



**UNITED NATIONS**

**FOOD SYSTEMS  
SUMMIT 2021**

# Delivering on the 2030 Agenda

The United Nations Secretary-General António Guterres is convening the Food Systems Summit as part of the Decade of Action to deliver on the 2030 Agenda for Sustainable Development.

It is important to remember that the 2030 Agenda is premised on the Universal Declaration of Human Rights, the Rio Declaration, Beijing Declaration and all other relevant agreements. It's 17 Goals cover all the issues that the world put forward for people, planet, prosperity, peace, and partnership. The need to make progress in “leaving no one behind” while addressing the tremendous environmental pressures on our world has never been more acute.

The 2030 Agenda clearly calls for an integrated approach to “transform our world”, and the Food Systems Summit offers a tremendous catalytic opportunity to recover from COVID-19 and get back on track to delivering on all SDGs.

**TRANSFORMING OUR WORLD:**



**THE 2030 AGENDA FOR  
SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT**

# FSS Roadmap



**June**

**July**

**August**

**September**

**October and Beyond**

**Review & Modeling**  
(Scientific Group)

**Strengthening Propositions**  
for a Solutions Repository

**Advance Priority Coalitions**  
towards Areas of Convergence

**Articulating national pathways**

**Synthesizing Inputs & Ideas**  
(Constituency engagement +  
Dialogues Programme)

**Communicating broadly and**  
activating action throughout



**Refining SG's Statement of Action and Compendium**

**Strengthening National Pathways**

**Building Coalitions & Firming up Commitments**

**Communications & Advocacy**

**Post-Summit**  
Implementation & Follow-up

UNFCC COP26

CBD COP15

RBA's / CFS

G20

N4G

**Pre-Summit Results:**

- Coalitions Presented
- ~5 HoS, 5 Eminent Persons, 1 commitment each constituency
- Increased alignment around follow up

**Summit Results:**

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

# Overall Summit Portfolio of Action

## 2030 Agenda for Sustainable Development

1	Secretary General's Statement of Action - Areas of Convergence			
	People	Planet	Prosperity	
2	National Food Systems Transformation Pathways / Strategies	Member State Statements on National Food Systems Transformation Pathways / Strategies (spanning the 2030 Agenda and Goals; Drawing on all possible actions and solutions prioritized)		
3	Regional Food Systems Transformation Pathways / Strategies	Regional Group Statements on Regional Food Systems Transformation Pathways / Strategies (spanning the 2030 Agenda and Goals; Drawing on all possible actions and solutions prioritized)		
4	Action Areas	Nourish All People	Boost Nature-Based Solutions of Production	Advance Equitable Livelihoods, Decent Work, & Empowered Communities
		Build Resilience to Vulnerabilities, Shocks, and Stresses		
5	Multi-Stakeholder Initiatives and Constituency Commitments	Support Means of Implementation (Finance; Governance; Science and Knowledge; Innovation, Technology, & Data; Capacity; Human Rights)		
6	Knowledge Base	Multi-stakeholder initiatives and hundreds of complementary stakeholder commitments from actors at local, national, and global level posted on a digital platform space		
7	Follow Up and Review	Compendium		
		Approach to Follow Up and Review		

# The Role of Action Areas

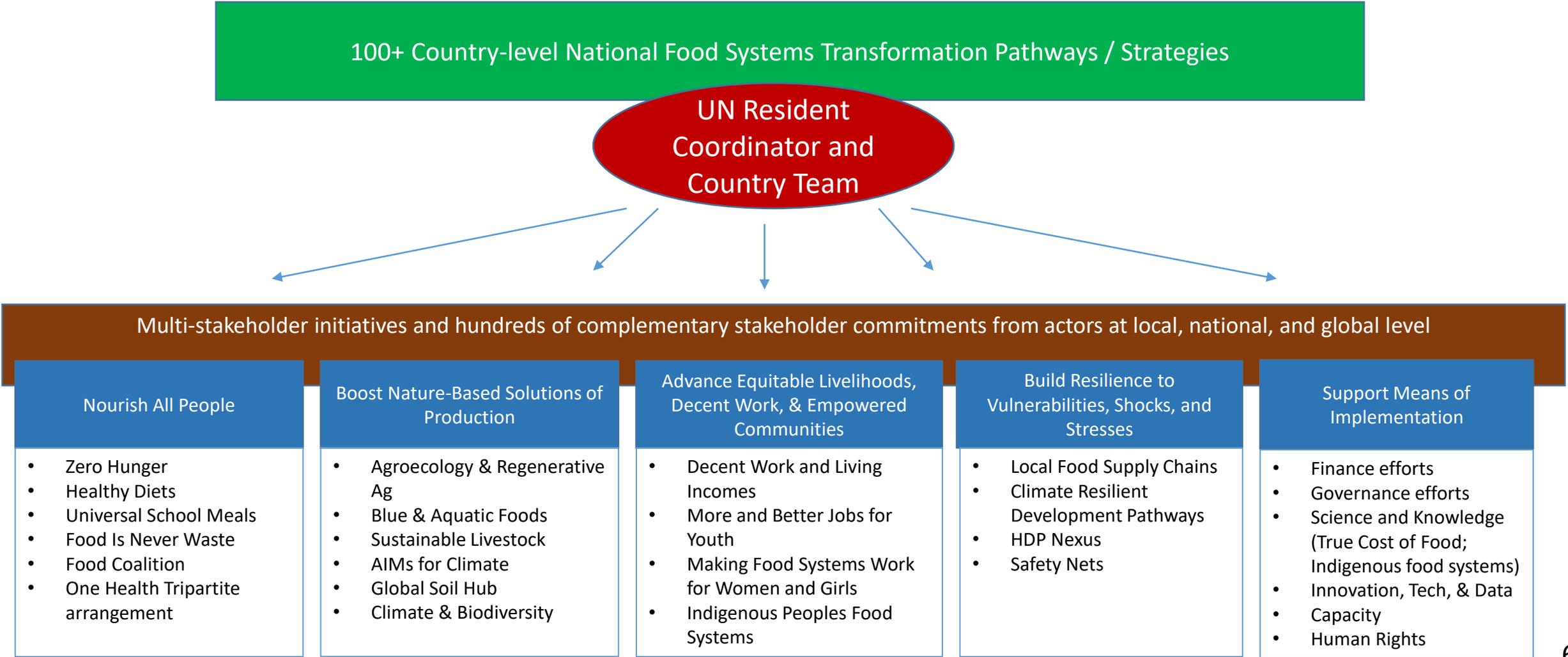
Action Areas serve a few purposes in continuing to advance the food systems agenda:

1. Networking local to global – They can serve as a conduit to stitch together local, national, and global, communities, countries, and constituencies around top priorities.
2. Fostering alignment and coherence – They can provide a mechanism for greater alignment and coherence of efforts, reducing fragmentation of effort and investment.
3. Catalyzing coordinated investment and collective action – They can catalyze coordinated investments on top priorities at country level and in regional and global public goods.
4. Mobilize resources – They can help to repurpose existing funds or galvanize new funds and partnerships to top priorities.
5. Mobilize energy and political will – They can draw and maintain attention to top priorities and mobilize the voice of various actors to generate the required political will and players at the table.
6. Transferring lessons, best practices, and capacities – They can facilitate the transfer of knowledge and capacities on top priorities to accelerate action and impact.

# Action Areas enable the UN to surface and support country demand around delivery priorities

UN RCs and UNCTs will continue to work with countries around their national dialogues and national pathways for food systems transformation through the most appropriate structures at country-level. As gaps and needs are identified in these areas, the RCs and CTs will be able connect countries with a range of expertise, capacity, and resources in the UN system, multi-stakeholder initiatives and coalitions, or expert institutions.

(Note - Not Exhaustive)



# Action Will Continue to Build on Ideas Surface in the Summit Process

- **2,000+ ideas and 54 Solution Clusters** supported by knowledge, tools and and multistakeholder working groups form the repository of Solutions on the FSS Community platform (<https://foodsystems.community/>)



Solution Clusters

Activity Feed

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## Solution Clusters: Game Changing Propositions

Between December 2020 and May 2021, a number of public fora, online consultations and calls for submissions were organised by the 5 UN Food Systems Summit **Action Tracks**, that resulted in more than the 2,200 ideas and submissions. Inputs were shared by all Summit actors and constituencies, from representatives of national (and subnational) governments to civil society, youth, food producers, research and academia, indigenous peoples, the private sector, UN system organisations and other development partners. These were assessed and consolidated into a smaller number of **game-changing propositions**, integrated across 15 Action Areas with the participation of the Summit's 4 cross-cutting levers of change (Gender, Human Rights and Law, Finance and Innovation), and clustered thematically into **solution clusters**.

These **Solution Clusters** bring together, under a vision and objectives to achieve specific SDG targets, a menu of

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Action Track

Action Area

**Deforestation-free and conversion-free food supply chains**

Solution Cluster 3.1.1

**Repurposing public support to food and agriculture**

Solution Cluster 3.1.2

**Land-freshwater nexus**

Solution Cluster 3.1.3

**Transformation through innovation for nature-positive production**

Solution Cluster 3.2.1

**Transformation through agroecology and regenerative agriculture**

Solution Cluster 3.2.3

**Agrobiodiversity**

Solution Cluster 3.2.4

**Aquatic and Blue Foods**

Solution Cluster 3.2.5

**Indigenous peoples' food systems**

Solution Cluster 3.2.6

**Grasslands and savannahs**

Solution Cluster 3.3.1

**Monitoring, stakeholders and evidence; driving restoration impact**

Solution Cluster 3.3.2

**Global Soil Hub**

Solution Cluster 3.3.3

**Sustainable livestock**

Solution clusters

*The Summit seeks to advance the following deliverables.*

- **Secretary-General’s Statement of Action** – Drawing on all the work of the Summit, the Secretary-General will issue a “Statement of Action” that would offer a concise set of ambitious, high-level principles to set an optimistic and encouraging vision in which food systems play a central role in building a fairer, more sustainable world over the coming 10 years that is relevant to Member States and all stakeholders as they continue transition towards transformative pathways.
- **New and Advanced Actions, Finance, and Investments** – Coming from Heads of State and leaders across the food system, this celebratory moment will recognize actors stepping forward with game-changing solutions and mechanisms for driving them with public and private finance through multi-stakeholder collaboration.
  - **National Pathways** – this will be the priority deliverable for Member States emerging from dialogues over the past year. Member States will be expected to speak to holistic national pathways for food systems transformation to achieve the 2030 Agenda and a commitment to moving them forward.
  - **Coalitions of Action** – coalitions of action will also be launched that can help support Member States in the delivery of national pathways by responding to gaps and needs at country and regional level
- **Approach to Follow-up and Review** – The announcement of a clear approach to follow-up and review that will drive new actions and results, allow for sharing of experiences, lessons, and knowledge, and incorporate new metrics for impact analysis.
- **A pinnacle public engagement and communications moment drawing the global community together around the power of food systems to achieve the SDGs** – With a coordinated campaign and virtual engagement through several channels, the Summit will engage millions of people around the world to shape the way they think, speak, and act in reference to food systems at the center of their goals.



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