

"What would it take over this decade for 50% of the world's food to be produced in a way that benefits people, nature and climate?"

Regen10 is a global, collaborative endeavor that seeks to answer this question.

The Challenge: Global food systems are under unprecedented strain. Decades of unsustainable practices focussed on producing cheap, plentiful food have led to soil degradation, water pollution, loss of nutrients, pollinators and biodiversity, in turn threatening productivity and farmer incomes. COVID-19, conflict and climate-related crises have further highlighted the fragility of our food systems.

The Opportunity: There is a growing interest in the potential of regenerative approaches to strengthen the resilience of food systems, protect nature, respond to climate change and create more inclusive societies. Regenerative approaches have deep roots in Indigenous cultures and existing practices of sustainable farmers around the world, nurturing the land to benefit future generations and the planet. But shifting to regenerative approaches takes time, money and know-how, and there are gaps in our understanding of the outcomes of regenerative practices in different contexts.

Regen10 Approach: Our farmer-centric, deeply inclusive and evidence-based approach puts food producers, Indigenous Peoples and Local Communities front and centre, recognizing their vital role in any food system transition. These principles drive our interrelated hubs approach:

Frameworks Hub will develop, through a highly consultative process, the principles, metrics and framework needed to build a truly inclusive, productive and regenerative food system.

Landscapes Hub will draw on existing initiatives to gather data and evidence from landscape-level projects, to learn how best to integrate and scale regenerative systems.

Global Hub will create an inclusive, global collaborative platform to engage widely and identify how policy, business, finance, research and capacity-building can best support approaches that deliver positive outcomes for people, nature and climate.

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The inception phase of Regen10 is an open invitation for all relevant food actors to join this global collective endeavour. **All interested individuals, organizations and initiatives are invited to register your interest at** <u>www.regen10.org</u>.