

Surveillance of Climate-smart Agriculture for Nutrition (SCAN)

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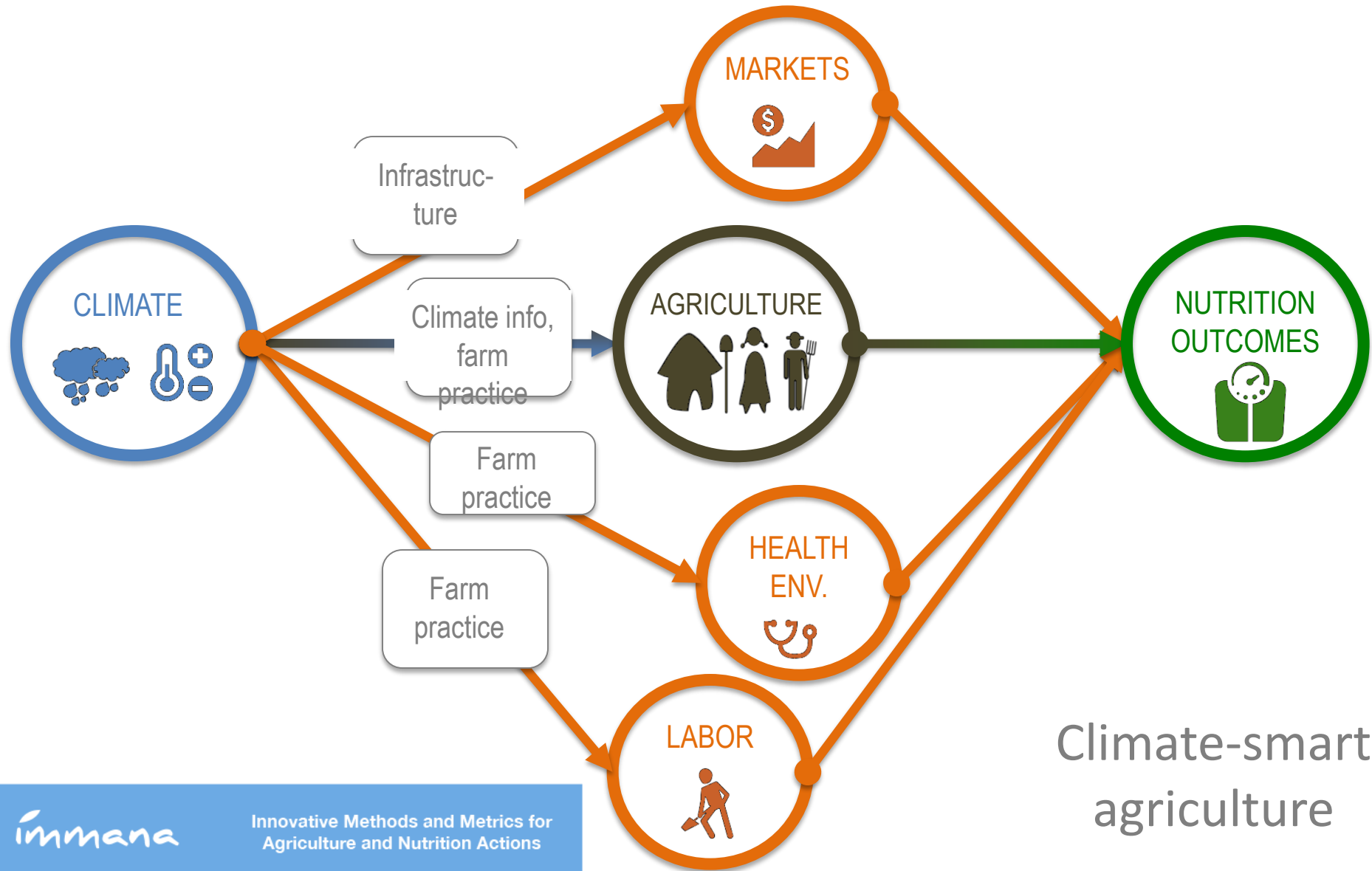
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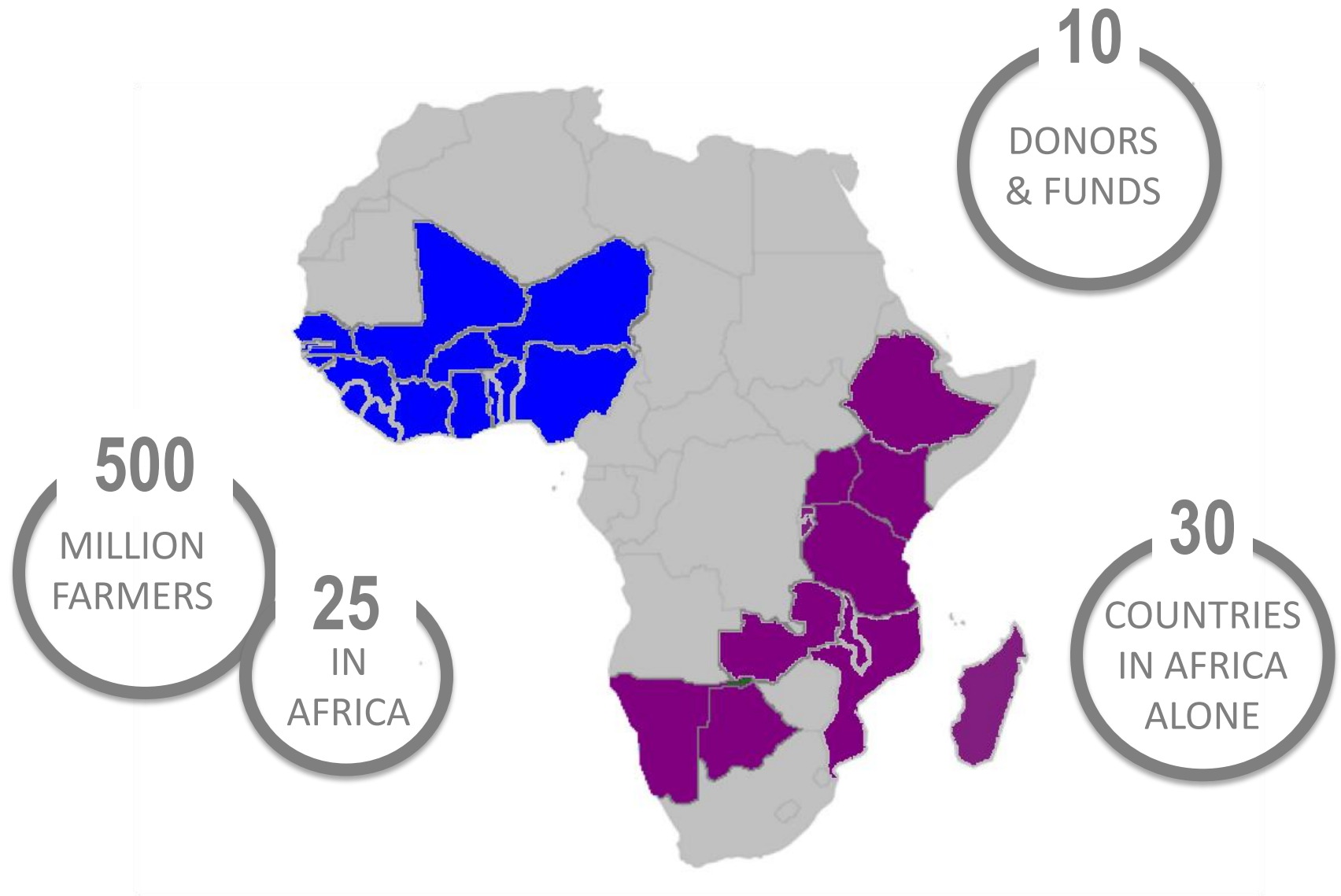


