In Numbers

**USD 2 m** cash-based transfers made*

**USD 4 m** six months (July-December 2023) net funding requirements, representing 51 percent of total.

**22,670 people assisted**
in JUNE 2023

*Preliminary figures

Operational Updates

- In June, WFP assisted 21,180 migrants and 152 Peruvians through cash-based transfers (CBT) as part of its emergency operation closely with cooperating partners. WFP provides a monthly transfer for three-month adapted to family size (transfer value from USD 100 to USD 350) for migrants residing in the country. WFP also assists in-transit migrants in the northern and southern borders and one inland area with a one-off value voucher to improve access to prepared food and basic hygiene items.

- WFP continued with the emergency operation to assist households through CBT in Piura, Tumbes, La Libertad and Lambayeque, severely affected by heavy rains. Since March, this operation benefited 8,127 people (1,334 people in June).

- WFP provided logistics services nationwide to transport 40 mt of food and non-food items on behalf of nine partners, including the Government and the National Institute of Civil Defence, benefiting 14,300 people. The services were delivered to attend to emergency response due to landslides caused by heavy rains in Ancash, Cajamarca, Ica, Lambayeque, Lima, La Libertad, Piura and Tumbes.

- WFP provides technical and logistical assistance to address the food emergency in Lima declared on 31 January. WFP transported 91 mt of food for the Lima Foundation to assist in Lima’s peri-urban areas, 10,700 households in 665 ollas comunes. In addition, WFP also transported 152 mt of food and non-food items for other humanitarian partners from the agroindustry to assist 8,300 households.

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On 26 June, WFP organized a workshop in Piura to implement policies related to disaster risk management and emergency preparedness and strengthen the implementation processes of health, nutrition and food security policies, through research, design and execution of interventions to prevent and reduce malnutrition.

On 15 June, with more than 3,500 people, WFP participated in the "Regional Meeting of Local Associations UNICA: protagonists of development" event to share the experience and inspire about the Ellas Pueden pilot project.

WFP in coordination with the Ministry of Agriculture successfully concluded the training modules to 60 public officers (70 percent men and 30 percent women) from local governments to enhance capacities of local governments to allow smallholder farmers access to public procurement processes.

On 26 June, WFP organized a workshop in Moyobamba to revised and approved protocols to manage the reactive emergency response of each of the social programmes available in the area. The workshop was attended by 48 participants (10 women and 38 men), including officials from regional and provincial governments and representatives from the National Institute of Civil Defence and the Ministry of Development and Social Inclusion.

In 2023, heavy rains significantly affected Peru. In March, Cyclone Yaku, the first cyclone to hit the Peruvian Pacific in 40 years, produced torrential rains. Heavy rains are expected to continue due to El Niño Phenomenon.

As of 26 June, the National Humanitarian Network and the Government's preliminary calculations based on official figures and vulnerability studies indicate that 788,000 people have urgent humanitarian needs.

Peru is experiencing prolonged political and social instability, intensified by food insecurity due to the current crises and climate shocks, which affect markets and supply chains. The Government has implemented economic bonuses, food assistance, and emergency measures to support the agricultural sector. These factors are expected to pressure the already fragile economies of vulnerable households, including migrants and refugees, with limited access to national social protection programmes.