

World Food Programme in the Democratic Republic of Congo

FACTS and FIGURES

August 2014

WFP in DRC since 1963

Staff: 52 international, 357 National of which 287 based in the field. (August 2014)

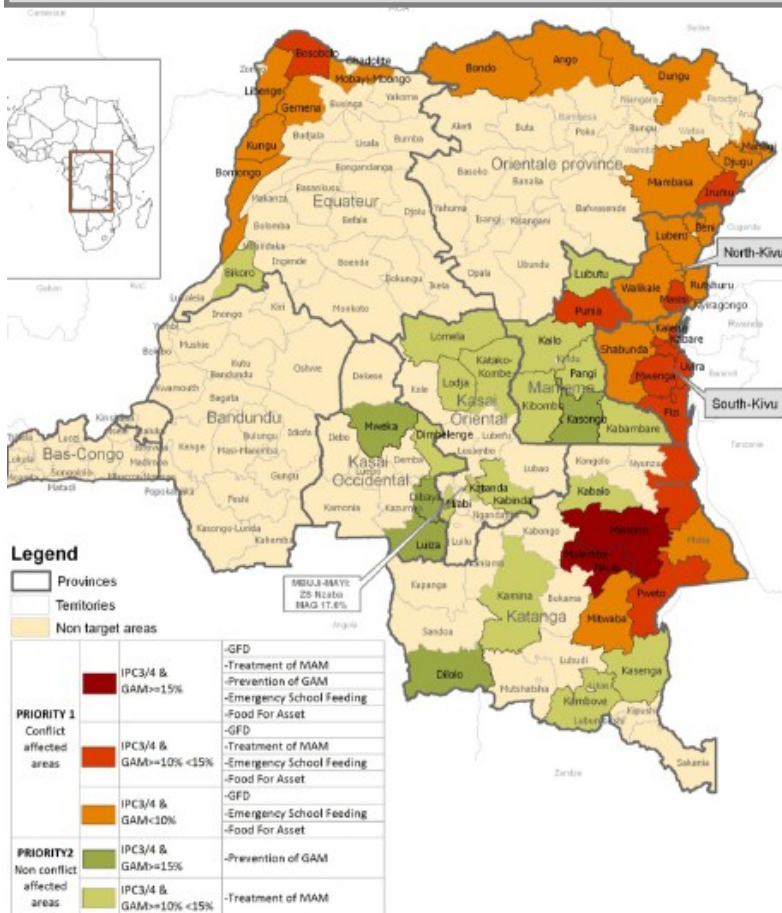
Main office: Kinshasa

Provincial Offices: Lubumbashi, Goma, Bukavu, Bunia, Mbandaka.

UNHAS bases: Kinshasa, Mbuji Mayi, Kindu, Lubutu, Kalemie, Lubumbashi, Beni, Bunia, Dungu, Mbandaka.

FOOD SECURITY SITUATION MAP

WFP focusing on Priority 1 areas



OPERATIONS

1. Protracted Relief and Recovery Operation

(PRRO 200540):

Duration: July 2013 to December 2015

Beneficiaries targeted: 3.6 million

Beneficiary reached monthly: 900,000 (January-June 2014)

Total cost: US\$ 415 million

Requirements for 2014: US\$ 165 million

Received in 2014: US\$ 60 million

Shortfall for the next 6 months: US\$ 19 million

Operation objectives:

Provide life-saving food assistance for Internally displaced people and refugees in conflict affected areas.

Support early recovery of people returning to their areas of origin. Ensure children school attendance through emergency school feeding.

Reduce malnutrition through Nutritional support to children aged 6-59 months, pregnant and lactating women.

Support access to markets and education. Resilience, reinforce national capacities.

Priorities For 2014:

With a view to increase inputs in the context of limited resources, WFP reprioritized its interventions as follows:

- ◆ Refocused school feeding in emergency and transitional context.
- ◆ Moderate Acute Malnutrition (MAM) treatment in priority areas.
- ◆ Prevention of acute malnutrition in areas where Global Acute Malnutrition (GAM) exceeds 15 percent.



Supporting Innovation

Trough **Cash and Vouchers** transfers, to reinforce social cohesion between internally displaced people, and host populations. Approximately US\$ 400,000 monthly cash or voucher based transfer to beneficiaries.

IT advanced platform **System for Cash Operations (SCOPE project)**, to enable different transfer modalities: immediate cash, cash account and electronic vouchers. It can also support food in-kind transfer modality.

