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WFP South Sudan Situation Report #150

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In Numbers

1.67 million internally displaced people ([OCHA](#) est.)

1,058,616 South Sudanese refugees ([UNHCR](#) est.)

202,019 people seeking shelter with the UN ([UNMISS](#) est.)

4.8 million people in emergency or crisis level food insecurity ([IPC, May - July 2016](#))

Highlights

- Juba urban food security and nutrition assessment completed.
- A WFP led convoy of 42 trucks is planned to depart from Juba to Yei on November 1st.
- An 8th WFP aircraft (Ilyushin 76) has started operation, increasing daily delivery capacity to 480mt.

Highlights

- WFP and partners conducted an urban food security and nutrition assessment in Juba to inform a cash based response for households with acutely malnourished children. A team comprising WFP, UNICEF, FAO and the Government's National Bureau of Statistics assessed food consumption levels, sources of income, coping strategies, impact of hyperinflation on expenditures and nutritional status of children under five and women. Results of the assessment are expected to be released first week of November.
- WFP is preparing an Emergency Response Strategy for the Equatorias following increased insecurity and displacement in the Greater Equatoria region after the July 2016 violence. The strategy aims to prioritize and scale up emergency response in Central, Western and Eastern Equatoria in line with the reorientation of WFP's emergency operation from a geographic focus to needs based approach.
- Market assessments are being conducted in Norther Bahr El Ghazal (NBEG) and Warrap to determine the feasibility of scaling up Cash Based Transfers (CBT) while activities are underway to expand CBT in Mingkaman and Bor POC.

WFP's Activities



Food Assistance

- After successful delivery of assistance in Lainya, WFP and partners have finalized preparations for the response in Yei county of Central Equatoria State. A convoy of 42 trucks is expected to from Juba to Yei on November 1st. The convoy includes trucks from WFP, UNHCR and UNICEF. Mobile teams are already on the ground to conduct registration and distributions.
- There are seven ongoing Integrated Rapid Response Mechanism (IRRM) missions in Pagak, Maiwuit, Ying, Kiechkuong, Gaireng (Upper Nile) and Nyanapol, Nyambor (Jonglei) where teams are providing assistance to 102,610 people. Currently there are 23 missions planned over the next month in the Greater Upper Nile region and Western Bahr el Ghazal through which approximately 332,000 people will receive assistance.



Logistics

- Air drops have commenced in NBEG as part of the 4th phase of the scale up with 405 MT of assorted commodities dropped in Aweil. WFP plans to continue dropping for monthly needs of around 2000 MT of assorted commodities for the next round until the roads become accessible.
- Three empty barge sets are sailing under UNMISS Force Protection from Malakal to Bor . The convoy is expected to arrive in Bor around first week of November.
- An eighth Ilyushin (IL-76) aircraft has started operation. This additional aircraft brings total air delivery capacity to 480mt per day. Total WFP logistics air assets have reached 14 (8 IL-76s and 6 helicopters).

Beneficiaries

(September 2016)



Clusters and Special Operations



UN Humanitarian Air Service (UNHAS)

- This week UNHAS transported 1,729 passengers and 17.5 mt of light humanitarian cargo. Cargo movement has significantly increased after the conflict in July as agencies intensify efforts to move relief materials to the affected population.
- UNHAS facilitated two medical evacuations within the regular flight schedule. The evacuations were from Maban for ACTED and from Rumbek for WFP.
- Security relocations for 8 staff were performed for PSI from Aweil to Juba.
- UNHAS performed two special flights during the reporting period. A cargo flight was planned for ICRC to Wichdeng and a UNICEF high level delegation of 19 passengers was facilitated to Pibor.
- UNHAS continues to support the child reunification effort of UNICEF. During the reporting period, 3 children were reunited with their families in Rubkona and Mayendit.
- UNHAS supported flights for ECHO Partners involved in Emergency Preparedness and Response activities to Lankien, Walgak and Mundri and transported 4.2 tonnes of cargo without interruption to the regular flight schedule.
- Mobile team deployments of WFP and Cooperating partners' Rapid Response Missions were supported to Gorwai, Ying, Nyamabol, Haat, Mogok, Yei, Kiech Kuon and Gai-Reang.



Logistics Cluster

- In the past week, the Logistics Cluster coordinated the delivery of 118 mt of humanitarian relief items to Aweil, Juba, Lankien, Mathiang, New Fangak, Nyal, Old Fangak, Pibor, Rubkona, Ulang, Walgak and Wau on behalf of 17 organizations.
- In response to the emergency situation in Aweil, the Logistics Cluster transported 10 mt of Agriculture, Health, Nutrition, Operational Support and WASH materials on behalf of the humanitarian community.
- The Logistics Cluster facilitated the dispatch of 88 mt of humanitarian cargo (including survival kits) via the fixed-wing aircraft to key locations throughout the country.
- The most recent Access Constraints map can be found at the following link: <http://www.logcluster.org/map/south-sudan-access-constraints-map-21-october-2016-0>



Feeder Roads

- Nothing significant to report.



Food Security & Livelihoods Cluster (FSLC)

- The Food Security and Livelihoods Cluster is engaged in the planning and preparation with partners of the 2017 Humanitarian Needs Overview (HNO) and the Humanitarian Response Plan (HRP).
- The HRP will present the humanitarian needs by cluster to the international community and be used for both guiding strategic programming and advocacy for funding. It is expected that due to new military activity in the Equatoria region, and the national economic crises, the food security requirements for next year will increase.



Emergency Telecommunications Cluster (ETC)

- ETC is currently setting up an uninterruptible backup power station in the UNMISS Office of the Humanitarian Affairs as compliment to generators to protect equipment during power outage. This will avoid data losses and serious disruption in coordination activities.
- Technical staff from the global service provider working on Digital Mobile Repeaters (DMR) have received their clearance from South Sudan Ministry of Foreign Affairs to enter the country and are expected to arrive in Juba on third week of November. The mission will install digital repeaters in identified sites in Juba. The equipment will help avoid the frequency interference during radio transmission in the radio coverage area.
- Nano stations equipment that will improve the wireless connectivity performance and expand coverage were installed in Mingkaman and Wau.

WFP Operations in South Sudan			
	2016 Requirements (in USD)	6 Months Net Funding Requirements (October 2016—March 2017) (in USD)	People Reached (September 2016)
EMOP 200859 (Oct 2015—Sept 2017)	557 million	286.5 million	891,551
PRRO 200572 (Jan 2014—Dec 2016*)	277 million	77.6 million	1,009,209
SO 200775 Food Security and Livelihoods Cluster (Jan 2015—Dec 2016)	585,000	0	N/A
SO 200778 Logistics Cluster (Jan 2015—Dec 2016)	26.2 million	2.4 million	N/A
SO 200931 ETC (Jan-Dec 2016)	663,000	0	N/A
SO 200786 UNHAS (Jan 2015—Dec 2016)	58.6 million	9.1 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.			

*Budget revision in process.

2016 WFP South Sudan donors (listed alphabetically)*:



*Includes donors that provided multi-year funding continuing in 2016
Not included: UN CHF, World Bank and Private Donors

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