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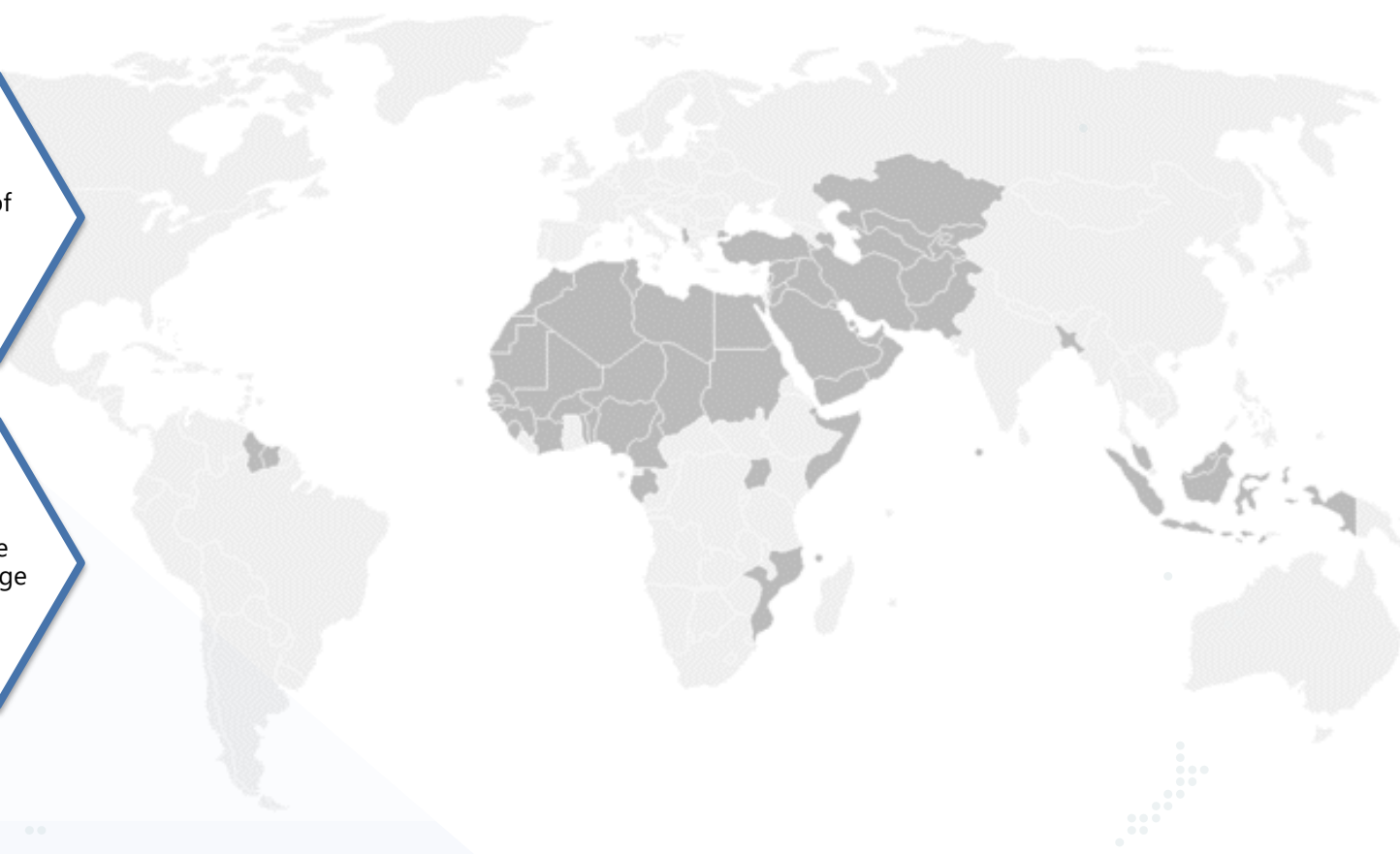
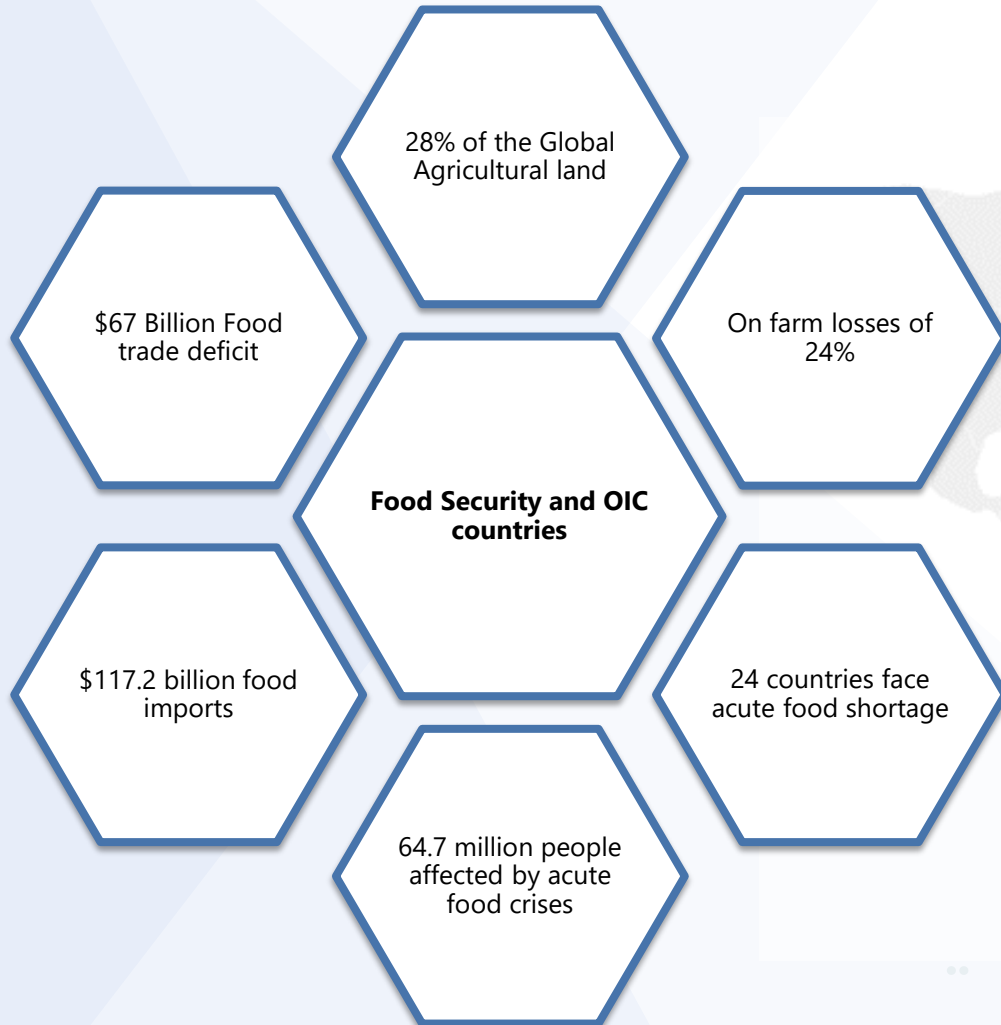