WHY THINK ABOUT CLIMATE-SMART AGRICULTURE?

Predicted changes will affect the ability to deliver nutritious diets in many ways



Reasons to create a 'climate-smart agriculture for nutrition'



‘A key aspect of a forward-looking climate change agenda, therefore, is the generation of novel evidence of ‘what works’ from a policy [and programming] perspective that is focused on nutrition-smart food systems’

- Global Panel 2015

Theoretical limits of data collection via mobile devices

Are there ways to collect data with mobile devices to increase resolution of info?



Rapid surveys



Call centers



Voice
recognition



SMS

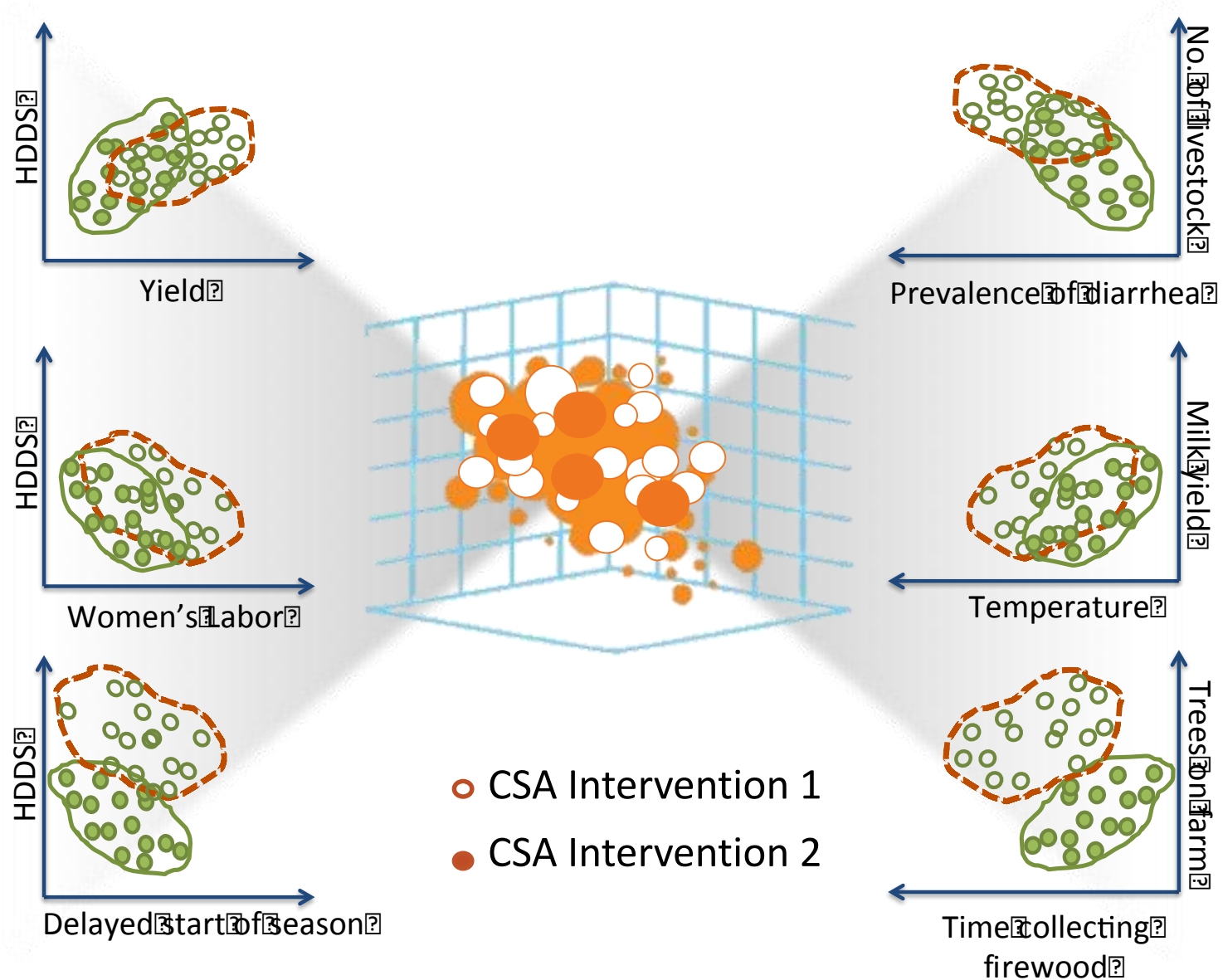
Practical limits (& opportunities) of research in development

Can we leverage the massive emerging experiment to understand what works?



Concrete limits of using information in policy & programming

Can interdisciplinary approaches help understand & communicate complexity?



Hypotheses of CSA opportunities for nutrition

Can a rapid and low cost approach provide decision-relevant evidence at scale?

CLIMATE RISKS

NUTRITION PATHWAYS

+ temp	Drou- ght	Floods	Unp. rain	Lower rain	CSA INTER- VENTIONS	Yield	Inc- ome	Fem. labor	Diver- sity
					Conserv. agriculture				
					Improved feeding				
					Agro- forestry				
					On-farm postharvest				
					Seasonal forecasts				
					Index insurance				



No
Effect



Negative

Uncertain

Positive

Thank you

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DATA INTEGRATION

Research 'in' development
for impact



DATA ACQUISITION

Increasing the spatial and
temporal resolution of data



Rapid surveys



Call centers



Voice-based

DATA ANALYSIS

New approaches to
visualize & interpret info

