

OFFICIAL FEEDBACK FORM

DIALOGUE DATE	Thursday, 2 September 2021 15:00 GMT +03:00
DIALOGUE TITLE	National approach to the transformation of food systems. Transformation of food systems: Ukrainian context
CONVENED BY	Deputy Minister of Economy and Trade Representative of Ukraine Taras Kachka, Ministry of Economy of Ukraine
DIALOGUE EVENT PAGE	https://summitdialogues.org/dialogue/42577/
DIALOGUE TYPE	Member State
GEOGRAPHICAL FOCUS	Ukraine

The outcomes from a Food Systems Summit Dialogue will be of use in developing the pathway to sustainable food systems within the locality in which they take place. They will be a valuable contribution to the national pathways and also of interest to the different workstreams preparing for the Summit: the Action Tracks, Scientific Groups and Champions as well as for other Dialogues.

1. PARTICIPATION

TOTAL NUMBER OF PARTICIPANTS

55

PARTICIPATION BY AGE RANGE

0 0-18

12 19-30

24 31-50

15 51-65

4 66-80

0 80+

PARTICIPATION BY GENDER

19 Male

36 Female

0 Prefer not to say or Other

NUMBER OF PARTICIPANTS IN EACH SECTOR

5 Agriculture/crops

0 Fish and aquaculture

1 Livestock

1 Agro-forestry

2 Environment and ecology

4 Trade and commerce

5 Education

4 Communication

3 Food processing

2 Food retail, markets

5 Food industry

2 Financial Services

2 Health care

3 Nutrition

11 National or local government

0 Utilities

0 Industrial

5 Other

NUMBER OF PARTICIPANTS FROM EACH STAKEHOLDER GROUP

3 Small/medium enterprise/artisan

5 Large national business

0 Multi-national corporation

0 Small-scale farmer

1 Medium-scale farmer

0 Large-scale farmer

10 Local Non-Governmental Organization

1 International Non-Governmental Organization

0 Indigenous People

9 Science and academia

0 Workers and trade union

2 Member of Parliament

2 Local authority

9 Government and national institution

2 Regional economic community

5 United Nations

0 International financial institution

1 Private Foundation / Partnership / Alliance

2 Consumer group

3 Other

2. PRINCIPLES OF ENGAGEMENT

HOW DID YOU ORGANIZE THE DIALOGUE SO THAT THE PRINCIPLES WERE INCORPORATED, REINFORCED AND ENHANCED?

Organization: a preliminary announcement, an event open for participation, opportunities of hybrid participation and onlinetranslation, engaging a wide range of stakeholders, an open dialogue and taking into account the views and comments of the parties, an emphasis on achieving the indicators of the Sustainable Development Goals in Ukraine, respect for the opinions of the stakeholders. Evidence-based information, discussing of laws and drafts of laws, analysis of current policy, high-level representation, including Deputy Minister of Agrarian policy and Food of Ukraine, Deputy Minister of Economy, representatives of science organizations, NGOs and Business associations, etc.

HOW DID YOUR DIALOGUE REFLECT SPECIFIC ASPECTS OF THE PRINCIPLES?

All the Principles of Engagement are implemented.

DO YOU HAVE ADVICE FOR OTHER DIALOGUE CONVENORS ABOUT APPRECIATING THE PRINCIPLES OF ENGAGEMENT?

3. METHOD

The outcomes of a Dialogue are influenced by the method that is used.

DID YOU USE THE SAME METHOD AS RECOMMENDED BY THE CONVENORS REFERENCE MANUAL?

Yes

No

4. DIALOGUE FOCUS & OUTCOMES

MAJOR FOCUS

Theme of the event: The role of balanced food in the current food system of Ukraine. First identified national priority are corresponding to Action Tracks 1-2 "Ensure access to safe and nutritious food for all" and "Shift to sustainable consumption patterns"
Access to healthy food for all categories of the population; sustainable consumption; changes in gastronomic culture; reduction of food losses and food waste; food safety; recovery of HoReCa after a pandemic

ACTION TRACKS

- ✓ Action Track 1: Ensure access to safe and nutritious food for all
- ✓ Action Track 2: Shift to sustainable consumption patterns
- Action Track 3: Boost nature-positive production
- Action Track 4: Advance equitable livelihoods
- Action Track 5: Build resilience to vulnerabilities, shocks and stress

KEYWORDS

- ✓ Finance
- ✓ Innovation
- ✓ Human rights
- ✓ Women & Youth Empowerment
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MAIN FINDINGS

Ukraine has its own centuries-old culinary culture, and it is important to find ways to help achieve sustainable development goals and introduce new approaches to the formation of a balanced diet for every Ukrainian, especially children.
It is necessary to increase state aid to small farmers under soft loans.
The need to comply with the established requirements for business processes and food safety, awareness of producers, especially in conditions where the responsibility for product safety lies with the manufacturer. The importance of resuming the Codex Alimentarius Commission.
The need to develop a culture of production and compliance with the terms of the contract for small farmers, to pay attention to the importance of educational activities.
The presence of unfair competition and food fraud (falsification) and the need to strengthen accountability and resolve these issues.
Recovery of HoReCa after the pandemic through the involvement of small producers and the development of craft technologies.
The need to work to raise awareness of Ukrainians about the quality of food.
The need to improve legislation in the field of food waste and the urgency of the issue for Ukraine.

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OUTCOMES FOR EACH DISCUSSION TOPIC

Healthy and varied food in sufficient quantities for everyone in Ukraine: improving the national school nutrition system, ensuring the availability and accessibility of special food products for people with partial food intolerance, increasing the proportion of fortified foods in accordance with WHO Recommendations on Vitamin and Trace Content in food products ", development of a national system of responsible consumption, reduction of food losses and waste reduction, introduction of a traceability system of various value chains;
Changing the culture of food consumption and recovery after the pandemic: increasing the market share of semi-finished and ready-to-eat products, ensuring post-pandemic recovery of the HoReCa segment, introduction of credit mechanisms to support HoReCa, restructuring of existing loans, support of initiatives to improve employee welfare related to food products, including HoReCa, gastrotourism and craft production, promoting the development of a national culture of wine consumption, increasing the consumption of Ukrainian wines.

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AREAS OF DIVERGENCE

The discussion is provoked by the need to combine the provision of a balanced diet and the purchasing power of the population, which was proposed to be carried out through special programs.

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