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OIC region at a Critical Juncture





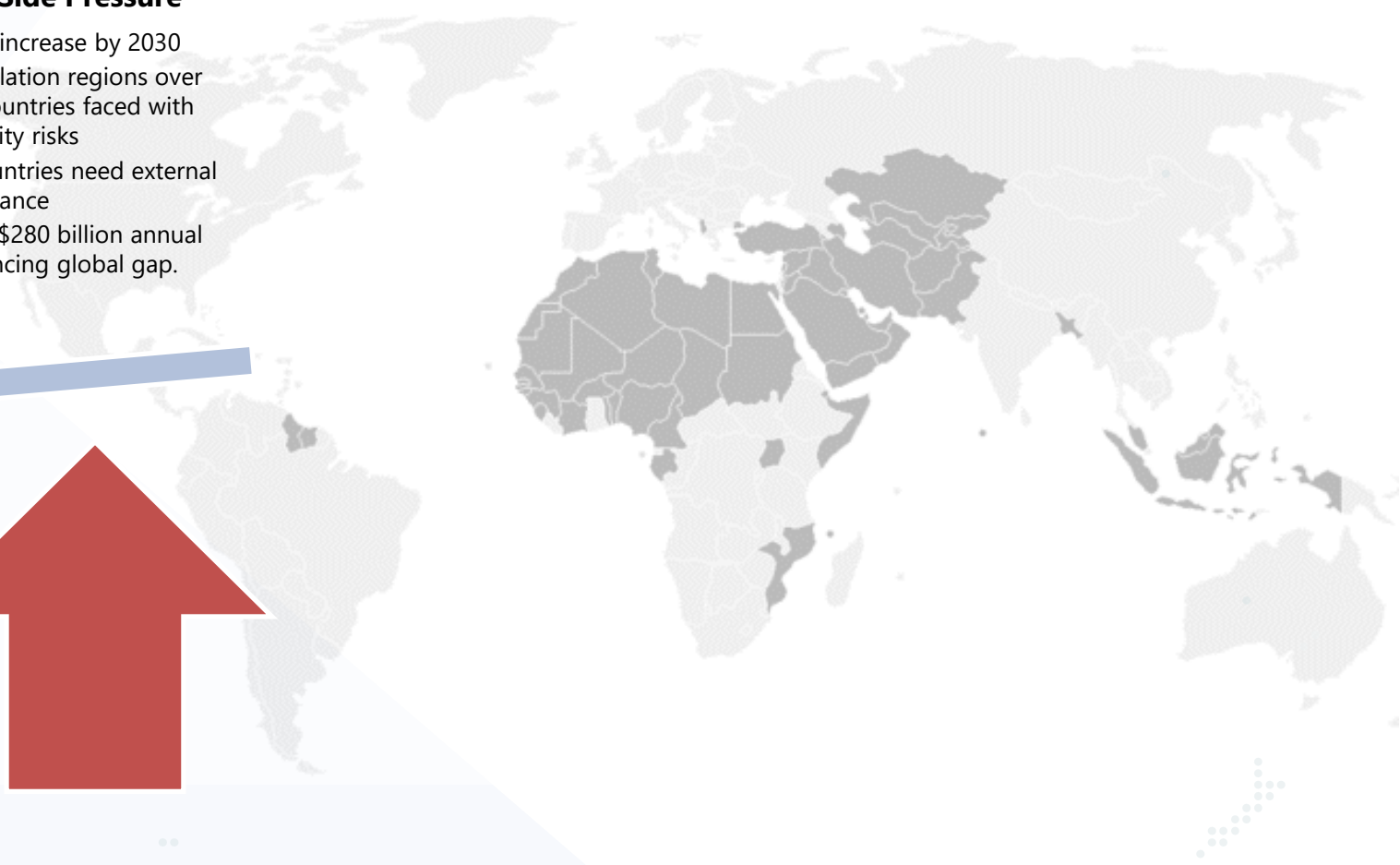
Pressures to Food Security

Demand Side Pressure

- 20% Food increase by 2030
- High population regions overlap with countries faced with food security risks
- 23 OIC countries need external food assistance
- Estimated \$280 billion annual Food Financing global gap.

