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WFP South Sudan Situation Report #132

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In Numbers

- 1.69 million** internally displaced people (OCHA estimates)
- 726,573** South Sudanese refugees (UNHCR estimates)
- 158,727** people seeking shelter with the UN (UNMISS estimates)
- 2.8 million** people in emergency or crisis level food insecurity (IPC, January to March 2016)

Highlights

- After three weeks of suspension, WFP resumes airdrop operation from Ethiopia on 27 June.
- WFP is providing emergency assistance to the newly displaced population in Wau town who are affected by the violence which erupted on 24 June.

WFP's Activities

- After extensive consultations with key stakeholders, WFP has received an approval from the Government of Ethiopia to resume the airdrop operation from Ethiopia. The operation has resumed on 27 June after three weeks of suspension.



Food Assistance

- Following the violence which erupted in Wau on 24 June, WFP has provided a two-day ration of High Energy Biscuits to 12,000 newly displaced people who gathered in the protected area adjacent to the UNMISS base. Additional 15-day dry rations will be provided to the same people while 10,000 people who have fled to a church and schools will receive a 5-day ration. In the greater Bagari area, WFP and its partners conducted a response mission on 23 June and registered 2,179 IDPs. Food distribution to these IDPs were planned this week, but the response will now need to be delayed due to fresh insecurity in Wau town.
- In Eastern Equatoria and Greater Bahr-el-Ghazal, scale up of food assistance to support households affected by the rising levels of food insecurity are ongoing. To date, WFP has assisted 201,000 people in Northern Bahr-el-Ghazal with additional assistance planned in Aweil East and Mile 14 area. In Eastern Equatoria, 200,000 people have thus far received assistance.
- Through the Integrated Rapid Response Mechanism (IRRM), WFP and its partners recently completed missions in four locations in Upper Nile, reaching over 55,000 people with approximately 1,000mt of life-saving food assistance in combination with livelihoods support and health services provided by other partners.
- There are currently six ongoing IRRM missions across Unity, Jonglei and Upper Nile regions with over 153,000 people targeted to receive nearly 2,700mt of food assistance. With air operations on hold since 6 June due to lack of flight clearance from aviation authorities, air movement of food in recent weeks has been significantly limited.

Beneficiaries (May 2016)



Logistics

- A total of over 184,000mt of commodities have been dispatched since the beginning of year, of which close to 99,700mt was prepositioned across the country, representing 82 percent of the prepositioning plan for 2016. As the rainy season continues, prepositioning will be scaled down, but will continue up to the end of July.
- During the escalated violence in Raja town on 15 June 2016, WFP's warehouse in Raja was attacked and the commodities in the warehouse were looted. WFP has been trying to verify the exact details of the loss and circumstances of the incident while demanding to the authorities for the return of the looted commodities. Further, following the eruption of violence in Wau town on 24 June, WFP has suspended its truck movement around Wau town. Currently, more than 250 trucks on the Western Corridor has been moved to the nearest safe locations until the situation in Wau becomes clear. Continuous insecurity and increasing criminality remain main challenges for the delivery of humanitarian assistance in South Sudan.

Clusters and Special Operations



Logistics Cluster

- Over the past week, the Logistics Cluster coordinated delivery of 110mt of humanitarian relief items on behalf of 15 organizations. These items were delivered to 13 locations across South Sudan, most of which are hard-to-reach locations in the conflict-affected areas.
- The Logistics Cluster completed loading 505mt of humanitarian cargo to the barge coordinated by the Cluster. The barge has departed Bor for Malakal on 21 June and it is expected to arrive on 2 July.
- The Cluster has chartered an additional air asset on an ad-hoc basis to augment the current airlift capacity. The chartered asset will be used to conduct 14 flights from Bor to Paloich in Upper Nile in order to serve the humanitarian communities operating in Melut.



Feeder Roads

- HIV/AIDS awareness campaigns are on hold this week following deterioration of the security situation in Wau. HIV/AIDS awareness campaigns are part of the community sensitization campaign for communities which will be better connected through the new Kangi-Kuajok road.
- Works are ongoing on Kangi-Kuajok road, as the road bed preparation is completed and embankment construction is ongoing. The project is expected to be completed by December 2016.
- Due to heavy rains and the deteriorating security situation, the construction of cross-drainage structures along Juba – Kajo Keji has slowed down. Now it became mandatory to have force protection to travel along this route for all UN missions.



UN Humanitarian Air Service (UNHAS)

- This week UNHAS transported 1,838 passengers and 15.5 metric tonnes of light humanitarian cargo with a newly modified fleet of 9 fixed-wing and 4 helicopters.
- Since 26 June, UNHAS has been supporting the humanitarian community to respond to the crisis in Wau. Humanitarian workers and their supplies were transported to Wau to for the emergency response operations.
- Six medical evacuations were facilitated on UNHAS regular flights.
- UNHAS continues supporting to UNICEF's Child Reunification Programme. During the reporting period, three children were reunited with their families in Kodok.
- UNHAS also supported deployments of Rapid Response Missions to three locations.
- During the week, twelve flights were cancelled. Main reasons of cancellations were bad weather and airstrip conditions, however three cancellations were also due to limited fleet capacity.



Food Security & Livelihoods Cluster (FSLC)

- Nothing significant to report.



Emergency Telecommunications

Cluster (ETC)

- Nothing significant to report.

WFP Operations in South Sudan			
	2016 Requirements (in USD)	6 Months Net Funding Requirements (June–November) (in USD)	People Reached (May 2016)
EMOP 200859 (Oct 2015–Sept 2016)	424.4 million	66.7 million	1,095,226
PRRO 200572 (Jan 2014–Dec 2016)	277 million	39.4 million	910,235
SO 200775 Food Security and Livelihoods Cluster (Jan 2015–Dec 2016)	585,000	0	N/A
SO 200778 Logistics Cluster (Jan 2015–Dec 2016)	36.2 million	7 million	N/A
SO 200931 ETC (Jan–Dec 2016)	663,000	330,000	N/A
SO 200786 UNHAS (Jan 2015–Dec 2016)	58.6 million	8.3 million	N/A
The Feeder Roads Special Operation has a total budget of US\$167.3 million, with a shortfall of US\$70.4 million.			

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