

Integrating Food and Nutrition Security into Economic Transformation and Industrialization Agenda:

How can agriculture be the driver rather than follower of economic transformation in Tanzania?



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Evaluating Policies and Public Investments to Transform Tanzania's Agriculture-Food System

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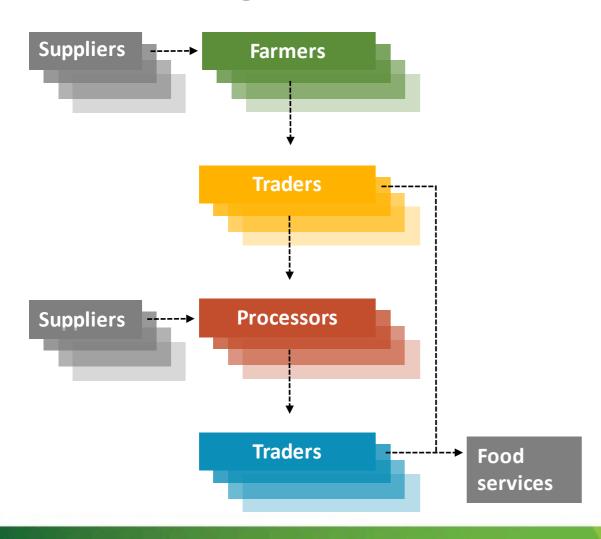


Strategic Concerns

- Agriculture remains a core engine of the economy
- Multi-pronged agricultural strategy required
 - Food security, high-value activities & nutritious foods
- Which value-chains, if scaled-up, are most effective at...
 - Accelerating growth
 - Reducing poverty
 - Creating jobs
 - Diversifying diets



Agriculture-Food System (AFS)



National share, 2016 (%)

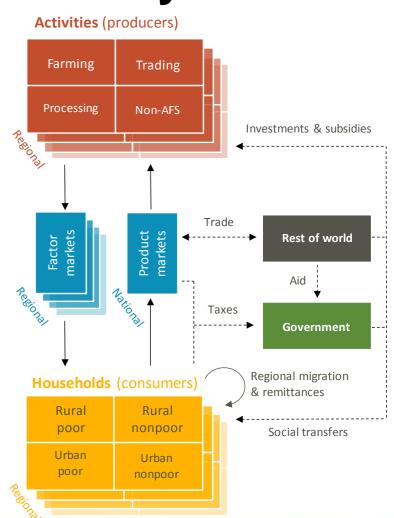
	GDP	Jobs
National economy	100	100
AFS	38.7	73.3
Agriculture	29.1	66.7
Agro-processing	3.2	1.3
Input production	0.9	0.5
Trade & transport	5.5	4.8
Food services	0.5	1.5

Source: Tanzania SAM and HBS2011/12



Economywide Value Chain Analysis

- When at scale, VCs have economywide implications (spillovers)
- Rural Investment and Policy Analysis (RIAPA) Model
 - Detailed sectors & households
 - Linked to national surveys
- Respects resource constraints
 - Limited crop land & educated labor
 - Foreign exchange & fiscal constraints
- Dynamic: 2016-2025





Business-as-Usual Scenario (2018-2025)

Annual change (%)

	BAU	History	Observed trends for 2005-2015		
Total GDP	6.0	6.2	Agriculture grows faster than		
Agriculture	3.5	3.6	population, but GDP share fall		
Employment	1.8	1.8			
Crop land	2.0	2.0			
Consumption per capita	1.6	2.9	Growth patterns determine		
Poverty-growth elasticity	-0.3	-0.4	consumption & poverty outcome		



Value-Chain Expansion Scenarios

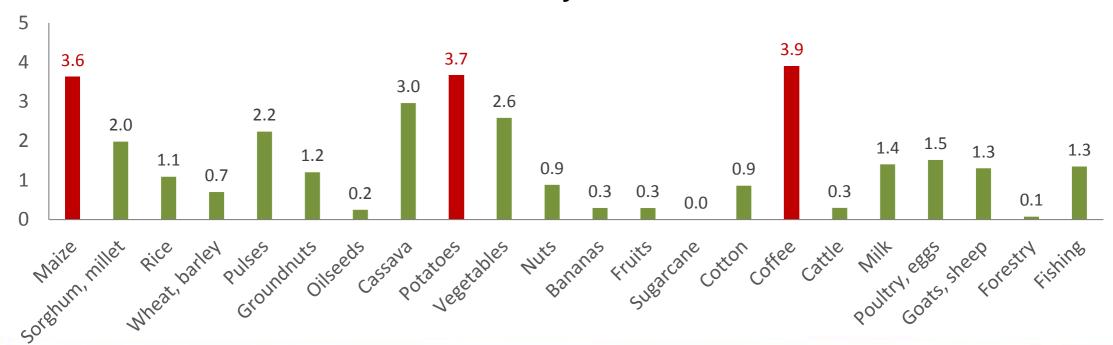
- Increase productivity in certain agricultural sectors
 - Target 1% gain in agric. GDP by 2025
 - Small sectors need to grow fast
- Captures spillovers & trade-offs
 - Growth along and beyond target VC
 - Growth starts but not limited to VC
 - VC draws inputs from other VCs

