

Mainstreaming Climate, Gender, Nutrition and Youth

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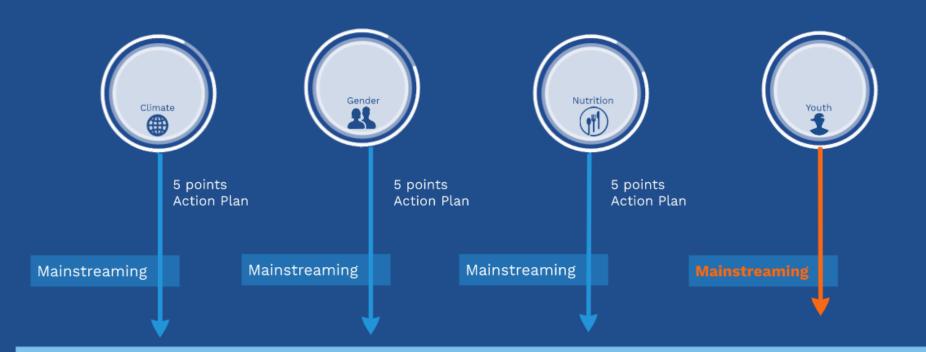


- * Cross-cutting issues
- * Cannot be addressed in isolation from the overall context
- * To be applied across the board irrespective of the thematic focus of a project
- * Influence the behavior of the whole portfolio rather than through free-standing approaches
- * Apply specific thematic lenses to make the portfolio "smarter"
- * Routine part of our business, embedded in our processes: COSOPs, targetting, SECAP, quality reviews
- * Every year \$1B of investments made climate, gender, nutrition-smart

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What's new for IFAD11?



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Elaborate a mainstreaming youth Action Plan (mid 2018): Possible target: 100% of COSOPs; 50% of projects

Revisit our targeting guidelines

Financing mechanism for direct investments in rural SMEs employing youth or for young entrepreneurs (SIF)

Using SSTC as a modality for exchange of best practices

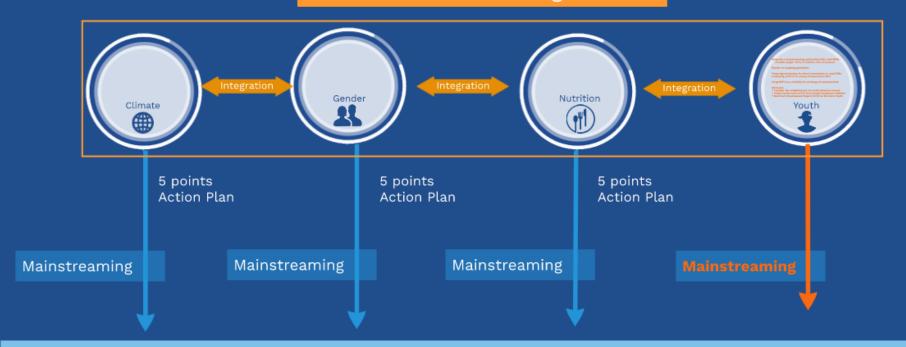
Advocacy:

- * Consider the establishment of a Youth Advisory Council
- * Global events such as G20 Rural Youth Emplyment Initiative
- * Next Rural Development Report (2019) on the Rural Youth

Youth

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Tranformational agenda

- * Addressing the root causes rather than the symptoms
- * Rely on more disaggregated data, local knowledge, cultural factors, incentives and behaviors
- * Build on the synergies and the interaction among the four themes
- * Elaborate an Integrative Framework (mid 2018) with hands-on guidance to project teams
 - Provide an operational definition of transformational approaches for better monitoring of performance
 - Design tools and methodologies for multisectoral interventions
- * Promote innovative approaches (GALS, nutrition-sensitive value chains, youth & SME financing)

New Environmental/Climate Strategy and Action Plan (end 2018)

Mitigation-Adaptation co-benefit approaches.
Renewable/green technologies, carbon sequestration.

Better alignment with countries' Nationally Determined Contributions (NDCs) and related processes.

Expand climate finance tools and business plans (Green Climate Fund, GEF, LDCF, SCCF, ASAP II)

Climate



Beyond mainstreaming: adopt new transformative approaches, definitions, targets (from 15% to 25%)

Strengthen gender architecture, and integration with other themes

Build on IOE's ES report on gender equality

HR measures on staff diversity targets (esp. P-5 and above)

Gender



Independent MTR by mid 2018

Better integration with the other themes

Seek institutional arrangements with partner organizations

Nutrition



Capacity to Deliver

Management resolve to ensure adequate capacity is in place

To be informed by Opex review:

- * implementation of the action plans and possible contribution by supplementary funds
- * new decentralized approach and local capacity
- * enhanced teams integration and institutional set-up
- * incorporation into business processes: SECAP, targeting, CPMT/QE for design and supervision

Improved sex and age-disaggregated data within the RIMS and link with RMF

Operations Academy

Financing the mainstreaming agenda

Conducive to replenishment financing since embedded into country programs

PBAS being reformed to include vulnerability variable (climate & nutrition)

Continued use of UCCs (climate & others as available)

Climate; pursue co-financing opportunities: GEF, GCF, ASAP II

Mainstreaming agenda: opportunity to address the underlying causes of SOFI-identified challenges: increasing undernourishment, food insecurity and conflict

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