



RESEARCH PROGRAM ON  
**Climate Change,  
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# CCAFS outcomes and targets

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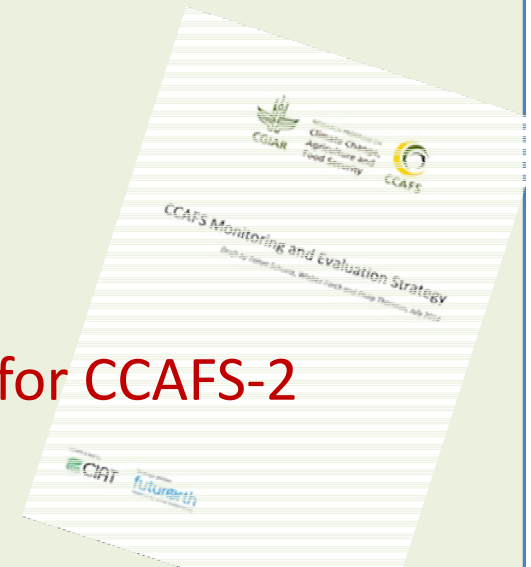
# Developing a CCAFS evaluative culture ...

- Engage in self-reflection/-examination, seek evidence, make time to learn, encourage experimentation and change
- Monitoring & Evaluation (M&E) becoming an integrated mechanism

by:

- Focusing on users, utilisation of M&E and accountability
- Emphasising learning through M&E
- Encouraging adaptive management
- Allowing blurred boundaries

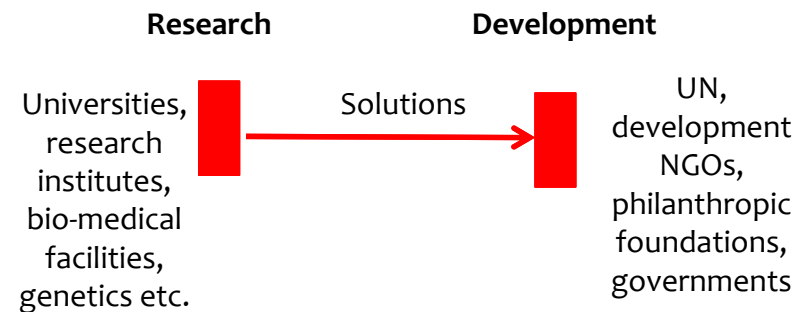
- Strategy draft for RBM trial → potential model for CCAFS-2
- Everyone in CCAFS is responsible for M&E!



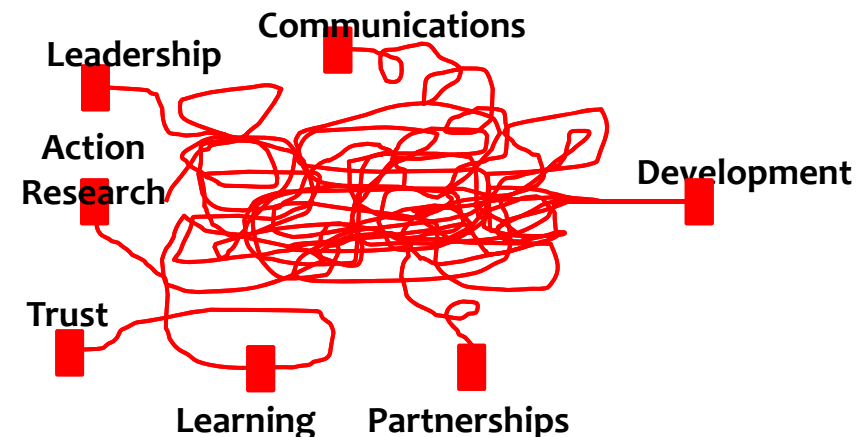
# CCAFS operates across multiple sectors, scales, stakeholders ...

