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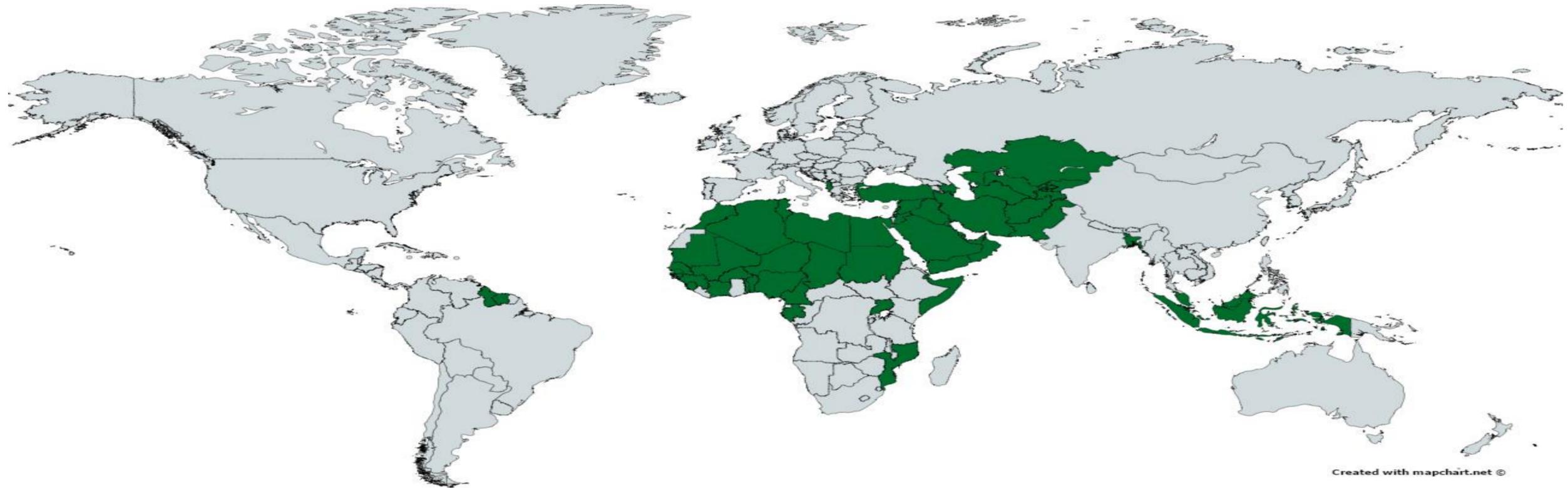
# IsDB Agriculture policy development towards sustainable and inclusive growth: a driver for Good Governance Practices

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# IsDB: A Unique Model of South-South Cooperation

(57 members spread over 4 continents)



23 countries in 1975 → 57 countries in 2016

**11 Regional Hubs** (Bangladesh, Egypt, Indonesia, Kazakhstan, Morocco, Nigeria, Senegal Surinam, Turkey, UAE, Uganda)

**Where we work:** Asia & Latin America, Middle East and North Africa, Sub-Saharan Africa, Europe & Central Asia.

**Impact to which IsDB contribute**

**Level 1 – Agriculture’s Contribution to economic growth and inclusive development**



**Changes in IsDB agriculture resulting from implementation of new business Model**

**Level 2 – Agricultural Transformation and Sustained agriculture growth**



# The Importance and Impact of Integrating Governance and Agriculture

## • Poor Governance

- one of the major driver of food insecurity
- Current policies and programs that address agriculture and FS are hindered by complex political processes and interaction between:
  - 1- Stakeholders
  - 2- government
  - 3- Private sectors and Farmers
- Unequal power and access to resources
- Poor institutional capacity and weak design and implementation of Gov. policy

## • Good Governance

- Support the aims of Ag & FS through multiple pathways
- Respond to a food crisis and address issues related to hunger
- Establish programs supporting Ag strategies
- Include civil society , technical partners through strong partnership and connectivity
- VC approaches that are inclusive of women and the youth often left out of the decision-making process



# Preparing Good Governance Practices: IsDB Lessons Learnt and Action taken

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- The governance of food systems has changed dramatically over the last 50–60 years - growing concerns relate to sustainability and building resiliency to climate change and market volatility



Lessons from the Asia Green Revolution providing sound benchmarks, including the systematic effort to increase cereal productivity through science and technology