Supply Side Pressure

- Available arable land has stagnated
- Urbanization leading to career switching – Small scale farmers
- Limited Public Sector support and fundings
- 1/3 of the OIC food production is wasted





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ICCIA, Small Farm holders and Food Security

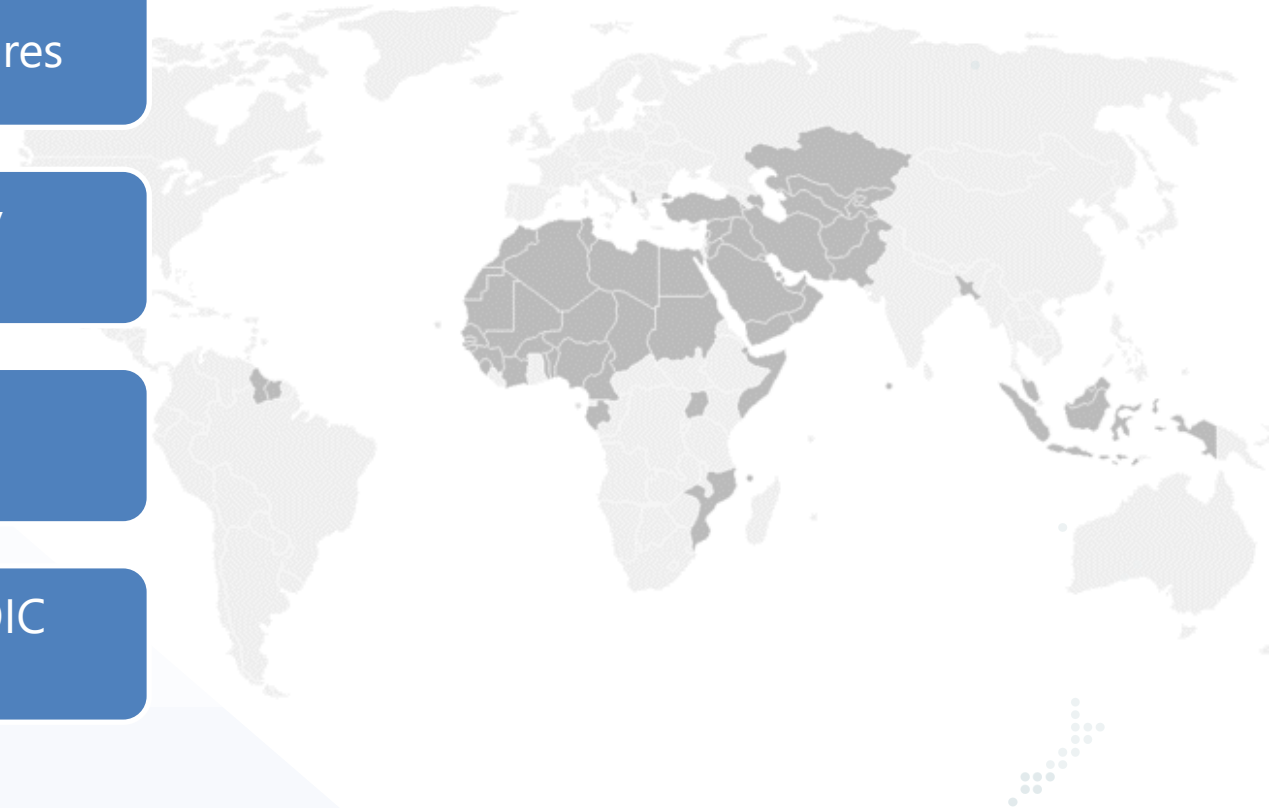
Small Farm-holders importance to Food Security

