

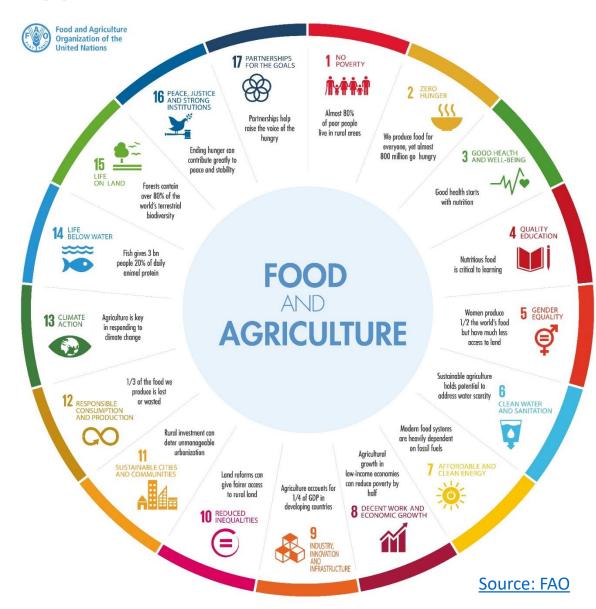
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Food Systems are connected to all our goals. They are one of the biggest problems, when they can be one of our biggest solutions.

Right now, many of the world's food systems are failing – for people, for environment, and for our shared future

- Hunger 690 million people are hungry (more than 250 million in Africa)
- FLFW one-third of all food is either lost or wasted
- Malnutrition now the number one factor contributing to the global burden of disease and reduced life expectancy (more than 70% of Africans cannot afford a healthy diet)
- Obesity more than 2 billion people are overweight or obese
- Climate change Food systems contribute up to 34% of all GHG emissions
- Biodiversity loss agriculture responsible for up to 80%
- Water use agriculture accounts for up to 70%
- **Deforestation** agriculture accounts for up to **80%**
- Energy agriculture account for more than 25%

We must look at these agendas as inter-connected rather than trying to achieve any one of them alone.



The Food Systems Summit will serve as a turning point in the world's journey to achieve the SDGs.

With less than 10 years to go, we are not on track to achieve many of the SDGs.

There is scientific consensus that transforming food systems also offers one of the single strongest opportunities we have to change course and realize the vision of the 2030 Agenda, and to support the Secretary-General's call to "build back better" from COVID-19.

The Summit will unleash bold new actions, innovative solutions, and strategies to transform our food systems and leverage these shifts to deliver progress across all of the SDGs.

"Transforming food systems is crucial for delivering all the Sustainable Development Goals."

- António Guterres, UN Secretary-General, 2019





UN Food Systems Summit Outcomes

- A Statement of Action by the UN Secretary-General that offers a guiding narrative on equitable and sustainable food systems
- 2. A large number of Member States making commitments to strategies, policies and investments that advance their national pathway towards food systems transformation.
- 3. A bold set of multi-stakeholder commitments, action and coalitions emerging from cities, communities, companies, civil society, citizens, development actors, young people, and food producers
- 4. Vibrant communities, in particular youth movements, are built or strengthened worldwide to drive food systems transformation
- 5. Provisions for regular follow-up and review at national, regional and global levels

Food Systems Summit Dialogues Progress



MEMBER STATES

- As at 18 June: 133 Member States have formally confirmed that they will convene national FSS Dialogues and nominate Convenors
- 339 MS Dialogues Registered
- 327 MS Dialogues have already taken place
- The FSSD Toolkit is available in all UN languages and Portuguese, the Dialogue Gateway exists in French, Spanish, Russian, Arabic, English
- Over 130 training and briefing sessions with about 2500 participants
- **591** Independent dialogues registered
- 498 Independent dialogues have taken place



REGIONAL

- UN Regional Commissions held sessions on the Food Systems Summit at Regional Forums on Sustainable Development
- AUDA/NEPAD engagement; Other regional efforts expanding

GLOBAL

Dialogues Confirmed:

- 27 April Water (UN Water)
- 4 May Youth (UNICEF)
- 11 May Nature/Planet/People (UNEP)
- 27 May Oceans (FOA, Norway)
- 24 June Cities (FAO)
- 06 July Trade (WTO)

INDEPENDENT

- Champions Network leadership
- New guide and outreach efforts
- 210+ independent dialogues announced on the Gateway

Food Systems Summit Processes

National Dialogues

 Government-led dialogues across multiple constituency groups and stakeholders

Action Tracks (5 of them)

- Safe & Nutritious Food
- Sustainable Consumption Patterns
- Nature-positive production
- Equitable Livelihoods
- Resilience to shocks and vulnerabilities

Shared Priorities that get to inform SG's Call to Action

- Nourish People (SDGs 1-6, 14, 15)
- Climate and Biodiversity (SDGs 7, 12, 13, 14,15)
- Livelihoods and Wellbeing (SDGs 1, 3, 5, 8, 9, 10, 12, 16)
- Empowered communities (SDGs 5, 11, 16)
- Resilience (All SDGs)
- Knowledge and Innovation (SDGs 4, 9)

Independent & Regional Dialogues

Levers of Change

Human Rights

Innovation and Technology

Gender

Finance

 Constituency-group led dialogues within countries, across regions

Scientific Group

 Scientific evidence and modelling food systems transformations- Synergies, Tradeoffs; Foresights/Policy Implications

Focus of SG's Statement and Call to Action

- Re-affirm the 2030 Agenda for Sustainable Development
- Underscore the urgency to act in light of the impacts of the COVID-19 pandemic and the centrality of food systems
- Need to stay within Planetary Boundaries
- Imperative to realize basic Human Rights
- Emphasize the urgency of moving beyond incremental action and the importance of a systems approach
- Highlight the need to realize the true cost of food

