

Tomato Value Chain Workshop

Opening statement

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International partners

- Syngenta Foundation for Sustainable Agriculture (SFSA)
- Australian International Food Security Research Centre (AIFSRC/ACIAR)
- Crawford Fund (CF)
- University of Queensland (UQ)

Demand-led plant variety design for emerging markets in Africa

- Consultation and understanding the needs of the stakeholders in tomato value chain to drive tomato breeding and R&D
- Training and using best practices from the public and private sectors in new crop variety design
- Supporting public breeders to raise productivity and quality of new varieties to meet the needs of smallholder farmers, value chains and consumers

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