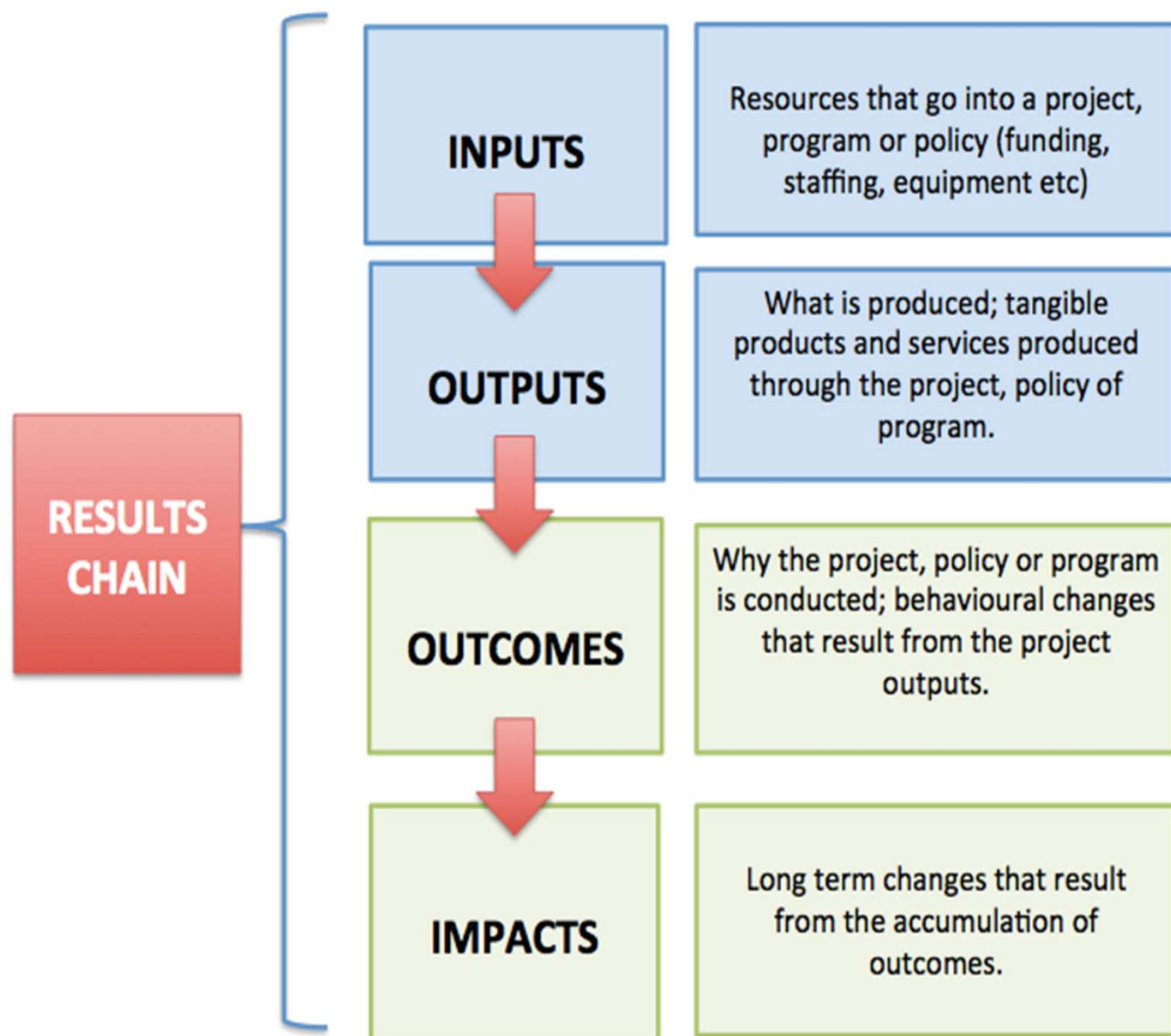
- Need to allow for
  - Structured linear thinking and planning with assumptions for how desired changes can happen
  - Complex systems thinking: flexibility to react according to lessons and opportunities arising during implementation

