In Numbers

5.1 million people facing severe food insecurity from January–March 2018 (IPC November 2017)
4.8 million people assisted by WFP in 2017
1.9 million internally displaced people (OCHA)
2 million South Sudanese refugees (UNHCR)
204,247 seeking shelter with the UN (UNMISS)

Situation Update

- Along with the Government, WFP, FAO, UNICEF and some 27 FSL cluster partners have joined the bi-annual Integrated Food Security Phase Classification (IPC) analysis which takes place over two weeks to determine the causes and severity of food insecurity across the country. The outcome will determine the programming and resource allocation for various actors including WFP, FAO and other FSL partners over the next 6 months. Data for the analysis has been drawn from various sources including, the WFP/FAO/UNICEF’s Food Security and Nutrition Monitoring System (FSNMS); assessments and county profiles from FSL partners, OCHA integrated assessment missions and key informants from the WFP/FAO field-office teams and various FSL partners working on the ground.

Highlights

- WFP conducted registrations and food distributions to 18,000 people in the Baggari area, Western Bahr el Ghazal.
- The Integrated Food Security Phase Classification (IPC) process is currently ongoing with the participation of the Government of South Sudan and food and nutrition sector partners.

Food and Nutrition Assistance

- Food deliveries and distributions through the integrated rapid response mechanism (IRRM) teams were recently completed in Leer, Din Din and Thonyor (Leer County), Ganyiel (Panyijiar) and Dablual (Mayendit), Wangkei (Mayom), Rubkuay (Mayendit), Gum, Nyanapol, Karmun and Kiechkoun (Ayod). Ongoing airdrops are taking place in Paguer, New Fangak (Fangak) and Normanyang (Ayod).
- Distribution activities are planned to start early February in Kueryiek (Mayom), Ngueny (Nassir), Riang (Ulang) and Gaireng (Nassir).
- WFP conducted registrations and distributed 350mt of food to over 18,000 people in two locations in the Baggari area, Western Bahr el Ghazal. The last humanitarian response by WFP and partners in the area was in November 2017. In the latest IPC released in November, the greater Baggari in Wau County was of great concern with 10 percent of its population of...
25,000 in Catastrophe due to insecurity, sporadic humanitarian access since 2016, a lack of freedom of movement and a loss of livelihoods.

**Gender and Protection**

- WFP conducted a mission to Malakal in late January to support the WFP complaints and feedback mechanism as well as provide a one-day training on gender, protection and accountability to affected populations (AAP) for WFP staff and cooperating partners. This was also an opportunity to follow up on the establishment of the beneficiary community based complaints developed by the Prevention of Sexual Exploitation and Abuse (PSEA) taskforce and to meet with the WFP PSEA and the WFP gender focal points.
- WFP conducted a retreat to discuss the WFP’s Gender and Protection interventions within the context of the Interim Country Strategic Plan for 2018. This was an opportunity for WFP to strengthen its contribution to the implementation of national frameworks and strategies that reflect the gender and protection priorities. In addition, it was an opportunity to collect lessons learnt in 2017 and to enhance collaboration and partnerships for 2018. UN agencies and government stakeholders participated in the retreat.

**Supply Chain**

- A total 5,423mt of assorted commodities have been delivered by air since the start of the year to hard-to-reach areas.
- As part of efforts to enhance air operations ground staff capacity, WFP conducted a refresher training for Drop Zone Coordinators. This was the first of a series of trainings targeting all 22 Drop Zone Coordinators across the country.
- WFP is conducting direct deliveries from the southern corridor to extended delivery points and hubs via Nimule in South Sudan to reduce the lead time. Convoys are currently in transit from Uganda (4,523mt) and from Kenya (494mt) to South Sudan. There are also convoys in transit from the Northern corridor, Sudan (6,306mt) and eastern corridor, Ethiopia (784mt) to South Sudan.

**Clusters and Common Services**

**Food Security & Livelihoods Cluster**

- To improve integration of interventions to prevent and respond to famine the four clusters: FSL, Nutrition, Health and WASH held a one day workshop with their respective Strategic Advisory Board members (NGOs, donors, cluster lead agencies: WFP, FAO, UNICEF, WHO etc.).
- FSL cluster agreed on the minimum packages, delivery platforms (facility, community and household) and key process and outcome indicators. Operational constraints were identified especially around sub national coordination and collaboration to ensure co-location and that distribution lists for vulnerable households are shared amongst relevant actors.
- An information management group was formed to provide monthly updates of shock monitoring and mapping of data from all four cluster with the support of REACH.

**Logistics Cluster**

- The Logistics Cluster facilitated the transportation of 166mt of Camp Coordination and Camp Management (CCCM), Food Security, General Operations, Health, Logistics, Nutrition, Shelter, and WASH cargo to 18 locations on behalf of 18 organizations.
- The Logistics Cluster will host a mission from Rome from 5 – 9 February that will assist partners on addressing constraints facing humanitarian organizations such as customs, tax exemptions, and other impediments.
- The first Bor to Malakal barge for 2018 is currently being loaded.
- The second Logistics Cluster coordinated convoy along the Western Corridor for 2018 departed on 1 February.
- The most recent Access Constraints map can be found at this link.

**UN Humanitarian Air Service (UNHAS)**

- UNHAS transported 3,968 passengers and 66.8mt light humanitarian cargo to 77 destinations across South Sudan.
- UNHAS performed eight medical evacuations from seven locations to Juba and 24 security relocations on behalf of two agencies from Akobo, Bor and Mingkaman to Juba.
- In support of the inter-cluster working group rapid response mission (ICRM), UNHAS transported 15 passengers from eight organizations from/to Malakal, Tonga, and Urieng.
- As part of the UNICEF family reunification project, UNHAS transported 12 passengers to be reunified with their families.
- UNHAS performed a high-level mission on behalf of UNDP, transporting the Humanitarian Coordinator and other high-level delegates to Yambio.
### WFP Operations

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### ICSP 2018

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*Unique beneficiaries, excluding overlap ** includes overlap of beneficiaries *** the assistance until Dec 2017 was under PRRO/ EMOP.

### 2016-2017 WFP South Sudan donors (listed alphabetically)*:

[Flag images of various countries]

* Not included: SSHF and Private Donors

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