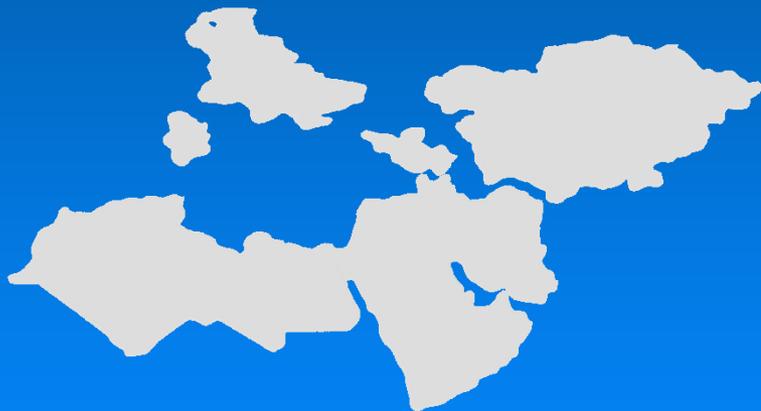


# Middle East, Central Asia & Eastern Europe (ODC)



## Partnership

# Strengthening Capacities & ensuring Sustainability

- **National ownership** & increased government commitment
- Aligning WFP programmes with national plans
- **Strengthening network** of partners: UN agencies, NGOs, Intergovernmental organizations, national societies and private sector
- **Using innovative solutions** and new approaches

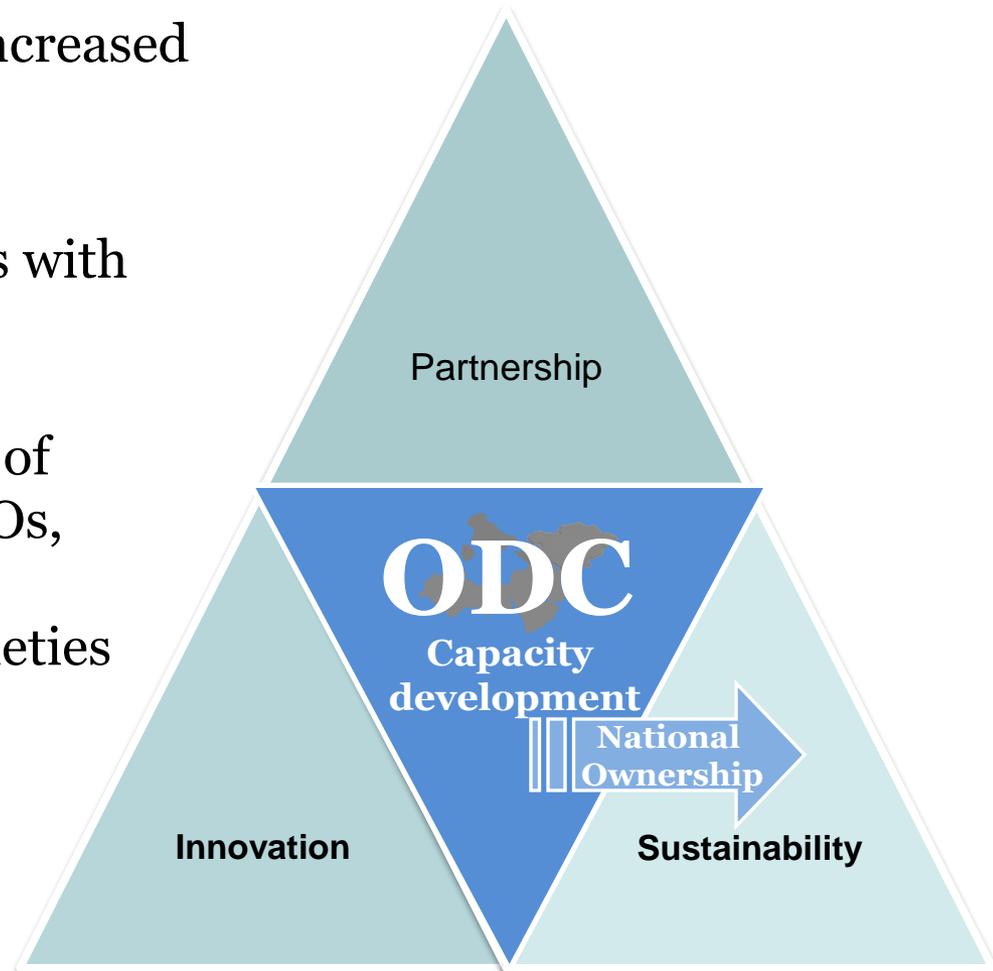


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## Partnership

# Strengthening Capacities & ensuring Sustainability

- Enhancing **Supply Chain Management**:
  - **Egypt**: support the government in reviewing the subsidized baladi bread supply chain
  - **Iraq**: enhance government capacity to manage the Public Distribution System (PDS)
  - **Jordan**: enhance government international market oversight of basic food commodities



**Egypt: A more effective and cost-efficient supply chain management of the subsidized baladi bread, staple food for more than 60 million Egyptians**

