

# Crop Protection Solutions for Minor Uses

Progress, successes, and areas for continued partnership

# Agenda

- CropLife International Minor Use Group position paper
  - Objective
  - Overview
  - Key Takeaways

# CropLife Minor Use Position Paper



## Key objectives:

- Review the progress made to date enabling advances in minor use pesticide label additions, with a key focus on:
  - Successful initiatives, programs, incentives, etc. that should be further enhanced and supported
  - Areas of continued opportunities that could enable more crop protection solutions
  - Where Industry can be more proactive
  - Partnership will continue to be key!

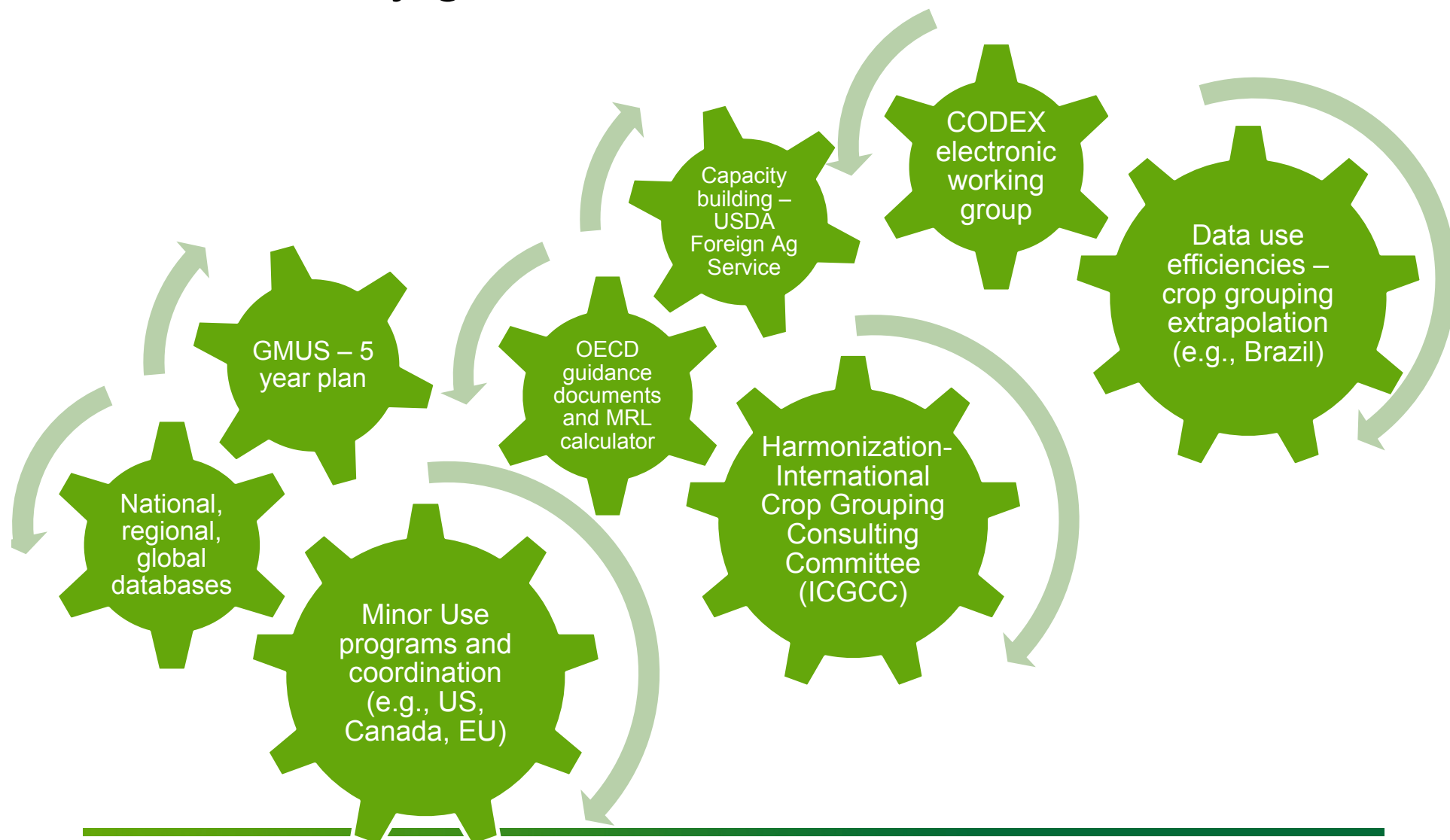
# Position Paper Overview

## Topics Covered:

- **What is working well and what are the major challenges?**
  - Economics, trade, coordinated approach (stakeholder engagement)
- **How can solutions for minor use growers be recognised and prioritised?**
  - Problem recognition, prioritisation processes, funding, tools for knowledge management and partnering (stakeholder engagement)
- **How can global minor use challenges be addressed?**
  - Harmonised guidelines and processes, databases and communication between stakeholders
- **How are incentives and mechanisms to facilitate authorizations used to increase minor uses?**
  - Increasing the indirect value of the minor use; maximising the utility of datasets and data extrapolation
- **How can trade barriers be minimised for commodities resulting from minor uses?**
  - MRLs established for all countries within the trade route, capacity building in exporting countries
- **What manufacturers believe are the key challenges to a successful provision of solutions for minor uses, and how we can be more proactive partners**

