

# WFP Bhutan

## 2024 Annual Country Report Overview



World Food Programme

SAVING LIVES  
CHANGING LIVES

### KEY MESSAGES

- 1 In December 2023,** Bhutan achieved a significant milestone by graduating from the Least Developed Country category, reflecting remarkable progress in economic resilience and development.
- 2 In 2024, WFP supported Bhutan's development,** focusing on food systems, school nutrition, emergency preparedness, and resilience building, aligning with Bhutan's 13th Five-Year Plan, addressing economic, social, security, and governance objectives.
- 3 Key accomplishments included** significant strides in capacity strengthening and support to multiple stakeholders across Bhutan.

### FUNDING

US\$ **2.9** million  
received in 2024



US\$ **4.9** million  
required in 2024





# CLIMATE RESILIENCE and FOOD SYSTEMS



**5,202 people**

supported by WFP technical assistance programmes



**1,202**

national-level stakeholders benefited from capacity strengthening initiatives



**52**

training workshops conducted by WFP



**300**

farmers from farmer-based organizations supported by WFP



**15**

national institutions engaged in skills and knowledge transfer via WFP



**195**

agriculture value chain actors supported by WFP



Farmers planting rice in their rice paddy fields. Rice is a staple for Bhutanese people. The challenges faced by smallholder farmers are the changing weather and erratic (rainfall) patterns. ©WFP/Rein Skullerud

# NUTRITION AND EMERGENCY PREPAREDNESS & RESPONSE



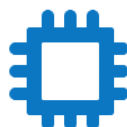
**164** government staff participated in capacity strengthening initiatives



**First-ever** development of 13 emergency logistics manuals for government agencies



**US\$48,000** training workshops conducted by WFP



**21** government officers introduced to PRISM, a dashboard for climate risk and impact analysis



**35** government officers trained in emergency logistics capacity assessment



100,000 school children benefited from improved localized school feeding menus developed through the School Menu Planner (SMP) platform, as well as training of cooks in food preparation. ©WFP/Rein Skullerud



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