# Partnership

# Strengthening Capacities & ensuring Sustainability

- Sustainable **School Feeding programmes:**
  - Integration in Government national action plans and budgets
  - Local procurement when possible

**2010 Beneficiaries**  
1.9 million beneficiaries  
Nine countries



ARMENIA: Launch in October 2010



IRAQ:  
Micronutrient  
fortified date  
bars *Photo: WFP/Rein  
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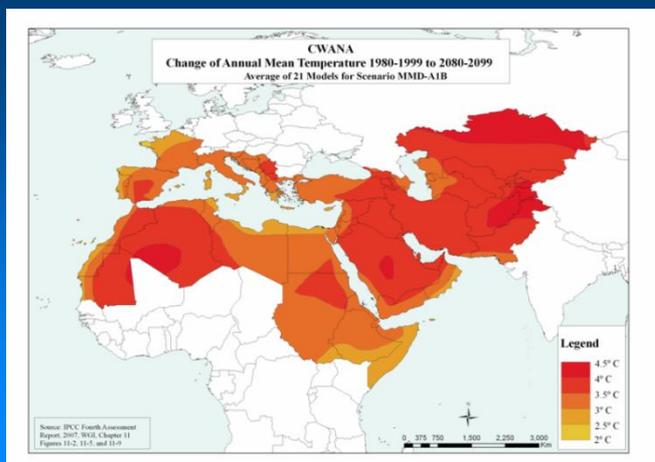


TAJKISTAN: Hot  
meals served in  
schools

## Partnership

# Strengthening Capacities & ensuring Sustainability

- Sustainable **Nutrition Interventions (fortification)**:
  - Fortification of wheat flour, oil and piloting rice fortification in **Egypt**



- Sustainable approach to mitigate **Climate change**
  - Increasing the resilience of local population in **Syria**

## Providing support in

# Safety Nets

- Expanding **Cash & Voucher** Programmes:
  - Syria
  - Armenia
  - oPT
  - Georgia
  - Iraq
  - Yemen

**2010 Beneficiaries**

**156,000** beneficiaries

**Six** countries

### Beneficiaries of C&V in oPT



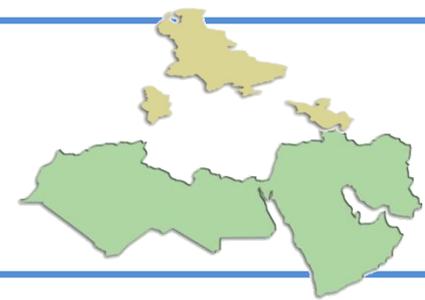
### Impact on the life of beneficiaries and shop keepers in Gaza

*Photos and reporting: Karl Schembri/Oxfam*

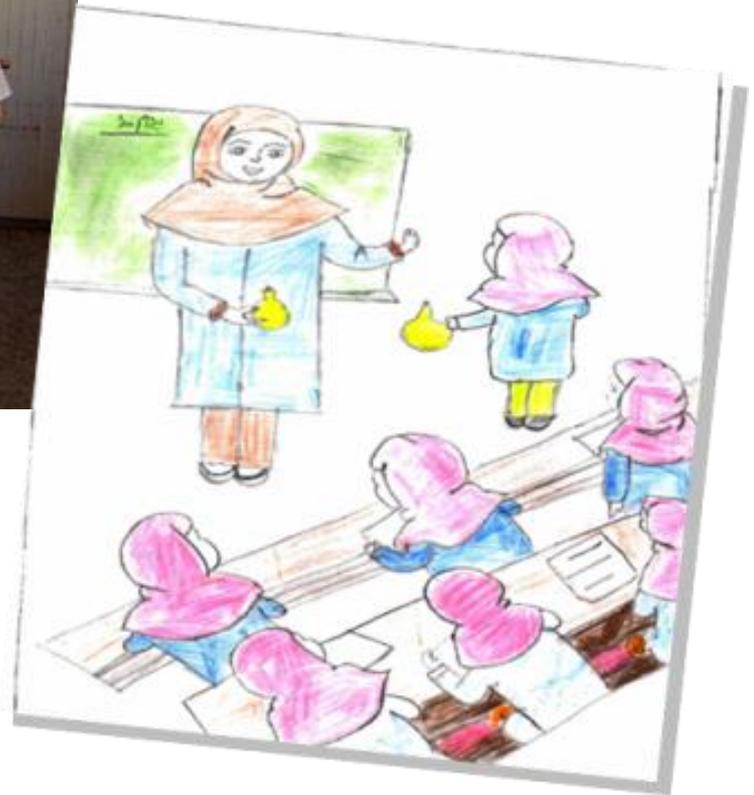
# Providing support in Conflicts



- Yemen (Sa'ada)
- oPT
- Iraq
- Algeria
- Georgia



# Challenges & Support



*“My father is proud of me because I can read and write and I also bring something to the family. My family needs income and I don't think I would be able to continue if I don't receive oil....”*

**Zahra Vahedi,**  
Afghani refugee in Iran

■ ODC current shortfalls in 2010 are **US\$ 140 million**



**Thank you**