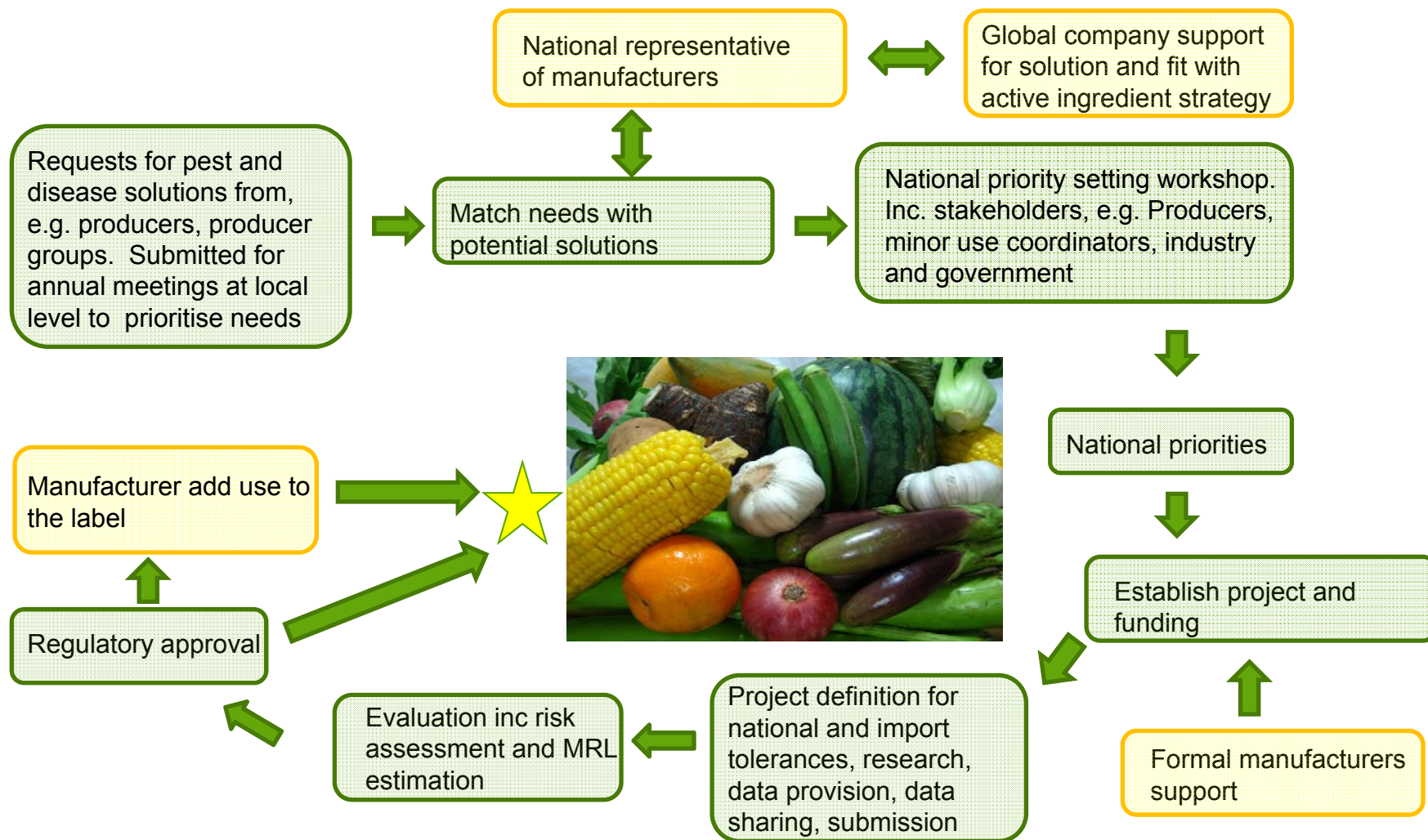
# Successes and Progress

It takes many gears to move the machine!



# Schematic Process Flow

Manufacturer partnership throughout process is critical



# Position Paper Key Takeaways



## Opportunities for continued focus and partnership

### Opportunities

- Appropriate, sustainable funding for global, regional, national programs / processes
- Harmonized procedures and practices
- Incentives for manufacturers to add minor uses to labels
- Data efficiencies (e.g., extrapolation, crop groupings)
- Deferral/adoption of CODEX CXLs
- Resolution of liabilities
- Partnership and project management
- Use of managed database(s) with harmonized formats
- Recognition, transparency, and communication of needs

### Industry proactive opportunities

- Upfront corporate headquarter commitment to projects
- Provide insights into novel innovations, as well as knowledge sharing of overall crop protection solutions / systems
- Use the available databases to review minor use needs and where feasible, build these into overall active ingredient strategies for data generation for the initial submissions
- Share regulatory knowledge on how to prepare and submit dossiers
- Engage in legal discussions on liability concerns

# THANK YOU!!!!



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