



World Food Programme

SAVING LIVES  
CHANGING LIVES

# WFP BANGLADESH 2023 AT A GLANCE

FULL REPORT



**1.4 m**  
people reached

**52%** female  
**48%** male



**31,000+**  
persons with disabilities supported

## IN NUMBERS



**US\$124 m** distributed in cash transfers and commodity vouchers



**12,509 mt** food distributed



**134,000** Bangladeshis supported with food and cash after severe floods in the southeast



**28,000** Bangladeshis provided cash assistance ahead of cyclones and floods

## HUMANITARIAN RESPONSE



**947,000** Rohingyas supported with monthly food rations



**275,000** Rohingya children reached with fortified biscuits



**212,000** Rohingya women and children reached with nutrition services through **179** nutrition sites



**10,200** young Rohingya volunteers trained in capacity development



**178,600** Rohingyas benefitted from homestead gardening and aquaculture

## CONTRIBUTION TO LOCAL ECONOMY



Engaged **400** farmers in supplying fresh produce to WFP outlets



Sold over **BDT97 million** worth of farm produce through WFP aggregation centers



Contributed **US\$96 million** to local economy via procurement for Rohingya response



**US\$208,000** savings by Bangladeshi women participating in livelihoods programme



**99%** of food commodities procured nationally

## STRENGTHENING SOCIAL PROTECTION



Supported Bangladesh to join **Global School Meals Coalition** - a milestone in country's school feeding journey



Scaled up mother and child Benefit programme to reach **1.2 m** people – five times more than in 2022



Supported the Government to distribute fortified rice to **14.7 m** social protection beneficiaries



Co-authored a **Policy brief** on women economic empowerment through digital financial inclusion



Integrated **shock responsive** elements to mitigate impacts of climate-related shocks

## RESILIENCE BUILDING



Developed **6** tools for future FbF activation



**3,500** Bangladeshi smallholder farmers insured with climate risk insurance



Trained **2,500** women on entrepreneurship and climate-adaptive livelihoods



Trained **4,800** Bangladeshi farmers on climate risk insurance

## COMMON SERVICES TO CRISIS RESPONSE



**Led** food security and common services sector on Bhasan Char



Provided Emergency Telecommunications to **21** organizations



**62** partner organizations coordinated by Cox's Bazar Food Security Sector



**4** warehouses managed by common logistics services

## CROSSCUTTING RESULTS



Integrated nutrition in research and analysis to guide design and advocacy



Ensured safety, dignity and accountability to beneficiaries



Prioritized disability inclusion and women participation



Minimized environmental footprint through operational efficiency



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