



# Commodity masterclass

## Potato

November 7<sup>th</sup> 2024



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# Agenda



Provide overview on **commodity context**

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Share **regional specificities**

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Present **solutions** + case studies

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**Questions, answers & next masterclass** in series

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Discussion on **opportunities to partner & scale** for impact

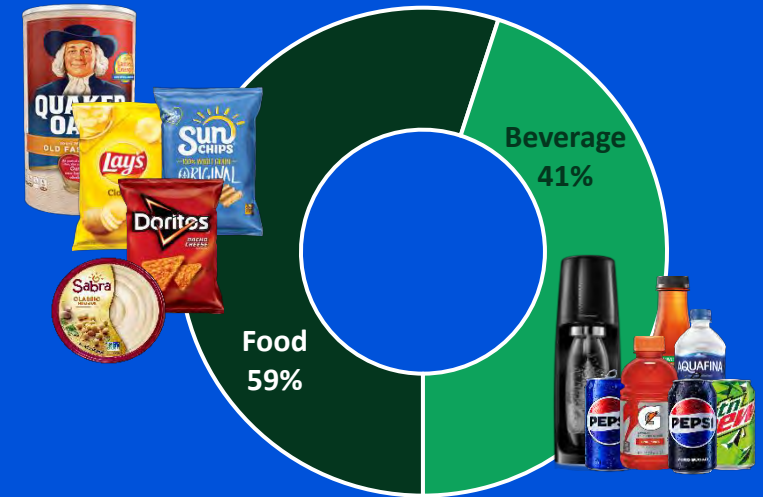


# Who is PepsiCo?

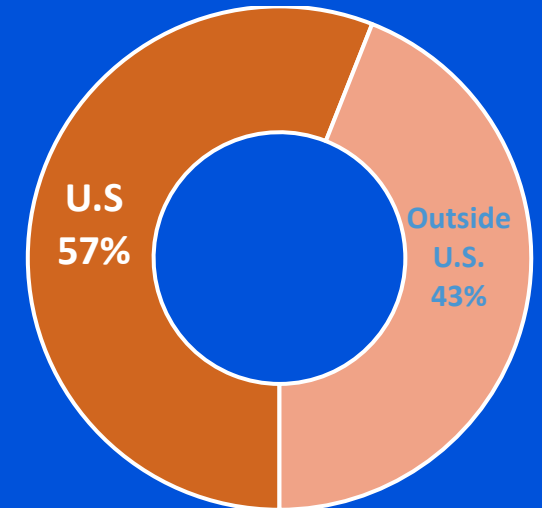


## 2023 Mix of Net Revenue

CATEGORIES



GEOGRAPHY



### + 2023 PERFORMANCE

\$91B+ net revenue,  
organic growth 9.5%

### + SCALE

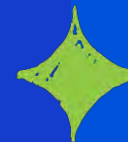
200+ countries  
& territories and 1,000+  
manufacturing sites

### + PEOPLE

~318,000 employees  
~100,000 suppliers

### + BRANDS

Many iconic  
billion-dollar brands



# pep+ overview



pep+ is our strategic end-to-end transformation that places sustainability at the center of how we will create growth and value by operating within planetary boundaries and inspiring positive change for the **planet and people**.

## pep+ HAS 3 INTERCONNECTED PILLARS:



### POSITIVE AGRICULTURE

We are working to source our crops and ingredients in ways that restore the earth and strengthen farming communities.



### POSITIVE VALUE CHAIN

We are helping to build a circular and inclusive value chain.



### POSITIVE CHOICES

We are inspiring people through our brands to make choices that create more smiles for them and the planet.

# PepsiCo is heavily grounded in Agriculture



**35+ agricultural crops & ingredients from 60+ Countries**



**7MM+ acres of farmland in our agricultural footprint**



**Tens of thousands of farmers worldwide provide crops and ingredients**



**83 regenerative agriculture demonstration farms**



**1.8MM+ acres farmed with regenerative farming practices**



**90%+ of our grower-sourced crops sustainability sourced<sup>1</sup>**

<sup>1</sup>For grower-sourced crops, sustainable sourcing refers to meeting the independently verified environmental, social and economic principles of PepsiCo's Sustainable Farming Program (SFP). PepsiCo's Sustainable Sourcing goal applies to areas where PepsiCo has purchasing control and excludes joint ventures, franchises, co-manufacturers and co-packers, and other third parties over which we do not hold purchasing control



An aerial photograph of a rural landscape. A central road intersection is visible, with four roads extending outwards. The fields are divided into four quadrants: top-left is a brown, harvested field; top-right is a vibrant green field; bottom-left is a light brown, harvested field; and bottom-right is a vibrant green field. A few trees are scattered around the intersection. A white horizontal line is positioned above the text.

