LOGISTICS CLUSTER

# Sudan Logistics Cluster

While we start, we kindly request you to write your name and organization in the chat.
The meeting will be recorded

**18 July 2023**

Sudan

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## Agenda

1. Action points
2. Entry Points status
3. General updates: Sudan Logistics Cluster
4. LogIE update
5. AoB

# Action points

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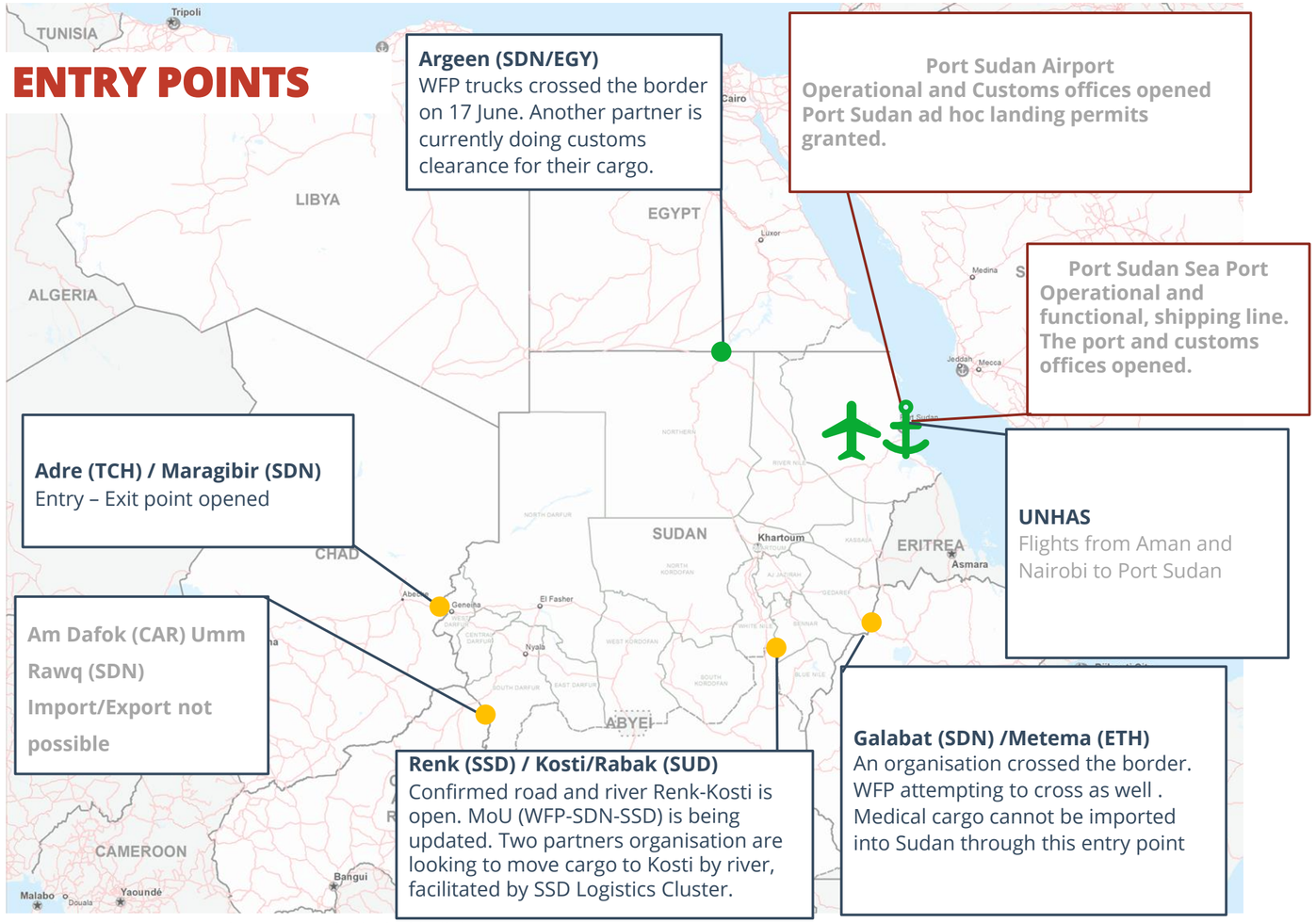
| Importation and customs session | • The IMPACCT Working group successfully held a dedicated session on the 5 July to discuss on import and custom issues followed by a second session held on 12 July, to specifically address procedures and clearance processes for importing medical items. |
| Egypt border | • **WFP ETH border crossing will be initiated this week with 25 trucks,.**<br>• A partner who is trying to move through the Egypt border to provide information on the success or not of the mission and the process faced in customs clearance |

# Logistics Cluster Sudan Snapshot, #9. 17 July 2023

If you have any logistical information you would like to share with partners, please send an email to sdn.response.logcoordination@wfp.org

## ENTRY POINTS




**Argeen (SDN/EGY)**
WFP trucks crossed the border on 17 June. Another partner is currently doing customs clearance for their cargo.

