



# Annual Evaluation Report – 2023 in review

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# PART 1

## Key Insight from Centralized Evaluations



16

Country  
Strategic Plan  
Evaluations

3

Policy  
Evaluations

1

Corporate  
Emergency  
Evaluation

# Key achievements



- **Overall strategic shift** towards an 'enabling' role
  - Policies and capacities
- **Partnerships** – strong at strategic level Govt/UN
- **Cross-cutting issues** – protection and environment strongest

- **SO1:** General Food Assistance & nutrition coverage met - but food security & nutrition aims sometimes missed
- **SO2:** Strong school feeding & nutrition results – but limited programme integration
- **SO3:** contribution of resilience to incomes but programmes short term & small scale
- **SO4:** Some contribution to development of National policies & capacities strengthening - but stronger analysis & strategies needed
- **SO5:** High quality support to common services helped mitigate crisis effects

# Eight factors supporting results



1. **Convening power** - multi-sectoral dialogue on food security and nutrition



2. **Leveraging capacity** e.g. private sector partner engagement



3. **Brokering skills** for food & nutrition security dialogue



4. **Innovation capacity**



5. **Technical expertise**



6. **Principled** approach



7. **Advocacy capacity** e.g humanitarian access



8. **Knowledge generation** capability

# Areas for improvement



- **Programme integration**
- **Preparedness & response capacity**
- **Targeting gaps** (groups)
- **Prioritisation** – evidence base
- Alignment of **HR / skills** to CSP requirements
- **Medium term** approach and funding

- Operationalization of **partnerships**
- **Gender** – skills & capacity
- **AAP** – feedback systems
- **Capacity strengthening** – strategic approach
- **Data generation & use** (incl monitoring)

## Part 2 – Performance of Evaluation Function

This section reports on progress towards the outcomes set out in the WFP Evaluation Policy (2022) in respect of the:

- quality of evaluation reports;
- evaluation coverage;
- use of evaluations;
- evaluation partnerships and joint evaluations; and
- financial and human resources.



# Outcome 1: Independent, credible and useful evaluations

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1.4.A

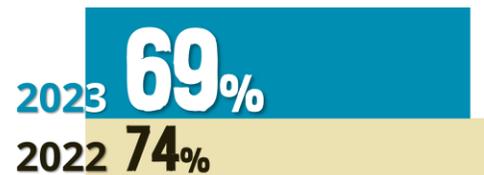
Evaluation reports completed in the reference year rated by post-hoc quality assessment as “satisfactory” or “highly satisfactory”



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1.4.B

Evaluation reports completed in the reference year rated by post-hoc quality assessment related to UN System Wide Action Plan for Gender Equality and Empowerment of Women as “meet requirements”

NEW 2023



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1.4.C

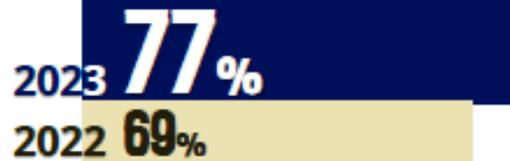
Evaluation reports completed in the reference year rated by post-hoc quality assessment related to UN Disability Strategy as “meet requirements”

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# Outcome 2: Balanced and relevant evaluation coverage

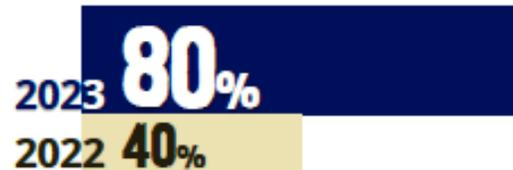
**WS 2.2.A** Active policies evaluated or the evaluation is taking place



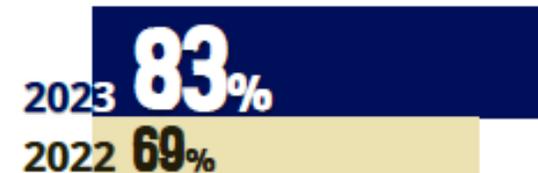
**WS 2.2.B** CSPs or ICSPs due for evaluation, evaluated



**WS 2.2.C** Corporate emergency responses due for evaluation in the reference year, evaluated



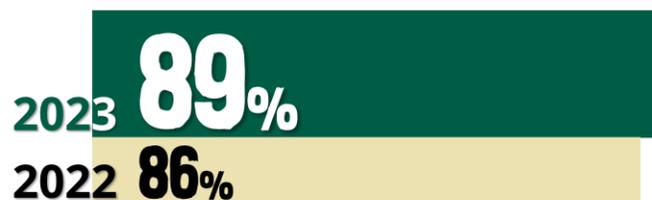
**WS 2.2.D** Country offices with at least one decentralized evaluation commissioned in the CSP or ICSP cycle [ending in the reference year]



# Outcome 3 – Evaluation Evidence systematically accessible and available

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3.1.A

Completed evaluations that are made publicly available in a timely way (corporate results framework KPI)



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3.2.A

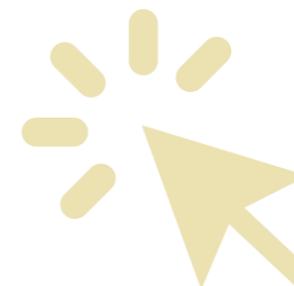
Percentage of WFP draft policies and draft CSPs that refer explicitly to evaluation evidence (corporate results framework KPI)



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3.1.C

Evaluation products accessed (corporate results framework KPI)  
*[Percentage increase/decrease of unique downloads of evaluation products from previous year]*

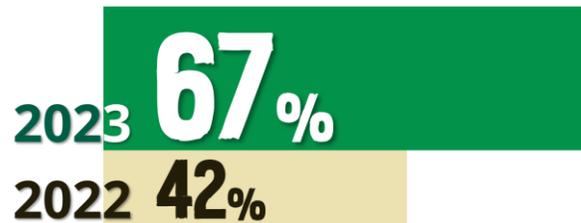
**+31.2%** 2023



**+32.9%**  
2022

## Outcome 4 – Enhanced capacity to commission, manage and use evaluations

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4.1** Completed decentralized  
evaluations for which the evaluation  
managers completed the evaluation  
learning training programme



## Outcome 5 – Partnerships strengthen environment for evaluation and United Nations coherence

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5.1** Joint evaluations with Governments in  
which WFP engaged in the reference year

**2** 2023

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5.2** Joint evaluations with United Nations agencies and other  
partners in which WFP engaged in the reference year

**7** 2023