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# Local and Regional Food Procurement Policy

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# Latin America's Paradox



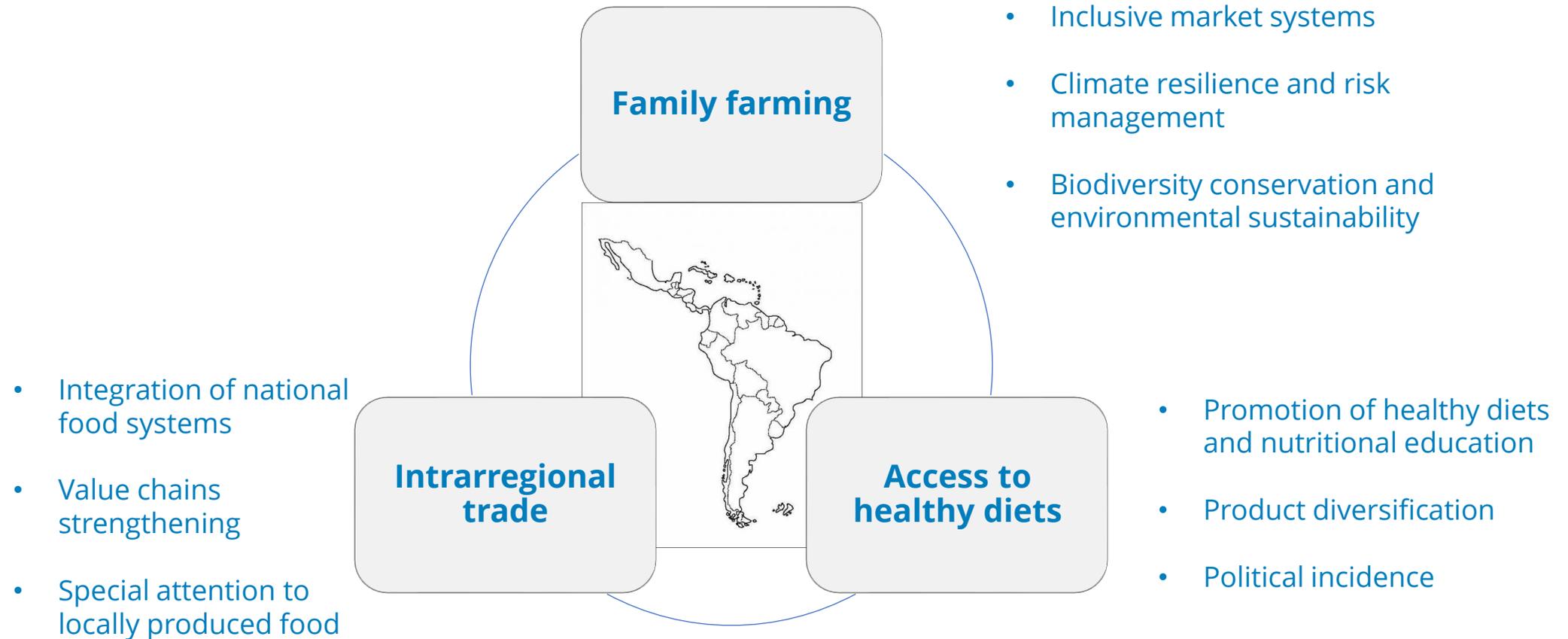
## Results...