**Port Sudan Airport**
**Operational and Customs offices opened**
**Port Sudan ad hoc landing permits granted.**

**Port Sudan Sea Port**
**Operational and functional, shipping line. The port and customs offices opened.**

**Adre (TCH) / Maragibir (SDN)**
Entry – Exit point opened

**UNHAS**
Flights from Aman and Nairobi to Port Sudan

**Am Dafok (CAR) Umm Rawq (SDN)**
**Import/Export not possible**

**Renk (SSD) / Kosti/Rabak (SUD)**
Confirmed road and river Renk-Kosti is open. MoU (WFP-SDN-SSD) is being updated. Two partners organisation are looking to move cargo to Kosti by river, facilitated by SSD Logistics Cluster.

**Galabat (SDN) /Metema (ETH)**
An organisation crossed the border. WFP attempting to cross as well . Medical cargo cannot be imported into Sudan through this entry point

Previous updates – no changes are included in light grey

## KEY UPDATES

- The Government of Sudan issued a note verbal "confirmation in writing of the government's decision to allow for cross-border humanitarian assistance from Chad to West and East Darfur, including the movement and accommodation of staff and warehousing of humanitarian goods, which will facilitate the delivery and distribution of critical emergency supplies in water and sanitation, medicine, nutrition, non-food items and food items. This will enable the United Nations and its partners, including international and national non-governmental organizations, to meet the acute needs of people.
- The IMPACCT Working group successfully held a dedicated session on the 5 July to discuss on import and custom issues followed by a second session held on 12 July, to specifically address procedures and clearance processes for importing medical items. Further information and documentations can be found in the Logistic Cluster IMPACCT box.
- Partners to provide information on their storage capacity in Sudan. Link to survey
- Meeting minutes and slides from the last coordination meeting are online

Information represented in this document is based on the most accurate data currently available from the Field Logistics Cluster staff supporting the emergency response operation. It may be revised or updated as new or more complete data becomes available.

WEBSITE
https://logcluster.org/ops/sdn20a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# Logistics Cluster: General updates

## Chad

- Fiona.lithgow@wfp.org to share your plans and future needs
- 6 x MSUs should arrive by air in N'Djamena this week, then to be transported to Farchana/Adre.
- 5 x MSUs/pallets to go by road from Accra
- Agreement from SDN governement to allow access from Chad to Darfur HOWEVER, there are still corridors and safe access to be worked through. This is Step 1.

## Sudan

- Cold chain set-up facing some delays based on agreements with Maersk, working to get at least one reefer operational asap.
- Sea transport
- Question to organisations: Who is facing issues with authorities who place padlocks on their warehouses, as we can collect info on number of organisations and sector and move this forward to AWG.

