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Given the challenges associated with providing sufficient food for a growing population, research and innovation in agriculture and nutrition are necessary to increase food security and help developing countries feed themselves. [Investments in research](#) [1] are critical to sustainably enhancing agricultural productivity growth, which is strongly linked to economic growth in developing countries. Feed the Future relies on research to develop solutions to enhance agricultural production, with an emphasis on improving nutrition and reducing adverse impacts on natural resources and the environment. The [Feed the Future Research Strategy](#) [2] presents a global research portfolio to create more productive crops, sustainably intensify agricultural production systems, ensure food security, and enhance access to nutritionally improved diets.

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