- High dependence
- Increased deficit in fertilizers
- Increased food insecurity

## Opportunities...

- Strong actors in the private sector
- Active public sector
- High potential in agriculture

# Policy's contribution to regional food systems



**LRFP added value: Development of local food value chains in support of sustainable food systems**

# Implementation challenges

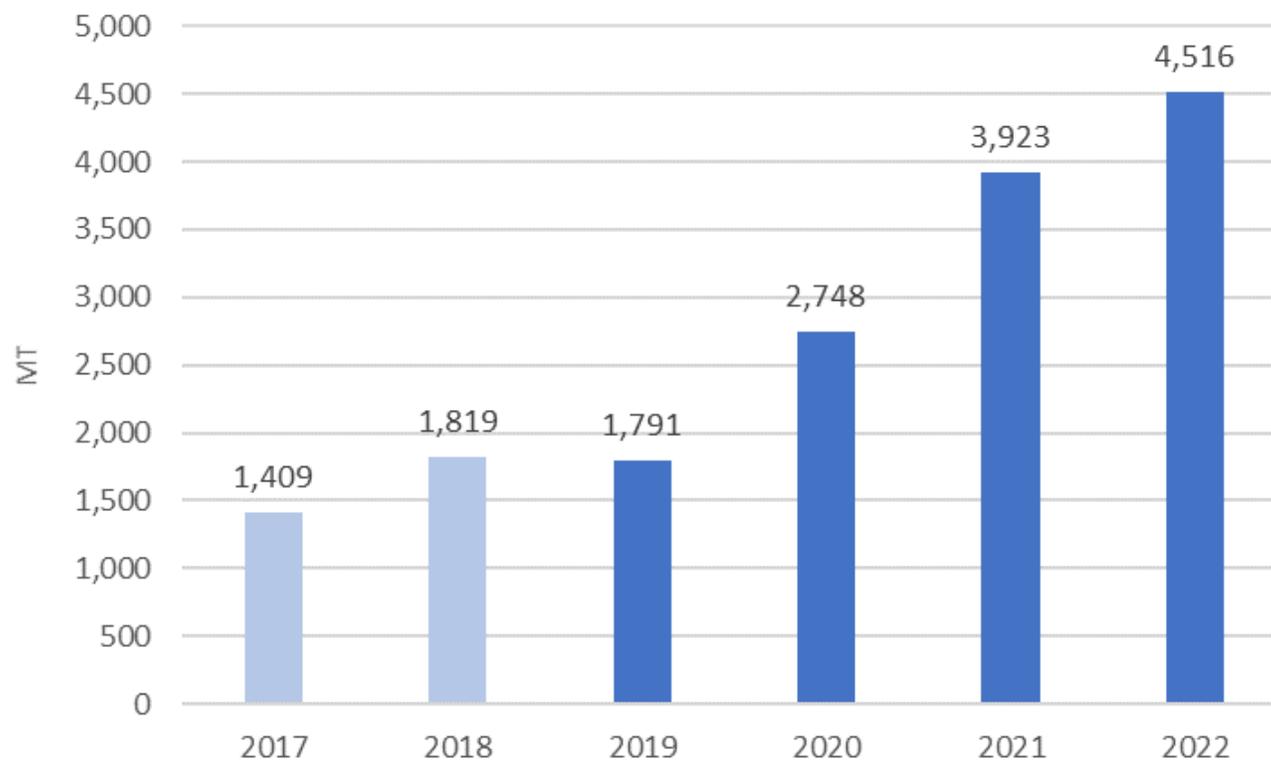
- Limited knowledge of informal markets
- Mobilization of technical capacities
- Timing of funds availability
- Lack of digital traceability systems



# Achievements

- Full engagement in 4 COs (El Salvador, Guatemala, Honduras, Nicaragua)
- 8 Value Chain Assessments concluded
- 46% volume increase of local and regional procurement in 2022
- Implementation of new contract modalities

