

## Pre-UN Food Systems Dialogue for Eastern and Southern Africa

### DISCUSSION POINTS

- **Session I:** Opening and setting the scene
- **Session II:** Analysis of current Food Systems in Eastern and Southern Africa
- **Session III:** Case studies of Country Food Systems and Pre-UN Food Systems Dialogue
- **Session IV:** Strengthening Food Systems transformation for increased productivity, inclusivity and resilience
- **Session V:** Wrap up of Emerging Issues and next steps



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### BREAK OUT SESSIONS DISCUSSION POINTS

- **Break out session 1:** Strengthening Food Systems Research and Innovation
- **Break out session 2:** Human capital development for enhanced Sustainable Food Systems Productivity and Resilience
- **Break out session 3:** Fostering inclusivity
- **Break out session 4:** Policies for strengthening Food Systems in Africa



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