



WFP South Sudan

Situation Report #232

9 November 2018

In Numbers

4.4 million people facing crisis or emergency levels of acute food insecurity in October—December 2018 ([IPC](#))

2.1 million acutely malnourished women and children ([HRP](#))

2.96 million people assisted by WFP in September 2018

1.76 million internally displaced people ([OCHA](#))

2.47 million South Sudanese refugees ([UNHCR](#))

Highlights

- WFP has completed another round of the response in Central and Southern Unity, after clashes broke out in July 2018. Part of the population was classified as Integrated Phase Classification (IPC) phase 5 (Catastrophe) for the period October—December 2018 in the projections of the report released in September 2018.
- WFP has successfully delivered 283,800 mt so far in 2018, the highest in five years, thanks to road deliveries despite abnormal rainfall, and the opening of new river corridors: Sobat and Zaraf river.

People assisted September 2018



Global Humanitarian Funding

Overall:
USD 1.72 billion
WFP share:
USD 827 million

WFP 6-month Net Funding Requirements (November 2018– April 2019)

USD 562.7 m

Strategic Outcome 1

Food-insecure women, men and children in crisis-affected areas have access to safe and nutritious food

412.2 m

Strategic Outcome 2

People at risk of malnutrition in crisis affected areas, specially young children and pregnant and lactating women, are able to meet their basic nutrition requirements all year round

123.6 m

Strategic Outcome 3

Food-insecure smallholders and communities in non-conflict zones have enhanced livelihoods and resilience to seasonal climate shocks throughout the year

14.1 m

Strategic Outcome 4

The humanitarian community has access to reliable common services until satisfactory alternatives are available

12.8 m

Situation Update

- The people of South Sudan celebrated the new peace agreement the 31 October. WFP is hopeful for the impact of an end to hostilities for those most affected by 5 years of conflict.
- WFP has conducted a rapid assessment on October 24—26 in Duk Pagaak and Duk Pajat. In both locations, food security and nutrition were reported to be very poor due to conflict, cattle raiding and child abduction. Most pressing humanitarian needs reported include food, along with medicines, water and other non food items.

WFP Response



Food and Nutrition Assistance

- WFP assisted 161,300 people in hard-to-reach areas through the Integrated Rapid Response Mechanism (IRRM), distributing 2,700 mt of food and nutrition commodities across five counties (Ayod, Leer, Koch, Nassir and Nyriol) in the past two weeks.
- WFP is providing support to the safe, voluntary and dignified return of 221 people of concern from the Bor Protection of Civilians site to Akobo. WFP is providing an initial one month ration and then incorporating them into the beneficiaries' list in Akobo.
- WFP has so far received 204 proposals for Field Level Agreement from Cooperating Partners, which includes 98 under the 'open call for proposal' category and 106 under the 'continue partnership category'.
- WFP sponsored a workshop in Rome last week on lessons learned from SCOPE CODA pilot countries. WFP, UNICEF, Medair and ACF were in attendance from South Sudan. They discussed challenges faced during implementation. WFP will be developing a SCOPE CODA scale up strategy for 2019, in close partnership with UNICEF and other partners.

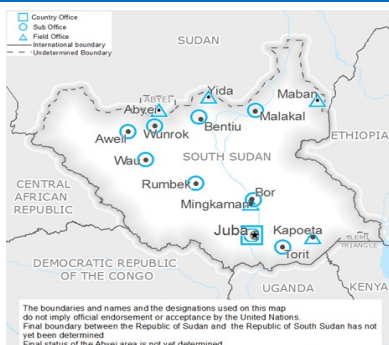


Photo: WFP/ Gabriela Vivaqua

Caption: Akon Majok (43) proudly smiles while showing the groundnut harvested from her feddan in Kuac South, Warrap State. "Now I have skills, no one can take this from me!" In Warrap, WFP is currently assisting 198.678 beneficiaries under Food for Asset Programme.

- WFP, as co lead of the Inter Agency Working Group with Danish Aid, building upon its technical expertise and experience is providing support to organizations planning to implement cash programmes as part of the Humanitarian Response Plan for 2019. WFP provides customized guidance on the design and mainstreaming of cash programming across the different clusters.



Supply Chain

- WFP has reached 283,800 mt of primary dispatches, the highest in five years. Despite abnormal rainfall this year, a key trunk road (Juba—Rumbek) have been kept passable thanks to WFP's road repairs, as well as reconnaissance and recovery teams. Moreover, WFP successfully opened new river corridors: Sobat and Zaraf river. These projects contribute to a significant increase in tonnage delivered during the rainy season.
- WFP and HELP Logistics, an operational arm of the Kuehne Foundation, conducted an independent analysis of WFP's supply chain resilience in case of Ebola outbreak in three Equatorial States. The outcomes showed WFP food supply chain is resilient to absorb sudden shocks and disruptions in case the southern corridor is closed for up to 60 days, based on existing food stock and WFP Fleet capacity.