*R4D: How were we supposed to do it?*



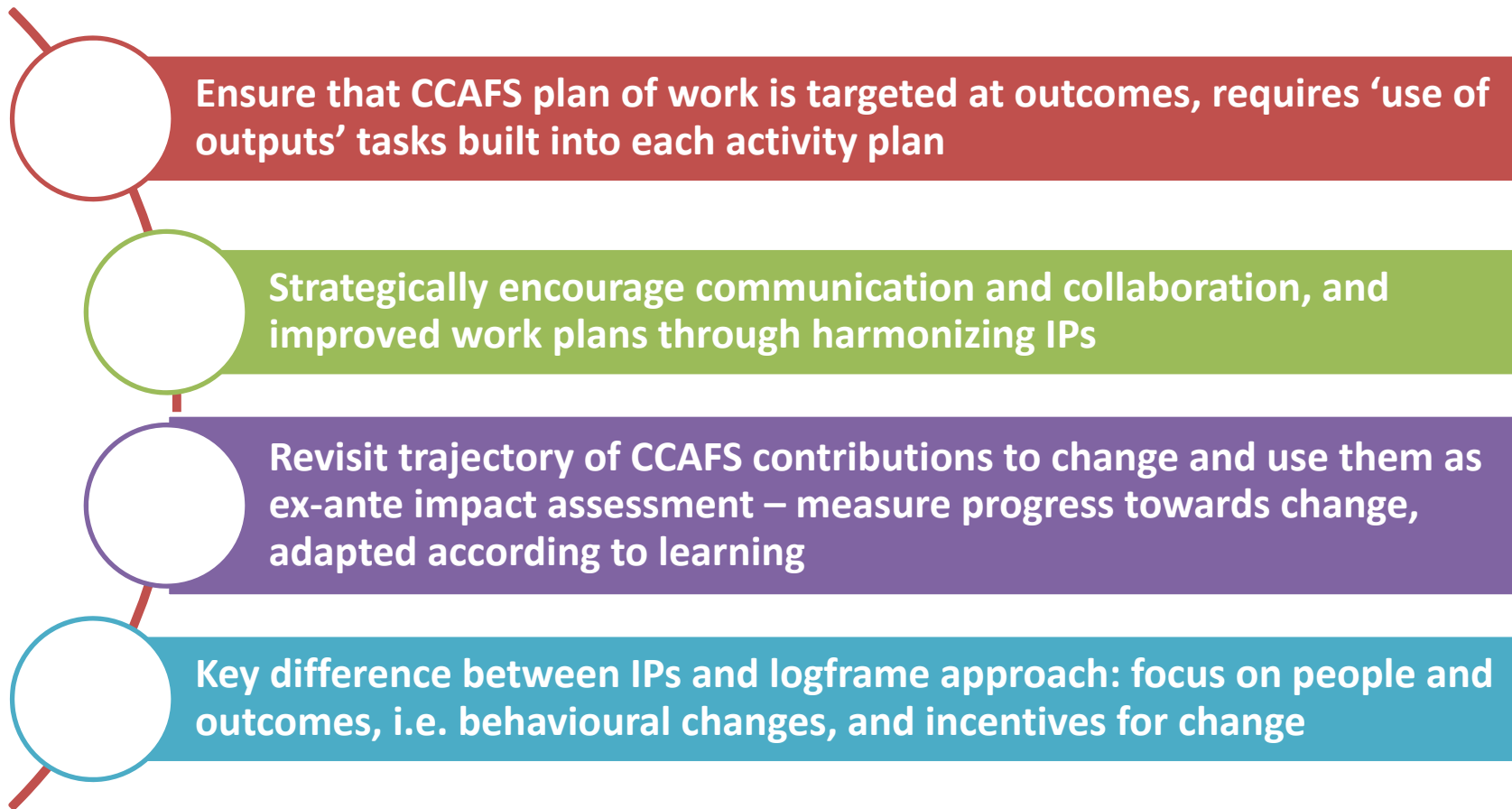
*R4D: What it looks like in practice:*





(From Morra Imas, 2009 and GDPRD, 2010)

# Impact Pathways and Theory of Change – why?



# CCAFS targets

What are we being held responsible for?