Over 80% of the Farms are smaller than two hectares

90% of the produce of Small farm holder is locally consumed in OIC countries

Over 50% of the workforce in female.

Small Holder Agriculture accounts for over 50% OIC labor Force.





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Why focus on the Private Sector to ensure Food Security?

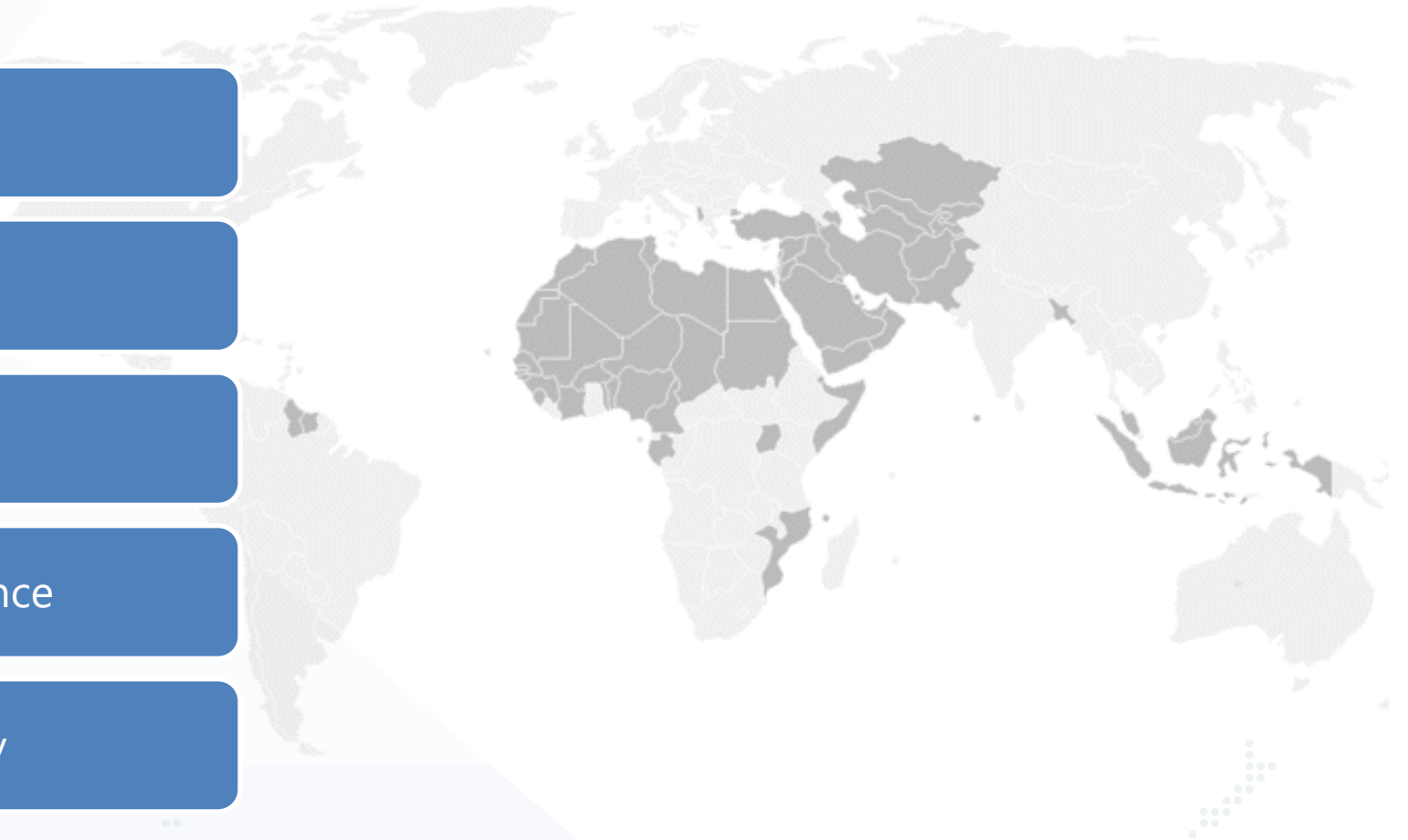
Limited Skills and Capacity

Information Asymmetries