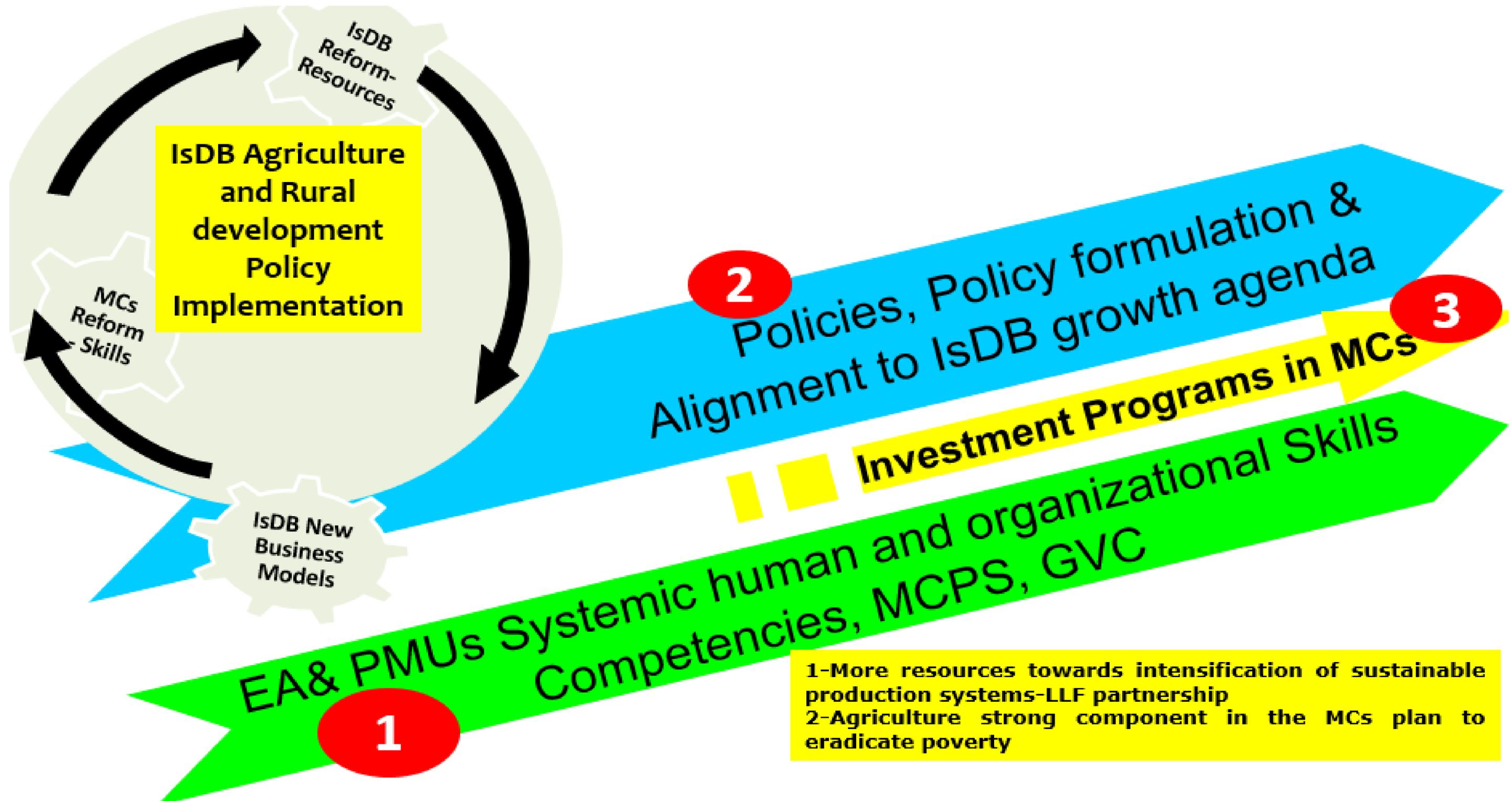
IsDB's support to its MCs puts premium in governing the ag sector to achieve the governance efforts of the ag sector towards achieving the SDGs and inclusive growth.

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- The MCPS can be an effective consultative process to prioritize national investments and increase the scope for developing global value chains

# IsDB's Ag and Rural Policy – key features

- **MCPS driven investments: co-create impactful, GVC-led and sustainable programs**
  - **Establishment of RHs for faster response and delivery to MCs**
  - **Crowding in other MDBs to co-fund and co-create sustainable impacts at scale**
  - **Increased adoption of ICT-led approaches to enhance timely delivery**
  - **Retooling PMUs to focus more on results-based M&E systems and private sector engagement**
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# Key features and policy implications



# Conclusion

IsDB has a critical role to play in advocating for laws and policies to accelerate agricultural transformation in our MCs thereby creating employment, eliminating poverty and fostering shared prosperity

Thank you!

