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## WFP Projects and Operations Foreseen in 2011

Projected Beneficiary Requirements in 2011							
							Needs (US\$)
Special Operation							5,350,000
<b>Total</b>							<b>5,350,000</b>
	Cereals	Pulses	Oil	Blended Food	Other	Total	Cash/Vouchers (US\$)
<b>Food Needs in mt</b>							
<b>Total</b>							

### (a) Emergency Operations

None

### (b) Protracted Relief and Recovery Operations

None

### (c) Development Projects and Activities

None

### (d) Special Operations

#### World Food Programme (HQ-Rome) SO 105020: "WFP Avian and Human Influenza Preparedness"

Duration: 13 December 2005 – 31 December 2011 (Extension subject to approval. Current end date: 31 December 2010)

Total project commitment: US\$19,988,713 (Excluding expected budget revision increase)

The A/H1N1 influenza pandemic event of 2009–2010 and the declaration of a global pandemic by WHO demonstrated the need and importance of pandemic preparedness and response as well as other potential pandemic events caused by more deadly viruses such as the H5N1. WFP has also recognized the importance for strengthening internal pandemic readiness to minimise the impact of a severe pandemic event on internal critical functions, mitigating the risks of global public health challenges and lending to a wider, large-scale disaster risk reduction. Moreover, the events reinforced calls for readiness of humanitarian agencies to support humanitarian stakeholders to provide essential services, access to food, medicines and other humanitarian supplies to vulnerable groups under extreme circumstances.

The overall objective of the SO is to enhance WFP's readiness, not only to continue its existing life-saving operations but to provide, where possible, support services to humanitarian partners, particularly in the area of logistics. By enhancing the capacity of humanitarian partners in the process, this SO will further aim to synergize operational response and efficiency.

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In line with Strategic Objectives 1, 2 and 5, WFP's preparedness framework has four main planning objectives:

- continuity of operations and readiness to respond in the event of a pandemic to serve current beneficiary caseloads and maintaining WFP infrastructure;
- WFP's capacity to identify and address the food security needs of possible new beneficiary caseloads (new programme response);
- contribution to a system-wide effort to prepare for and be ready, prevent and/or combat and respond to a pandemic (new services); and
- staff safety and health, by minimizing the impact on the health and safety of staff, including compliance with the United Nations Medical Services Staff Contingency Plan.

By enhancing its pandemic preparedness and in line with its mandate, WFP is contributing to five of the seven objectives of the Avian and Human Influenza Consolidated United Nations Action Plan, approved by the Deputy Secretary-General's Steering Committee on Influenza. Those objectives are:

- sustaining livelihoods;
- coordination of national, regional and international stakeholders;
- public information and communication to support behavioural change;
- continuity of operations under pandemic conditions; and
- humanitarian logistics services.

<b>Forecasted Output in 2011</b>		
The following initial results are expected, if the project/activity is fully resourced in 2011:	<b>Unit of Measure</b>	<b>Planned</b>
<b>Strategic Objective 1</b>		
<b>Special Operations (Logs)</b>		
Number of contingency plans developed or updated	number	1
<b>Strategic Objective 2</b>		
<b>Capacity development (Strategic Objective 2)</b>		
Number of disaster preparedness and risk management tools (contingency plans, EWS, FSMS, weather and climate related tools and services) incorporated in government core functions and budget	number	70
<b>Contingency Planning</b>		
Developing an integrated corporate preparedness framework through Operational Action Plans Prepared by WFP country offices by the end of 2011	number	70
<b>Logistic Preparedness</b>		
Logistic Regional Analysis and Assessments	number	2
<b>Risk Mitigation &amp; Preparedness</b>		
Prepared Corporate Operations Continuity Strategy	number	1
<b>Special Operations (Logs)</b>		
Number of Logistics Capacity Assessments developed or updated	number	2
<b>Strategic Objective 5</b>		
<b>Special Operations (Logs)</b>		
Number of training sessions / workshops organized	number	4
<b>Specialized Trainings and Capacity Enhancement Exercises</b>		
Trainings and Capacity Building Exercises	number	4