Weak Value Chain Linkages

Limited Access to Long-term Finance

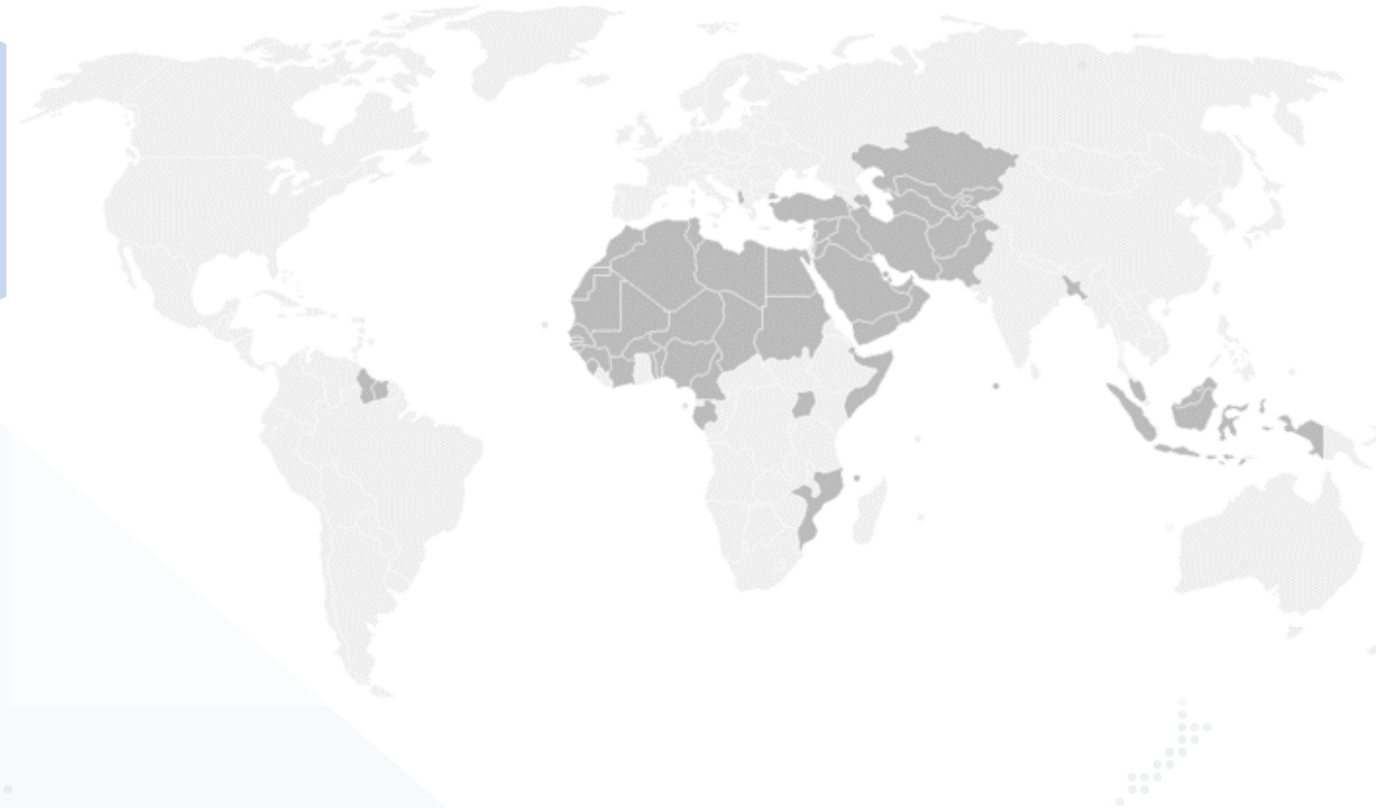
Constrained Operational Efficiency





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ICCIA Key Agri-Focused Projects





“Waqf” is the Islamic principle of endowment. By engaging relevant stakeholders such as government counterparts, the project will utilize idle, unproductive lands towards sustainable agriculture and reforestation.

