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# WFP South Sudan Situation Report #133

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## In Numbers

- 1.69 million** internally displaced people (OCHA estimates)
- 727,607** South Sudanese refugees (UNHCR estimates)
- 160,822** people seeking shelter with the UN (UNMISS estimates)
- 4.8 million** people in emergency or crisis level food insecurity (IPC, May - July 2016)

## Highlights

- Latest round of the [Integrated Food Security Phase Classification](#) (IPC) released.
- GFD scale up reaches over 458,000 people most affected by deteriorating food security.
- Distributions of dry food rations ongoing to displaced people in Wau.

The latest IPC report was released on 28 June and indicates an estimated 4.8 million are facing moderate and severe food insecurity and in need of assistance through July—a rise from 4.3 million in April. This is the highest level of hunger since the beginning of the conflict and a significant increase from the 2.8 million people in January-March 2016. The report highlights that the greatest deterioration in food and nutrition security is affecting new areas, particularly in Greater Bahr el Ghazal and Eastern Equatoria.

## WFP's Activities

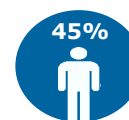
- Mass nutrition screening for children under five and pregnant and nursing mothers is ongoing in sites where people displaced by fighting in Wau are congregating. Results thus far indicate Global Acute Malnutrition (GAM) rates of 18.4 percent and 8.8 percent for children under five at the UNMISS Protection of Civilian (PoC) site and church, respectively. Two week rations of fortified nutrition products are being distributed for moderately malnourished children under five and mothers.
- WFP is planning to roll-out a pilot urban food assistance response, targeting approximately 7,000 households, through a conditional cash based transfer programme. Beneficiaries will receive a cash transfer to allow them to make purchases from local markets at a value of half WFP's in-kind food ration from the local markets. The pilot seeks to address vulnerable households' food insecurity in urban areas by contributing to increased dietary diversity and food consumption.



### Food Assistance

- To support households who have experienced the greatest deterioration in food security in Eastern Equatoria and Greater Bahr-el-Ghazal, WFP has scaled up general food distributions (GFD), reaching about 458,000 people since May. Food assistance for assets programmes are ongoing alongside GFD to help households meet their food needs through the lean season.
- Following the violence which erupted in Wau on 24 June, WFP provided two-day rations of High Energy Biscuits (HEB) to 12,000 newly displaced people at the PoC. Distributions of two week dry rations to this population are ongoing. Two week dry rations are also being distributed to 5,000 displaced people sheltered at the South Sudan Red Cross compound in Wau and 1,500 displaced people in Lokoloko. WFP is also distributing five day rations two churches in Wau where approximately 14,500 people are sheltered. An additional 13mt of HEB have been uplifted to Wau for distribution to displaced people outside of Wau town.
- Through the Integrated Rapid Response Mechanism (IRRM), WFP and its partners recently completed missions in seven locations in Upper Nile and Jonglei, reaching over 94,800 people with approximately 1,700mt of life-saving food assistance in combination with livelihoods and nutrition support and health and WASH services provided by other partners. There are currently six ongoing IRRM missions across Unity and Jonglei with over 210,000 people targeted to receive over 3,600mt of food assistance.

## Beneficiaries (May 2016)



### Logistics

- 1,100mt of sorghum as part of a trial delivery from Eritrea has arrived in Kosti (Sudan) and dispatches to Renk (South Sudan) commenced this week. So far over 520mt have been received in Renk.

## Clusters and Special Operations



### Logistics Cluster

- In the past week, the Logistics Cluster coordinated the delivery of 92mt of humanitarian relief items to Akobo, Bentiu-Rubkona, Koch, Lankien, Nyal, Old Fangak, Paloich, Walgak and Wau on behalf of 10 organizations.
- In response to the emergency in Wau, the Logistics Cluster coordinated the movement of 12mt of WASH and nutrition supplies from Rumbek to Wau on behalf of Oxfam and UNICEF. Two Mobile Storage Units were also transported for common storage in Wau. The Logistics Cluster will continue to support the response in Wau through airlifts where urgent stock gaps are identified by the Inter-Cluster Working Group in Wau.
- The Logistics Cluster barge arrived in Malakal on 29 June, carrying 505mt of Education, Health, Operational Support, Shelter, and WASH supplies on behalf of five organizations.
- The most recent Access Constraints map can be found at the following link: <http://www.logcluster.org/map/access-constraints-map-24-june-2016>.



