

# The World Food Programme's Safe Access to Fuel and Energy (SAFE)

addresses the serious challenges faced by the most vulnerable people linked with access to cooking fuel

## Global Cookstoves Survey

In 2015, WFP conducted a survey of its cookstove activities to better understand how to scale up its SAFE programmes. These are the key findings:

### How many

54 country offices responded to the survey and reported 27 cookstove initiatives



SAFE programmes



Cookstove activities

This is one third of countries in which WFP works

### Why are SAFE & cookstoves needed

38 country offices expressed their energy-related concerns

#### Top 4 concerns



Environmental degradation 17 countries



Lack of access to cooking fuel 13 countries

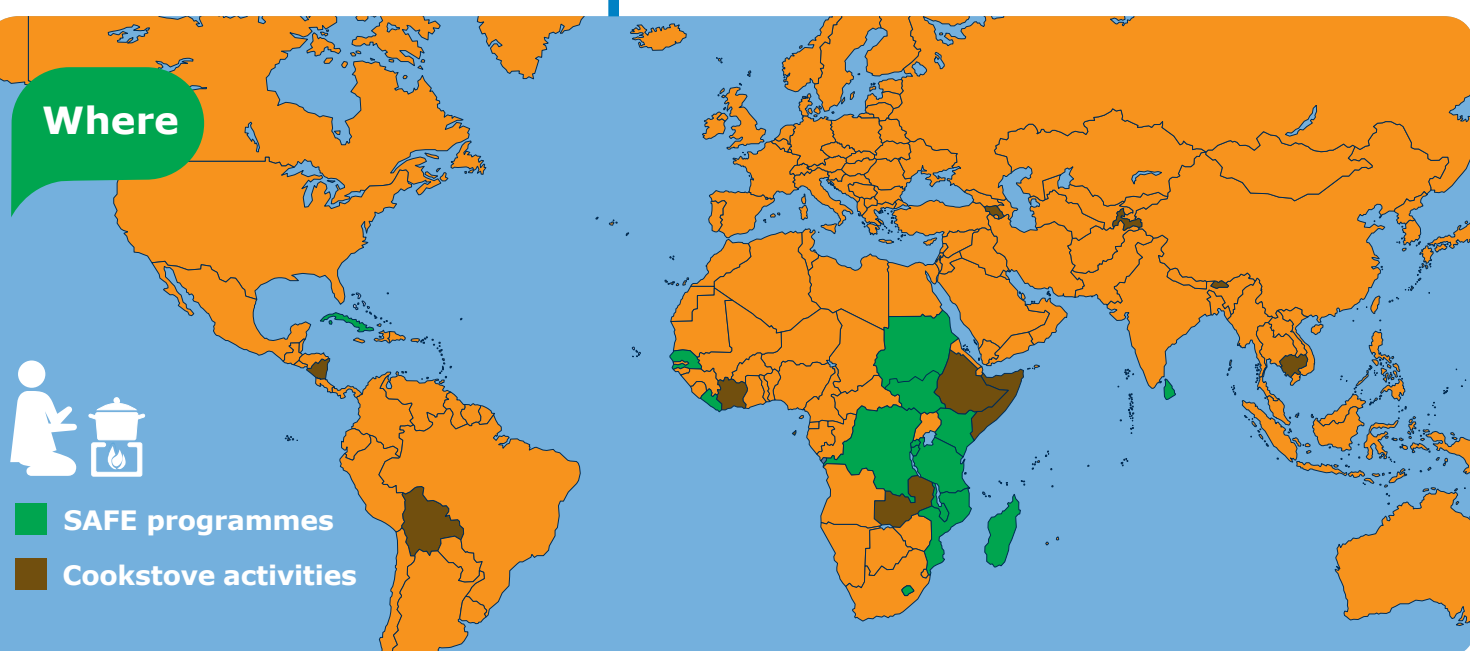


Protection issues linked to gathering firewood 12 countries



Inadequate cooking of food and water 11 countries

### Where



### How

#### Top 5 interventions



Provide institutional cookstoves to schools 21 countries



Train people to make their own cookstoves 10 countries



Train people on how to cook food with less fuel 9 countries



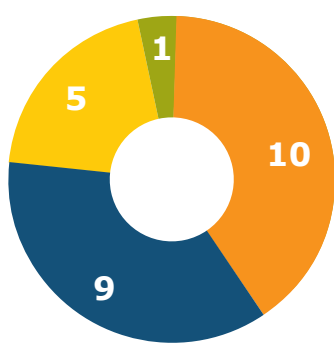
Provide household cookstoves to families 7 countries



Increase fuel-wood sources by planting community forests & nurseries 7 countries

### Types of operations

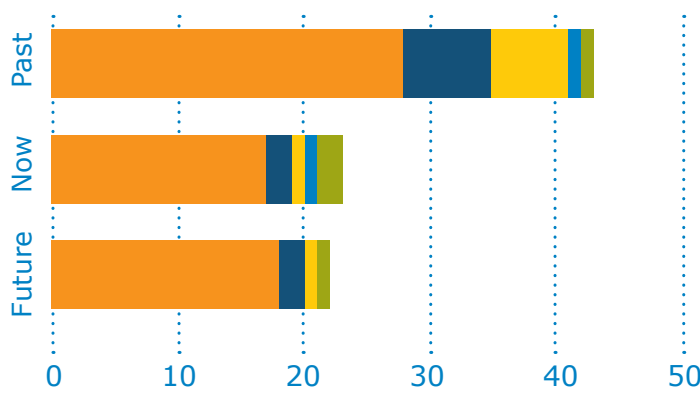
Existing WFP operations with SAFE or cookstove initiatives



Country Programme  
Protracted Relief and Recovery  
Stand-Alone Activity or Pilot  
Emergency Operations

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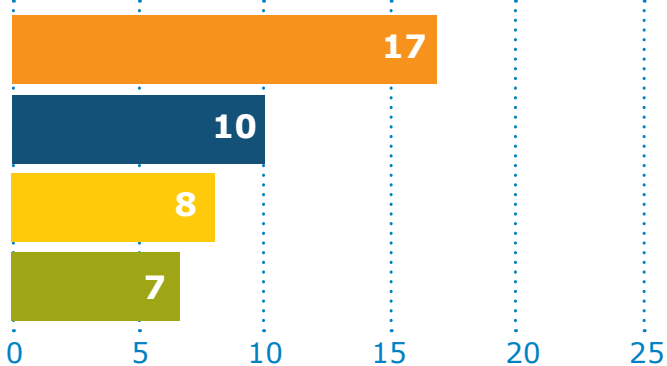
Countries use a variety of WFP activities to implement SAFE or cookstove initiatives



The majority of interventions focus on school meals programmes

### Partnerships

Countries report a range of partners involved in SAFE or cookstove initiatives

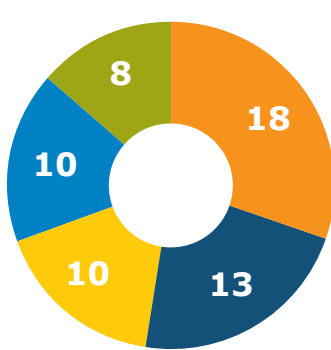


Government  
Local NGOs  
Private sector  
International NGOs

The multifaceted nature of SAFE encourages partnerships

### Challenges

Countries highlighted a number of challenges with implementing SAFE



Funding  
Staff capacity  
Technical expertise  
Training  
Procurement expertise



World Food Programme

WFP commits to help 10 million people to safely prepare their meals through SAFE activities by 2020.

To scale up SAFE projects, WFP has launched the "10x20 campaign" to support this commitment.

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