

TECHNOLOGY DIVISION AN INTRODUCTION TO OUR WORK

SAVING LIVES CHANGING LIVES



AT A GLANCE

THE TECHNOLOGY DIVISION SCALES AND MANAGES DIGITAL SOLUTIONS THAT ACCELERATE THE ACHIEVEMENT OF WFP'S MISSION.

The division comprises 1300 colleagues worldwide who leverage the power of technology to overcome some of the most challenging obstacles on the path to Zero Hunger. New technologies have been critical in helping WFP stretch resources and find faster, more effective ways to feed more people. As more and more people feel the brunt of the global food crisis, and the gap between hunger and funding widens to an unprecedented level, technology remains a key enabler of WFP's mission



TECHNOLOGY ENABLES WFP'S MISSION IN THE FOLLOWING WAYS



STRETCHING RESOURCES

Efficiency gains through automation have saved **6M hours** of staff time and yielded enough savings to feed **74M** more people in a day.



ACCELERATING ASSISTANCE

In emergency contexts, the right data has helped staff source and deliver assistance up to **10x faster.**



MITIGATING ISSUES AND TAILORING SUPPORT

A growing ecosystem of over 200 **tools** allows WFP to provide more tailored support to those it serves, reducing pipeline breaks and strengthening farmers' access to local markets.



ENABLING HUMANITARIANS

Satellite connectivity helps staff in **99%** of WFP locations around the world to stay connected and respond to needs on the ground.



EMPOWERING PEOPLE WITH CHOICE

SCOPE gives more than **23M** people in **55** countries greater choice of assistance. Blockchain technology allows 1M refugees seamless access to assistance from multiple agencies, saving USD **\$3.5M** in bank fees (2021).



FASTER EMERGENCY RESPONSE

The WFP-led Emergency Telecommunications Cluster (ETC) responds to up to **10 emergencies** per year, while WFP FITTEST is on the ground within **48 hours** of an emergency.



OUR KEY SERVICES





THIS YEAR, EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR CINDY MCCAIN APPROVED A NEW I&T STRATEGY FOR 2023-2026.

The vision: The Technology Division will be an enabling partner and catalyst for ending hunger and improving lives through innovative and efficient technology services and solutions, driven by a digitally and data empowered workforce.

At a glance: WFP I&T Strategy Framework



THANK YOU