

WFP in Latin America & the Caribbean



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*Working in **Partnerships** &
Contributing to National
Ownership to End Hunger*

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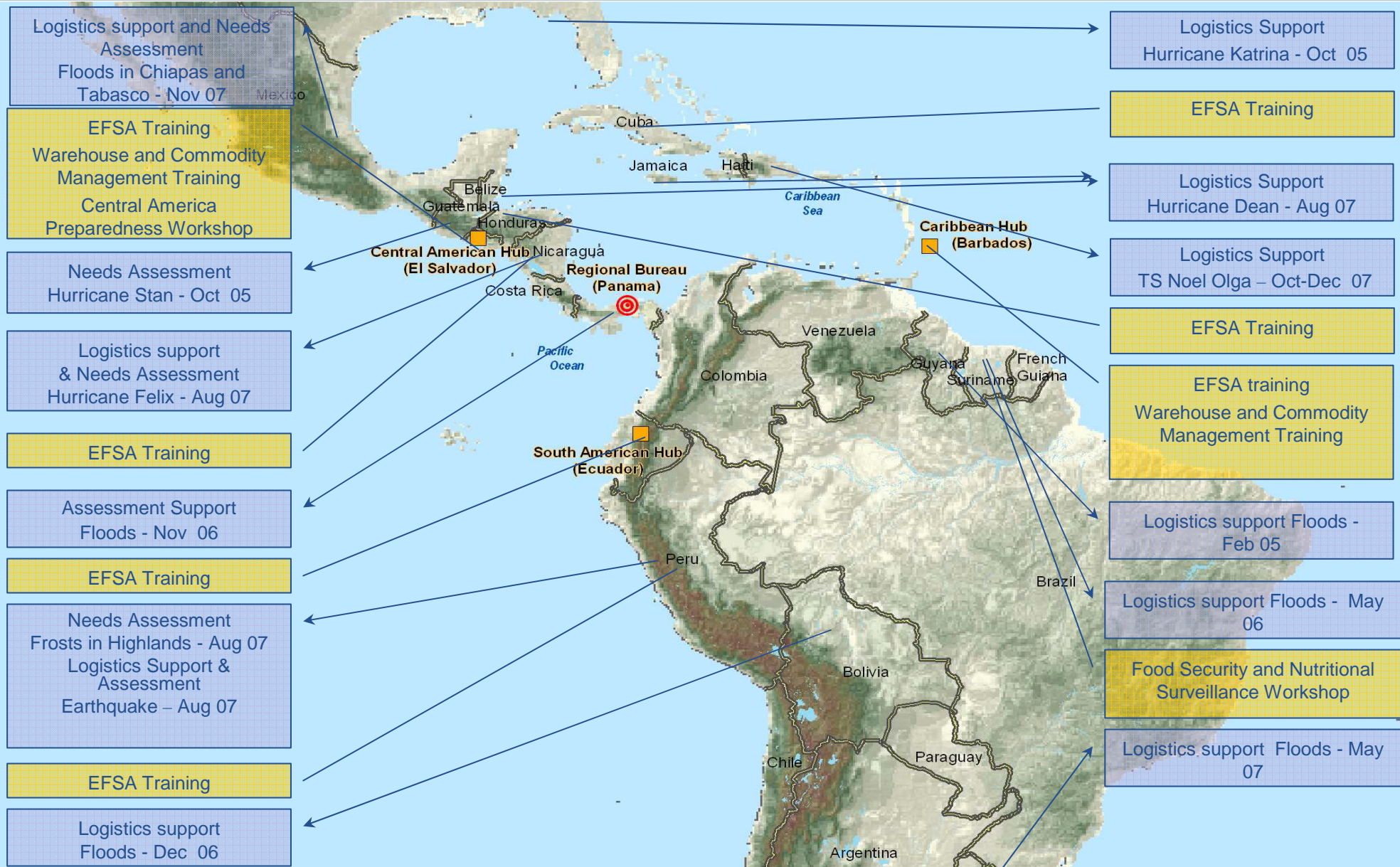
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I. SAVING LIVES AND LIVELIHOODS IN INCREASING EMERGENCIES



