



## FOOD FOR PEACE FACT SHEET

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### Food Security Situation\*

•The October and November harvests are improving food availability, although food prices are higher than 2010 prices and this year's harvest is expected to be below-normal due to the poor distribution of rainfall at critical stages of crop growth.

• UNDP Human Development Index ranked Haiti 145 of 169 countries surveyed in 2010. Extreme poverty, social instability, and recurring natural disasters combine to make Haiti the poorest country in the Western Hemisphere.

• Haiti imports approximately 50% of its food, demonstrating a strong dependence on the international market. In addition to the global rise in fuel and grain prices, the food security of the most vulnerable is further challenged by social and political unrest.

### Total Food for Peace Contributions

Fiscal Year 2012 (planned)	\$41.4 million	8,230 MT
Fiscal Year 2011	\$52.5 million	21,430 MT
Fiscal Year 2010	\$224.7 million	152,960 MT
Fiscal Year 2009	\$63.8 million	83,020 MT
Fiscal Year 2008	\$79.6 million	81,060 MT

### Food for Peace Contribution Breakdown

Partners	FY12				FY11			
	Title II		EFSP		EFSP		Title II	
	Development (planned)		Emergency		Emergency		Development	
	USD in millions	metric tons	USD in millions	USD in millions	USD in millions	metric tons	USD in millions	metric tons
Awardees	\$35.5	8,230	\$5.9	\$7.6	\$6.2	4,340	\$35.3	15,480
WFP PRRO+	----	----	----	---	\$3.4	1,610	----	----

### Food for Peace Program Details

**Awardees:** ACDI/VOCA; Action Against Hunger; CARE; Catholic Relief Services; World Food Program; World Vision

**Targeted Beneficiaries:**

- PVO Non-Emergency Programs:** 366,000 food-insecure Haitians
- WFP Emergency Program:** 2.5 million food insecure Haitians, including people affected by the earthquake and other emergencies
- PVO Emergency Programs:** 194,000 food insecure Haitians, including people affected by the earthquake and other emergencies

**Projects:** Food vouchers; cash for work; food for work; food for education; health promotion; agriculture and natural resource management; disaster readiness; and safety net support

**Project Locations:** Food-insecure rural and urban communities countrywide



Map: CIA World Factbook

\* FY: fiscal year; MT: metric tons; EFSP: Emergency Food Security Program; WFP: World Food Program;  
+ WFP PRRO: Protracted Relief and Recovery Operation  
\* Food Security Information current as of October 27, 2011.