Pilot Countries: Saudi Arabia, Pakistan, Morocco, Sudan

Climate Change

- 9 OIC countries at risk of severe climate change

Deforestation

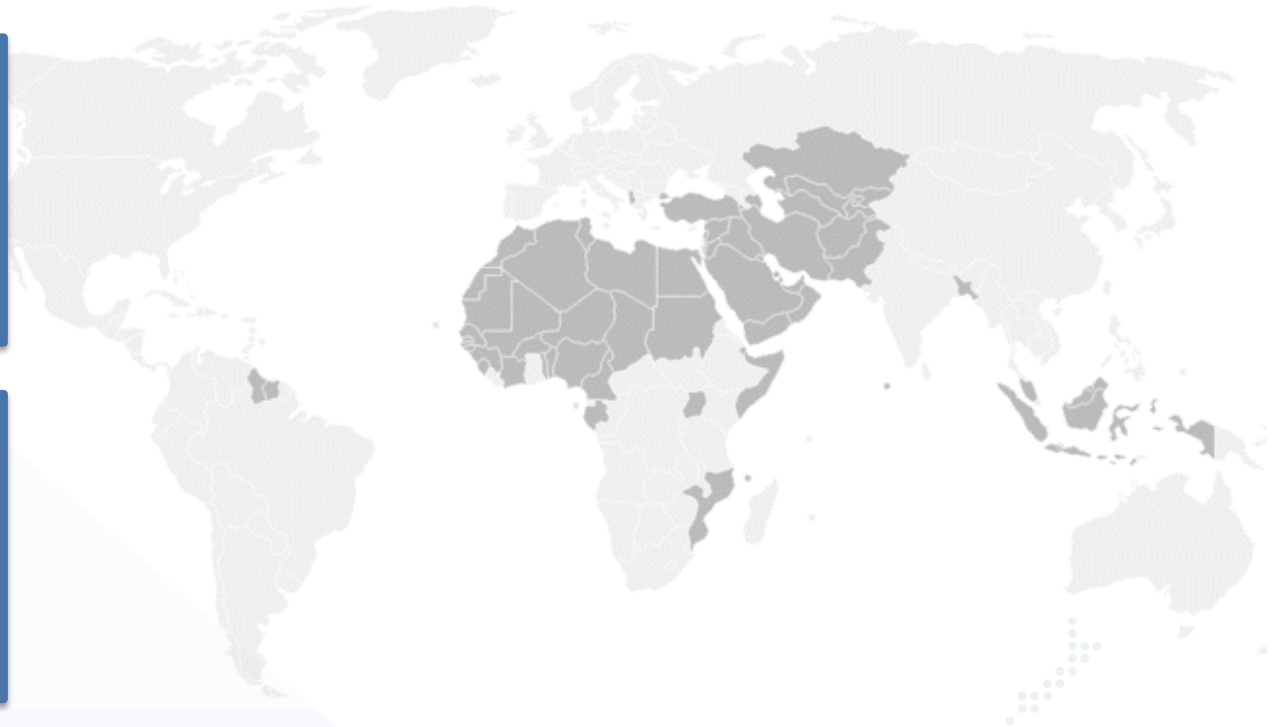
- 1% annual deforestation in 22% OIC countries

GDP Loss

- 2% GDP faced by LDCs in 9 OIC countries at risk of severe climate change

Food Insecurity

- 10% OIC population undernourished
- 24 OIC countries face acute shortage





Green Waqf Initiative - Impact and Outcomes

Socio-Economic development of local communities strengthened resilience and adaptive capacity to climate-related hazards and natural disasters, and enhanced food security while integrate climate change measures into national policies, strategies and planning

Climate Resilience and Food Security

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Self Sustaining Model

- Establishing self-sustaining Green Waqf projects without donor support to sustain operational costs.

Social Financing Mechanisms

- Establishing mechanisms of Social/Community financing to sustain implemented projects.

Inclusive Development

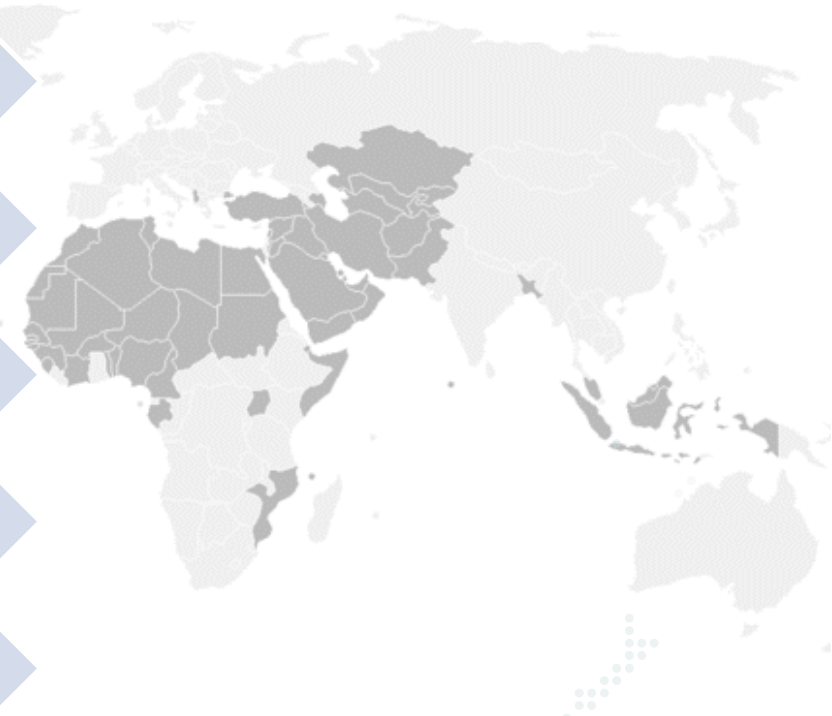
- Ensuring that growth and development are inclusive and sustainable, incorporating productive capacities that create employment and livelihoods for vulnerable communities.

