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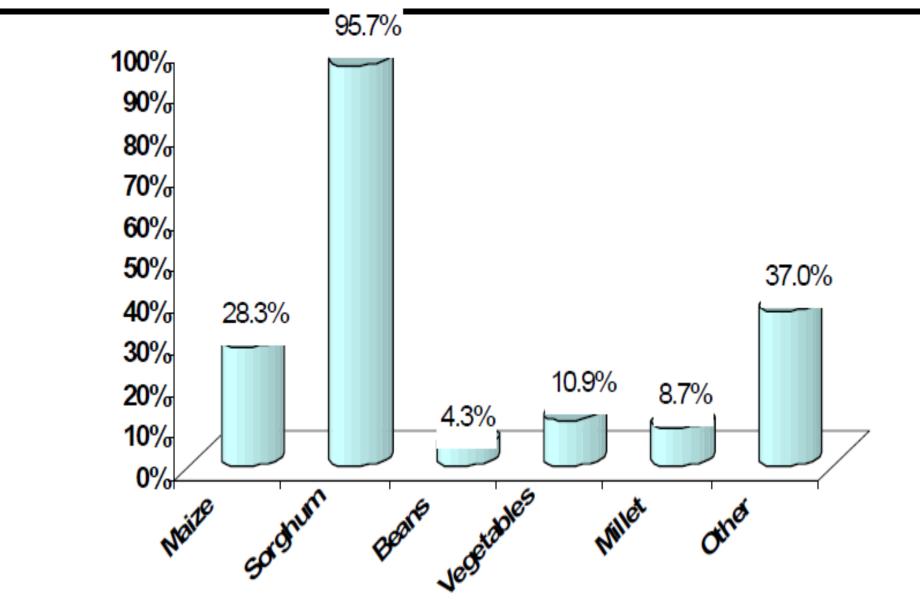




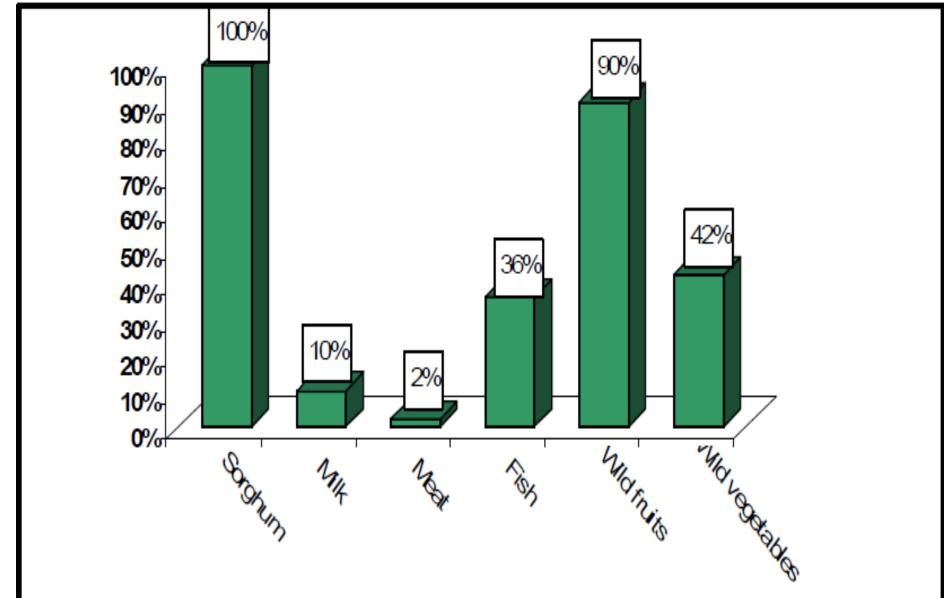
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- Consumption pattern are inadequate with 41% of population at borderline food consumption
 - level(FSNMS,2014)
- Iron proportion rich food is as low at 3% (WFP/FAO, 2015)

