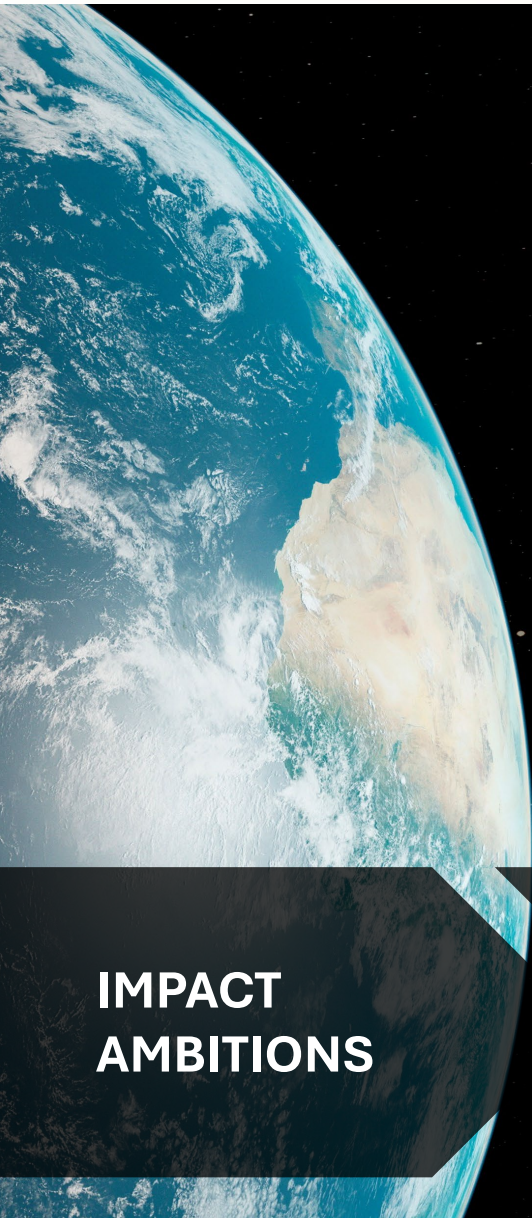


Update on CGIAR's 2025—30 Science and Innovation Portfolio

4th meeting of the CGIAR Integrated Partnership Board
Nairobi, Kenya
11 April 2025

What we plan to cover today



**IMPACT
AMBITIONS**



**PRIORITIZING
FOR IMPACT**



**RECRUITING
LEADERSHIP**



**DELIVERING ON
COMMITMENTS**

Recap: impact ambitions to 2030 – at a glance



Nutrition,
Health & Food
Security



Poverty
Reduction,
Livelihoods & Jobs



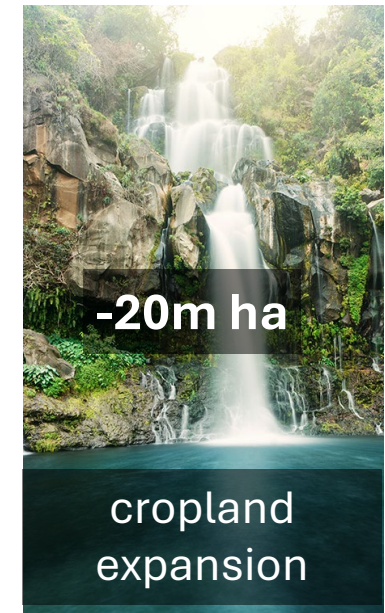
Gender Equality,
Youth & Social
Inclusion



Climate
Adaptation
& Mitigation



Environmental
Health &
Biodiversity



Projected impact ambitions to 2030 ([2025—30 Portfolio Narrative, November 2024](#))

