



# Charter for Food Crisis Prevention and Management

*Sahel and West Africa Code of Good  
Conduct to eliminate recurrent food and  
nutritional crisis*

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## Outline

## Charter

- 1. Origin of the Charter**
- 2. Process of the formulation**
- 3. Lessons for others**



## Origin... Key references...

## Charter

Adoption of the Food Aid Charter - FAC:

- ◇ Better coordination and delivery -
- ◇ Minimizing adverse effects
- ◇ Ultimately phasing out aid

Decision of RPCA's Members: To  
Revise the FAC

Adoption PREGEC Charter: To  
Ministerial

Approbation: Heads of  
States Summit

1990

2006

2011

2012



# Why the Revision ?...

# Charter

... From Food Aid Charter to the PREGEC Charter...





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## Changing landscape of food aid providers

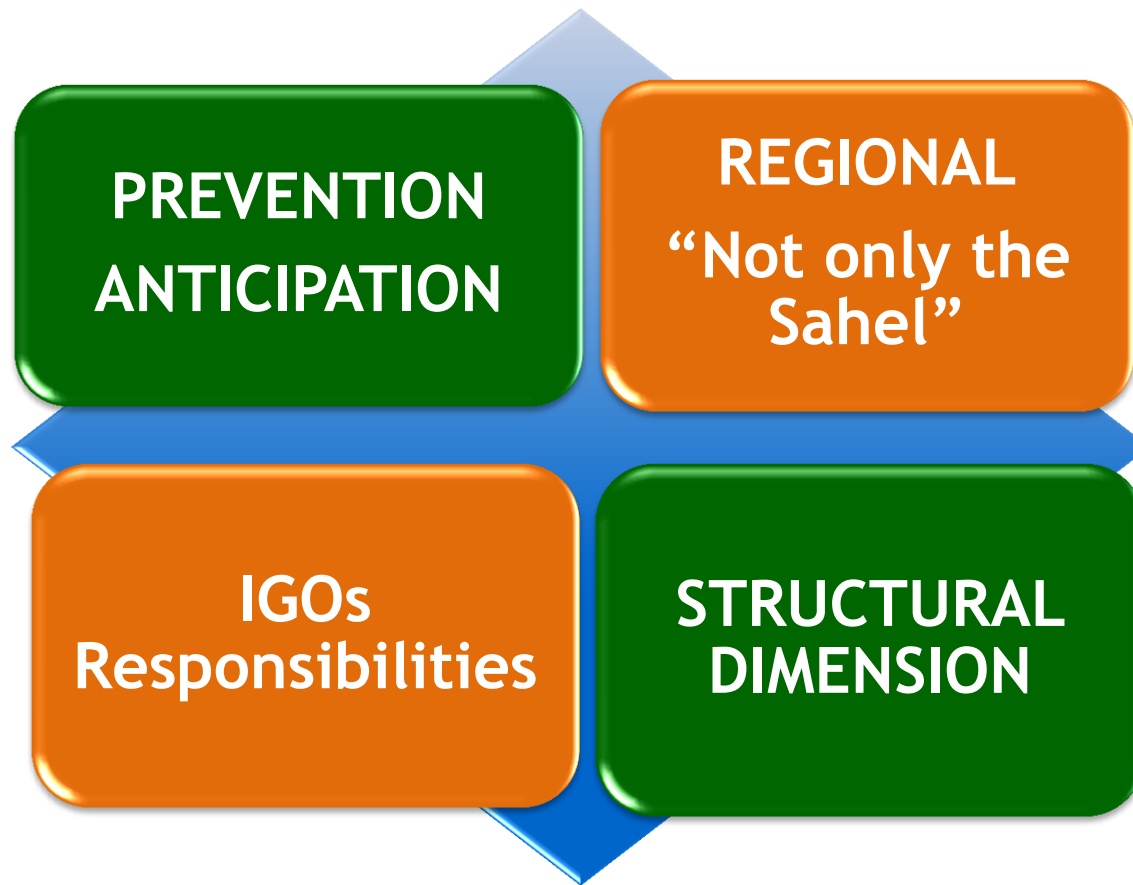
Food Aid Providers	Contribution (%)		
	1993-94	2002-03	2005-06
Signatories of 1990 FAC	75	50	55.8
Other Donors	25	50	44.2
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>100</b>