Support to the 2007 emergencies: **HEBs transported & emergency personnel deployed**

II. EMERGENCY PREPAREDNESS - KEY TO A BETTER RESPONSE



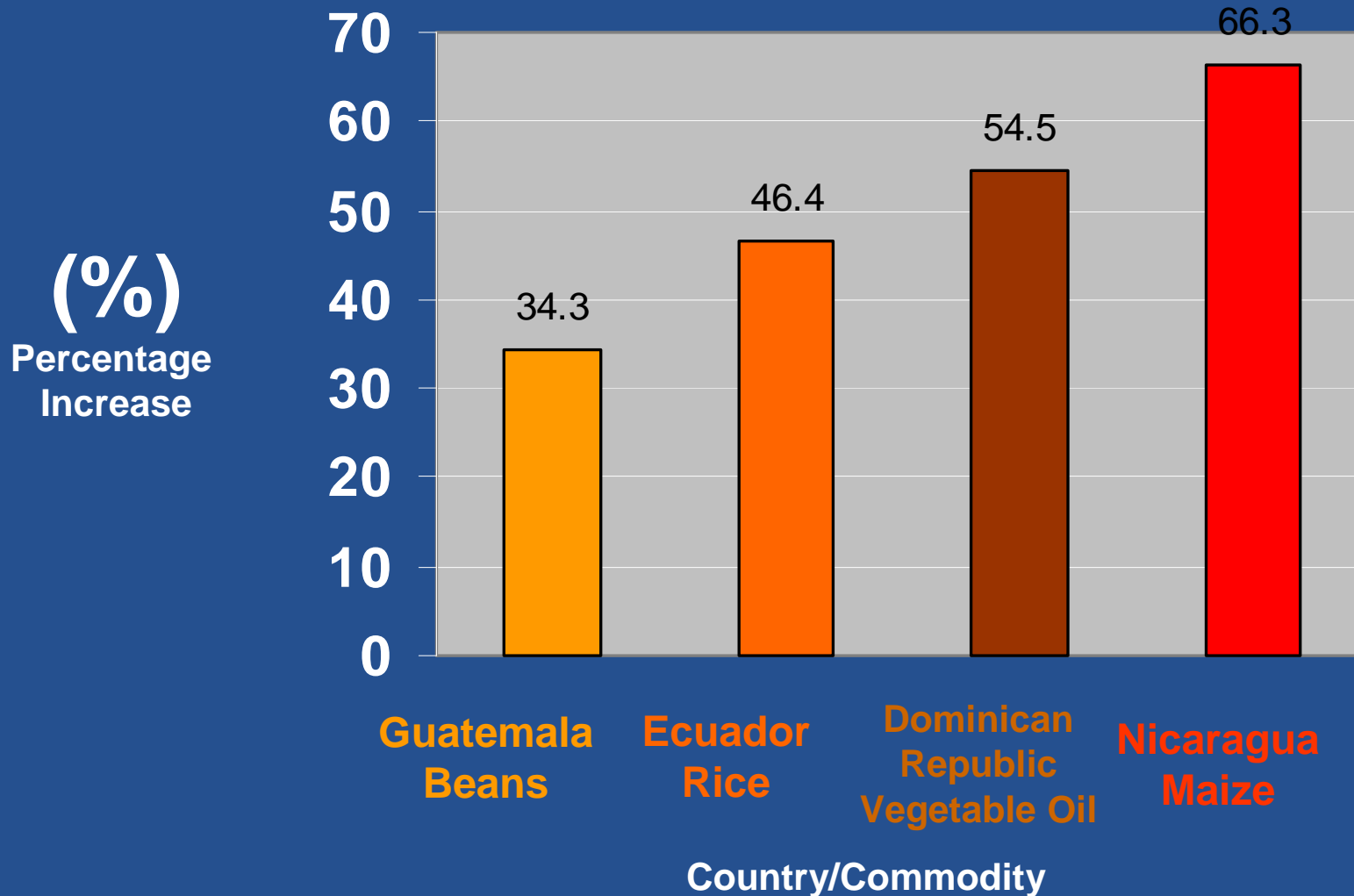


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III. **INCREASING FOOD PRICES** AFFECTING THE MOST VULNERABLE PEOPLE

