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WFP leverages decades of experience in Aviation, Logistics and Telecommunications to serve affected populations in over 80 countries each year. As part of the wider humanitarian drone community, WFP is well positioned to develop, coordinate and implement the standardized, safe and ethical use of drones for its own operations as well as those of its partners.

Explore how drone technology can help humanitarian organizations prepare for and respond to emergencies.

<https://www.wfp.org/wfp-drones>



Technology and innovation are key enablers in the World Food Programme (WFP)'s work to **save and change lives** around the world.

Unmanned aircraft systems (UAS), more commonly known as drones, offer low operating costs and rapid deployment, even in difficult weather conditions. With responsible handling, drones can help monitor food security or the damage caused by disasters like floods, droughts, storms or earthquakes. In emergency situations, they can also provide communications connectivity.

WFP has been developing the use of drones **since 2017** to improve preparedness for and response to humanitarian emergencies, encouraging collaboration and capacity building among first responders and government stakeholders worldwide.

15 countries

strengthened by capacity building for 400+ participants

5 regions

with prepositioned drones

Over 50 activities

from mapping to emergency response since 2017