**Context**



Large global market for potatoes..

**\$130B**  
market value  
(global, 2023)

**374 Mt of**  
potatoes  
produced  
(global, 2022)

...with top 7 producing countries  
having 60% production



China  
~95 Mt



India  
56 Mt



Ukraine  
20 Mt



Russia  
18 Mt



USA  
17 Mt



Germany  
10 Mt



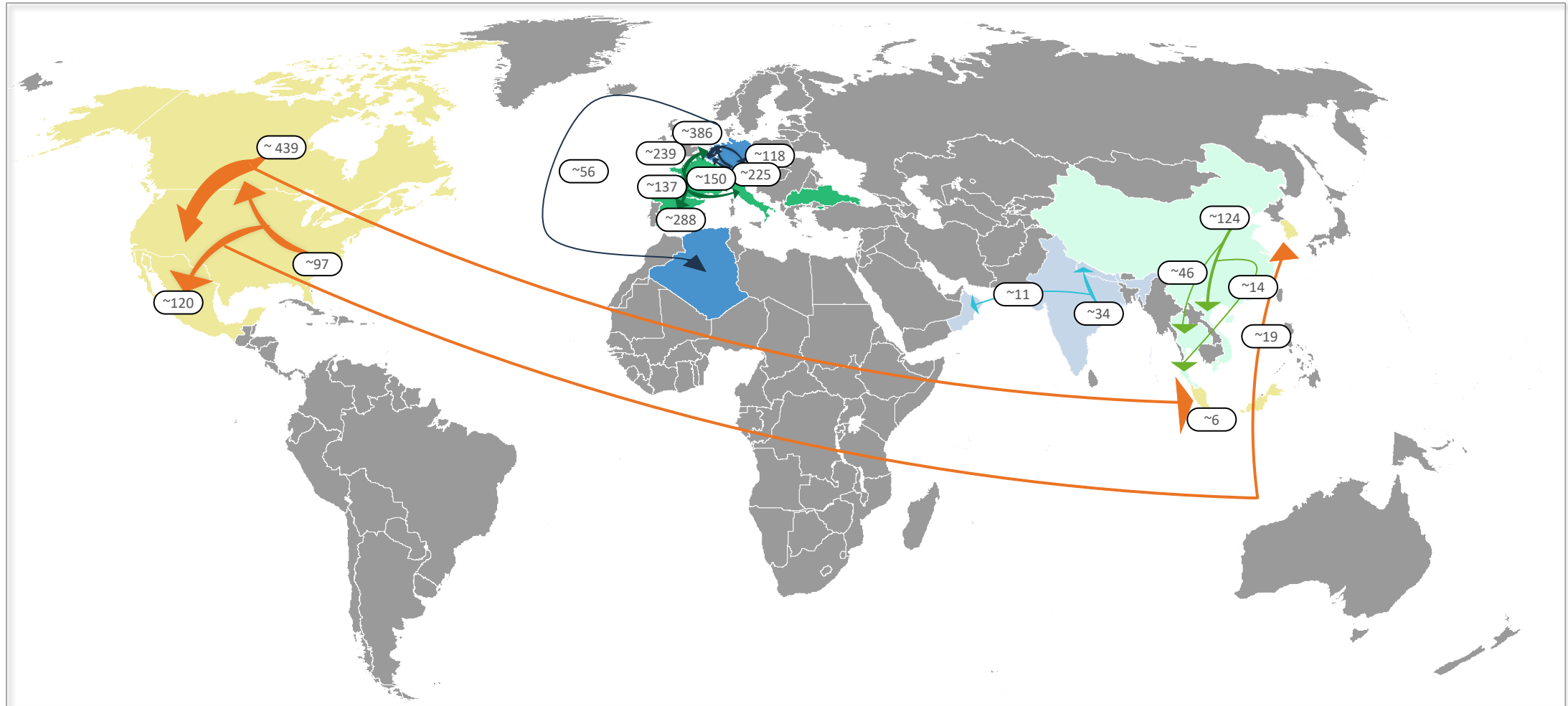
Bangladesh  
