

FACT SHEET #12, FISCAL YEAR (FY) 2012

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SAHEL - FOOD INSECURITY AND COMPLEX EMERGENCY

KEY DEVELOPMENTS

- Insecurity in northern Mali due to renewed fighting between militant groups has triggered additional population displacement, both within the country and to neighboring countries. In the last two weeks of June, at least 15,000 Malian refugees arrived at Mbera camp in eastern Mauritania, bringing the total number of camp residents to more than 89,000 people, according to the Office of the U.N. High Commissioner for Refugees (UNHCR). UNHCR also reported that nearly 6,000 Malians have fled to Niger since June 30.
- Across the Sahel, many agro-pastoral areas and regions hosting refugees and displaced populations are experiencing
 food insecurity levels between Stressed—Integrated Phase Classification (IPC) 2—and Crisis—IPC 3—according to
 the USAID-funded Famine Early Warnings Systems Network (FEWS NET). In June, grain prices in the Sahel
 averaged 40 to 101 percent above normal seasonal prices, continuing to limit vulnerable households' access to food.
 However, FEWS NET reports that rains began normally in parts of Burkina Faso, Chad, Mali, and Niger, resulting in
 timely starts to the annual planting season in these countries.
- As of July 11, an increasing number of desert locusts had moved into central and southern parts of Niger and begun to breed, according to the U.N. Food and Agriculture Organization (FAO). While insecurity has limited monitoring efforts, FAO believes that a similar situation is underway in northeastern Mali. FAO survey and control teams, in coordination with Malian and Nigerien national teams, are working to protect growing crops from locusts in accessible areas of both countries. On June 25, FAO issued a funding appeal, requesting approximately \$2.5 million to conduct emergency anti-locust interventions in Chad, Mali, and Niger in July and August. If left unabated, the locust infestations will likely destroy crops in affected areas, reducing agricultural production and negatively affecting medium-term food security.
- In response to ongoing food insecurity and conflict-related displacement in the Sahel, USAID's Office of U.S. Foreign Disaster Assistance (USAID/OFDA) is providing more than \$6 million for additional interventions in Burkina Faso, Mali, Mauritania, and Niger, including activities that strengthen humanitarian coordination, ensure vulnerable populations' access to basic goods during the lean season, and protect households' livelihood assets.
- Furthermore, the U.S. Department of State's Bureau of Population, Refugees, and Migration (State/PRM) is contributing an additional \$10 million to the Office of the U.N. High Commissioner for Refugees (UNHCR) to address the protection and humanitarian needs of refugees in Burkina Faso, Mauritania, and Niger, as well as conflict-displaced people within Mali. To date in Fiscal Year (FY) 2012, the U.S. Government (USG) has provided nearly \$338 million in humanitarian assistance to the Sahel.

HUMANITARIAN FUNDING PROVIDED IN FY 2012 ¹	
USAID/OFDA Assistance to the Sahel	\$53,074,829
USAID/FFP ² Assistance to the Sahel	\$264,021,217
State/PRM Assistance to the Sahel	\$20,850,0003
Total USAID and State Assistance to the Sahel	\$337,946,046

Context

- Nearly 19 million people in the Sahel are at risk of food insecurity, of which 8 million people currently face severe food insecurity and require emergency food assistance in 2012, according to national government and U.N. data.
- In FY 2012, the USG is responding to disaster declarations in Burkina Faso, Cameroon, Chad, The Gambia, Mali, Mauritania, Niger, and Senegal.

¹ Year of funding indicates the date of commitment or obligation, not appropriation, of funds.

² USAID's Office of Food for Peace (USAID/FFP)

³ This figure reflects only State/PRM funding for protection and humanitarian assistance for individuals in the region affected by the conflict in Mali. This figure does not include other State/PRM-funded assistance provided to refugees, conflict-affected people, and returning migrants across the rest of West Africa.

