**WFP Ethiopia Conflict Expands**

**Shot: 21-24 September, 05 October 2021**

**Tigry, Amhara, Addis Ababa**

**Ethiopia**

**TRT: 2:59**

**SHOTLIST:**

**:00-:15**

Burned truck that was hit by a drone strike just outside the town of Mariam Koraro, roughly 60km north east of Mekelle. During the first offensives in November 2020 this was the epicenter of the conflict which has since spread to neighbouring regions.

**Shot: 22Sep21**

**Mariam Koraro, Tigray**

**:15-:43**

GVs of remains of a house destroyed by conflict and makeshift graves nearby in Amhara.

**Shot: 24Sep21**

**Debark, Amhara**

**:43-1:08**

WFP warehouse, loading WFP food bags onto trucks heading to a distribution site.

**Shot: 21Sep2021**

**Gondar, Amhara**

**1:08-1:35**

**SOT Gemma Snowdon, WFP Spokesperson  (English):**

*“As conflict spreads across northern Ethiopia it’s having a very real impact on the families caught up in its path with food insecurity rising. WFP is expanding its operations across northern Ethiopia to meet these growing needs and it’s absolutely vital that we are able to reach all of the communities where people are in need of food assistance before we have a humanitarian catastrophe on our hands.”*

**Shot: 5Oct21**

**Addis Ababa**

**1:32-2:01**

WFP food distribution. Nobit Sahile Kidei with her 7 year old son, Abel receiving vegetable oil wheat and pulses. Nobit was displaced with her four children by the expanding conflict and is now staying with a distant relative in Debark.

**Shot: 23Sep2021**

**Debark, Amhara**

**2:01-2:24**

**SOT Nobit Sahile Kidei, (Amharic):**

*“We came here by foot. It happened very suddenly and we had to run away to escape the fighters. There was no means of transportation. The braver people managed to travel by vehicle. As we were on foot we had to cross a river that could have drowned us but some people helped us to cross as there were children with us. It was very challenging, some people were injured during our escape and we had t hide in villages along the way.”*

**Shot: 23Sep21**

**Debark, Amhara**

**2:24-2:59**

Nobit Sahile roasting WFP wheat and eating with her children.

**Shot: 23Sep21**

**Debark, Amhara**

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