### UN Humanitarian Air Service (UNHAS)

- Over the past week, UNHAS transported 1,709 passengers and 19.8mt of light humanitarian cargo with the fleet of 9 fixed-wing aircraft and 4 helicopters.
- Following the outbreak of violence in Wau, UNHAS performed an emergency flight on 26 July in support of UNSS' humanitarian support mission to Wau. UNHAS also facilitated the special mission of the Deputy Special Representative of the Secretary General (DSRSG) and the Humanitarian Country Team to assess the humanitarian situation in Wau.
- On the request of Population Services International (PSI), UNHAS performed security relocation of six staff out of Wau.
- Seven medical evacuations were facilitated on UNHAS regular flights from Ajuong Thok, Maban, Malakal, Mingkaman, Mogok and Yei for UNHCR, CCM, CRS and NPA.
- UNHAS continues to support UNICEF's Child Reunification Programme. During the reporting period five children were reunited with their families in Juba.
- Team deployments of WFP and cooperating partners' IRRM missions were supported to Ayueldit, Duk Padiet, Motot and Ulang.
- During the week, flights were cancelled to 19 destinations affecting 401 passengers. The cancellation of outbound flights from Juba on 27 June due to lack of power at the Juba Airport terminal contributed largely to the number of cancellations. In addition, seasonal rain remains a significant operational challenge during this period of the year.



### Food Security & Livelihoods Cluster (FSLC)

- FSLC partners participated in the official release of the IPC update on 29 June, hosted by the Ministry of Agriculture and Food Security.
- FSLC partners have provided food and livelihoods support in all three counties of Western Bahr el Ghazal in response to the recent outbreak of fighting.



### Emergency Telecommunications

#### Cluster (ETC)

- The ETC is carrying out a technical assessment of the location identified by OCHA as the Humanitarian Hub in Wau to determine communication requirements required by humanitarian responders. VSAT and internet services will be installed and commissioned next week.
- Survey and maintenance of the security telecommunications system and interagency radio telecommunications center in Malakal has been carried out to ensure that it is fully operational and consistent access to the network is uninterrupted.



### Feeder Roads

- Enumerator training is ongoing this week in Torit in preparation for the annual monitoring and evaluation exercise.
- Works are on-going on Kangi-Kuajok and Kuajok-Lunyaker roads.
- WFP held a monthly progress meeting with donors to provide an update on contributions and construction work in Western Bahr el Ghazal and Warrap states.

WFP Operations in South Sudan			
	2016 Requirements (in USD)	6 Months Net Funding Requirements (July-December) (in USD)	People Reached (May 2016)
<b>EMOP 200859 (Oct 2015–Sept 2016)</b>	424.4 million	66.7 million*	1,095,226
<b>PRRO 200572 (Jan 2014–Dec 2016)</b>	277 million	39.4 million*	910,235
<b>SO 200775 Food Security and Livelihoods Cluster (Jan 2015–Dec 2016)</b>	585,000	0	N/A
<b>SO 200778 Logistics Cluster (Jan 2015–Dec 2016)</b>	36.2 million	12 million	N/A
<b>SO 200931 ETC (Jan-Dec 2016)</b>	663,000	0	N/A
<b>SO 200786 UNHAS (Jan 2015–Dec 2016)</b>	58.6 million	8.3 million	N/A
The Feeder Roads Special Operation has a total budget of US\$167.3 million, with a shortfall of US\$70.4 million.			

\*as of 1 June 2016

### 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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