10 Mt

Sources: FAO Stat  
Note: Estimated production volume, million tonnes (Mt), 2022



# Potato movements tend to be largely regional

Non-exhaustive



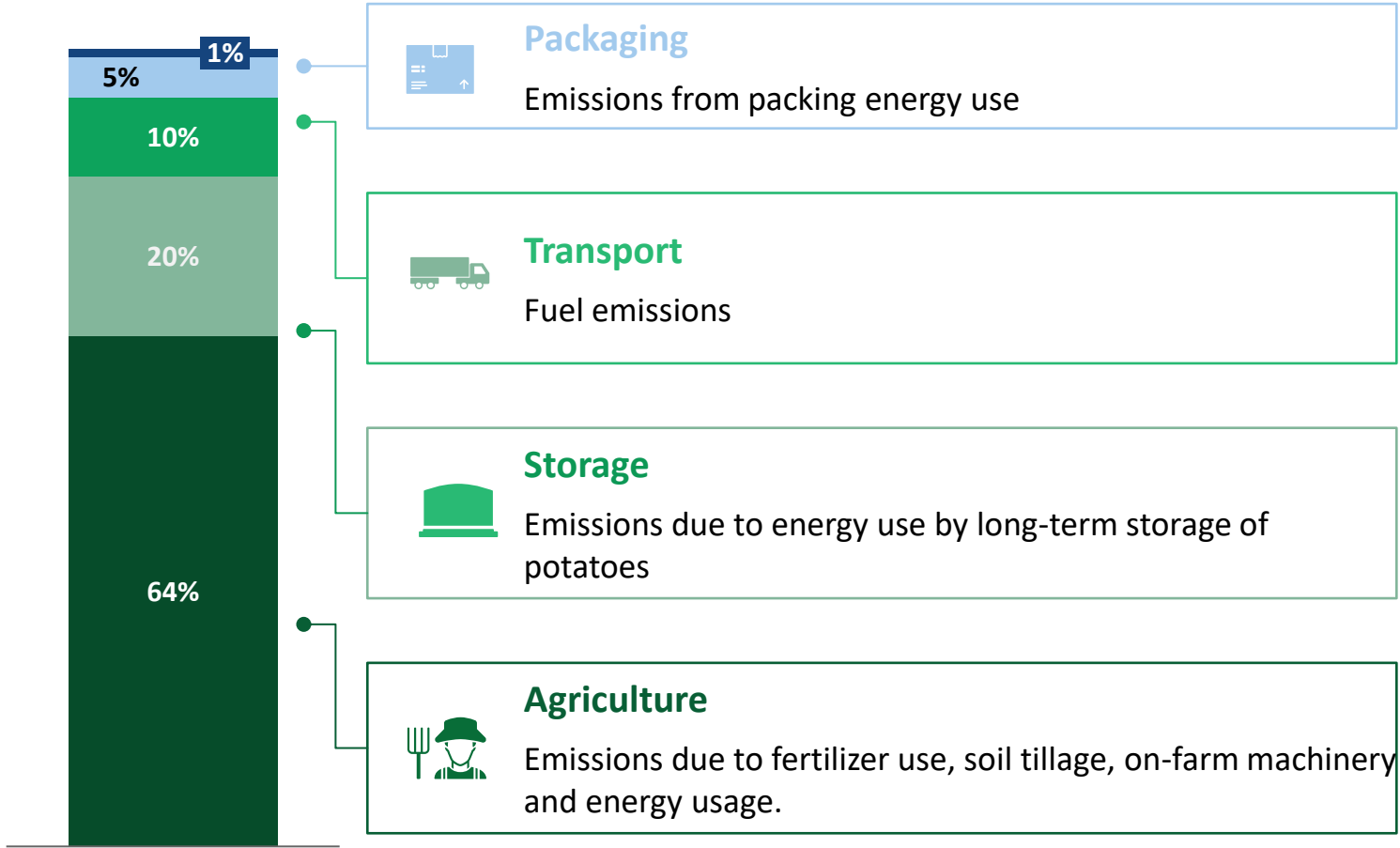
Note: base year 2023, [Commodity code used at [UN Comtrade data base](https://comtrade.un.org/) = code XX], considering top 3-5 export countries in \$M USD UN Comtrade

