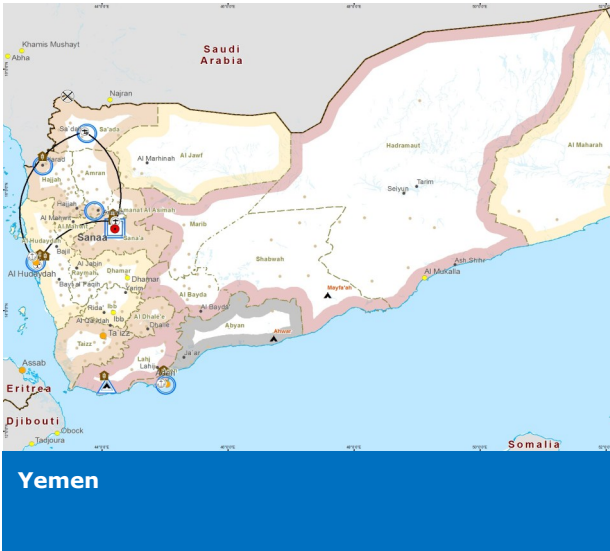




World Food Programme

Yemen



Highlights

- In April, WFP plans to reach over 840,000 beneficiaries throughout Yemen including 100,000 school girls through the second distribution under DEV 200432.

Situation Update

- Yemen is the poorest country in the Arab region and is the 7th most food-insecure country in the world. According to the Yemen Humanitarian Response Plan, 14.7 million people, more than half of the Yemeni population, require humanitarian assistance in 2014. These needs remain largely unchanged from 2013.

In numbers



- 25.2 million** population
- 42%** food insecure
- 22%** severely food insecure
- 13%** children <5 wasted
- 47%** children <5 stunted

FUNDING SHORTFALLS/NEEDS

PRRO 200636:

USD 473.4 million

PRRO 200305 [refugees]:

USD 2.1 million

SO 200130 [air and fuel services]:

USD 2.7 million

WFP Response

- Under the extended emergency operation (EMOP), WFP is planning to target 3.9 million beneficiaries during the first six months of 2014: 650,000 IDPs and returnees, 2.8 million people with food and cash transfers, 179,000 children under two with preventative nutrition support, 133,000 children under five with nutrition treatment, 135,000 pregnant and nursing women with nutrition support, and 30,000 Yemeni returnees per month. The EMOP will be followed by a new Protracted Relief and Recovery Operation (PRRO) from July.
- The new PRRO will assist some six million people through a range of activities including food and cash distributions, food or cash for work and assets, treatment and prevention of acute and chronic malnutrition and micronutrient deficiencies, and meals and take-home rations for children regularly attending school.
- Under the current PRRO (200305), WFP continues to provide assistance to 38,750 refugees from the Horn of Africa.



Food Assistance

- The second round of distributions for 100,000 school girls will start in April. It will benefit 700,000 family members.
- Distributions for IDPs are continuing normally.



Logistics

- To date, there are 42,700 mt of various commodities available in WFP warehouses around Yemen.
- Some 2,851 mt of food were delivered to 517 schools spread over 37 districts for girls' education activities. Preparations are underway to deliver 2,312 mt to an additional 418 schools in 12 districts.

Clusters



Logistics Cluster

- **Fuel:** Some 16,292 litres of fuel were distributed to various humanitarian agencies.
- **Aviation:** Three regular flights and one special flight were organised to Sa'ada carrying 48 passengers.

Partnerships

- WFP implements and plans activities with the government of Yemen, specifically with the Ministry of Education, the government's Executive Unit for IDPs and the Ministry of Public Health and Population.
- WFP's main donors in Yemen include the

European Union, Germany, Japan and the United States of America.

- In addressing Yemen's nutrition crisis, WFP and UNICEF work very closely in planning and implementing comprehensive nutrition services.
- A variety of national and international NGOs support WFP to ensure beneficiaries receive essential humanitarian assistance in areas of limited access.

Resourcing Update



- WFP's priority is to secure funding for PRRO 200636 which will start in July. To date, the operation faces a shortfall of USD 473.4 million (96.5 percent).

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WFP Operation						
	Project Duration	Total requirements (in USD)	Total received (in USD)	Shortfall (%)	People Assisted	
					Total Project Plan	April Plan
EMOP 200451	Jan 13—Jun 14	315 056 577	236 038 664	25.1%	5 181 480	701 546
PRRO 200305	Jan 13—Dec 14	9 760 314	7 618 567	21.9%	131 000	38 700
PRRO 200636	Jul 14—Jun 16	490 416 832	17 055 118	96.5%	6 000 000	0
DEV 200432	Jul 13—Jun 14	16 964 011	13 824 649	18.5%	*100 000	*100 000
SO 200130	May 10—Dec 14	7 157 899	4 452 682	37.8%	0	0

* 100,000 school girls will take home rations that benefit 700,000 people in total

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