

## Community based systems to improve landscape resilience

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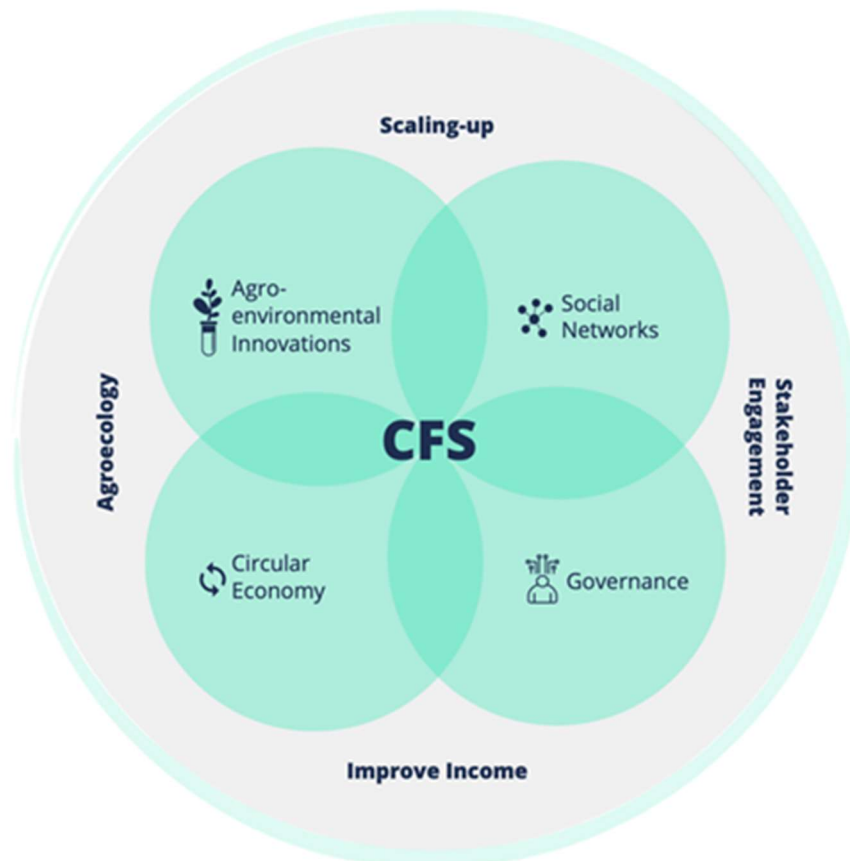


Figure: The key elements of CFS

The COVID-19 pandemic exposed the world to unprecedented scenarios in our recent history, revealing the vulnerabilities of our society. This impact also affected food supply systems. However, it can be an opportunity to propose and stimulate initiatives that are able to promote landscape resilience considering the food system. The food to fork must be shortened and diversified where it is viable and feasible, while made affordable for all societal levels.

The community food systems (CFS) approach finds room in this discussion since it copes with relevant principles, including the needs of low-income societies from areas particularly marginalised from mainstream food systems; of which those land areas can also pose as additional insurance in case occurrence of whatever crises. Systematizing the components

and contributions of CFS can facilitate the development of strategies to better deal with crises and increase resilience.

Therefore, in this masterclass our start point will be presenting the key elements of CFS; this will be the basis of a co-creation process that the audience will be invited to evaluate, discuss and propose elements to a theoretical framework that could be used by decision makers as a conceptual guide for combating threats to food systems and promote landscape resilience.

*Session format:*

Presential or virtual class (depending of pandemic situation) for an audience basically composed by post-graduate students and professionals from food system and landscape planning subjects.

*Maximum number of participants: 25*