Figure 1: U.S. Global Food Security Strategy Results Framework

Goal: Sustainably reduce global hunger, malnutrition, and poverty

Objective I

Inclusive and sustainable agricultural-led economic growth

Objective 2

Strengthened resilience among people and systems

Objective 3

A well-nourished population, especially among women and children

IR I

Strengthened inclusive agriculture systems that are productive and profitable

IR 2

Strengthened and expanded access to markets and trade

IR 3

Increased employment and entrepreneurship

IR 4

Increased sustainable productivity, particularly through climate-smart approaches

IR 5

Improved proactive risk reduction, mitigation, and management

IR 6

Improved adaptation to and recovery from shocks and stresses

IR 7

Increased consumption of nutritious and safe diets

IR 8

Increased use of direct nutrition interventions and services

More hygienic household and community environments

IR 9

Cross-Cutting Intermediate Results (IR)

CC IR I Strengthened global commitment to investing in food security

CC IR 2 Improved climate risk, land, marine, and other natural resource management

CC IR 3 Increased gender equality and female empowerment

CC IR 4 Increased youth empowerment and livelihoods

CC IR 5 More effective governance, policy, and institutions

CC IR 6 Improved human, organizational, and system performance

Effective response to emergency food security needs

Complementary Results

Long-term food security efforts benefit from and contribute to complementary work streams that promote:

Economic growth in complementary sectors

Healthy ecosystems and biodiversity

Stable, democratic societies that respect human rights and the rule of law

A reduced burden of disease

Well-educated populations

Illustrative Activity Outcomes: Building Blocks to Achieve Our Goals

Objective I

- Increased sustainable productivity of all types of small-scale producers (also Obj 2)
- Stronger inclusive market systems (also Obj 2)
- Increased access to business development and financial services (also Obj 2)
- Improved infrastructure, including digital and other ICT solutions (also Obj 2)
- · More efficient land, water, and input use
- Technology and innovations developed through research and adapted to local conditions
- Increased access to and wide adoption of inputs, and other technology and innovation
- Expanded access to knowledge through agricultural extension
- Increased access to market infrastructure, such as improved storage systems and basic retail marketing structures
- Reduced time and cost of moving goods across borders
- Improved quality of produce that meets market standards

Objective 2

- · Increased use of risk management services and practices
- Improved safety nets (also Obj 1,3)
- Improved social capital (also Obj 1, 3)
- Diversified livelihood risk (also Obj 1)
- Expanded livelihood opportunities (also Obj 1)
- Application of risk reduction tools such as improved water management and drought/flood tolerant seeds (also Obj 1)
- Increased household and community assets, including savings
- Improved access to communal natural resources
- · Improved use of early warning information
- · Increased access to hazard, index, and other insurance
- Increased adoption of climate-smart practices (also Obj I)

Objective 3

- Improved access to diverse and nutritious foods
- Increased demand for diverse and nutritious foods
- Improved access to nutrition services
- Improved demand for health services
- Improved infant and young child feeding practices and women's diets
- Increased commercial production of safe and nutritious food products, including fortified food (also Obj 1)
- Increased availability of evidenced-based food information for consumers (also Obj 1)
- Improved food safety systems (also Obj 1)
- Improved safe handling practices (also Obj 1)
- · Improved access to clean water
- Improved access to sanitation
- Schoolchildren nourished through school feeding programs (also Obj 2)
- Improved access to handwashing facilities

Cross-Cutting Intermediate Results

CC IR I Strengthened global commitment to investing in food security

- Increased public and private investment in food security
- · Strengthened bilateral and regional investment platforms

CC IR 2 Improved climate risk, land, marine, and other natural resource management

- · Improved land and soil management
- · Improved sustainable management of wild fisheries
- · Improved and sustainable utilization of ecosystem services

CC IR 3 Increased gender equality and female empowerment

- · Increased women's leadership skills and opportunities
- · Increased women's decision-making power
- Strengthened women's access to financial services

CC IR 4 Increased youth empowerment and livelihoods

- Improved youth entrepreneurial skills
- Improved access to nutrition services for adolescent girls

CC IR 5 More effective governance, policy, and institutions

- Natural resource governance, including land and marine tenure
- Improved evidence-based policies
- · Improved institutional architecture
- · Improved mutual accountability systems
- · Well functioning sanitary and phyto-sanitary systems
- Strengthened regional harmonization

CC IR 6 Improved human, organizational, and system performance

- Improved research, policy, regulatory, education, finance, data, and extension systems
- · Improved skills for producers, scientists, civil society, private sector, and government actors
- Promotion of science, technology, and innovation