XXX \$M USD export value (top 3-5 export countries shown per market, '23) ■■■ Different colors to represent different market flows → Commodity flows (size relates to \$USD export value)

# 4 main drivers for potato emissions

**4.5%**  
of global  
agricultural  
emissions  
come from potatoes  
(2022)

Emissions breakdown for British potatoes















Sources: Carbon Brief, Climate Hub, BCG Analysis



# Key challenges to address for potato decarbonization

## Key decarbonization challenges

 <p><b>Large &amp; fragmented supplier landscape</b></p>	 <p><b>High degree of variability in systems across regions</b></p>	 <p><b>Limited awareness on solutions available (e.g., at farm level)</b></p>	 <p><b>High upfront carbon reduction costs</b></p>	 <p><b>Lack of financing for adoption of low-carbon and regen. practices</b></p>	 <p><b>Potential short-term reduction in yield &amp; farmer revenues</b></p>
 <p><b>Speed and rate of adoption of best practices on farm</b></p>	 <p><b>Lack of low-carbon technologies available at scale</b></p>	 <p><b>Lack of accurate carbon data at farm level</b></p>	 <p><b>Lack of measurability &amp; common certifications</b></p>	 <p><b>Lack of unified and stable regulatory &amp; policy landscape</b></p>	 <p><b>Strong dependency on Nature (land, climate)</b></p>



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# Regional specificities







# Significant regional specificities exist for potato decarbonization

	Consolidated			Fragmented			
<b>Supplier dynamics<sup>1</sup></b>							
<b>Productivity kg/ha</b>	49K	16K	40k	25K	17K	21K	17K
<b>Production MT</b>	17	95	10	56	20	10	18
<b>Carbon baseline (Unit)<sup>3</sup></b>	0.29	0.29	0.17	0.26	0.20	n/a	0.19




1. Producer landscape in the market; 2. Productivity = Average yields by region in respective unit (2022) 3. Unit for carbon baseline = kg CO<sub>2</sub> per kg potatoes from WFLDB version 3.9.1  
Source:

# Significant regional specificities to be aware of for potato decarbonization

	Supplier/processor dynamics <sup>1</sup>	Primary farm type	Productivity (kg/ha) <sup>2</sup>	Production <sup>3</sup>	Trade <sup>3</sup>	Carbon baseline (kg CO <sub>2</sub> /kg) <sup>4</sup>	Regulatory environment
	Consolidated	Smallholder	16k	95 Mt	Import: \$1k Export: \$200M	0.287	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Promotion of potatoes as a staple crop</li> <li>Green &amp; sustainable ag development (modernization of rural areas and farming techniques)</li> </ul>
	Fragmented	Smallholder	25k	56 Mt	Import: \$400k Export: \$100M	0.258	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Development of cold-chain and subsidies to support storage</li> </ul>
	Fragmented	Smallholder	17k	20 Mt	Import: \$6M Export: \$5M	0.197	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Promotion of sustainable agriculture practices (such as IPM and crop rotation)</li> </ul>
	Fragmented	Smallholder & large-scale	17k	18 Mt	<i>Data unavailable</i>	0.194	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Modernization of agriculture initiatives incl. subsidies, and crop insurance</li> </ul>



# Significant regional specificities to be aware of for potato decarbonization

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	Consolidated	Smallholder & large-scale	49k	14 Mt	Import: \$400M Export: \$300M	0.290	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Promotion of sustainable practices through government incentives</li> </ul>
	Consolidated	Large-scale	40k	10 Mt	Import: \$200M Export: \$600M	0.166	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Common Agricultural Policy (CAP) and Green Direct Payments, EU policies for sustainable agriculture</li> </ul>
	Fragmented	Smallholder	21k	10 Mt	<i>Data unavailable</i>	<i>N/A</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>National Agricultural Policy, broad framework to improve productivity and sustainability</li> </ul>





A group of people in business attire are gathered around a table, working together. They are looking at and pointing to various documents and papers spread out on the table. One person is holding a tablet, another is holding a smartphone. There are several colorful sticky notes (yellow, pink, blue) scattered on the table. A dark coffee cup is visible on the right side. The overall scene suggests a collaborative meeting or a workshop focused on problem-solving and finding solutions.

