

### Background

Based on the Logistics Rapid Assessment (LRA) recommendation and the request of the Humanitarian Country Team (HCT), the Logistics Cluster was activated in May 2010 and established a Logistics Coordination cell in Sana'a providing services as outlined below.

### Coordination

In Yemen, the Logistics Cluster facilitates efficient logistics coordination and emergency response in support of the humanitarian community under the Cluster approach. Regular coordination meetings are held with humanitarian partners (41 members) in Sana'a to discuss logistics bottlenecks and develop common solutions for improved humanitarian response.

### Information Management

The Logistics Cluster provides regular Information Management products such as Geographic Information System (GIS) maps (Road maps, port, airports), meeting minutes and other information products as required; all are available on the dedicated Logistics Cluster Yemen webpage: <http://logcluster.org/ops/yem10a>. A new Senior Logistics Cluster Logistics Assistant was recruited to facilitate and assist providing services to the humanitarian community.

### Common Transport and Storage

In September, the Logistics Cluster:

- Facilitated two flights to Sa'ada transporting 10 passengers from **WFP, ICRC, UNDP, and OCHA**.
- Facilitated the transportation of light cargo between Sa'ada and Sana'a on behalf of humanitarian organisations.
- Erected one Mobile Storage Unit in Sana'a (300 MT capacity) with plans for an additional two in Haradh; all are available to meet storage requirements of humanitarian partners.

### Fuel

The Logistics Cluster in Yemen has continued to provide fuel to humanitarian partners throughout the fuel crisis, implementing the Service Level Agreement (SLA) mechanism on full cost recovery basis. A fuel distribution system has been implemented in three different locations (Sana'a, Aden and Haradh) with a total capacity of 424,000L have been implemented.

In September:

- 28,690** liters of diesel were received from the supplier (YPC)
- 44,613** liters of fuel were distributed to UNDSS, OCHA, UNDP, WHO, UNOPS, FAO, RI, IRY, UNFPA, WFP, UNICEF, NRC, DRC, UNHCR, IMF, IOM, OXFAM, SCI, ADRA, and CSSW.
- 184,176** liters of fuel stock are currently available.



PARTICIPANTS AT THE REGULAR COORDINATION MEETING.