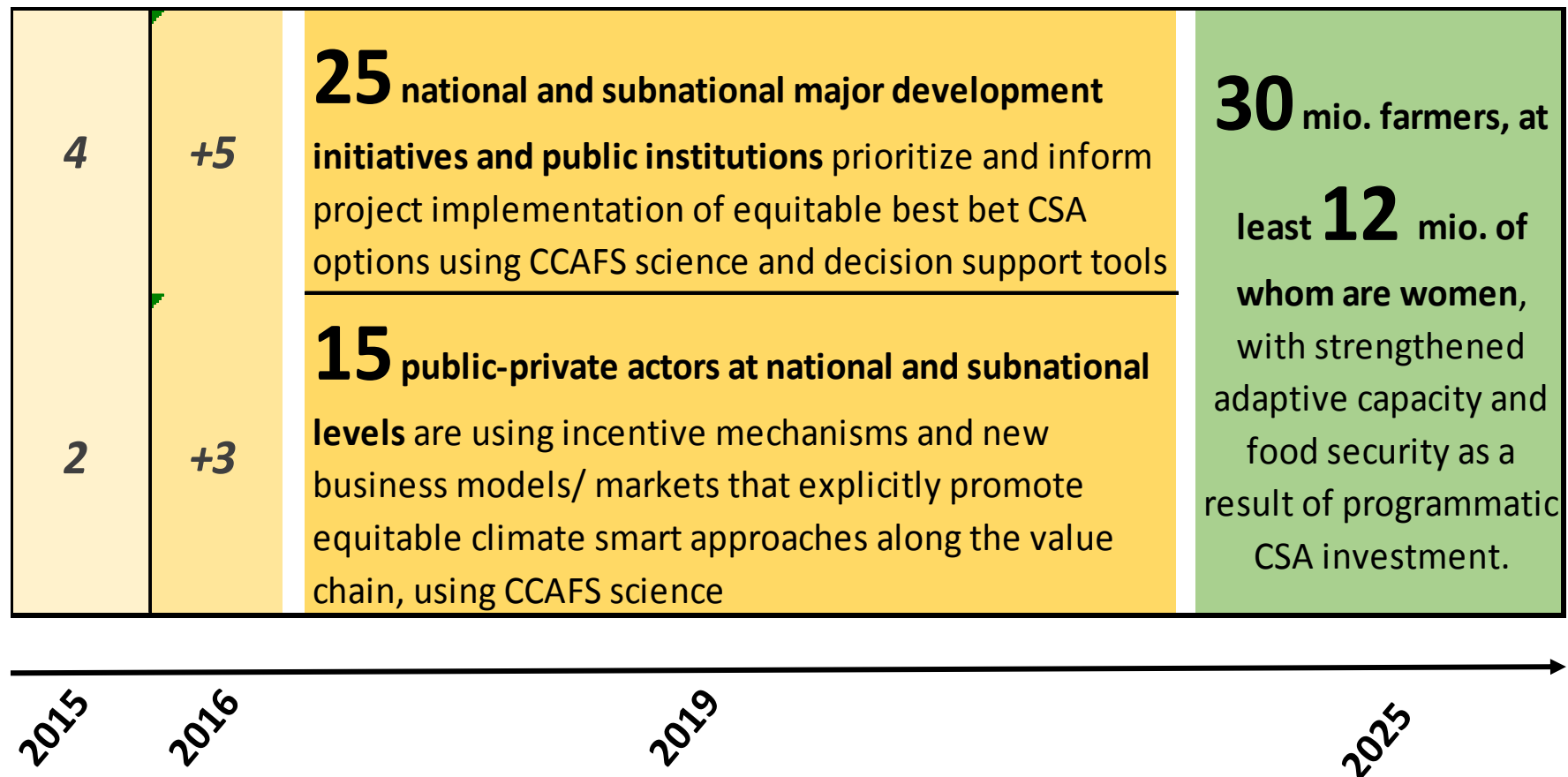
A set of outcome indicators:

- One for each of four flagships for 2025 (*total 4*)
- Two for each of four flagships for 2019 (*total 8*)