Regional

- The number of cholera cases in Mali and Niger is rising, according to U.N. and international media reports. As of July 11, cholera had affected at least 47 people and caused two deaths in Gao Region, northern Mali. In western Niger's Tillabéri Region, cholera has caused 54 deaths out of nearly 2,700 reported cases since January. To limit the spread of cholera, relief organizations are treating water points and conducting awareness campaigns in affected areas. Cholera is endemic in West Africa, and its incidence often increases during the rainy season, the onset of which heightens the risk of waterborne disease transmission.
- On July 12, U.S. President Barack Obama authorized the use of up to \$10 million from the Emergency Refugee and Migration Assistance Fund to help meet the urgent humanitarian needs resulting from insecurity in northern Mali. The emergency funds will augment ongoing UNHCR efforts in the region to provide protection and assistance to Malian refugees and others fleeing the conflict.

Burkina Faso

- High grain prices and the growing number of Malian refugees have strained local resources and exacerbated food
 insecurity in northern Burkina Faso, according to FEWS NET. With the rainy season limiting access to rural areas of
 the north, vulnerable households in the area reached Crisis—IPC 3—in June, FEWS NET reports.
- USAID/OFDA is contributing more than \$1.3 million to assist food-insecure populations in Burkina Faso's North Region through Catholic Relief Services (CRS). By providing cash grants, USAID/OFDA seeks to improve vulnerable households' access to basic goods during the lean season. The project also establishes seed voucher fairs to increase farmers' access to improved, certified seeds and creates community-level savings and lending groups that allow villagers to borrow small amounts of capital often needed to initiate income-generating activities. To date, USAID/OFDA has provided more than \$6.5 million for humanitarian activities in Burkina Faso.

Chad

- With \$10 million from USAID/FFP, the U.N. World Food Program (WFP) procured nearly 7,300 metric tons (MT) of sorghum in northern Nigeria for distribution in food-insecure areas of Chad. WFP expects to begin loading and transporting the food commodities from Nigeria to Chad by truck this week.
- As of late June, USAID/FFP partner CRS had provided food vouchers to nearly 61,000 people and seed vouchers to approximately 30,000 people in Wadi Fira and Ouaddaï regions, eastern Chad. To date, USAID/FFP has provided more than \$4.5 million to CRS for cash-based programming in Chad.

Mali

- Ongoing conflict and displacement in northern Mali has combined with food insecurity triggered by below-average agricultural production and above-average cereal prices to create a two-fold emergency in Mali. According to the U.N., up to 4.6 million people are at risk of food insecurity in Mali, including approximately 3 million people in the southern regions. In response, USAID/OFDA and USAID/FFP have already been supporting programs that respond to immediate needs while building resilience among food-insecure populations, including projects that reduce and treat acute malnutrition, income-generating activities that support land regeneration, and the distribution of food aid, cash transfers, and agricultural inputs.
- Approximately 90 percent of Malian IDPs currently reside in urban environments with host families, many of which may lack the resources necessary to support the displaced, according to UNHCR. In response, USAID/OFDA is providing more than \$1.2 million to the Agency for Technical Cooperation and Development (ACTED) to reduce the strain on IDPs and host communities in the capital city of Bamako. In partnership with ACTED, USAID/OFDA is helping IDPs and host families meet basic needs and minimize added financial burdens through the distribution of emergency relief items and cash transfers. The program also aims to improve sanitation conditions by supporting public waste collection.
- Through CRS, USAID/FFP distributed more than 260 MT of emergency food assistance to approximately 16,000 IDPs in Mopti Region, central Mali, during May and June. USAID/FFP also supported the provision of cash transfers to approximately 500 households, or 3,000 individuals. To date, USAID/FFP has provided \$8 million to CRS to improve people's access to food in Mali through direct food distributions and cash-based programming.
- USAID/OFDA is providing more than \$1.6 million to help improve the food security of agro-pastoralists and pastoralists remaining in Gao Region. The USAID/OFDA-supported program will distribute cash vouchers that individuals can exchange for essential items available in local markets, thus allowing vulnerable households to cope

- better during the lean season. To protect animal assets, the program will also offer beneficiaries trainings in animal health and feeding.
- USAID/OFDA is also providing nearly \$1.2 million for a project that promotes good hygiene practices, improves
 sanitation conditions, and increases access to safe drinking water through water point rehabilitation in Gao Region,
 where previous fighting had damaged much of the water infrastructure. In addition, the project aims to raise
 awareness of child protection issues and help establish children's groups and community referral systems to better
 safeguard children in an insecure environment.