Supported by the Humanitarian Innovation Fund, the **Mobile Vulnerability Analysis** system uses mobile voice recognition technology for the collection of household food security data. Data will allow real time decision making.

As of June 2014, 60 percent of the targeted beneficiaries responded to the Mobile Vulnerability analysis.

2. Special Operation to Strengthen the Food Security Cluster Coordination

(SO 200661)



Duration: March 2014 to March 2015

Lead by FAO and WFP, and co-facilitated with Action Against Hunger. The Food Security Cluster **coordinates food security responses** to displaced people and optimizes collaboration with UN agencies, NGOs, donors and other stakeholders.

Cost: US\$ 1,522,378

Shortfall : US\$ 1,411,849 over the next six months

3. Special Operation Logistics Cluster Coordination and Emergency Road Infrastructure Repairs

(SO 200747)

Duration: September 2014 to August 2016



On the basis of the previous Logistics Cluster Special Operation (SO200456) that ended in August 2014, the new SO will continue to provide support to the humanitarian community through **logistics service provision to WFP and the Humanitarian Community**. The operation also provides **road transport** as well as storage facilities to government and humanitarian partners.

Cost: US\$ 9,408,023

5. Strengthening smallholder farmers value chains in DRC

P4P

The Purchase for Progress is part of the global initiative which includes 21 countries in Africa, Asia and Latin America. The programme in DRC focuses on **reviving agricultural commodity markets** through capacity development to smallholders farmers as well as construction and rehabilitation of Infrastructures.

4. Special Operation Provision of Humanitarian Air Service in DRC, UNHAS.

(SO 200504)



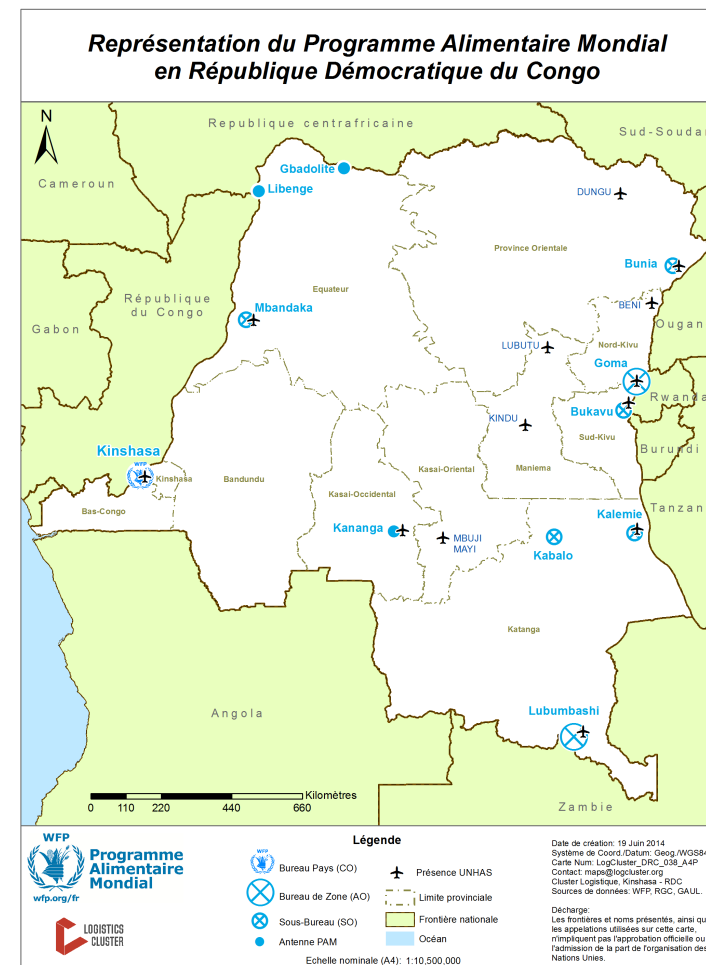
Duration: January 2013 to December 2014

Provide safe, reliable, efficient and cost-effective air transport services to humanitarian organizations and donor representatives in DRC.

5 chartered aircraft; 3, 200 Passengers transported monthly; 20 tons of light humanitarian cargo (vaccines, medical supplies and ICT equipment) transported monthly.

Cost: US\$ 25 million

Shortfall: US\$ 8,249,927 over the next six months



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