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**Solutions**



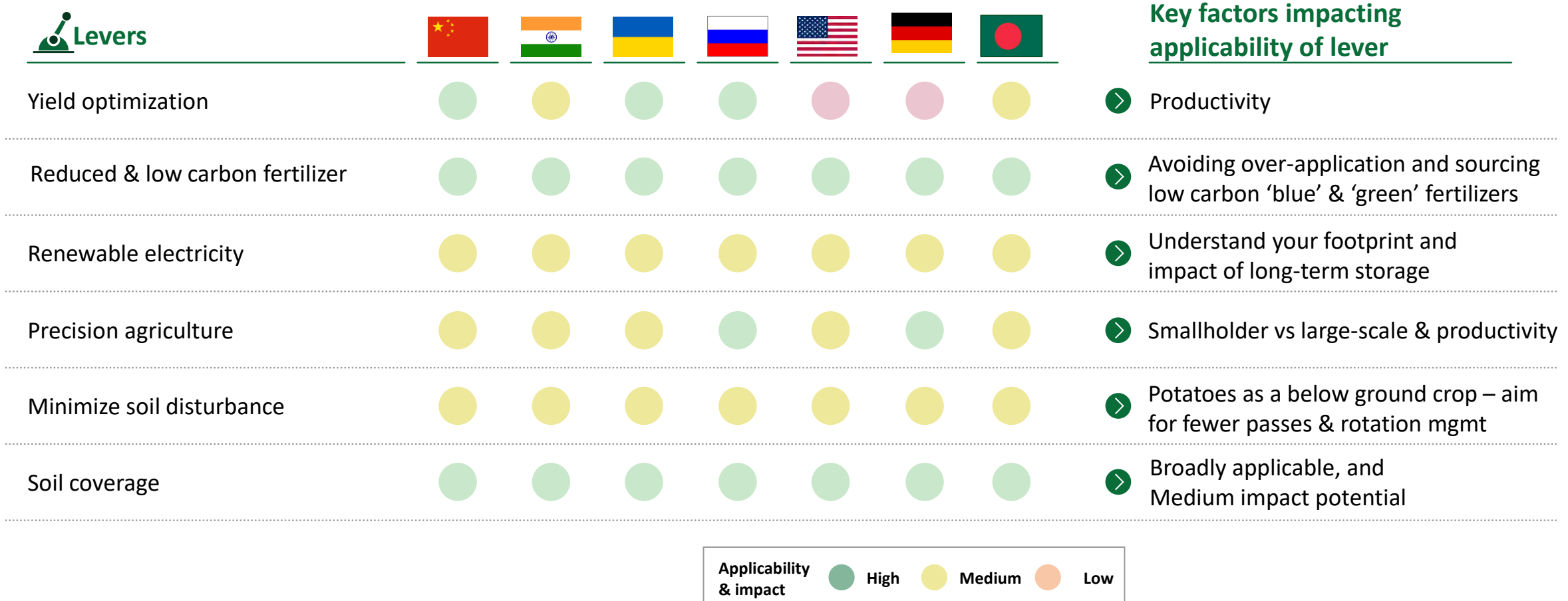
# There are 6 key levers to address potato decarbonization

 <b>Levers</b>	 <b>Typical carbon reduction potential</b>	 <b>Typical time to impact</b>	 <b>Expected ROI for farmers</b>
Yield optimization	High	1-2 years	High
Reduced & low C fertilizer	High	Immediate	Medium
Renewable electricity	Medium	Immediate	It depends ...
Precision agriculture	Medium	1-2 years	High
Minimize soil disturbance	Medium	3-5 years	Medium
Soil coverage	Medium	3-5 years	Medium

