

## **JAM** SOUTH SUDAN

## FACT SHEET - JANUARY - AUGUST 2019

# NUMBERS AT A GLANCE

#### 80% OF COUNTRY

Estimated people in South Sudan living in poverty

#### 7,2 MILLION

Estimated people in country requiring humanitarian assistance

Sitrep June 2019

### 6,96 MILLION

Estimated people severely food insecure

IPC Technical Working Group (May-July 2019)

## 5,7 MILLION

Number of people targeted

OCHA Sitrep June 2019

#### 600,000

Number of people targeted by JAM

#### **PROJECTED BUDGET FOR 2019**

US\$ 3,405,460 (Goods in kind (GIK) \$19.4 million) *Total \$22.8m* 

#### **PROJECT LOCATIONS IN 2019**

Northern Bahr El Ghazal: Aweil South, Aweil Center

Jonglei State: Bor, Pibor

Warrap State: Wunrok, Gogrial, Twic Unity State: Bentiu, Guit, Rubkona

#### **BENEFICIARIES REACHED January-August 2019**

TOTAL:	513,915	
FSL:	389.645	
Agriculture : (school gardens)	8.450	
School Feeding:	20.600	

#### **KEY DEVELOPMENTS**

- Peace agreement seems to have slowed again
- President's candid address on Independence Day
- Ebola remains a serious health risk
- Country in the peak of a serious hunger gap

#### **KEY HIGHLIGHTS**

- 5900 hectares of arable land reclaimed for agricultural production
- 508,578 school meals provided
- Community assets including 30 km of access road, 25km of flood dykes, three multi -purpose ponds and several shallow wells built

#### **CHALLENGES**

- Bureaucratic impediments & restrictions and insecurity
- Hyper-inflation & high cost of operating in South Sudan
- Dependence on UN partners for funding
- Cash flow challenges due to pre-financing various projects
- Ageing and unreliable fleet of light vehicles