Scalability

- Ensuring Scaled up implementation first to all pilot countries and then to OIC member states.

Knowledge Exchange

- Enhanced access to social finance and knowledge exchange across the countries on leveraging and management of the social finance.





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Poverty

- 241 million people living under the poverty line

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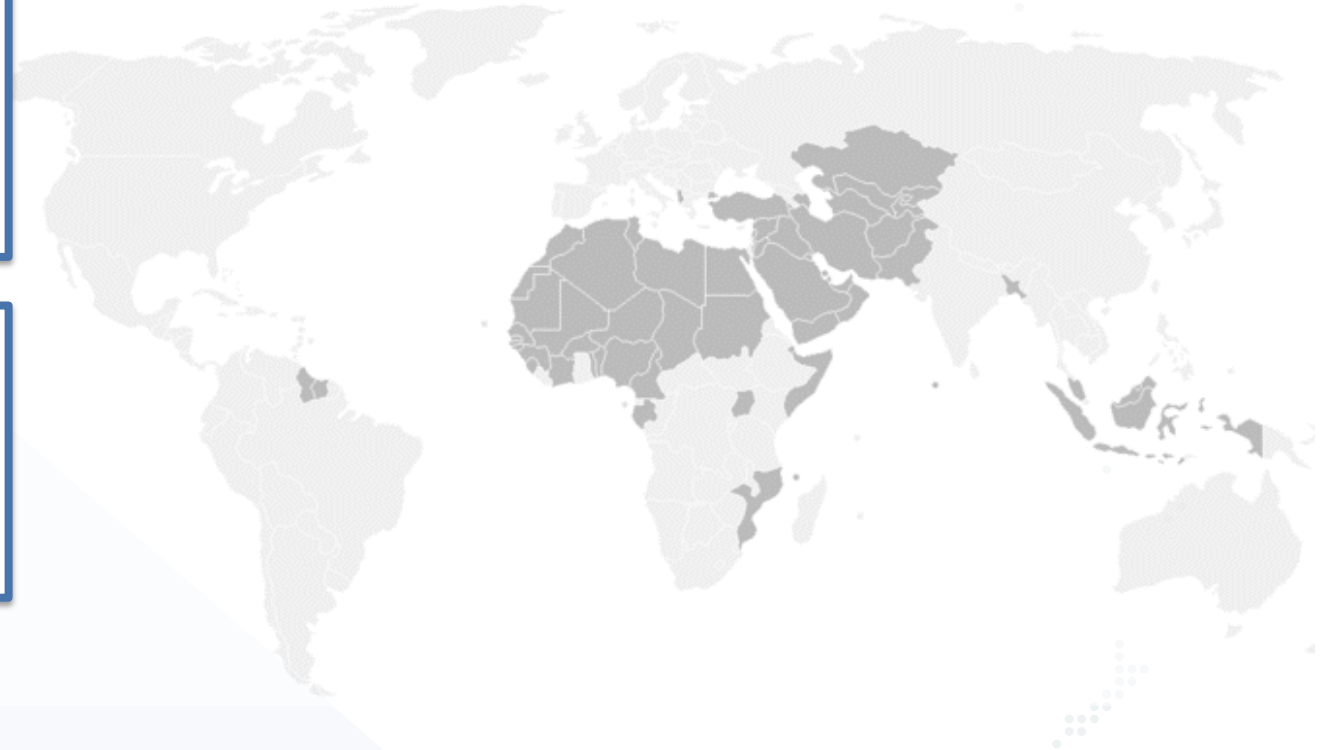
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Employment

- 41.7% of working age population inactive
- High working age population unemployed

Food Import

- \$217.4 billion food imports against \$154.5 billion exports





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Agri-Tech Incubator - Impact and Outcomes

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Supporting Young Agri-Entrepreneurs

