







WFP Haiti

Situation Report #39

17 February 2017

In Numbers

- 2.1 million affected people, of which 894,000 are children.
- 1.4 million people require humanitarian assistance.
- 806,000 people severely food insecure.

Assisted people

- Round 1 (started on the 7 Oct 17)
- 853,317 people in Priority 1 areas (105% of target);
- 71,562 people in Priority 2 areas

Round 2: (started on the 24 Nov 17)

- 354,430 people in Priority 1 areas (61% of target);
- 149,600 people in Priority 2 areas



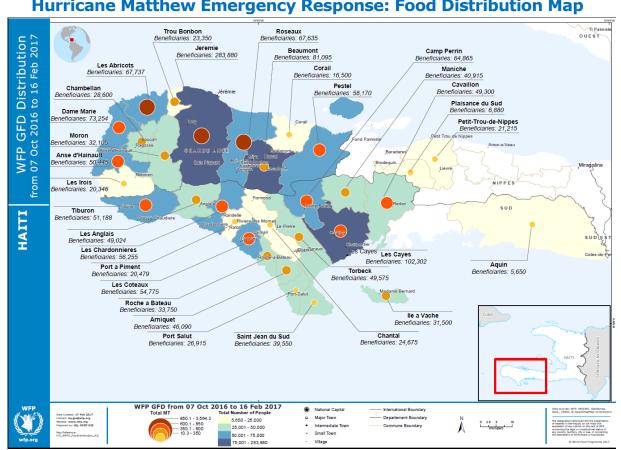
Situation Update

- The overall security situation is relatively calm except in Jeremie where the food distribution has been cancelled last Tuesday due to manifestation linked to the arrest of the senator Guy Philippe.
- From 13-18 February, general food distributions has been provided to almost 18,000 households in Sud and Grande-Anse.

WFP Response

- Since the beginning of the operation, WFP has reached 924,879 people with general food distributions with a total of 17,819 mt of food.
- From 13-18 February, WFP provided specialized nutritious food in Grande-Anse and Sud department to a total of 1,755 children under five and 1,020 pregnant and nursing women.

Hurricane Matthew Emergency Response: Food Distribution Map



© Cash-based Transfers

- More than 3,735 people have last week each received a 4,080 HTG (approximately US\$60) cash-based transfer in Pestel (Department of Grande-Anse). In addition, SIM cards were distributed in Grande-Anse department (Beaumont) for more than 3,500 households.
- The WFP hotline is operational since January 2017. It allows WFP and its partners to receive grievances and feedback from the communities where projects are implemented in Grande-Anse and Nippes.
- The CBT Lessons Learned Workshop for Matthew Response has been held last Friday between WFP and more than 15 different partners. A report will be available beginning of March.

Logistics Working Group

- Since October 2016 the Logistics Working Group has facilitated storage for partners agencies for a total of 2765 MT/ 12,241 cbm humanitarian merchandises; the Logistics Working Group facilitated road transport of 5164 MT/ 953 cbm and sea transport of 4882 MT / 2466 cbm humanitarian cargo.
- Between 12—17 February, the Logistics Working Group received 2 requests for Road transport for 7 MT/5 cbm humanitarian cargo, and 6 requests for storage of 96MT/239 cbm humanitarian merchandise.
- WFP Air cargo operation will end on 19 February.
- "Médecin Sans Frontière" Belgium cargo request has been completed. A total of 344 MT / 252 cbm NFIs and construction materials have been air transported to inaccessible areas in the course of 33 days flights.
- The Logistics Working Group's operation will be closed on the 28 February.

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- In line with the ETC2020 strategy, the Emergency Telecommunications working group is committed to helping communities access vital humanitarian information. The working group has improved community radio stations' abilities to transmit important, localised messages and invite increased community dialogue on humanitarian issues.
- Since last week, in cooperation with Internews, already one out of the four radio stations in Grand-Anse, Sud and Nippes has been rehabilitated and provided with basic power and ICT support, equipping them to receive, create and transmit humanitarian broadcast content. The others will be completed by the end of March.

Timeline: Hurricane Matthew

Response

04 Oct

Hurricane Matthew makes landfall.



First WFP food distribution.



Results of EFSA show Grande-Anse and Sud are most affected areas and 806,000 are in urgent need of food.



WFP jointly with FAO starts providing seed protection food ration.



WFP provides first cash transfers to 16,960 beneficiaries.



The volatile security situation leads to the temporary suspension of WFP operations.



WFP operations have resumed fully in Sud and partially in Grande-Anse following a security assessment.



Results of EFSA conducted in December show food insecurity halved in areas affected by Hurricane Matthew and where WFP intervened.



Partnership between MSF Belgium and WFP to support the transport of 344mt of NFIs and construction material to inaccessible villages.



A tripartite debriefing of the MAST mission was hold to identify actions to be taken to improve coordination between local authorities, partners and all stakeholders.



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Hurricane Matthew Response's Lessons learnt workshop for CBT



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