Prioritizing for impact at Portfolio and Program levels



PORTFOLIO-LEVEL PRIORITIZATION FOR IMPACT



PROGRAM/ ACCELERATOR-LEVEL PRIORITIZATION



high-level outputs/ region



activities and interventions/ national, local



resource allocation

Prioritizing for impact: key messages

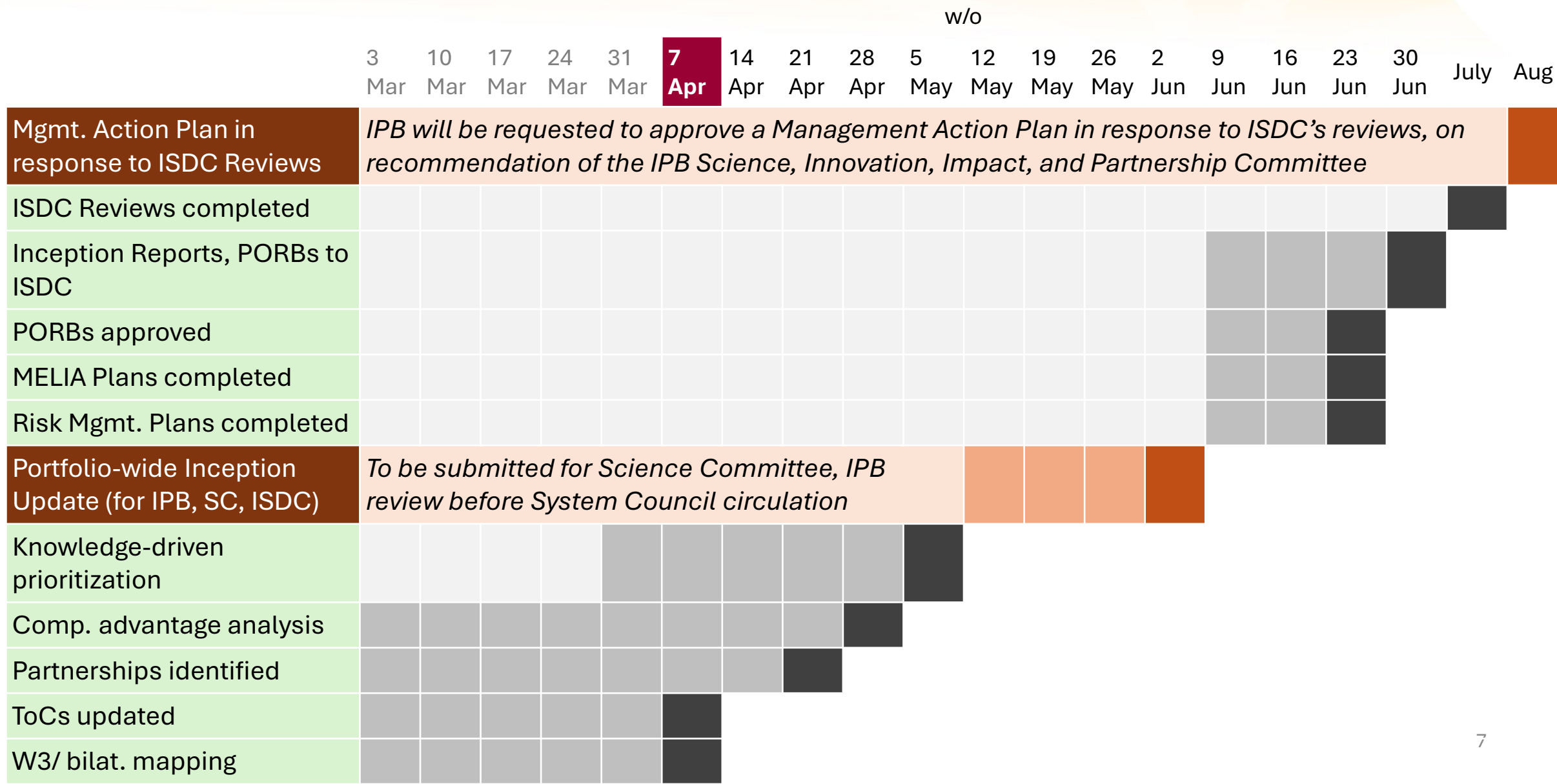
- we have embarked on a **preliminary, knowledge-driven prioritization process** at the Program/ Accelerator level. We will complete that process as part of the Inception
- in addition, **we will define a structured, transparent prioritization approach** to link cross-Portfolio resource allocation to impact targets
- coherent, Portfolio-wide prioritization will enable:
 - stronger engagement with **funders and partners**
 - greater insight into **CGIAR & Center capabilities**
 - enhancing CGIAR's ability to **act proactively**

Leadership recruitment

- ✓ **Feb:** Program/ Accelerator leadership positions advertised internally, open to all CGIAR staff
- ✓ **Mar—April:** screening, forming selection panels, advertising externally where needed

Better Diets and Nutrition	interviews	Genebanks	advertised internally
Breeding for Tomorrow	advertised externally	Multifunctional Landscapes	advertised externally
Capacity Sharing	Interviews	Policy Innovations	advertised externally
Climate Action	Interviews	Scaling for Impact	advertised externally
Digital Transformation	not yet advertised	Sustainable Animal and Aquatic Foods	Interviews
Food Frontiers and Security	advertised externally	Sustainable Farming	advertised externally
Gender Equality and Inclusion	advertised internally		

Delivering on commitments



Delivering on commitments: key milestones

7 February	✓	Portfolio Inception Plan defined and presented to the IPB at its 3 rd meeting
4 March	✓	1 st System Council, IPB, ISDC touch point on the Portfolio Inception Phase
11 March	✓	Program/ Accelerator Inception Report template completed in consultation with ISDC
2—4 April	✓	First in-person meeting of the CGIAR Global Science Team (GST): prioritization, resource allocation, management
end-March	✓	Detailed guidance on prioritization, comparative advantage analysis, theories of change, MELIA plans, and risk management available to Program/ Accelerator teams
w/o 7 April	✓	CGIAR Science Week: presentations of all Programs and Accelerators, key partner engagement and outreach
30 April	□	Updated scenarios of 2025 W1/2 funding by Program/ Accelerator, reflecting funding changes
early-May	□	2 nd System Council, IPB, ISDC touch point on the Portfolio Inception Phase
early-May	□	Technical Reporting: Type 1 technical reports of the 2024 performance and results of the Research Initiatives and Impact Area Platforms, Type 3 report on Portfolio practice change published
21 May	□	Deadline to post Portfolio-Wide Inception Update for information ahead of the 22 nd meeting of the CGIAR System Council (SC22)
4—5 June	□	SC22: Portfolio-Wide Inception Update presented – feedback, guidance
June	□	Technical Reporting: 2024 Portfolio Narrative and Type 2 technical report on 2022—24 progress to impact submitted for IPB review and approval
30 June	□	Deadline for ISDC submission of Program/ Accelerator Inception Reports, complete 2025 Plans of Results and Budgets, and relevant supporting materials
31 July	□	ISDC reviews completed
August	□	Management Action Plan in response to ISDC reviews completed, submitted to the IPB for approval



CGIAR'S SCIENCE LEADERSHIP IS IN THIS TOGETHER