Safety Nets and Resilience

- WFP is working with FAO, UNDP and UNICEF, as part of the inter-agency Joint Recovery and Stabilization Programme (JRSP) in Northern Bahr el Ghazal, to provide multi-sectoral support to build community resilience, reinvigorate the local economy, provide basic services, and support peacebuilding and social cohesion. As part of this joint programming approach, WFP has provided food for training to 177 people who are graduating from a UNDP supported vocational and skills training programme. Jointly with FAO, WFP is supporting over 16,000 households to create productive and community based assets while FAO is providing key agricultural inputs and agronomic training.



Monitoring, Evaluation, Accountability and Learning (MEAL)

- WFP is conducting the post-distribution monitoring (PDM) exercise for General Food Distribution (GFD) activities in 13 field offices and five rapid response mechanism locations. The PDM includes refugee, internally displaced and resident populations in 33 locations across 25 counties. Over the last two weeks, the PDM was successfully implemented in locations in Mundri, some of which have been inaccessible since 2016. This was a coordinated effort between the WFP's MEAL, Access and Security Units.

Clusters and Common Services



Logistics Cluster

- Over the last two weeks, the Logistics Cluster facilitated the transport of 841 MT of CCM, Education, Nutrition, Health, Shelter and WASH items to 24 locations on behalf of 19 organisations including International NGO such as the Danish Refugee Council and National NGO such as Nile Hope Development Forum.
- The sixth Logistics Cluster-coordinated barge departed from Bor on 2 November and is now on its way to Malakal. The seventh and last barge movement of the year will depart in December.
- The most recent Access constraint map can be found at this link [here](#).
- The Logistics Cluster continues to act as the focal point for WFP in Ebola Preparedness activities. The Advanced Preparedness Actions have been completed both at Country Office and Wau and Yambio Field Offices. An internal coordination cell chaired by the Logistics Cluster has also been formed last week including focal points from Programme, Logistics, Administration and Security. WFP South Sudan as shared with RBN a procurement plan for basic sanitation items to be procured from Uganda and Kenya, the items should be received soon. Ebola guidance material has been uploaded on the [Logistics Cluster Website](#) to enable widescale sharing of information.



UN Humanitarian Air Service (UNHAS)

- Over the last two weeks, UNHAS transported 3,167 passenger and 41.1 mt light humanitarian cargo to 74 destinations across South Sudan.
- UNHAS performed one medical evacuation from Yambio to Juba.
- In support of the UNICEF Family Reunification project, UNHAS transported five people to be reunited with their families.
- UNHAS facilitated a charter on behalf of USAID to/from Malakal.
- WFP Aviation performed 84 airdrop flights, dropping 2,564mt of WFP food commodities..

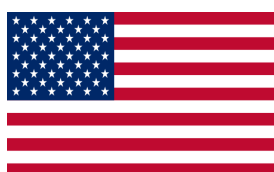
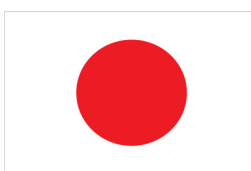
WFP Interim Country Strategic Plan

	Total Requirements (in USD)	Total Received (in USD) *	6 Months Net Funding Requirements** (in USD)	People Assisted*** (September 2018)	Female	Male
ICSP TOTAL (2018-2020)	2.99b	588.8	562.7	2,961,811	1,609,687	1,352,124
Activity 1 Provide nutrition-sensitive food assistance to crisis-affected populations Strategic Result 1: Access to food	1683.3	340.1	350.8	2,170,170	1,142,166	1,028,005
Activity 2 Provide food and nutrition assistance to refugees Strategic Result 1: Access to food	317.3	74.4	61.4	273,452	148,954	124,498
Activity 3 Provide nutrition assistance to populations at risk of malnutrition Strategic Result 2: End malnutrition	483.8	29.8	123.6	178,932	130,829	48,103
Activity 4 Provide livelihood support and build resilience of rural households Strategic Result 3: Smallholder Productivity and Income	182.0	50.9	14.1	339,257	187,739	151,518
Activity 5 Operate air services for the humanitarian community Strategic Result 8: Global Partnerships	149.8	48.8	5.4	N/A	N/A	N/A
Activity 6 Coordinate the Logistics Cluster in support of the humanitarian community Strategic Result 8: Global Partnerships	64.8	25.9	3.6	N/A	N/A	N/A
Activity 7 Supply Chain provision Strategic Result 8: Global Partnerships	4.5	-	2.5			
Activity 8 Inter-Agency IT Communication Service Strategic Result 8: Global Partnerships	2.3	0.1	1.2			
Non Activity Specific funding	103.9	18.9				

*Includes contributions received in 2017 and 2018, but specifically earmarked for the ICSP, which began on 1 January 2018. Excludes multi-year contribution for 2019 onwards. **November 2018 – April 2019 ***Unique beneficiaries, excluding overlap among activities.

Focus Area for Activity 1-3, 5-6: Crisis response. Focus Area for Activity 4: Resilience building.

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