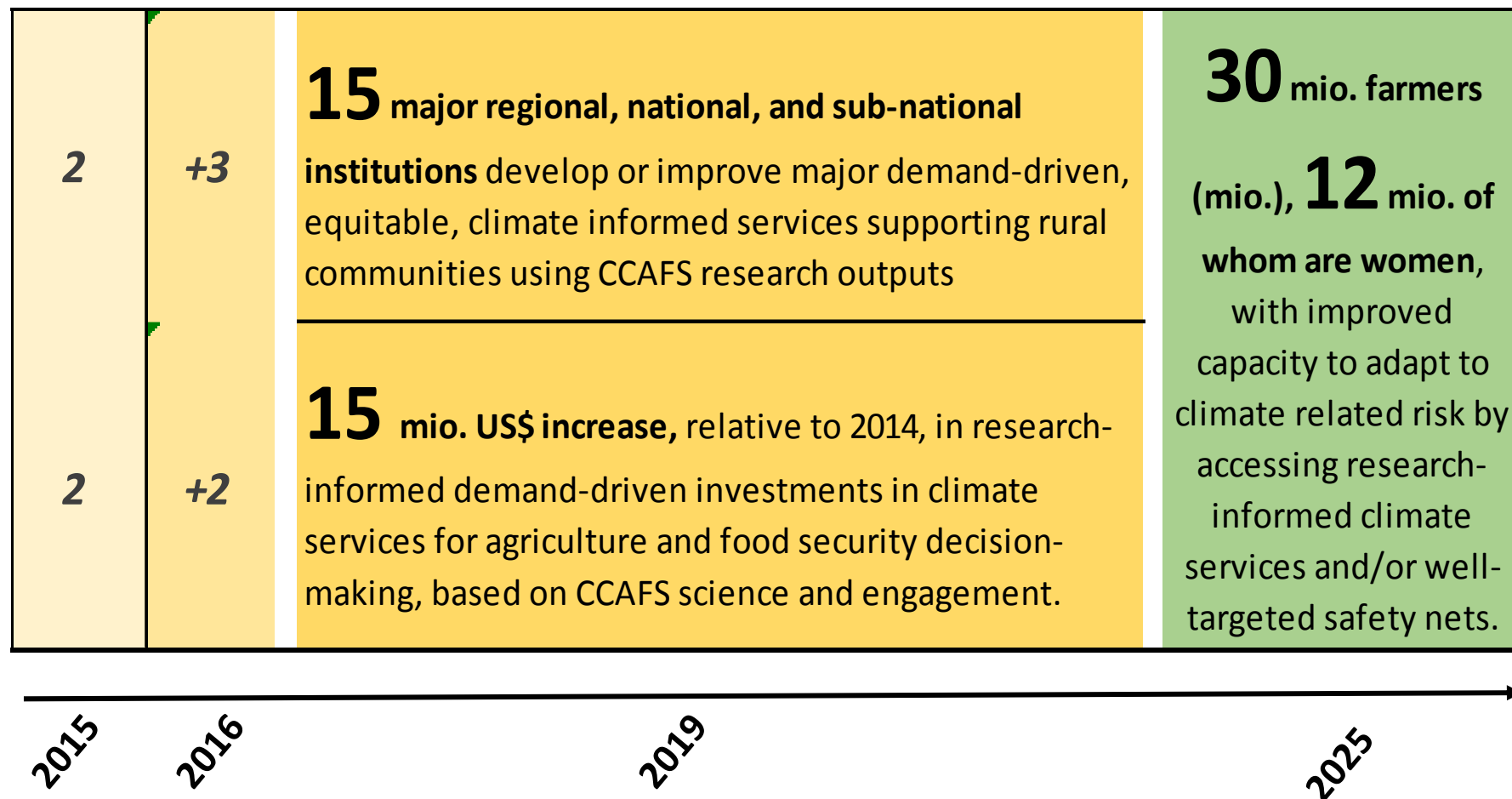
## CCAFS targets

### Flagship 1: Climate-smart agricultural practices



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