Mauritania

- In Mauritania, the drought and nutrition crisis is affecting nearly one-fourth of the population, while an estimated 89,000 Malian refugees—the largest population in a neighboring country—are further straining resources in the southeast. In response, USAID/OFDA and USAID/FFP are focused on meeting emergency needs of host populations, while also supporting nutrition, food security, livestock, and water and sanitation interventions that strengthen capacity in other food-insecure regions of Mauritania. USAID-supported activities include distributing seeds and emergency food assistance, providing cash vouchers and temporary employment opportunities, strengthening existing acute malnutrition treatment programs, increasing access to safe drinking water, and improving humanitarian access to vulnerable populations in eastern Mauritania, including refugees and host families.
- To improve humanitarian coordination and encourage collaboration among relief agencies, USAID/OFDA is also providing \$500,000 to the U.N. Office for the Coordination of Humanitarian Affairs (OCHA) in Mauritania for interventions such as the establishment of a humanitarian country team and humanitarian response gap analyses.

Niger

- As of June, approximately 5.5 million people remain at risk of food insecurity in Niger as a result of high grain prices, increased demand for seeds, limited income-generating opportunities, and an increased population, including returned migrant workers and Malian refugees, according to FEWS NET. FEWS NET reports that Tillabéri Region is hosting an above-average number of food-insecure households.
- USAID/OFDA is contributing nearly \$500,000 in additional funds to an existing CRS program in Tillabéri Region
 for cash grants to help beneficiaries meet basic needs during the planting season, when they must dedicate time to
 farming instead of seeking other income-earning opportunities. Through this program, USAID/OFDA has already
 been supporting seed fairs that increase farmer access to improved seeds, trainings that instruct farmers in improved
 agricultural production techniques, and cash-for-work activities that increase purchasing power for vulnerable families
 while rehabilitating degraded communal lands.

Senegal

With nearly \$2.8 million in USAID/FFP support, WFP is introducing food-for-asset interventions in rural
communities of Ziguinchor Region, southern Senegal. The program provides more than 800,000 vulnerable
individuals with basic food items while engaging them in infrastructure improvements that benefit the entire
community, such as the establishment of irrigation channels. Other USAID/FFP-supported activities include
targeted food distributions, village cereal bank restocking, cash voucher distributions, and supplementary feeding.

USAID AND STATE HUMANITARIAN ASSISTANCE TO THE SAHEL PROVIDED IN FY 20121

Implementing Partner	Activity	Location	Amount
	USAID/OFDA ASSISTANCE TO BURKINA	FASO ²	
Action Contre la Faim (ACF)	Nutrition	East Region	\$926,997
Africare	Agriculture and Food Security	Sahel Region	\$1,000,000
CRS	Agriculture and Food Security; Economic Recovery and Market Systems (ERMS)	North Region	\$1,332,329
FAO	Agriculture and Food Security; Humanitarian Coordination and Information Management; Nutrition	Countrywide	\$400,000
Helen Keller International (HKI)	Agriculture and Food Security; Nutrition	North Region	\$999,977

Plan USA	Nutrition	Central North Region	\$423,530
Save the Children, U.S. (SC/US)	Agriculture and Food Security; ERMS; Nutrition	Central North Region	\$992,867
U.N. Children's Fund (UNICEF)	Nutrition	Countrywide	\$500,000
TOTAL USAID/OFDA	ASSISTANCE TO BURKINA FASO IN FY 2012		\$6,575,700
	USAID/FFP ASSISTANCE TO BURKINA FASO ³		
ACDI/VOCA⁴	Title II Agriculture and Food Security; Nutrition	Center North	\$8,000,000
CRS	Title II Agriculture and Food Security; Nutrition	Center North and East Regions	\$8,000,000
WFP	Title II Emergency Food Assistance	Boucle de Mouhoun, Center North, Center West, East, North, and Sahel Regions	\$6,832,600
TOTAL USAID/FFP ASSISTANCE TO BURKINA FASO IN FY 2012		\$22,832,600	
TOTAL USAID HUMANITARIAN ASSISTANCE TO BURKINA FASO IN FY 2012		\$29,408,300	

USAID/FFP ASSISTANCE TO CAMEROON				
WFP Title II Emergency Food Assistance Far North Region \$1,008,000				
TOTAL USAID/FFP ASSISTANCE TO CAMEROON IN FY 2012 \$1,008,00			\$1,008,000	

