WFP plans to deploy an additional 30 missions in the coming weeks, assisting...
approximately 500,000 people with 9,250mt in the coming weeks.

- Distributions in Pieri, Yuai and Kaikuiny were completed successfully as part of the Northern Jonglei displacement response. Over 80,000 people were served in the three locations. WFP teams are currently in Bwong, Wichjol and Karam carrying out caseload verifications and subsequent distributions. River dispatches are planned to begin this week for Akobo locations to include recently verified IDP cases.

- WFP integrated response mobile mission teams have completed distributions in Koch, Bieh, Aburoc, Magok, Pagak, Karmun, and Jairob in Unity, Upper Nile and Jonglei States serving a total of 127,000 people, including 27,200 children under the age of 5.

**Supply Chain**

- To ensure the availability of food items in inaccessible areas of operation during the rainy season, WFP continues to pre-position food commodities. So far, 106,000mt (or 93 percent) of the total plan of 115,000mt of food commodities have been pre-positioned in strategic locations across South Sudan.

- WFP moved 13,666mt of assorted food commodities in 11 convoys from Kosti (Sudan) to Maban via Renk (South Sudan). Moreover, over the past week, a road convoy of 54 trucks was released from Juba to Aweil, Lunyaker, Paliang, Thiet, Kuajok, Wunrok, Kaltok and Rumbek carrying a total of 2,110mt of mixed commodities.

**Clusters and Common Services**

**Food Security & Livelihoods Cluster (FSLC)**

- This week’s FSL cluster meeting focused on identifying prioritizing responses in the Greater Equatoria region.

- As a follow up to the famine conference in Rome in April, the FSLC in collaboration with the Nutrition Cluster continues to work on developing an integration model and action plan to strengthen joint response.

**Logistics Cluster**

- In the past week, the Logistics Cluster facilitated the delivery of approximately 220mt to Aburoc, Akobo, Boma, Buong, Dablual, Dindin, Ganyiel, Kolapach, Malakal, Mer, Mier, Nyal, Old Fangak, Paloich, Pochalla, Rumbek and Thaker on behalf of 24 organizations.

- This week the Logistics Cluster coordinated its 10th convoy along the Western Corridor to Rumbek, Wau, Aweil, and Bentiu on behalf of 3 organizations. The Logistics Cluster coordinated deliveries of 14mt of agriculture, food security and livelihoods and WASH cargo, to four priority locations designated by the Inter Cluster Working Group in response to famine in Central Unity state.

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

**UN Humanitarian Air Service (UNHAS)**

- UNHAS transported 2,034 passengers and 26.6mt of light humanitarian cargo to various destinations and facilitated 51 WFP airdrops, delivering 1,453mt of food.

- UNHAS facilitated the high-level mission of the WFP Executive Director and FAO Director General to Ganyiel. Moreover, UNHAS performed two special flights in support of who’s cholera response in Kuron and a UNDP mission to Aweil.

- UNHAS facilitated the Inter-Agency Working Group’s Rapid Response missions to Aburoc and Buong and provided.

- Two UNHAS flights to Mabior and Alek were cancelled during the week due to bad weather conditions.

- UNHAS continued supporting UNICEF’s child reunification project and facilitated the reunification of th ree children with their families.

**Feeder Roads**

- The contractor working on the construction of culverts along Terekeka–Muni Tombek is expected to complete its work by the end of May with a current completion rate of 95 percent.
WFP Operations

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*Unique beneficiaries, excluding overlap
**May include overlap of beneficiaries
*** Estimated requirements for Oct–Dec 2016

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