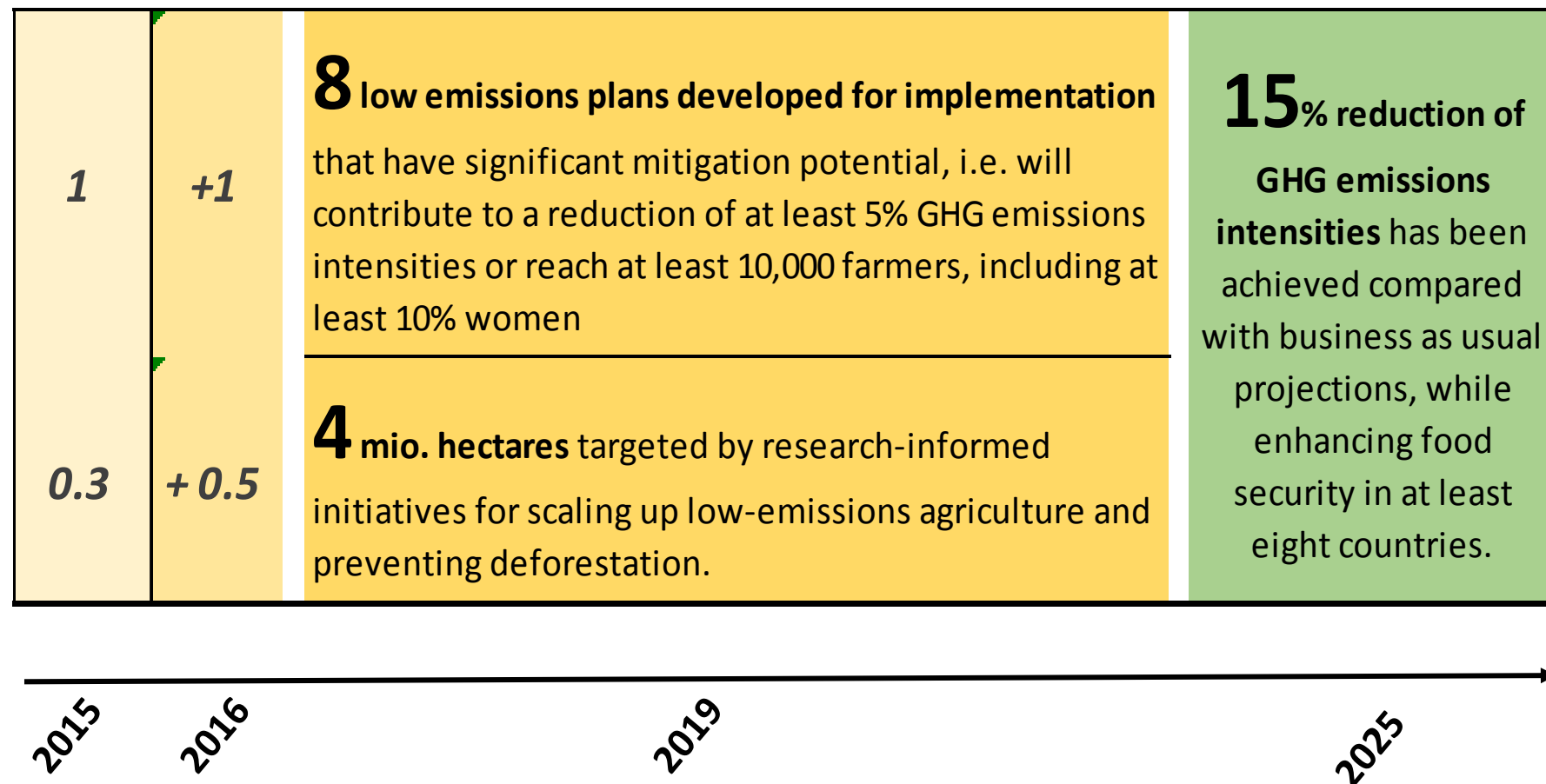
### Flagship 2: Climate information services and climate-informed safety nets