Emerging Areas of Convergence					
End Hunger and Nourish	Wellbeing and	Climate, Biodiversity and	Livelihoods and	Resilience	Knowledge and
All People	Responsible Consumption	Planetary Boundaries	Empowered Communities		Innovation

Action and level of Ambition (guiding targets for the decade of action)

Pre-Summit:

Member States to explore national food systems transformation pathways and actions/solutions to achieve the SDGs by 2030 with support from Stakeholders

Accelerating Action for the 2030 Agenda

(Work-in-Progress)

2030 Agenda for Sustainable Development

Secretary General's Statement of Action – Emerging Areas of Convergence Wellbeing and Livelihoods and **End Hunger and Nourish** Climate, Biodiversity, & Knowledge and Responsible **Empowered** Resilience All People **Planetary Boundaries** Innovation Communities Consumption End extreme poverty; Basing food systems resilient cities and decision-making on the job creation;

SG's Statement _ of Action

Zero Hunger
Zero Malnutrition in all its
forms
Available and affordable
nutrition for everyone
Food Safety

One health approach
Food loss and food waste
Obesity
NCDs

1.5 degrees; Net zero GHG emissions; Net zero biodiversity loss; Net zero terrestrial ecosystem loss; water: oceans: energy:

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End extreme poverty;
job creation;
full empl. and decent
work for all; SME growth;
human rights; double ag
prod; Access and opps to
productive resources
access to knowledge

resilient cities and settlements; resilience to climate; Value chains resilient to economic, climate, conflict, and pandemic shocks

Basing food systems
decision-making on the
best available science
Access to knowledge and
data; Access to a
universal body of
indigenous, traditional,
and scientific knowledge

Goals and Targets in the 2030 Agenda can be accelerated through many solutions



Main Annex and Solutions _ Repository

FSS Roadmap









June

Review & Modeling (Science)

Strengthening Propositions for a Solutions Repository (ATs)

Advance Priority Coalitions towards
Areas of Convergence (ATs)

Articulating national pathways (FSSDs)

Synthesizing Global and Independent Dialogue Inputs (FSSDs)

Synthesizing inputs and ideas (youth, producers, IPs, PS, CS)

Communicating broadly and activating action throughout

July

Pre-Summit **August**

September

Summit

Refinement of Statement of Action and Annex (All actors complete their contributions to the Annex)

Building Coalitions (coalition teams) & Firming up Commitments and Actions (All actors)

Strengthening National Pathways (Member States with partners)

Comms & Advocacy

Pre-Summit Results:

- 5 Coalitions Launched or Scaled (15-20 Coalitions Strengthened)
- ~5 HoS, 5 Eminent Persons, 1 commitment each constituency
- Increased alignment around follow up

Summit Results:

- SG Statement of Action
- ~15-20 Coalitions Launched or Scaled
- ~50 HoS, 20 Eminent Persons w/commitments
- 1000+ commitments and actions
- Clarity on follow up

October and Beyond

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Post-Summit Implementation & Follow-up (All actors)

UNFCC COP26

CBD COP15

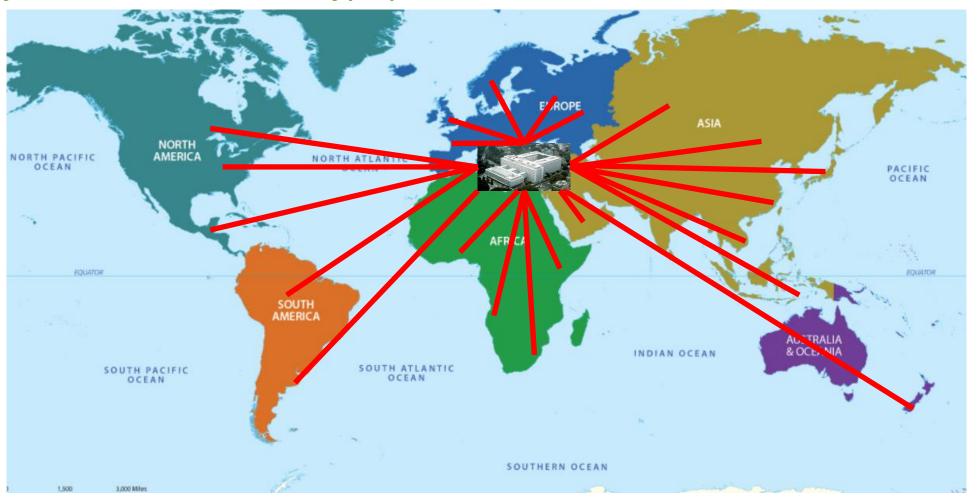
RBAs / CFS

G20

N4G

Hybrid Format

The Pre-Summit will take a "hybrid" format, during which a group of in-person delegates will participate in person at the offices of FAO in Rome, interacting with thousands of others from around the world who will be engaged through a vast virtual platform. This approach will enable meaningful global engagement and inclusion of thousands or even millions of people in countries, cities, and communities all around the globe.



From Summit Processes to National Pathways and SDGs

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National Pathways

SDGs

Role of Parliamentarians

- Participate in multi-stakeholder and Member State Food Systems Summit Dialogues to shape a new generation of food system policies and strategies.
- Encourage your respective governments to participate at the Pre-Summit in July and Summit in September.
- Voice how people are affected by current failures and inequalities of food systems.
- Leverage parliaments' powers of legislation, budgeting and oversight to:
 - Enact policy and legislative changes that support the transition of our food systems towards sustainability, equity and resilience.
 - Support effective action and investments in food systems for national development and delivery of the 2030 Agenda.





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