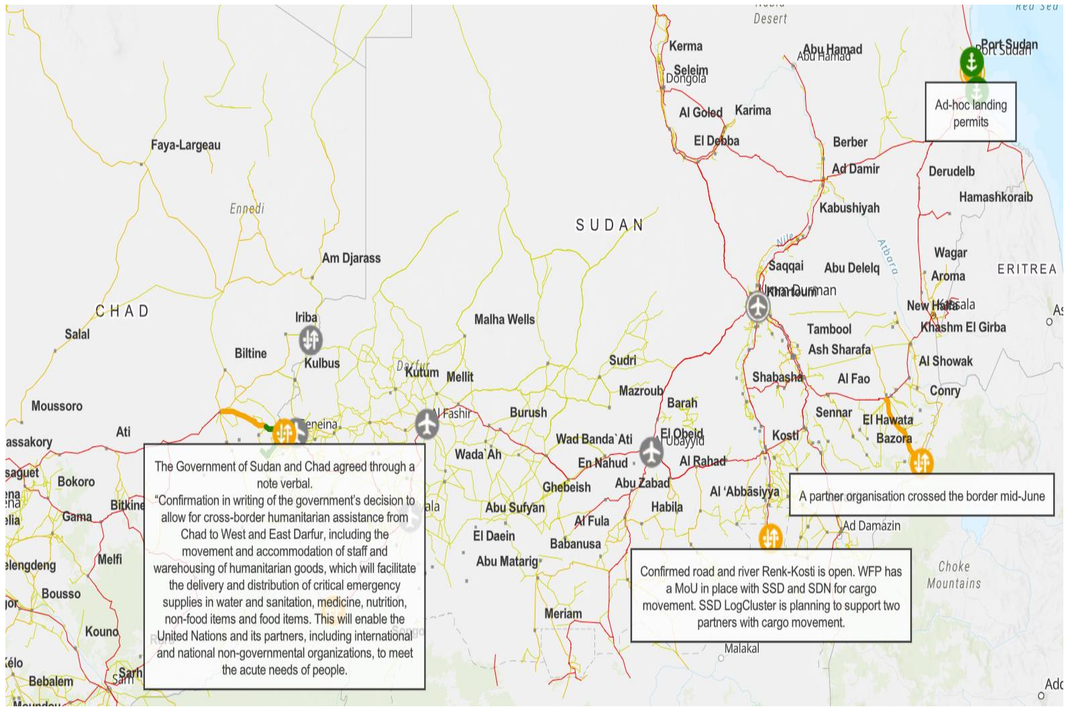
# Logistics Cluster: General updates

- Request to all organizations to look at resources on the website, there seems to be some confusion between WFP On Demand Services and Logistics Cluster (at no cost to the user). To check on Logistics Cluster services, check the Service Request section in https://logcluster.org/ops/sdn20a

- To access Logistics Cluster storage, partners must submit a Service Request Form (SRF).
- If you are using the sea-transport from Jeddah to PZU, that is one request, if you also wish to use LC storage in PZU-please submit another request for storage.
- Transporter and other services providers list can be shared on request by LC – sdn.response.logcoordination@wfp.org
- If we cannot assist for whatever reason, we can link partners up with appropriate WFP focal points.

# LogIE update

## Physical constraints and Entry-Points




Chad (Adre) – Sudan (West and East Darfur) boarder points have been opened.

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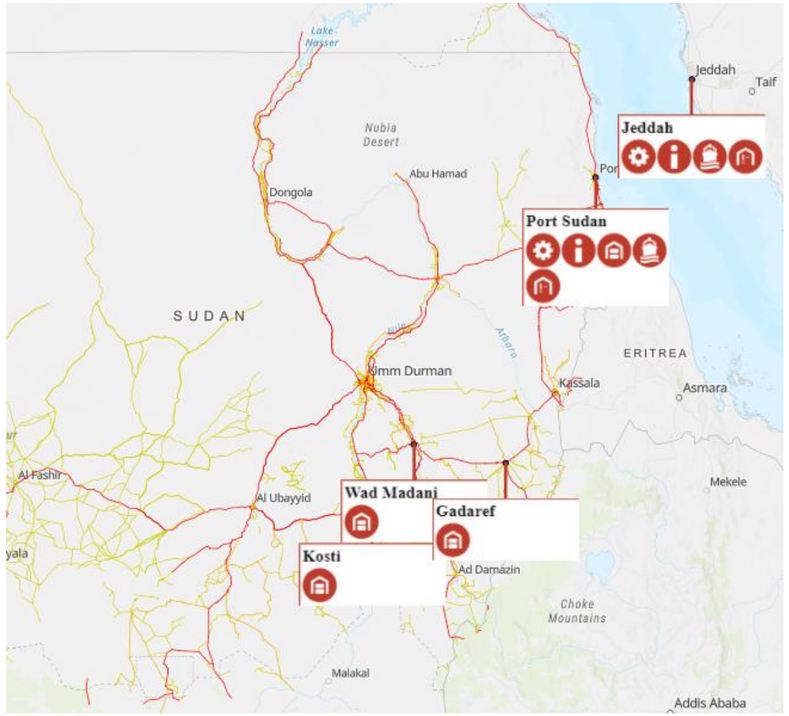
- Physical constraints
- Entry points, damaged roads
- Need information + georeference

## ConOps module

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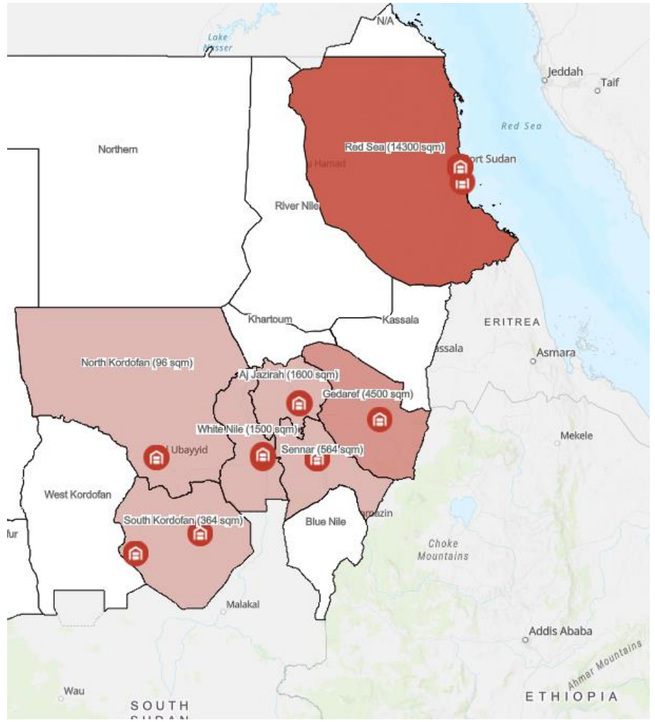
## Partners' WH mapping

