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BUDGET INCREASES TO DEVELOPMENT PROJECTS APPROVED BY THE EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR— (1 JANUARY–30 JUNE 2004)

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Between 1 January and 30 June 2004, the Executive Director authorized 37 budgetary increases within his delegated authority for approved projects. The total food value of these increases is US\$5,343,342; the total cost to WFP is US\$23,163,317. Detailed budgetary figures and reasons for each increase are given overleaf.



Region, country, project number and title	Current budget		Authorised revision		Amount of increase	
	Food cost	Total WFP cost	Food cost	Total WFP cost	Food cost	Total WFP cost
ASIA						
Laos 05874.0	2 959 706	4 738 506	3 063 242	5 426 173	103 536	687 668
Improvement of household food security						
		Reason for re	evision			
		Addition of 4,000	mt of rice.			
Sri Lanka 10075.0	10 564 913	15 147 699	10 564 913	15 347 161	0	199 462
Country Programme - Sri Lanka (2002–2006)						
		Reason for re	evision			
		Increase in externa	al transport.			
Laos 10078.0	3 111 167	5 951 935	3 204 899	6 081 713	93 732	129 778
Primary education for girls and boys in remote areas of laos						
		Reason for re	evision			

Addition of 60 mt of rice and 40 mt of canned fish, as well as value increase to external transport and landside transport, storage and handling



Region, country, project number and title	Curren	t budget	Author	ised revision	Amount of increase	
	Food cost	Total WFP cost	Food cost	Total WFP cost	Food cost	Total WFP cost
Pakistan 10091.0	22 425 509	30 037 898	22 425 509	31 716 519	0	1 678 62
Country Programme – Pakistan (2001–2003)						
		Reason for re	evision			
		Increase in externa	al transport.			
Nepal 10093.0	48 255 374	75 985 427	48 255 374	76 475 891	0	490 464
Country Programme - Nepal (2002–2006)						
		Reason for re	evision			
		Increase in externa	al transport.			
Bhutan 10133.0	16 331 661	24 186 957	16 331 661	24 366 971	0	180 014
Country Programme - Bhutan (2002–2007)						
		Reason for re	evision			
		Increase in externa	al transport.			



Region, country, project number and title	Current budget		Authorised revision		Amount of increase	
	Food cost	Total WFP cost	Food cost	Total WFP cost	Food cost	Total WFP cost
Cambodia 10170.0	2 802 458	5 033 034	2 802 458	5 045 926	0	12 892
Support to maternal and child health						

Reason for revision

Increase of ODOC value.

Pakistan 10269.0	63 472 400	77 909 616	64 606 281	79 118 105	1 133 881	1 208 489
Country Programme-Pakistan (2004-2008)						

Reason for revision

Addition of 420 mt of wheat-soya milk (WSM) and increase of associated costs.

LATIN AMERICA AND CARIBBEAN

Ecuador 03096.2	6 735 844	11 240 236	6 735 844	11 784 475	0	544 239
Targeted school feeding in poor and indigenous areas						

Reason for revision



Region, country, project number and title	Curren	t budget	Authorised revision		Amount of increase	
	Food cost	Total WFP cost	Food cost	Total WFP cost	Food cost	Total WFP cost
Bolivia 10002.0	23 139 016	42 644 087	23 139 016	42 888 035	0	243 948
Country Programme - Bolivia (1997–2001)						
		Reason for re	vision			
		Increase in externa	al transport.			
Cuba 10032.0	15 050 250	21 320 162	15 050 311	21 320 223	60.99	60.99
Nutritional support to vulnerable groups in the five eastern provinces						
		Reason for re	vision			
	Substitution of whe	eat flour and rice with ce	real blend and hig	h energy biscuits.		
Nicaragua 10044.0	14 104 872	23 908 105	14 715 319	25 445 501	610 447	1 537 395
Country Programme - Nicaragua (2002–2006)						
		Reason for re	vision			

(1) Increase in external transport.(2) Addition of 179.83 mt of dried skimmed milk and 100 mt of WSM.



Region, country, project number and title	Current budget		Authorised revision		Amount of increase	
	Food cost	Total WFP cost	Food cost	Total WFP cost	Food cost	Total WFP cost
Bolivia 10159.0	24 236 749	40 615 757	24 236 749	42 048 861	0	1 433 105
Country Programme - Bolivia (2003–2007)						

Reason for revision

Increase in external transport.

NORTH AFRICA AND MIDDLE EAST

Jordan 05783.0	12 669 640	15 614 917	13 921 379	17 122 416	1 251 740	1 507 499
Support to participatory land improvement						

Reason for revision

Addition of 200 mt of dates, 225 mt of vegetable oil, 225 mt of pulses, 3,753 mt of wheat and increase of associated costs.

Syria 10070.0	8 056 513	11 286 742	8 762 713	12 090 680	706 200	803 938
Support to small farmers and herders on marginal and degraded lands						

Reason for revision

Addition of 1,372 mt of dates and increase of associated costs.



