

## **COUNTRY CONTEXT**

World Food

Programme



# **COUNTRY STRATEGIC PLAN (CSP)** focused on six strategic outcomes



Food insecure populations have access to adequate food during lean season (15%)



Vulnerable populations have improved nutritional status all year-round (25%)



Food insecure populations exposed to climatic shocks have resilient livelihoods, and sustainable food systems (21%)



National and local institutions have strengthened capacities by 2023 (8%)



Crisis-affected households and communities can meet their basic food and nutrition needs (29%)



Humanitarian and development partners have access to common services (2%)



**CSP budget 106** USD million | **47%** funded

March **2022** 

**EVALUATION** 

March 2023

# **KEY FINDINGS & CONCLUSIONS**

**EVIDENCE BASE AND STRATEGIC ORIENTATION** 





Supported the implementation of national strategies



Relevant to needs of people food insecure; Cadre Harmonisé helped target most vulnerable

Strong positioning with national institutions in school feeding, nutrition and resilience



**Opportunities** for strengthening synergies with **Rome-based** agencies



Strengthened national capacities in school feeding and nutrition



Promising prospects for the agricultural insurance programme

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School feeding promoted enrollment, but weak linkages with nutrition and local production activities



Lean season support through cash-based transfers appreciated, though beneficiary needs only partially covered

### **CROSS-CUTTING AIMS**



**Resilience** activities supported women's financial empowerment and social cohesion in communities



Improved beneficiary awareness of assistance, lack of tailored approaches for specific vulnerable groups



Capacity strengthening laid foundation for increased government ownership of school feeding and malnutrition management





Gradual shift to cash-based transfers improved logistical and operational efficiency



Swift and flexible response to government requests, though delays across some activities

### FACTORS AFFECTING CSP PERFORMANCE



Varied collaborations with government, though social protection integration could be reinforced



Resource mobilization improving, contributions becoming more flexible



Limited country office expertise in policy dialogue and social protection

# RECOMMENDATIONS

## CONTRIBUTION TO CSP STRATEGIC OUTCOMES

Continue to support government institutions to strengthen their capacity to implement CSP-related policies

Consolidate and strengthen support to the National School Feeding Programme and promote Home-Grown School Feeding

#### Improve convergence and coherence of operations to increase effectiveness and ensure sustainability of results



Based on analysis, agree on and communicate WFP Senegal's strategy on gender equality and women's empowerment

#### Provide solutions to accelerate administration of cooperating partners



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