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World Food Programme

Country: South Sudan

Highlights

- **WFP and UNICEF deployed an emergency mobile relief team to Wau Shilluk.** For the first time in months, the aid agencies were able to reach the Upper Nile location. Thousands of people have been fleeing Wau Shilluk to seek assistance in the Malakal Protection of Civilian site. More than 27,000 people were reached with vital food assistance during this deployment. <https://www.wfp.org/news/news-release/unicef-and-wfp-reach-thousands-people-south-sudan-stranded-without-humanitarian-as>
- **Airdrops and airlifts for Malakal, Maban and Bentiu.** Airlifts are ongoing for 200 mt of cereals from Juba to Malakal to manage shortfalls for September. For September distributions to the Maban refugee caseload, WFP is planning to airlift 120 mt of oil and airdrop 200 mt of pulses. Next week, airdrops of 600 mt of cereals will begin to Bentiu to cater to the increasing number of IDPs inside the PoC.

In numbers


1.6 million IDPs (OCHA estimates)

616,000 displaced outside South Sudan (UNHCR estimates)

201,900 seeking shelter with the UN (UNMISS estimates)

4.6 million projected to remain in emergency or crisis level food insecurity from May to July 2015 (IPC, May 2015)

WFP Response

Food and Nutrition Assistance



- WFP and Cooperating Partners' Integrated Rapid Response Mission teams completed distributions in Mwot Tot (Jonglei), Nyal (Unity), Dome, Wau Shilluk and Ying (Upper Nile).
- IRRM teams are currently deployed in Pultruk (Jonglei), Gai Reang, Kiechkuon and Aburoc (Upper Nile).
- IRRM deployments for September are planned for Gorwai, Katdalok, Keew, Nyanapol, New Fangak, Jiech, Jaibor, Kaldak, Kandak (Jonglei), Maker, Nyatut, Nyilwak (Upper Nile), Nyal, Mankien and Buaw (Unity).

July 2015 EMOP and PRRO distributions by state

Project	State	GFD	BSFP	TSFP	FFE	FFA	Unique ben
EMOP	Central Equatoria	22,446	134	2,347	-	-	24,793
	Eastern Equatoria	5,257	1,332	-	-	-	5,257
	Jonglei	265,811	81,797	13,645	-	-	279,456
	Lakes	82,903	-	-	-	-	82,903
	Northern Bahr el Ghazal	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Unity	231,435	55,585	26,688	-	-	258,123
	Upper Nile	89,665	9,118	2,909	-	-	92,574
	Warrap	8,557	-	-	-	-	8,557
	Western Bahr el Ghazal	3,348	79	-	-	-	3,348
	Western Equatoria	-	-	-	-	-	-
EMOP Total		709,422	148,044	45,589	-	-	755,011
PRRO	Central Equatoria	2,560	-	1,849	1,817	2,148	8,374
	Eastern Equatoria	-	-	-	24,366	-	24,366
	Jonglei	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Lakes	1,671	-	2,170	16,217	14,918	34,976
	Northern Bahr el Ghazal	6,023	31,209	13,366	51,232	50,238	120,859
	Unity	95,603	-	1,116	-	-	96,719
	Upper Nile	133,587	-	4,704	-	-	138,291
	Warrap	128,644	21,276	8,581	35,923	45,897	219,045
	Western Bahr el Ghazal	19,503	-	3,117	14,168	17,906	54,694
	Western Equatoria	5,927	-	-	-	-	5,927
PRRO Total		393,518	52,485	34,903	143,723	131,107	703,251
EMOP&PRRO Total		1,102,940	200,529	80,492	143,723	131,107	1,458,262

Logistics



- WFP contracted set of barges should begin loading of 1,400 mt of assorted food commodities in Bor today, 28 August. Expected arrival date in Malakal is 15 October.
- Access is hampered by poor road conditions and insecurity along the main routes. Logistics is able to deliver cargo to Bor and movement is ongoing on the Yambio-Tambura-Wau road to Western Bahr el Ghazal.
- Logistics has called forward a sixth IL-76 to be based in Jimma and to increase total air capacity from 7,500 to 8,800 mt per month.

Special Operations

Food Security and Livelihoods Cluster



- Nothing significant to report.