## Major changes... Innovations...

## Charter


**Special focus on:**

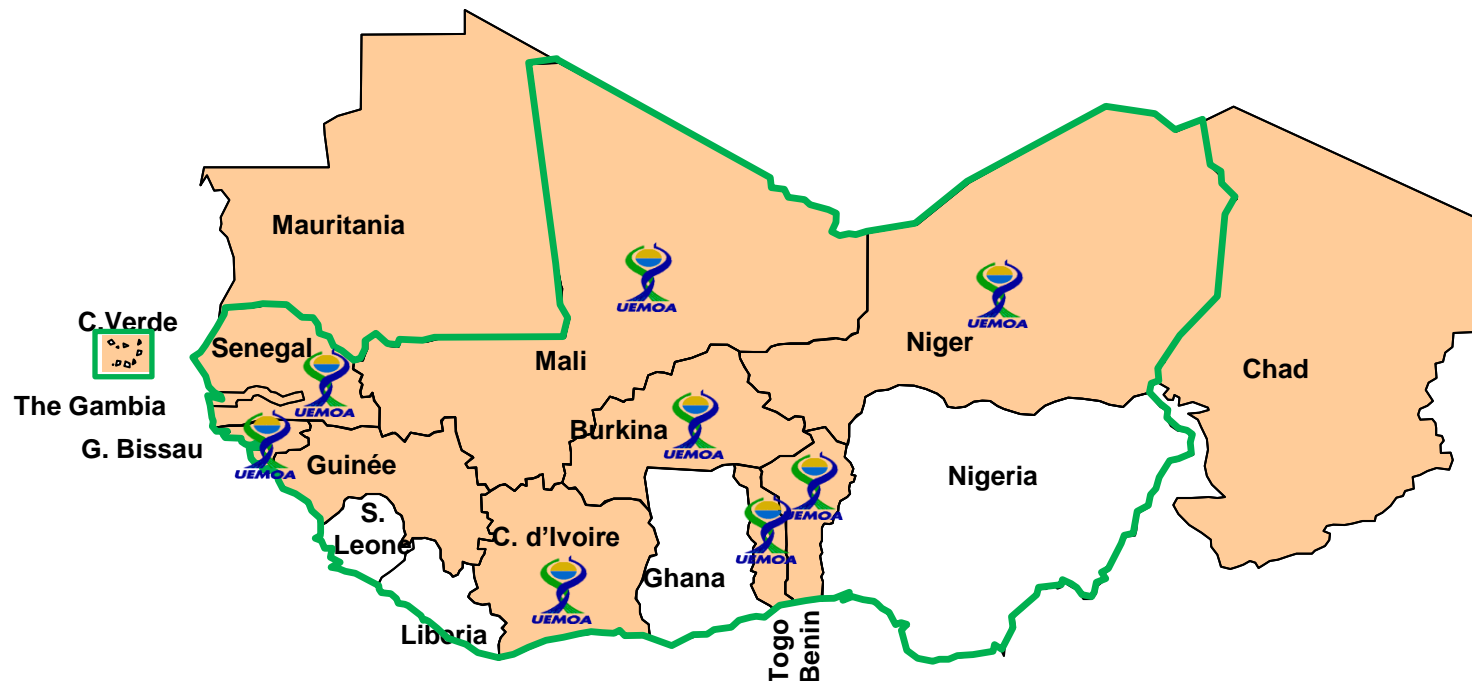




# Geographical coverage... 17 Countries

# Charter

-  **ECOWAS**
-  **UEMOA**
-  **CILSS**







## The Process...

## Charter

... 5-Years Participatory and Inclusive Process of Reflection and Negotiation...

2007 -2009

2010 - 2011

Reflections under the guidance of an International Steering Committee:

◇ Production of a Draft Text

Dialogues - Consultations:

- ◇ National: Gov. & Partners, CSOs,...
- ◇ International (DAC-OECD support)
- ◇ Regional validation





## Key Pillars...

## Charter

- ▣ **GENERAL PRINCIPLES**
- ▣ **INFORMATION / ANALYSIS**
- ▣ **DIALOGUE / CONSULTATION**
- ▣ **PREVENTION & CONSENSUAL ANALYSIS / CHOICE OF TOOLS**
- ▣ **FOOD ASSISTANCE & AID IN RESPONSE TO FOOD AND NUTRITIONAL CRISES**



## Lessons for others...

## Charter

### 1. The process

- Political will: Providing appropriate guidance
- Inclusiveness
- Time: Key determinant for participation and appropriation

### 2. Challenges of the application

- Monitoring mechanism at all levels
- Regular external evaluation/Per review mechanism
- Questioning Mechanism

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