High – addresses large portion of carbon footprint with direct impact

Medium – addresses portion of carbon footprint, or risk of reversal

# Applicability and impact of levers varies across markets





# 3 case studies supported our commodity decarbonization journey



## Renewable Electricity



Supporting use of RE to offset electricity in-season and storage



## Reduced Soil Disturbance



Measuring fuel use and sharing impact of heavy tillage



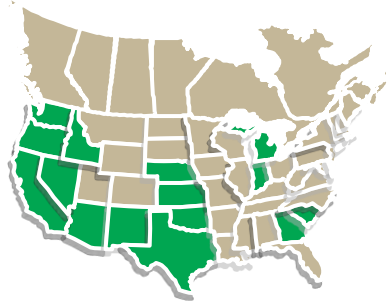
## Fertiliser Optimization



Using low carbon fertilisers & best practices to reduce the overall GHG footprint

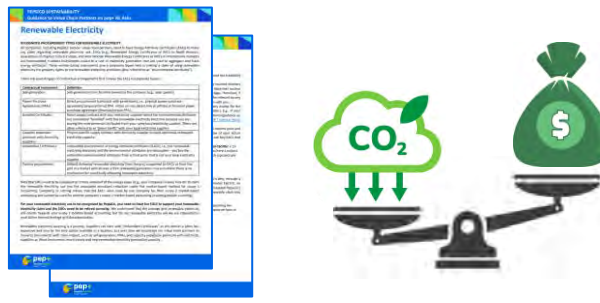
# Use of renewable electricity to cover on-farm grid electricity is a cost efficient means of reducing emissions in long-term storage areas

## '23 & '24 pilot programs



Pilot program in-place with three suppliers covering ~35% of supply – learnings to drive full scale commercialization

## High impact vs. low cost to implement



Renewable electricity purchases within recognized criteria is available to many growers

## Loss of Agricultural Land



Critical to prioritize purchases via sources of renewable energy not generated on Class 1 or 2 Ag Land

At full scale, we anticipate a meaningful reduction in our total GHG footprint driven by renewable electricity to cover on-farm energy use. Given its high impact, immediate impact, and ease of implementation, it is a critical lever to drive improvement.





# Reduced soil disturbance supports GHG reductions from lower fuel use and improves soil health

## Fewer passes = less fuel



## Less disturbance supports C staying put



### Key elements in the journey



Carbon Accounting

GHG Impact

Feedback & engagement

Sharing best practices

Recognizing improvement

Institutionalizing

**Incentive to:**  
Drive adoption  
Support equipment & practice changes  
Own crop rotations

**Fewer resources**  
**Cover crop integration**

**CFT Recognition**  
**Impact C & soil health**

# Case study 3:





A photograph of a hand reaching up from a field of wheat. The hand is positioned in the center, with fingers spread, reaching towards the top of the frame. The wheat stalks are in the foreground and middle ground, with a line of trees in the background under a clear sky. A thin white horizontal line is positioned above the text.

**Time for your questions**



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**Open discussion - Do we see opportunities  
to partner & scale for impact?**















# Next masterclasses in series

## Stay tuned for our next masterclasses

Please update with latest screenshot from CGF website – (Commodity masterclasses page)

 <p><b>POTATO: PepsiCo (July - Date TBC)</b> Registration Coming Soon</p>	 <p><b>PALM OIL: Unilever (Aug 14th 2024)</b> Click to Register</p>	 <p><b>RICE: Kellanova (Sept 17th 2024)</b> Click to Register</p>	 <p><b>DAIRY: Bel Group (Oct 23rd 2024)</b> Click to Register</p>	 <p><b>COCOA: Mondelez International (Nov 2024 - Date TBC)</b> Registration Coming Soon</p>
 <p><b>WHEAT: General Mills (January 2025 - Date TBC)</b> Registration Coming Soon</p>	 <p><b>COFFEE: Ahold Delhaize</b> Registration Coming Soon</p>	 <p><b>CORN: PepsiCo</b> Registration Coming Soon</p>	 <p><b>SOY: Unilever</b> Registration Coming Soon</p>	 <p><b>COFFEE: JDE Peet's</b> Registration Coming Soon</p>

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A pair of hands is shown from a top-down perspective, gently cupping a small, spherical object. The object is covered in vibrant green grass, resembling a miniature globe or a ball of moss. The hands are positioned centrally, with the fingers slightly curled around the object. The background is a soft, out-of-focus green, suggesting a natural, outdoor setting. In the top-left corner, there is a dark green triangular graphic element. On the left side, there is a dark green rectangular box containing the text "Thank you".

**Thank you**