



Advances and Challenges

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+38 million
Benefited students



+146 thousand
School
attended



+50 million
Meals served daily

PNAE

NUMBERS - 2025



R\$ 5,5 billion
Overall budget



R\$ 1,6 billion
For Family Farming



*R\$ 2,5 bi in 2026

5.569
Cities

27
States

77
IFs



80k

School Feeding Councils (CAE)



8k

Nutritionists



40k

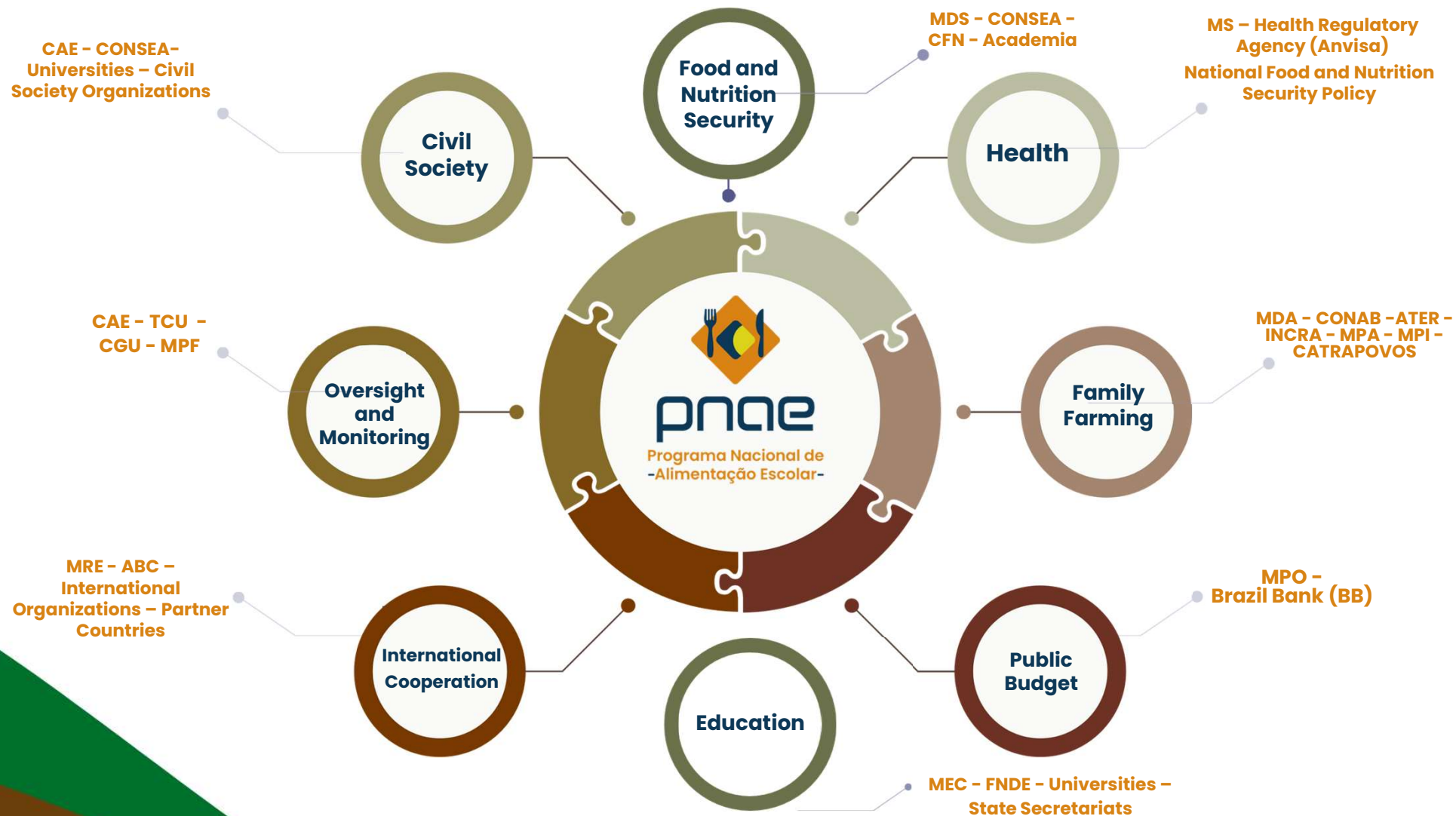
Family Farmers



23

Collaborative
Centers

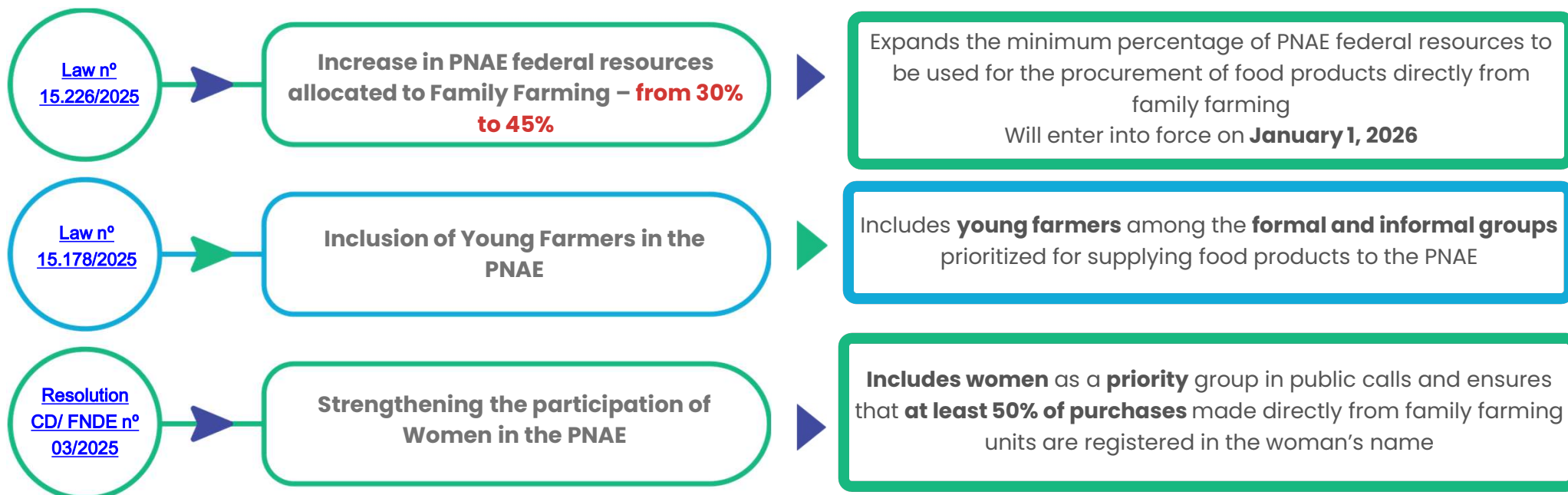
PNAE Intersectorality





Innovations in PNAE's main regulations: Law nº 11.947/2009 and Resolution CD/FNDE nº 6/2020