Region, country, project number and title	Curren	t budget	Authorised revision		Amount of increase	
	Food cost	Total WFP cost	Food cost	Total WFP cost	Food cost	Total WFP cost
Yemen 10137.0	49 136 545	106 450 968	49 136 545	107 772 905	0	1 321 937
Country Programme -Yemen (2002–2007)						
		Reason for re	evision			
		Increase in externa	al transport.			
Egypt 10142.0	38 545 617	49 478 644	38 545 617	49 996 474	0	517 831
Assistance to landless families						
		Reason for re	evision			
		Increase in externa	al transport.			
SUB-SAHARAN AFRICA						
Central African Republic 05837.0	3 194 084	8 019 227	3 194 084	8 118 842	0	99 615
Improvement of the nutritional status of the most vulnerable communities						
Reason for revision						



Region, country, project number and title	Curren	Current budget		rised revision	Amount of increase	
	Food cost	Total WFP cost	Food cost	Total WFP cost	Food cost	Total WFP cost
Djibouti 05785.0	1 211 357	2 059 205	1 339 757	2 219 705	128 400	160 500
Assistance to vulnerable groups						
		Reason for re	evision			
		Addition of 200 m	t of dates.			
Gambia 05932.1	5 229 553	9 807 370	5 229 553	10 079 694	0	272 326
Community-based school feeding						
		Reason for re	evision			
		(1) Increase in exter	nal transport.			
		(2) Increase of OI	OOC value.			
Rwanda 06096.0	1 561 633	3 506 766	1 561 633	3 755 713	0	248 947
Enhanced food security through swamp and hillside reclamation and development						
		Reason for re	evision			



Region, country, project number and title	Current budget		Autho	rised revision	Amount of increase			
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	Food cost	Total WFP cost	Food cost	Total WFP cost	Food cost	Total WFP cost		
Liberia 06239.0	2 723 871	6 889 387	2 723 871	7 308 149	0	418 763		
Support to community-based school feeding programme								
Reason for revision								
Increase in external transport.								
Cape Verde 06263.0	5 994 367	9 192 156	6 105 514	9 387 391	111 148	195 235		
Assistance to primary school canteens and kindergartens								
		Reason for re	vision					
	Addition	n of 109 mt of pulses and	I 171 mt of blende	ed food.				
Mali 10011.0	8 524 559	15 621 453	8 524 559	15 762 255	0	140 802		
Country Programme - Mali (1999–2002)								
Reason for revision								

Region, country, project number and title	Current budget		Authorised revision		Amount of increase	
	Food cost	Total WFP cost	Food cost	Total WFP cost	Food cost	Total WFP cost
Chad 10018.0	9 011 881	21 442 560	10 216 080	25 764 525	1 204 197	4 321 964
Country Programme - Chad (2001–2005)						

Reason for revision

(1) Increase in external transport.

(2) Addition of commodities and increase of associated costs.

Tanzania, United Republic of 10065.0	17 302 129	39 723 250	17 302 129	40 880 344	0	1 157 094
Country Programme - Tanzania (2002–2006)						

Reason for revision

Increase in external transport.

Rwanda 10079.0	1 314 495	3 202 467	1 314 495	3 363 634	0	161 167
Support to improved self-reliance for HIV/AIDS affected households						

Reason for revision



Region, country, project number and title	Current budget		Authorised revision		Amount of increase		
	Food cost	Total WFP cost	Food cost	Total WFP cost	Food cost	Total WFP cost	
Senegal 10088.0	20 412 422	36 554 835	20 412 422	37 097 009	0	542 174	
Country Programme - Senegal (2002–2006)							
Reason for revision							
		Increase in externa	al transport.				
Benin 10094.0	5 940 854	8 471 978	5 940 854	8 654 421	0	182 444	
Country Programme - Benin (2000–2003)							
		Reason for re	evision				
		Increase in externa	al transport.				
Malawi 10106.0	22 018 653	31 977 448	22 018 653	33 186 066	0	1 208 619	
Country Programme - Malawi (2002–2006)							
Reason for revision							
Increase in external transport.							
Zambia 10157.0	20 086 668	35 378 543	20 086 668	35 542 318	0	163 775	
Country Programme - Zambia (2002–2006)							
		Reason for re	evision				
Increase in external transport.							



Region, country, project number and title	Current budget		Authorised revision		Amount of increase	
	Food cost	Total WFP cost	Food cost	Total WFP cost	Food cost	Total WFP cost
Mauritania 10209.0	15 007 452	35 513 773	15 007 452	36 299 108	0	785 335
Country Programme - Mauritania (2003–2008)						
		Reason for re	<u>vision</u>			
		Increase in externa	al transport.			
Cameroon 10214.0	5 823 802	11 827 256	5 823 802	12 161 474	0	334 219
Country Programme - Cameroon (2003–2007)						
		Reason for re	vision			
		Increase in externa	al transport.			
Sierra Leone 10270.0	3 183 164	6 224 522	3 183 164	6 497 518	0	272 997
Community-based primary school feeding project						
		Reason for re	vision			
		Increase in externa	al transport.			
TOTAL					5 343 342	23 163 31