Percentage Increase in Prices 2004-2007

(Sample Price Increases from WFP Procurement Database)

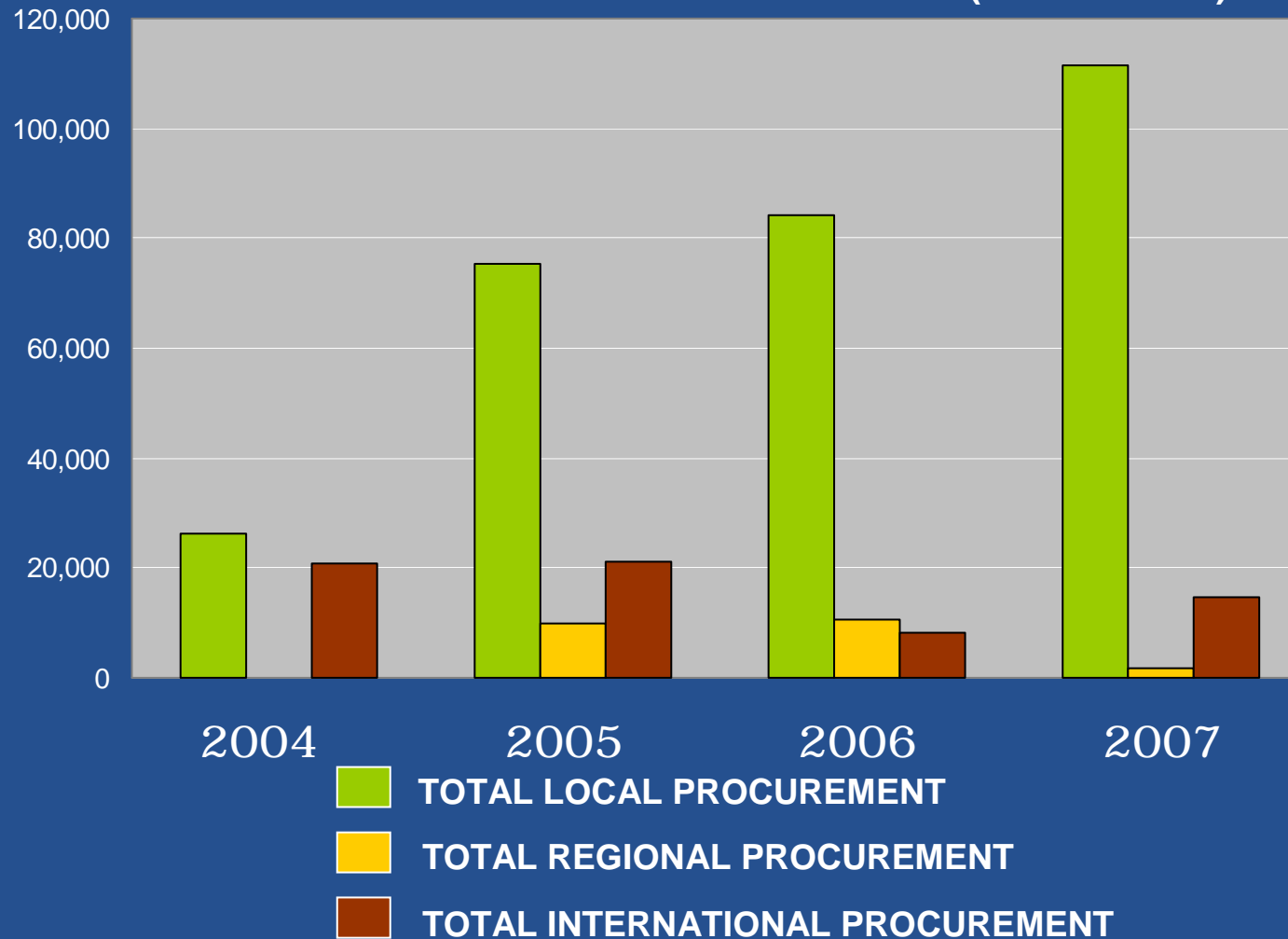




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IV. ENHANCING PEOPLE'S CAPACITY VIA **LOCAL PROCUREMENT**

Local, Regional & International Procurement In Latin America and the Caribbean 2004-2007 (Metric Tons)