Food intake



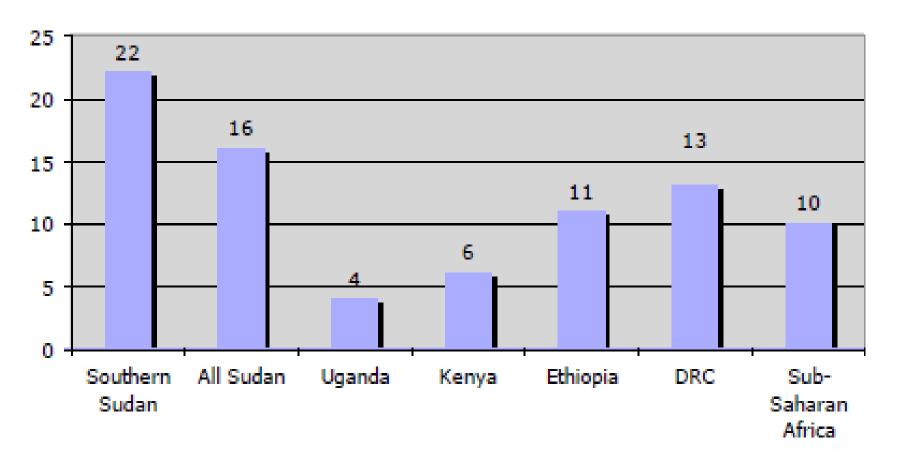
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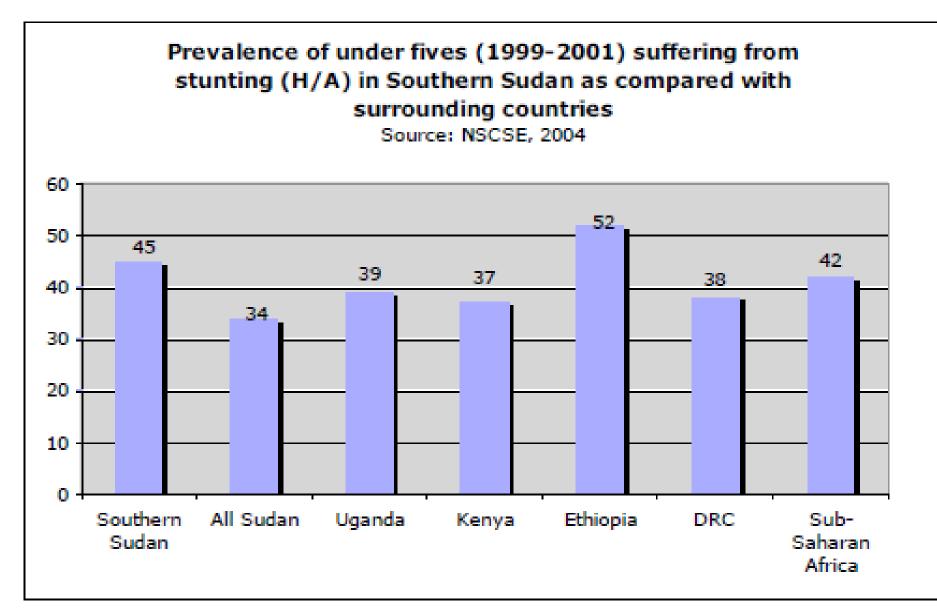


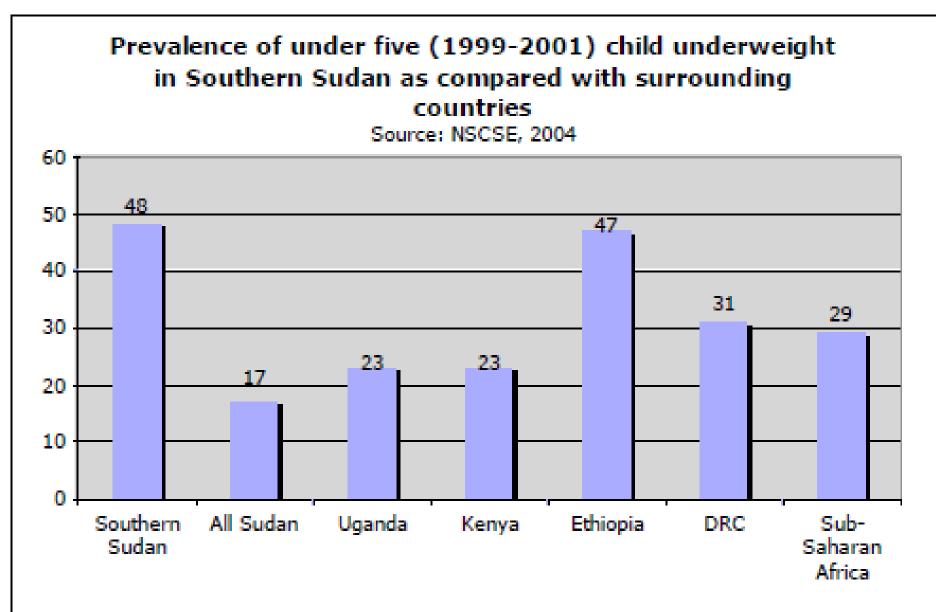
- limited intake of protein(FSNMS, 2014)
- This predisposes the population to a range of nutrition problems including micronutrient deficiency
- Global Acute malnutrition remain above the emergency threshold(GAM>15%)

Prevalence of under fives (1999-2001) suffering from wasting (W/H, GAM) moderate & severe in Southern Sudan as compared with surrounding countries

Source: NSCSE, 2004







Challenges

- Country depends entirely on import
- There is currently no standard set in place
- Only produce on small scale
- No policy in place for food fortification