USAID/OFDA ASSISTANCE TO CHAD			
ACF	Nutrition	Bahr el Ghazal Region	\$991,474
ACTED	Agriculture and Food Security; Natural and Technological Risks; Water, Sanitation, and Hygiene (WASH)	Batha and Sila regions	\$1,100,000
CRS	Agriculture and Food Security; ERMS	Ouaddaï and Wadi Fira Regions	\$624,664
FAO	Agriculture and Food Security	Countrywide	\$500,000
International Medical Corps (IMC)	Health; Nutrition	Lac Region	\$600,000
International Organization for Migration (IOM)	Logistics and Relief Commodities	Countrywide	\$50,000
International Rescue Committee (IRC)	Health; Nutrition	Guéra Region	\$1,000,000
Merlin	Health; Nutrition	Hadjer-Lamis Region	\$1,292,474
ОСНА	Humanitarian Coordination and Information Management	Eastern Chad	\$300,000
Première Urgence	Agriculture and Food Security; Nutrition	Ouaddaï Region	\$600,000
Solidarités	Agriculture and Food Security; ERMS; Nutrition; WASH	Batha Region	\$914,333
UNICEF	Nutrition	Batha, Bahr el Ghazal, Hadjer-Lamis, Guéra, Kanem, and Lac Regions	\$700,000
World Concern Development Organization (WCDO)	Agriculture and Food Security; ERMS	Ouaddaï Region	\$547,001

WFP	Humanitarian Air Service	Countrywide	\$500,000
TOTAL USAID/OFDA	ASSISTANCE TO CHAD IN FY 2012		\$9,719,946
	USAID/FFP ASSISTANCE TO CHAI)	
ACTED	Food Vouchers	Sahelian Belt	\$2,767,228
Africare	Title II Agriculture and Food Security; Nutrition	Countrywide	\$6,000,000
CRS	Food Vouchers	Ouaddaï and Wadi Fira Regions	\$4,504,047
WFP	Title II Emergency Food Assistance; Locally and Regionally Procured (LRP) Emergency Food Assistance	Countrywide	\$88,000,000
TOTAL USAID/FFP ASSISTANCE TO CHAD IN FY 2012		\$101,271,275	
TOTAL USAID HUMANITARIAN ASSISTANCE TO CHAD IN FY 2012		\$110,991,221	

USAID/OFDA ASSISTANCE TO MALI			
ACDI/VOCA	Agriculture and Food Security; ERMS; Natural and Technological Risks	Mopti Region	\$1,037,042
ACTED	ERMS; Logistics and Relief Commodities; WASH	Bamako Capital District	\$1,248,809
FAO	Agriculture and Food Security; Humanitarian Coordination and Information Management; Nutrition	Countrywide	\$400,000
ОСНА	Humanitarian Coordination and Information Management	Countrywide	\$1,000,000
Oxfam/GB	ERMS	Kayes Region	\$1,503,666
SC/US	Agriculture and Food Security; Nutrition	Kayes Region	\$999,665
UNICEF	Nutrition	Countrywide	\$750,000
WFP	Humanitarian Air Service	Countrywide	\$500,000
World Vision	ERMS; Natural and Technological Risks	Koulikoro Region	\$1,260,211
Multiple Partners	Agriculture and Food Security; Health; Logistics and Relief Commodities; Protection; WASH	Gao, Kidal, and Tombouctou Regions	\$3,668,899
TOTAL USAID/OFDA	ASSISTANCE TO MALI IN FY 2012		\$12,368,292
	USAID/FFP ASSISTANCE TO MAL	I	
Africare	Title II Agriculture and Food Security; Nutrition	Countrywide	\$2,500,000
CRS	Title II Agriculture and Food Security; Nutrition	Gao and Mopti Regions	\$2,500,000
CRS	Food Vouchers; Title II Emergency Food Assistance	Mopti Region	\$5,557,652
WFP	Cash Transfers; LRP Emergency Food Assistance	Gao, Kayes, Koulikoro, Mopti, and Tombouctou Regions	\$5,001,190
WFP	Title II Emergency Food Assistance	Countrywide	\$13,643,800
TOTAL USAID/FFP ASSISTANCE TO MALI IN FY 2012		\$29,202,642	
TOTAL USAID HUMA	NITARIAN ASSISTANCE TO MALI IN FY 2012		\$41,570,934