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V. PROMOTING SOUTH-SOUTH & TRIANGULAR PARTNERSHIPS

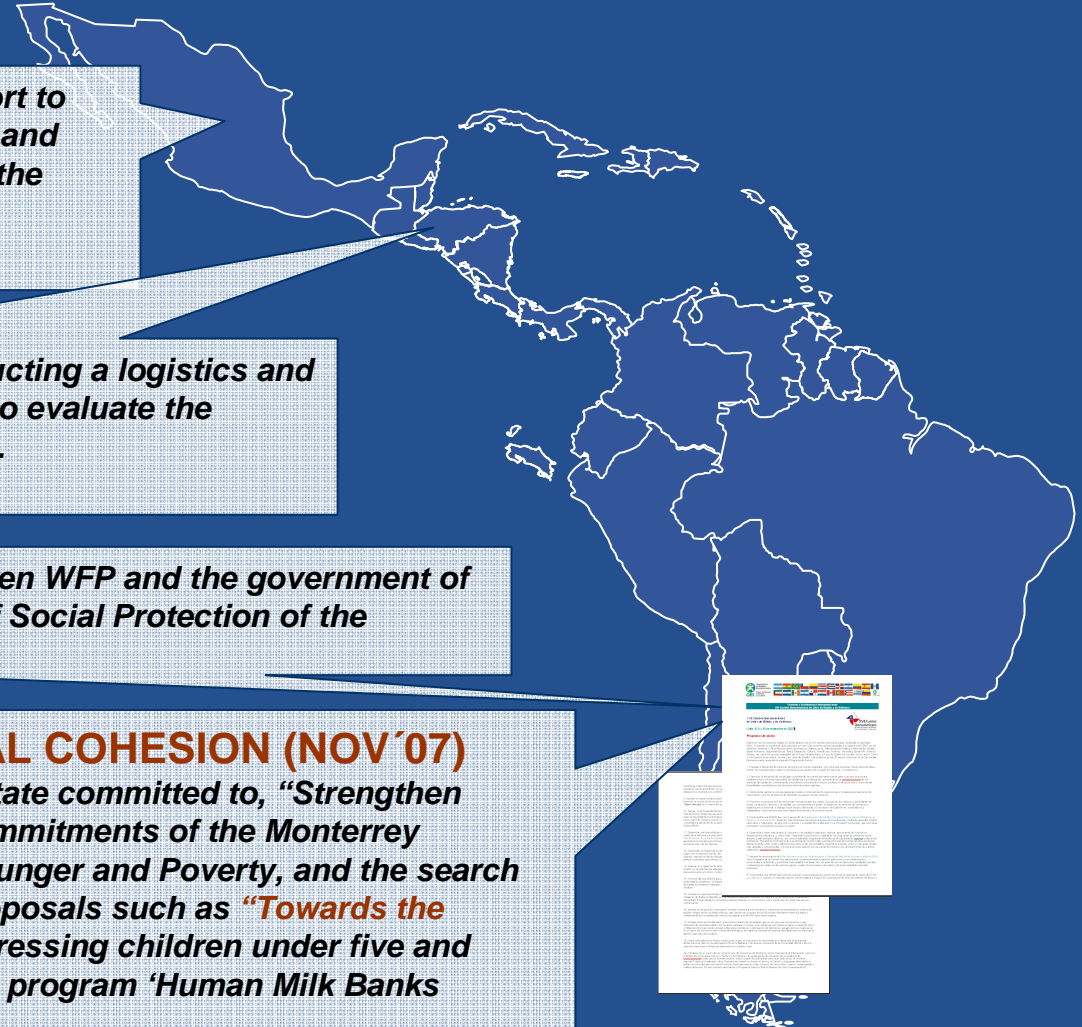
MEXICO: Coordinating with Plan Puebla-Panama (PPP) support to prevention of natural disasters, via EPR activities, and human and sustainable development, in support of the Initiative Towards the Eradication of Child Under-nutrition in Central America and Dominican Republic.