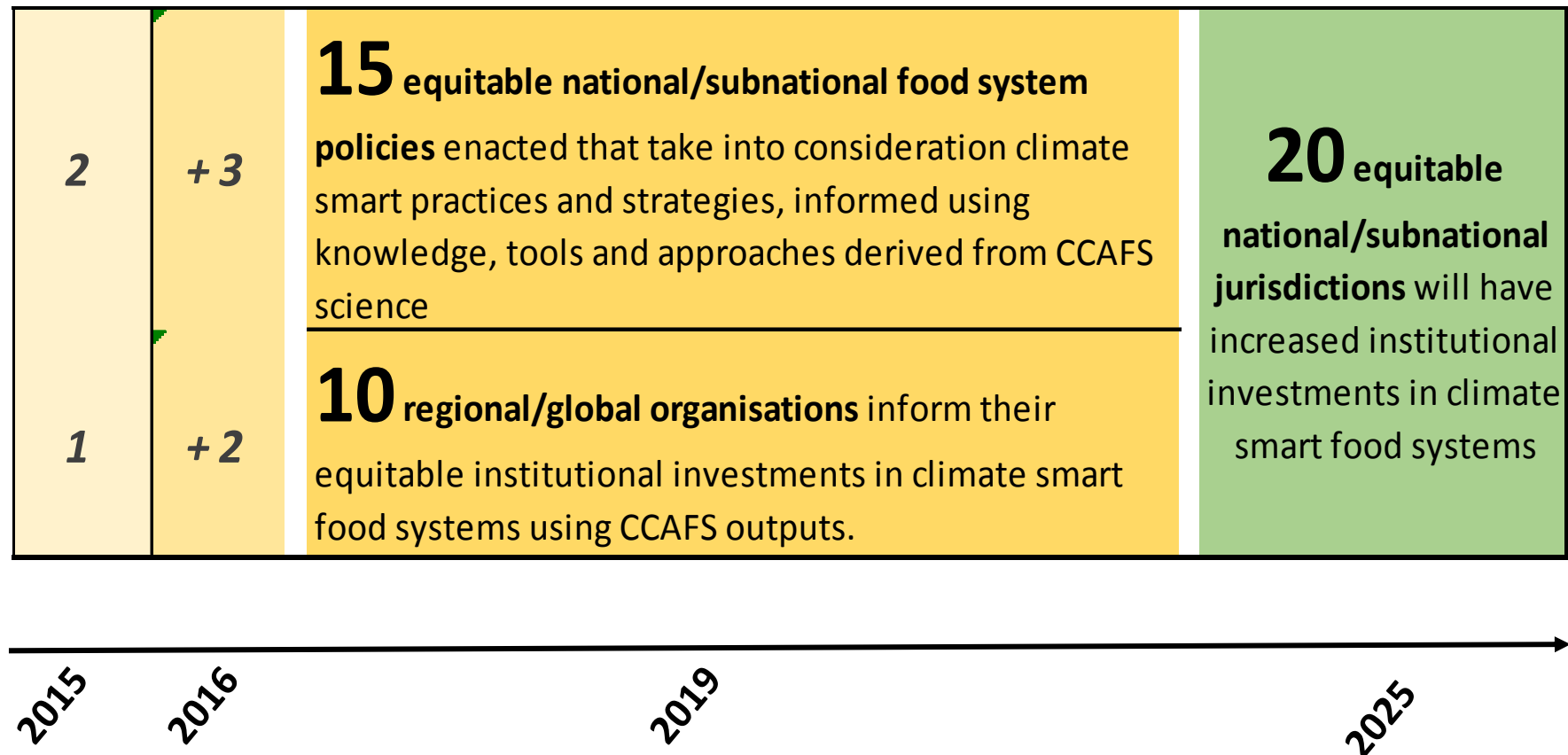
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### Flagship 3: Low-emissions agricultural development



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### Flagship 4: Policies and institutions for climate-resilient food systems



# What are we being held accountable for?



- A few outcome targets for 2019 (and 2025), which all projects need to work towards
- Need to demonstrate progress towards these targets annually (project → region → flagship → CCAFS)
- Providing the evidence (to the CO, donors etc) via a mixture of:

## **Quantitative**

FP3 in 2015: 0.3 Mha targeted by research-informed initiatives for scaling up low-emissions agriculture

## **Qualitative**

Narrative text that describes activities / events that show progress towards (or attainment of) the targets