USAID/OFDA ASSISTANCE TO MAURITANIA			
Counterpart International (CPI)	ERMS; Nutrition	Assaba and Hodh El Gharbi Regions	\$524,089
FAO	Agriculture and Food Security	Southern Mauritania	\$800,000
ОСНА	Humanitarian Coordination and Information Management	Countrywide	\$500,000

UNICEF	Nutrition; WASH	Countrywide	\$550,000
WFP	Humanitarian Air Service	Countrywide	\$750,000
TOTAL USAID/OFDA	ASSISTANCE TO MAURITANIA IN FY 2012		\$3,124,089
	USAID/FFP ASSISTANCE TO MAURITA	ANIA	
СРІ	Title II Agriculture and Food Security; Nutrition	Assaba, Gorgol, Guidimaka, and Hodh El Gharbi Regions	\$5,000,000
WFP	Title II Emergency Food Assistance	Assaba, Brakna, Gorgol, Guidhimakha, Hodh el Gharbi, and Hodh el Chargui Regions	\$5,000,000
WFP	Cash Transfers	Assaba, Brakna, Gorgol, and Guidhimakha Regions; Nouakchott	\$3,000,000
World Vision	Food Vouchers	Assaba Region	\$2,000,000
TOTAL USAID/FFP ASSISTANCE TO MAURITANIA IN FY 2012		\$15,000,000	
TOTAL USAID HUMAI	NITARIAN ASSISTANCE TO MAURITANIA IN F	7 2012	\$18,124,089

USAID/OFDA ASSISTANCE TO NIGER			
ACTED	ERMS	Tillabéri Region	\$594,935
Africare	Agriculture and Food Security; Nutrition	Agadez and Tahoua Regions	\$1,250,183
CLUSA ⁵	Agriculture and Food Security; ERMS; Nutrition	Tahoua and Tillabéri Regions	\$998,664
CRS	Agriculture and Food Security; ERMS	Tillabéri Region	\$1,492,959
FAO	Agriculture and Food Security	Countrywide	\$1,100,000
НКІ	Nutrition	Diffa, Dosso, Zinder Regions	\$1,600,000
Humedica	Nutrition	Tillabéri Region	\$631,498
Lutheran World Relief (LWR)	Agriculture and Food Security; Nutrition	Tahoua Region	\$599,492
Mercy Corps	Agriculture and Food Security; ERMS; Natural and Technological Risks	Tillabéri Region	\$1,120,715
Mercy Corps	Agriculture and Food Security; ERMS	Agadez Region	\$800,000
ОСНА	Humanitarian Coordination and Information Management	Countrywide	\$350,000
Oxfam/GB	ERMS; Natural and Technological Risks	Tahoua and Tillabéri Regions	\$1,200,000
Plan USA	Nutrition	Dosso and Tillaberi Regions	\$655,673
SC/US	ERMS; Nutrition	Maradi and Zinder Regions	\$1,281,027
UNICEF	Nutrition	Countrywide	\$1,000,000
Vétérinaires Sans Frontières/Belgium (VSF)	Agriculture and Food Security; ERMS	Tillabéri Region	\$716,811
WFP	Humanitarian Air Service	Countrywide	\$500,000
	Program Support Costs	Countrywide	\$2,000
TOTAL USAID/OFDA	ASSISTANCE TO NIGER IN FY 2012	•	\$15,893,957

USAID/FFP ASSISTANCE TO NIGER			
СРІ	Title II Agriculture and Food Security; Nutrition	Diffa and Zinder Regions	\$3,801,300
Mercy Corps	Cash Transfers	Tillabéri Region	\$4,000,000
UNICEF	Cash Transfers; Local Procurement of Nutritional Products	Tahoua Region; Countrywide	\$3,000,000
WFP	Title II Emergency Food Assistance; Cash Transfers; LRP Emergency Food Assistance	Countrywide	\$67,053,200
TOTAL USAID/FFP ASSISTANCE TO NIGER IN FY 2012		\$77,854,500	
TOTAL USAID HUMANITARIAN ASSISTANCE TO NIGER IN FY 2012		\$93,748,457	

