

## Imbewu Farmer Development: FIRST-YEAR IMPACTS

Imbewu Farmer Development is a joint project of Tanager and John Deere Foundation to enhance agricultural productivity and improve incomes – and, ultimately, the food security – of smallholder maize farmers in OR Tambo District, Eastern Cape Province, South Africa.

In a scant one year of implementation, the project has already achieved some notable impacts.



## Farmer Engagement

**# OF FARMERS REGISTERED** 



At least 17% youth

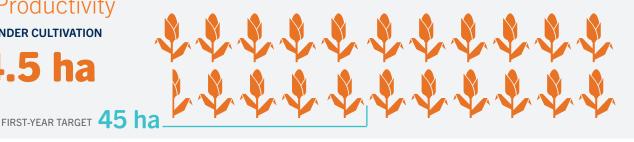




## Maize Productivity

**HECTARES UNDER CULTIVATION** 

214.5 ha



Skills Development



**# OF FARMERS TRAINED** 

196



**FARMERS TRAINED BY MODULE** 

**Business Record** Pest & Plant Disease Nutrition Keeping Management 171 Collect Agricultural Data 132

Tanager, an ACDI/VOCA affiliate, empowers people to realize life-changing economic and social opportunities. We have 30 years of experience in integrating gender empowerment and nutrition into agriculture, connecting people across the production supply chain, fostering access for women and other marginalized groups, and unlocking sustainable, climate-smart economic opportunities for all.

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