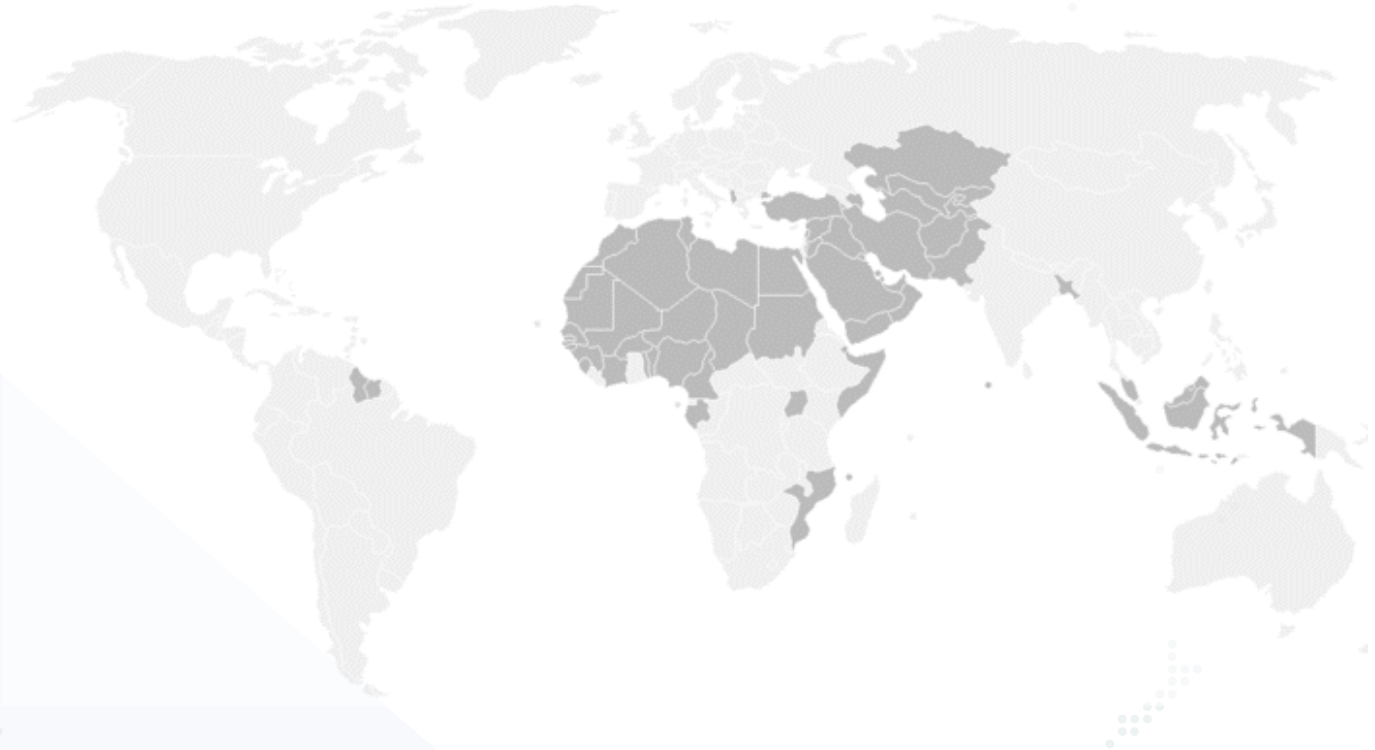
Sustainable Solutions to Food Security

Tech development across the Agri Value Chain

Unlocking Investment Opportunities in Agri-Sector

Engaging the Private Sector for Agri-tech development

Knowledge Exchange and Technology Transfer





Agricultural Commodity Exchange Market

A market (private sector) driven and controlled exchange mechanism which provides transparency to agricultural commodity exchange and fill in the void left by governmental institutions responsible for establishing support mechanisms for producers.





ICCIA role in supporting the Private Sector working towards Food Security?

Why?

Play a pivotal role in the growth and development of the Private Sector and play its role in ensuring Food Security

Where?

Private Sector of OIC countries, particularly LDCs and Developing member countries

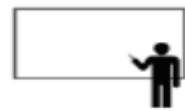
How?

By Supporting the Private Sector at each link of the Value Chain

How



ICCIA Knowledge Tools



ICCIA Training Academy



Workshops and Forums



Support Across the Food Value Chains



Innovative Financing Mechanisms

Focus Areas



Improved Capacity to Trade



Improved Support Services



Market, Business and Trade Intelligence



Improved policy and regulatory environment for the private sector



Flagship Agricultural Initiatives; Green Waqf, Agri-Incubation, Agricultural Commodity Exchange Market

Food Security through

Mobilizing Investments, Influence Policy, and Development of private sector and representative chambers



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Thank You!