Category	Detailed products
Maize	Maize
Sorghum, millet	Sorghum; millet
Rice	Rice
Wheat, barley	Wheat; barley
Pulses	Beans; peas; other pulses
Groundnuts	Groundnuts
Oilseeds	Soybeans; sunflower; other
Cassava	Cassava
Potatoes	Irish & sweet potatoes
Vegetables	Tomatoes; onions; other
Nuts	Cashew nuts; other nuts
Bananas	Plantains; bananas
Fruits	Mangoes; guavas; other
Sugarcane	Sugarcane
Cotton	Cotton
Coffee	Coffee
Cattle	Cattle
Milk	Milk; dairy
Poultry, eggs	Poultry; eggs
Goats, sheep	Small ruminants
Forestry	Timber; other products

Poverty Effects

 Most effective VCs at generating poverty-reducing growth in rural areas are maize, potatoes and coffee

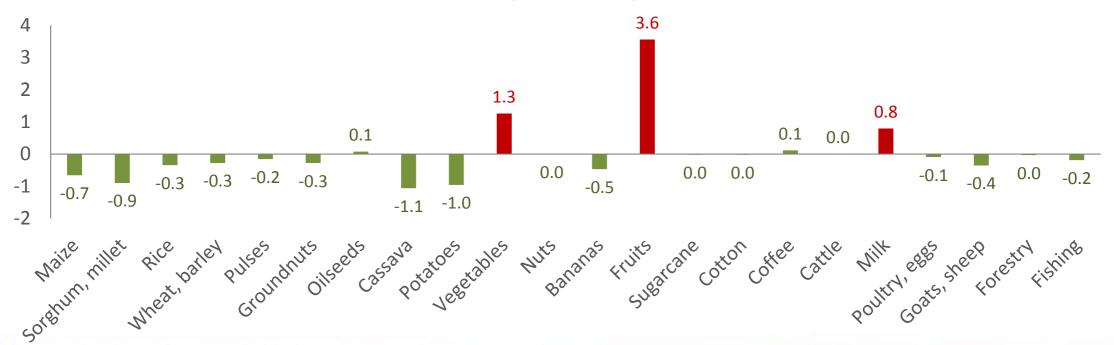
Estimated Rural Poverty Growth Elasticities



Nutrition Effects

 Most effective VCs at promoting dietary diversity of the rural poor are fruits, vegetables and milk/dairy

Estimated Rural Dietary Diversity-Growth Elasticities



Growth Effects

 Most effective VCs at generating AFS growth (GDP) are wheat/barley, oilseeds and sugarcane

Estimated AFS GDP-Agricultural Growth Elasticities

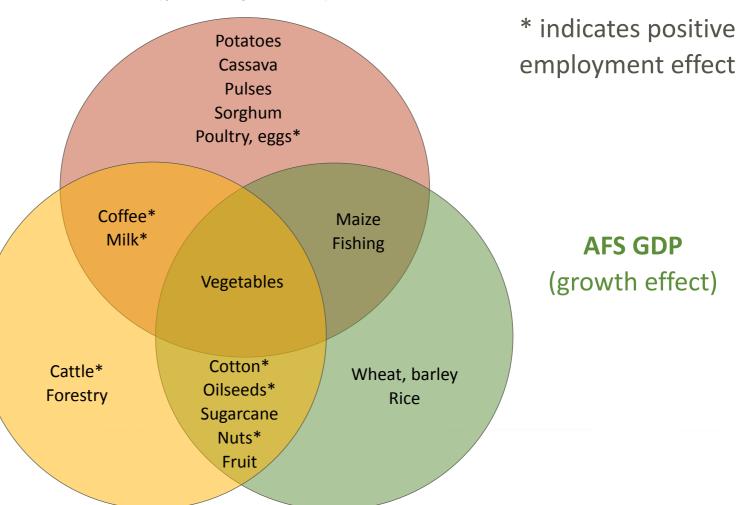




Top-Ranked Value-Chains

Rural poverty

(poverty effect)



Dietary diversity of the rural poor (nutrition effect)



Ranked Portfolio of Value-Chains

- Composite indicator of poverty, nutrition, growth, and jobs effects
 - Equal weights (¼ each) or bias weighted (½ with ½ each for others)

	Equal weights	Poverty-bias	Nutrition-bias	Growth-bias	Jobs-bias
1	Coffee	Coffee	Fruits	Oilseeds	Coffee
2	Oilseeds	Maize	Coffee	Wheat, barley	Nuts
3	Cotton	Potatoes	Vegetables	Sugarcane	Oilseeds
4	Vegetables	Vegetables	Oilseeds	Cotton	Cotton
5	Nuts	Cassava	Cotton	Vegetables	Goats, sheep
6	Wheat, barley	Pulses	Nuts	Coffee	Maize
7	Maize	Cotton	Milk	Nuts	Milk
8	Fruits	Nuts	Sugarcane	Fishing	Fishing
9	Sugarcane	Sorghum, millet	Wheat, barley	Maize	Cassava
10	Potatoes	Oilseeds	Maize	Fruits	Wheat, barley



Conclusions

- No single VC is the best at achieving every target
 - Balanced portfolio is needed
- Prioritized portfolio should consider...
 - Food crops: Maize, vegetables, oilseeds
 - Export crops: Coffee, cotton
- Remaining issues addressed in ongoing work:
 - Market & growth potential
 - Required policies & investments

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