USAID/OFDA ASSISTANCE TO SENEGAL			
СРІ	Agriculture and Food Security	Matam Region	\$50,000
CRS	Agriculture and Food Security; ERMS; Natural and Technological Risks	Sédhiou and Ziguinchor Regions	\$972,448
TOTAL USAID/OFDA ASSISTANCE TO SENEGAL IN FY 2012		\$1,022,448	
	USAID/FFP ASSISTANCE TO SENEG	AL	
WFP	Title II Emergency Food Assistance	Countrywide	\$2,796,400
TOTAL USAID/FFP ASSISTANCE TO SENEGAL IN FY 2012		\$2,796,400	
TOTAL USAID HUMANITARIAN ASSISTANCE TO SENEGAL IN FY 2012		\$3,818,848	

USAID/OFDA ASSISTANCE TO THE GAMBIA			
FAWEGAM ⁶	Agriculture and Food Security	The Gambia	\$50,000
FAO	Agriculture and Food Security	The Gambia	\$500,000
TOTAL USAID/OFDA ASSISTANCE TO THE GAMBIA IN FY 2012		\$550,000	

SAHEL REGIONAL USAID/OFDA ASSISTANCE ²			
Action Against Hunger/U.S. (AAH/US)	Humanitarian Coordination and Information Management	Regional	\$99,215
FAO	Agriculture and Food Security	Regional	\$500,000
IFRC7	Humanitarian Coordination and Information Management	Regional	\$527,825
ОСНА	Humanitarian Coordination and Information Management	Regional	\$500,000
UNICEF	Nutrition	Regional	\$500,000
WFP	Market Analysis and Vulnerability Studies	Regional	\$199,000
WFP	Nutrition	Regional	\$300,000
WFP	Logistics and Relief Commodities	Regional	\$1,000,000
	Program Support Costs	Regional	\$194,357
TOTAL USAID/OFDA ASSISTANCE TO SAHEL REGIONAL IN FY 2012			\$3,820,397

WEST AFRICA REGIONAL USAID/FFP ASSISTANCE			
WFP	Title II Emergency Food Assistance	Regional	\$14,055,800
TOTAL USAID/FFP ASSISTANCE TO WEST AFRICA REGIONAL IN FY 2012			\$14,055,800

WEST AFRICA REGIONAL STATE/PRM ASSISTANCE			
International Committee of the Red Cross (ICRC)	Emergency Relief Supplies	Mali, Niger	\$2,500,000
UNHCR	Refugee Assistance	Burkina Faso, Mali, Mauritania, and Niger	\$17,000,000
UNICEF	Education; Health; WASH Services for Refugees	Burkina Faso, Mauritania, and Niger	\$1,100,000
WFP	Humanitarian Air Service	Mauritania	\$250,000
TOTAL STATE/PRM ASSISTANCE TO WEST AFRICA REGIONAL IN FY 2012			\$20,850,000

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PUBLIC DONATION INFORMATION

- The most effective way people can assist relief efforts is by making cash contributions to humanitarian organizations that are conducting relief operations. A list of humanitarian organizations that are accepting cash donations for response efforts in the Sahel can be found at www.interaction.org.
- USAID encourages cash donations because they allow aid professionals to procure the exact items needed (often in
 the affected region); reduce the burden on scarce resources (such as transportation routes, staff time, and warehouse
 space); can be transferred very quickly and without transportation costs; support the economy of the disaster-stricken
 region; and ensure culturally, dietary, and environmentally appropriate assistance.
- More information can be found at:
 The Center for International Disaster Information: www.cidi.org or +1.202.821.1999.

 Information on relief activities of the humanitarian community can be found at www.reliefweb.int.

² USAID/OFDA funding represents anticipated or actual obligated amounts as of July 13, 2012.

³ USAID/FFP funding reflects the estimated value of direct food assistance.

⁴ Agricultural Cooperative Development International/Volunteers in Cooperative Assistance (ACDI/VOCA)

⁵ The National Cooperative Business Association's Cooperative League of the United States of America (CLUSA)

⁶ Forum for African Women Educationalist Gambia Chapter (FAWEGAM)

⁷ International Federation of Red Cross and Red Crescent Societies (IFRC)