Volumes purchased from SHFs in LAC

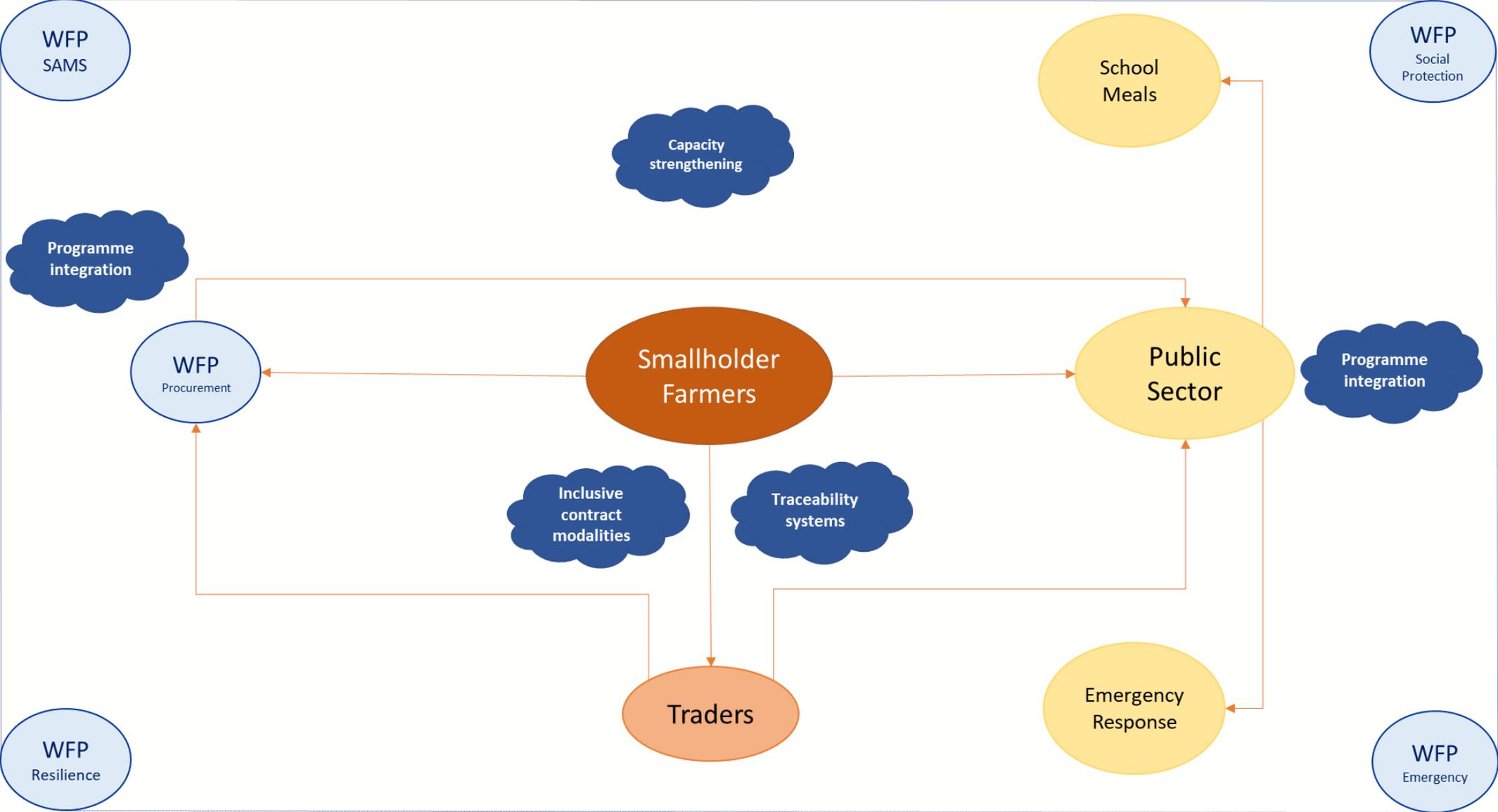


# Achievements: implementation models

- Support government **public procurement** (Guatemala and Honduras)
- Promote connections with the **private sector** including CBT (Honduras and Nicaragua)
- Strengthening of **sub-regional food systems** (El Salvador and Nicaragua)



# Public Sector implementation model



# Moving Forward



Consolidate **implementation models**



**M&E** Framework and **Evidence Generation**



Dissemination of indirect **contract modalities**



Development of a digital **monitoring system**



**Roll-out** models and countries



**Thank you**