

Food and Agriculture Organization of the United Nations

# FAST Partnership

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## What is FAST and why now?

Agrifood systems are increasingly vulnerable to climate change, while producing one third of global greenhouse gas emissions. Key to catalyzing solutions to tackle climate change and to achieving a more sustainable use of natural resources

Current share of climate-related development finance is inadequate to support the necessary agrifood system transformation.

Concrete actions are needed to reverse this trend, and make agrifood systems more sustainable, resilient and productive, while protecting the environment.  Improve quantity and quality of climate finance
Support adaptation efforts
Maintain a 1.5-degree pathway





#### **ACCESS TO FINANCE**

Enhance country capacities to identify and access climate finance and investment.



#### KNOWLEDGE AND CAPACITY

Develop analyses and voluntary guidelines, and support capacity development across stakeholders.



#### POLICY SUPPORT AND DIALOGUE

Ensure agrifood systems are fully embedded and prioritized in climate change policies.

## 3 Pillars of FAST

For people, for climate, for nature



#### Structure of FAST Partnership

#### FAST Partnership Board

#### Board

is responsible for strategic orientation and oversight of activities, provides assistance in securing funding.



#### **Co-chairs**

current and incoming COP Presidencies.



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is a coordination and facilitation unit, provides operational and administrative support.

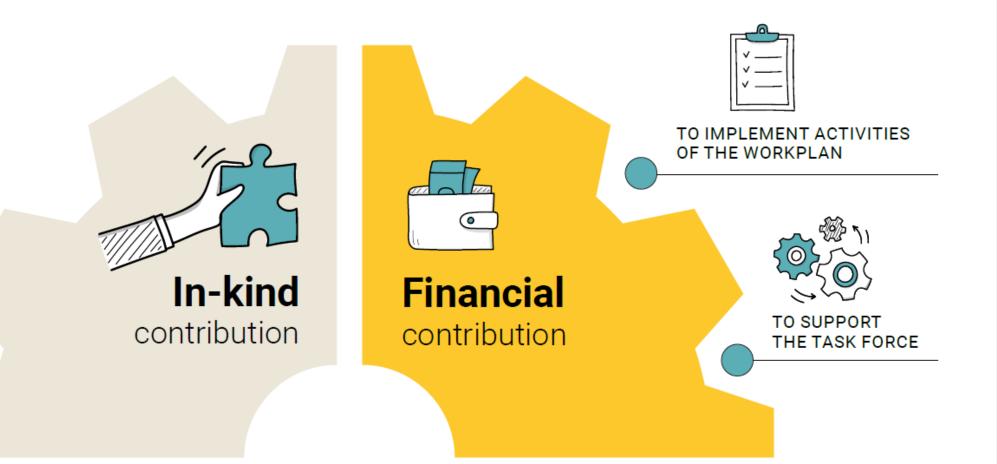


Transitioning into action through a consultative process – FAST work plan • Mapping of climate finance opportunities Access to Finance • Help Desk Support for access to climate finance • Analysis of Climate finance gaps in agrifood systems • Climate Action and Climate Technologies for Agrifood **Knowledge and Capacity** systems • Webinar / Training on GEF and GCF access to funds • Status of green and climate finance on food crisis prevention and agrifood systems transformation Policy Support and Dialogue Innovative finance • Development of a strategy to support COP Initiatives Mapping and assessment of relevant Global and Regional initiatives for FAST **Cross-cutting activities** 

• Presentation of results at COP29



## Ways of engagement

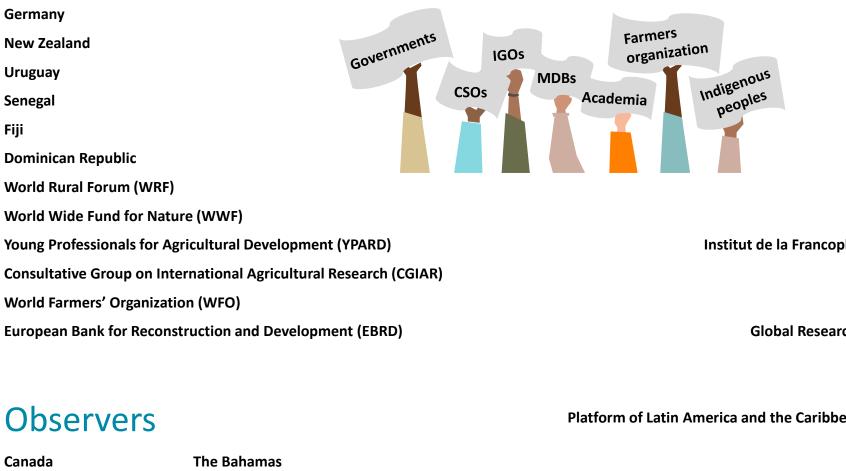


## Members

## **Board Members**



#### FAST Partnership



Chile Somalia

Philippines

Ecuador

Mexico

Sri Lanka

League of Arab States

**African Development Bank** 

UNDP

**Global Methane Hub** 

Institut de la Francophonie pour le développement durable (IFDD)

Adaptation to African Agriculture Initiative

Inter-American Institute on Agriculture

**Global Research Alliance on Agricultural Greenhouse Gases** 

Ban Ki-moon Centre for Global Citizens

4x1000 Initiative

Platform of Latin America and the Caribbean for Climate Action on Agriculture (PLACA)

YOUNGO

Haiti

International Organization of Migration (IOM) MENA

**Environmental Defense Fund (EDF)** 

Kazakhstan

## **Observers**

Brazil

Australia

	The Bahamas
dom	Bhutan
	EU
	UNFCCC

## THANK YOU





#### **ABOUT FAST**

The Food and Agriculture for Sustainable Transformation (FAST) Partnership is a multi-stakeholder platform established in 2022 that works to strengthen the quantity and quality of climate finance in agrifood systems for the most vulnerable.