



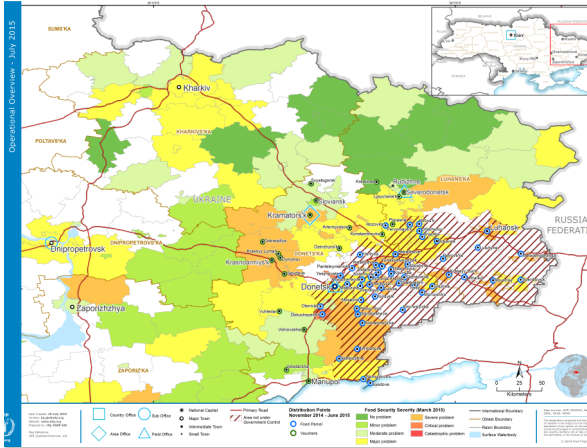
Food distribution in Bryanka © Mercy Corps



World Food Programme

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Emergency Response: Ukraine Crisis



Emergency Operation Ukraine 200765

Highlights

- The UN World Food Programme (WFP) is scaling up its emergency operation in eastern Ukraine to provide in total over 500,000 conflict-affected people with food assistance until the end of the year.
- This is almost triple the number of people WFP has been reaching since November 2014 through food distributions in the Donetsk and Luhansk oblasts. With the current expansion of its assistance, WFP will carry out food distributions in three additional oblasts: Kharkivska, Dnipropetrovsk and Zaporizhzhya.
- WFP's implementation capacity and presence has been reinforced with an Area Office in Kramatorsk and two sub-offices (in Donetsk and Severodonetsk).

In numbers

5 million people in need of humanitarian assistance (OCHA)
1.3 million people in need of food assistance (Multi-Sector Needs Assessment)
1.3 million people displaced (OCHA)

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Achievements to date since November 2014

152,000 people reached
90,000 received food parcels
62,000 received vouchers

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Funding Update

Total Budget: USD 56 million
Net shortfall: USD 27.2 million

Situation Update

- With support from the Logistics Cluster, joint humanitarian convoys are crossing to the non-government controlled areas carrying food and hygiene items.

WFP Response

- Under its Emergency Operation, from November 2014 to June 2015, WFP has reached 152,000 individuals. As of 30 June 2015, more than 90,000 people received food parcels and 62,000 people received food vouchers.



Food Assistance

- In June, WFP reached out 20,400 people with food parcels and 20,500 people through market-based vouchers in eastern Ukraine (each voucher is 450 Ukrainian Hryvnia/USD 20).
- In this new phase of its operation, WFP will continue to support internally displaced persons in government-controlled areas through cash and voucher transfers and people in non-government controlled areas through food rations. WFP will also support people in schools, orphanages, hospitals

and other institutions in non-government controlled areas, as well as providing supplementary food to prevent and combat malnutrition among children under age two, who are identified as most at risk.

Clusters



Food Security Cluster (FSC)

- WFP and FSC partners reached 140,987 beneficiaries in 11 regions of Ukraine between January - May 2015; 90 percent of the food security assistance is provided in the Donbas region (Donetsk and Luhansk).
- FSC have updated the targeting and rationing criteria (document available on FSC website).
- FSC intend to activate sub-national coordination, initially in Kramatorsk and then to other parts of the affected region.

Webpage: <http://foodsecuritycluster.net/countries/ukraine>



Logistics Cluster

- The Logistics Cluster is responsible for coordination, information management, and, where necessary, logistics service provision to ensure an effective and efficient logistics response takes place in each and every operation. Since its activation in February 2015, the Logistics Cluster has transported 300 mt of relief items into the non-government controlled areas.
- The Logistics Cluster has started to organize convoys once a week, from the government controlled areas to cross into the non government controlled areas.
- Since 19 June four convoys were organized with the total of 24 trucks transporting WFP food and 14 trucks of Logistics Cluster, transporting food and non food items for humanitarian assistance.

Webpage: <http://www.logcluster.org/contact>

Partnerships

- At the moment, WFP has three key NGO partners: ADRA (Adventist Development and Relief Agency), People in Need (PIN) and Mercy Corps.

Resourcing Update

- The new project requirements have increased by USD 34.5 million, with a revised budget of USD 56 million. WFP urgently needs **USD 27.2 million** to continue to provide assistance through December 2015.
- For the next three months (July – September 2015), the EMOP has a net shortfall of **USD 11.1 million**.

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WFP Operation							
	Project Duration	Planned number of people	Total requirements (in US\$)	Total received (in US\$)	6 month Shortfall (%)	People Assisted	
						Number of people to be reached	Number of people reached
EMOP, 200765	Nov 14- Dec 15	575,000	55,981,055	18,594,927	66.8%	575,000	152,000

Ukraine: EMOP 200765

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