NICARAGUA, HONDURAS, & GUATEMALA: CENABAST conducting a logistics and procurement assessment mission jointly with WFP countries to evaluate the supply chain & logistics of their main nutritional programmes.

CHILE May, '08: Regional Technical Conference jointly between WFP and the government of Chile in the framework of the Regional Meeting of Ministers of Social Protection of the Organization of American States (OAS).

XVII IBEROAMERICAN SUMMIT ON SOCIAL COHESION (NOV '07)

Through what is known as the Plan of Action, The Heads of State committed to, "Strengthen Iberoamerican collaboration -- within the framework of the commitments of the Monterrey Consensus on financing development, the Initiative against Hunger and Poverty, and the search for innovative financing mechanisms – based on concrete proposals such as **"Towards the Eradication of Child Chronic Undernutrition"**, particularly addressing children under five and pregnant and lactating women. In this context we approve the program 'Human Milk Banks Network' (BLH).

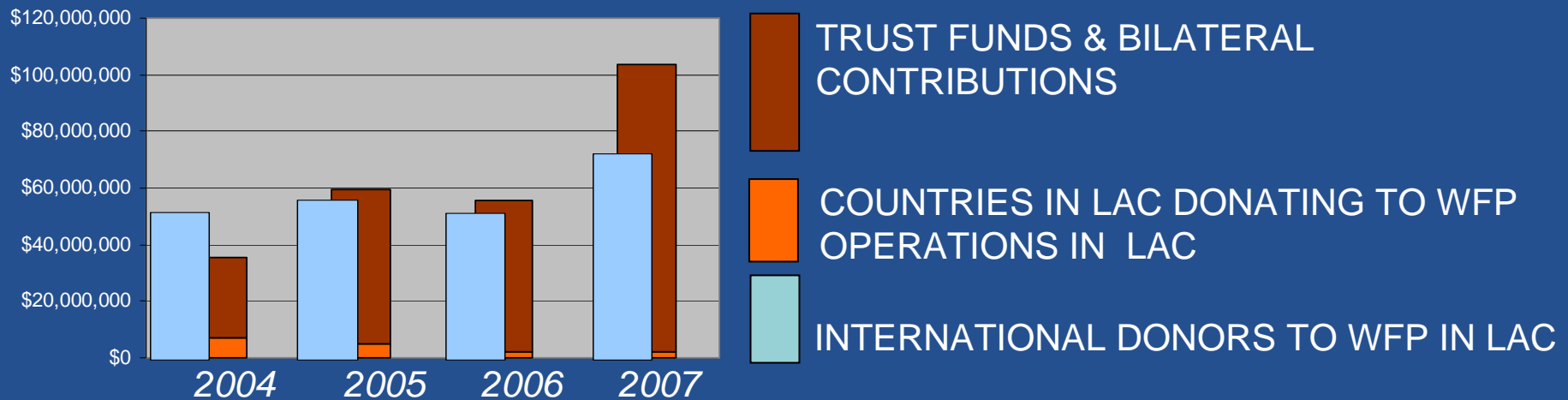




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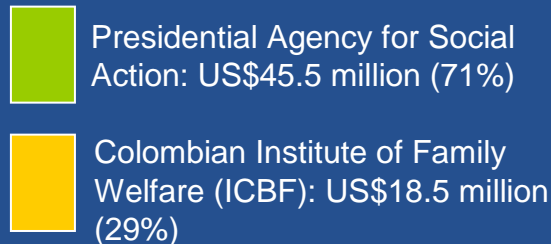
VI: STRENGTHENING GOVERNMENT OWNERSHIP

Contributions to WFP Latin America and the Caribbean 2004-2007



Contributions from the Colombian Government to the new PRRO 10588

**Total contribution
US\$ 64.5 millions**





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¡Gracias!

