East Africa Regional Overview

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Last year, WFP... reached +20 million PEOPLE WITH SOME FORM OF ASSISTANCE*

injected USD 232 million INTO THE LOCAL ECONOMY THROUGH CASH-BASED TRANSFERS*

purchased 616,000 MT OF FOOD COMMODITIES, EQUIVALENT TO USD192 MILLION*

... in East Africa

* Preliminary figures
2019 food security outlook for East Africa

+19M
FOOD INSECURE PEOPLE*

+10M
IDPs AND REFUGEES*

1.9M
CHILDREN UNDER 5 ACCUTELY MALNOURISHED**

* As of January 2019
** In Ethiopia, Kenya, Somalia and South Sudan
In South Sudan 7 million people in need of food assistance in 2019

+13% INCREASE IN THE NUMBER OF PEOPLE IN NEED OF FOOD ASSISTANCE IN THE LAST YEAR

848,000 794,000 422,000
SUDAN UGANDA ETHIOPIA

2.3 million REFUGEES IN NEIGHBOURING COUNTRIES*

1.8 million INTERNALLY DISPLACED PEOPLE

* There vast majority of refugees are hosted by Sudan, Uganda and Ethiopia. Kenya (116,211 people) and the DRC (96,042 people) also host South Sudanese refugees. Data as of February 2019.
**Ebola preparedness in RBN**

- **869 cases** confirmed and probable
- **546 deaths** confirmed and probable

WFP’s logistical support in all four Priority 1 Countries: Burundi, Rwanda, South Sudan and Uganda

- **75** TENTS, CONTAINERS, AND ETUs
- **9** AMBULANCES
- **9** LOGISTICS SECTOR COORDINATION

Regional Common Logistics Services Staging Area in Entebbe

*As of 23 February 2019*
The Secretary-General’s Comprehensive Regional Prevention Strategy for the Horn of Africa

REGIONAL PEACE AND SECURITY

RESILIENCE AND SOCIO-ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT

INCLUSIVE AND RESPONSIVE GOVERNANCE

SUSTAINABLE NATURAL RESOURCES DEVELOPMENT AND CLIMATE RESILIENCE

Cross-cutting issues: gender, youth, migration and human rights
Progress towards gender parity

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