



# WFP South Sudan

## Situation Report #166

4 March 2017

### In Numbers

**1.89 million** internally displaced people (OCHA)

**1.5 million** South Sudanese refugees (UNHCR)

**223,926** seeking shelter with the UN (UNMISS)

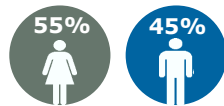
**4.9 million** people facing severe food insecurity from Feb-April 2017 (IPC, Feb. 2017)

### Highlights

- WFP and the Ministry of General Education and Instruction celebrated the Africa Day of School Feeding.
- WFP rapid response teams completed distribution of life-saving assistance for populations facing acute hunger in Koch County.
- Emergency food distributions are ongoing in Leer where WFP has prioritized its air assets to ensure immediate delivery of required food.

### People assisted

January 2017



GENDER MARKER **2A** EMOP 200859

### Global Humanitarian Funding

**Overall:**  
**USD 1.64 billion**  
**WFP share:**  
**USD 774.1 million**

### WFP 6-month Net Funding Requirements (February–July 2017)

Emergency Operation (EMOP 200859) **USD 150.5 million**

Protracted Relief & Recovery Operation (PRRO 200572) **USD 54.9 million**

Logistics Cluster **USD 9.4 million**

UNHAS **USD 7.7 million**

### Situation Update

- On the 2nd Africa Day of School Feeding, WFP and the Ministry of General Education and Instruction held a commemorative event at the Straight Link School in Juba, highlighting school meals as an important safety net to help break the cycle of hunger and poverty. This year, WFP plans to provide 300,000 primary school children with daily school meals at 600 schools across South Sudan through its food for education programme.

### WFP Response

- WFP is preparing to commence a taste test of AchaMum, a chick-pea based supplementary food used to treat moderate acute malnutrition. If the taste test proves successful in South Sudan, WFP will be able to diversify its nutrition commodity supply chain.
- WFP, through its Purchase for Progress (P4P) initiative, is providing support to the Ministry of Agriculture for the establishment of a soil test lab which is expected to be operational within the next three months. In 2017, the soil test lab is expected to provide support to 3,000 farmers to help improve farming practices and to determine which crops have the greatest potential.
- Last week, WFP and cooperating partner AVSI conducted a food management training with participants from six schools from Torit who will be included in the 2017 food for education programme. Through the training, participants from each school were taught how to store WFP food to ensure quality standards.



### Food and Nutrition Assistance

- WFP Integrated Rapid Response Mechanism (IRRM) teams completed emergency food distributions for nearly 26,000 people in Koch County where populations are facing emergency levels (IPC phase 4) of food insecurity. In Leer County, where populations are facing famine conditions (IPC phase 5), emergency food



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distributions are ongoing and expected to complete in the coming days for about 50,000 people who have been registered. Alongside distribution of household food rations, WFP teams are providing fortified nutritious foods to prevent acute malnutrition for 8,200 children under five. Other humanitarian organizations are providing complementary interventions such as WASH, health and nutrition screening services.

- South west of Wau town, WFP teams have recently completed verification and registration of nearly 16,000 displaced people in Bagari Payam; 56 percent are women and 14 percent are children under age five. Distribution of food and nutrition assistance is expected to start in the coming week.



### Supply Chain

- Over the past week, WFP has concentrated its air assets for delivery of food and nutrition commodities to Leer County (Unity) where WFP and humanitarian partners are responding to critical needs.
- In the last two weeks, eight convoys of 350 trucks departed Juba for Unity, Warrap, Eastern Equatoria and Western Equatoria states, loaded with 13,500mt of assorted food commodities.
- So far this year, WFP has dispatched over 45,800mt of commodities to forward locations throughout South Sudan.

## Clusters and Common Services



### Food Security & Livelihoods Cluster (FSLC)

- The FSLC is working with food security and livelihoods partners to develop the strategy for the 1st standard allocation of the South Sudan Humanitarian Fund (SSHF) in advance of prioritizing needs and resources with the other cluster coordinators.



### Logistics Cluster

- In the past week, the Logistics Cluster coordinated the delivery of 97mt of humanitarian relief items to Aburoc, Akobo, Ganyiel, Koch, Kodok, Kurwai, Lankien, Leer, Maiwut, Mier, Motot, Nyal, Old Fangak, Padeah, Pagak, Pagil, Rumbek and Thonyor on behalf of 15 organizations.
- The fifth Logistics Cluster coordinated convoy along the Western Corridor is set to depart on 9 March. The Logistics Cluster continues to coordinate convoys on behalf of the humanitarian community, with a total of eight convoys coordinated since the beginning of 2017 along all corridors.
- In the past week, the Logistics Cluster supported IRRM missions to Padeah, Leer and Thonyor,

delivering over 20mt of life saving cargo.

- The most recent Access Constraints Map is available at the following link: <http://www.logcluster.org/map/south-sudan-access-constraints-map-17-february-2017>.



### UN Humanitarian Air Service (UNHAS)

- Over the last week UNHAS transported 1,863 passengers and 23mt of light humanitarian cargo. Three medical evacuations were facilitated on scheduled flights from Yida and Maban for three organizations.
- UNHAS provided support for 68 WFP airdrop flights, delivering 1,994mt of food commodities. IRRM team deployments were supported to Chuil, Keew, Juaibor and Riang, with participation from four humanitarian partners: WFP, World Vision, OXFAM and Norwegian People's Aid (NPA).
- During the week, UNHAS performed charter flights for UNHCR and WFP to Ajuong Thok and Thonyor, respectively. UNHAS also facilitated an OCHA IRNA mission to Kodok.
- UNHAS continues to support the child reunification efforts of UNICEF. This week three children were reunited with their families in Akobo.
- UNHAS recorded cancellations to six destinations namely, Waat, New Fangak, Kurwai and Kandak, due to the lack of mandatory clearances. Two flights were also cancelled due to rains and wet airstrip at Torit and Kapoeta, however a recovery flight was supported the following day.



### Feeder Roads

- The works on construction of cross-drainage structures along the Terekeka-Muni-Tombek road are ongoing and are about 60 percent completed.
- Construction of Kangi-Kuajok road (41.25km) has been substantially completed with the contractor working to address minor defects identified during inspection.

WFP Operations					
	2017 Requirements (in USD)	6 Months Net Funding Requirements (in USD) (Feb-July 2017)	People Assisted (January 2016) *	Female**	Male**
<b>EMOP 200859 TOTAL</b> (Oct 2015-Sept 2017)	710 million	150 million	1,027,837	636,635	514,498
General Food Distribution (GFD)			959,291	521,643	437,649
Nutrition Assistance			190,842	113,993	76,849
<b>PRRO 200572 TOTAL</b> (Jan 2014-Dec 2017)	190 million	54.9 million	273,139	161,744	139,570
General Food Distribution (GFD)			265,845	137,551	128,294
Nutrition Assistance			35,405	24,179	11,226
Food for Education			64	14	50
Food Assistance for Assets			-	-	-

\*Unique beneficiaries, excluding overlap

\*\*May include overlap of beneficiaries

### 2016-2017 WFP South Sudan donors (listed alphabetically)\*:



\*Includes donors that provided multi-year funding continuing in 2017

Not included: SSHF and Private Donors

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