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Two ways to report:
- Send excel file to sdn.response.logcoordination@wfp.org
- Fill survey

# AoB

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Focal points are as follows (please cc both in communications):

- Regional coordinator (Nairobi based) : fiona.lithgow@wfp.org
- Sudan LCC (based in Port Sudan): ali.awan@wfp.org, Mads.vejlstrup@wfp.org
- Information Management Officer (Nairobi based): denis.iga@wfp.org

- To join the Sudan Logistics Cluster WhatsApp group -> send an email to sdn.response.logcoordination@wfp.org
- To join the IMPACCT Working Group WhatsApp group on customs procedures -> send an email to impacct.2021@gmail.com

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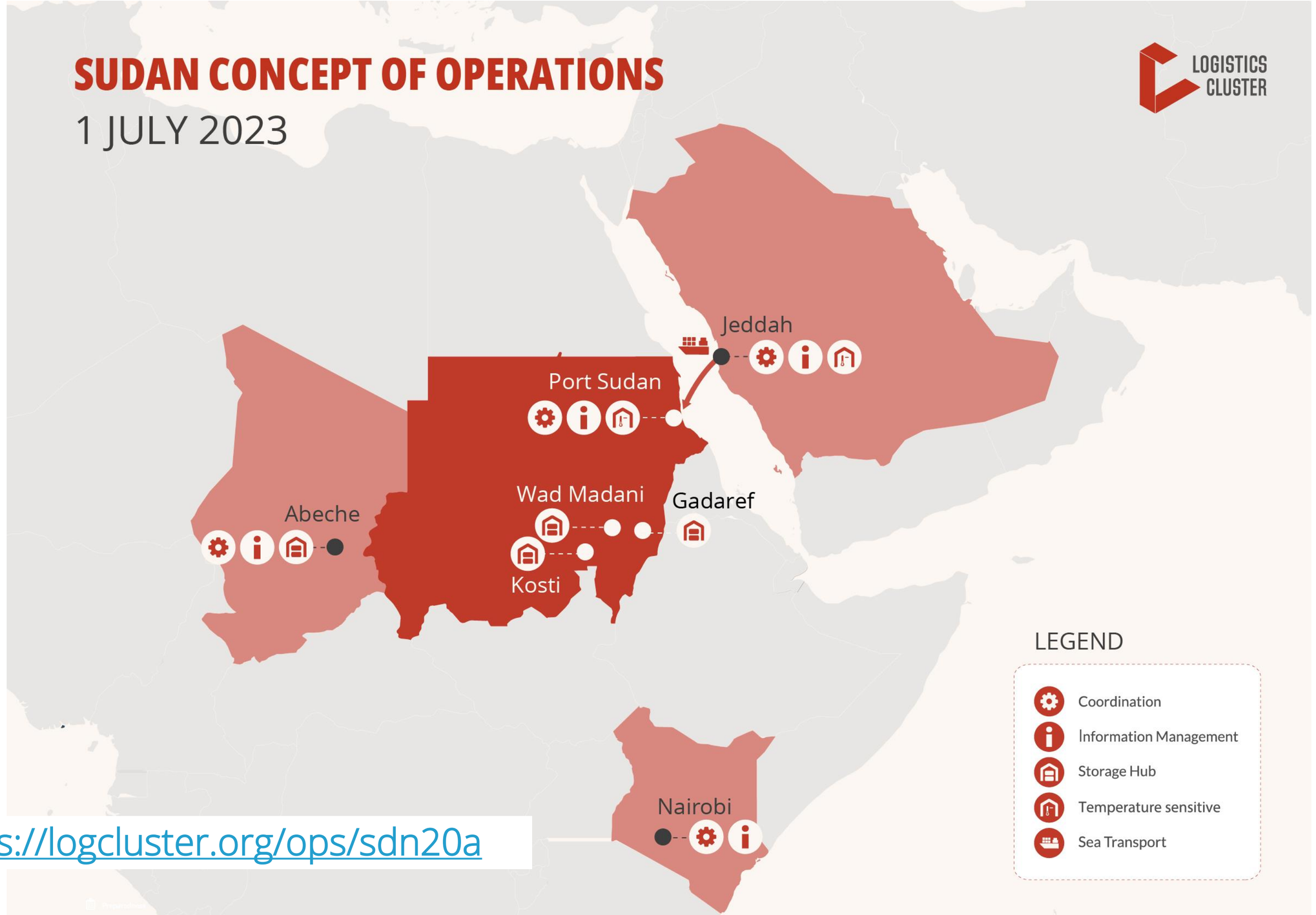


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