Logistics Cluster



- The Logistics Cluster airlifted 149.6 mt on behalf of 14 partners to Akobo, Boma, Malakal, Motot, Pibor, Pochalla, Rubkona, Ulang, Walgak, Wau Shilluk and Yuai.
- Airlifts to Malakal continue based on the sector priority list received from the ICWG. This week, the Logistics Cluster delivered 24 mt of life saving cargo to Malakal.
- An additional an Mi-8 helicopter was added to the Logistics Cluster fleet this week and will be positioned in Rumbek once ongoing maintenance in Juba is completed.
- The Logistics Cluster is planning survival kit interventions for the end of the week in Panyikang county, Upper Nile. Approximately 5.7 mt of survival kits are expected to be dispatched.
- This week, a Logistics Cluster charter began delivering urgently needed cargo to Rubkona from Rumbek and Wau. The Logistics Cluster charter operating out of Bor to Rubkona also resumed operations after last week's delays caused by weather and the damaged Rubkona airstrip.
- Heavy rains continue to impede physical access throughout the country. The most recent Access Constraints map can be found at the following link: <http://www.logcluster.org/map/access-constraints-map-28-august-2015>

Emergency Telecommunications Cluster (ETC)



- A quick online [User Feedback Survey](#) has been shared with all ETC partners. The outcome of the survey will allow the ETC to strategically prioritize deployments and respond more efficiently.
- With ETC's support, a new joint UNDSS and UNMISS Communications Centre was installed in Juba UN House last week. This inter-agency project will enhance communication sharing between the two agencies and therefore allow greater security for humanitarians responding in South Sudan.
- In Akobo ETC successfully established a new site, allowing NGOs responding in this strategic location to have access to reliable Internet connectivity supported by solar power. Additionally, a mission is planned to enhance radio communications facilities and provide radio training to humanitarians there.
- ETC continues to provide radio programming services to humanitarian partners. During the reporting period, 42 radios were programmed for Concordis International, Oxfam, UNDP, and WFP.

UN Humanitarian Air Service



- UNHAS transported 1,731 passengers and 14 mt of light cargo during the reporting period. Cargo transported included 1.2 mt of HIV drugs for UNDP and 1.8 mt of assorted medical supplies for Concern Worldwide, Welthungerhilfe, International Medical Corps, International Rescue Committee,

MEDAIR, IMA, Lutheran World Federation and MSF -France.

- UNHAS facilitated special missions for WFP/ Cooperating Partners' Integrated Rapid Response Mission team deployments in and out of Motot, Pieri, Wau Shilluk, Yuai, Walgak, Kaikuing, Nyal, Ganyiel and Pultruk. Other missions supported include: WFP assessment mission to Leer, UNHCR mission to Maban, UNICEF mission to Pibor and Real Medicine Foundation mission to Katdalok.
- Three medical evacuations were performed out of Ajoung Thok, Wau and Yei for UNHCR and Capacity for Development. UNHAS also facilitated one relocation from Juba to Yei on behalf of Action Africa Help International (AAHI) and returned two refugees to Yida after medical treatment in Juba for UNHCR.
- During the week, 110 passengers were affected by flight cancellations mainly due to damages to the Nzara airstrip, lack of UNDSS clearance for Pagak and Nzara, and bad weather conditions in Mabior, Old Fangak and Kurwai.
- The monthly UNHAS User Group Committee meeting took place during the week to review the travel requirements of user organisations. Five new locations that were requested through the Operational Working Group were endorsed for inclusion in the weekly schedule.

Feeder Roads



- Update not available.

Resourcing Update



Project	2015 Requirements (US\$)	Shortfall* (US\$)
EMOP 200659**	\$631 million	\$86.2 million
PRRO 200572	\$288.6 million	\$42.3 million
SO 200775 (Food Security)	\$1.37 million	\$0.8 million
SO 200786 (UNHAS)	\$59.3 million	\$19.3 million
SO 200778 (Logistics)	\$34.9 million	\$12.8 million
SO 200791 (ETC)	\$4.5 million	\$2 million
Total	\$1,019.7 million	\$163.4 million

*Operations in the table are set to end in 2015. Shortfall information is to the end of 2015.

**Current EMOP closing 30 September, new EMOP is under revision. Estimated requirements to the end of the year.

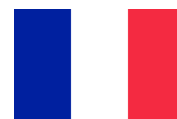
Feeder Roads operations has a budget of US\$167.3 million, with a shortfall of US\$73.6 million.

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