Procurement of food from family farming for school feeding



Limits on the purchase of food items, by degree of processing, using resources from the PNAE

Degree of processing	2020	2025	2026
Fresh and minimally processed food items	At least 75%	At least 80%	At least 85%
Processed and ultra-processed	At most 20%	At most 15%	At most 10%

PNAE's public purchases from family farming



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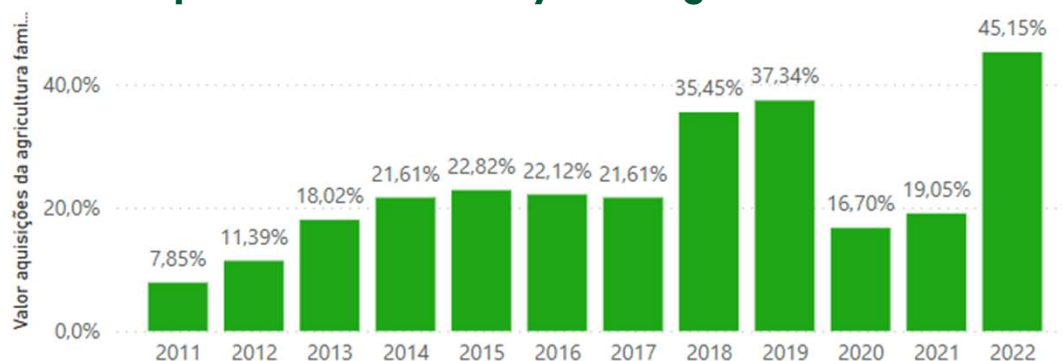


45% of federal resources from the PNAE were invested in Family Farming in 2022

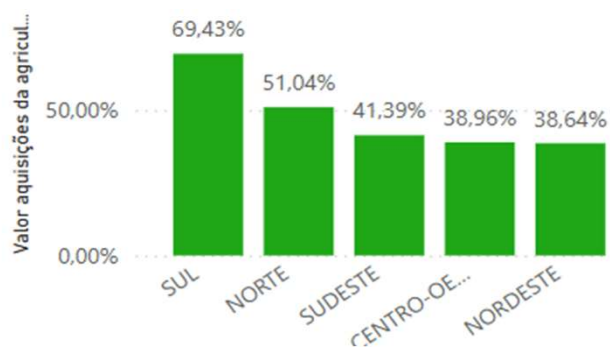


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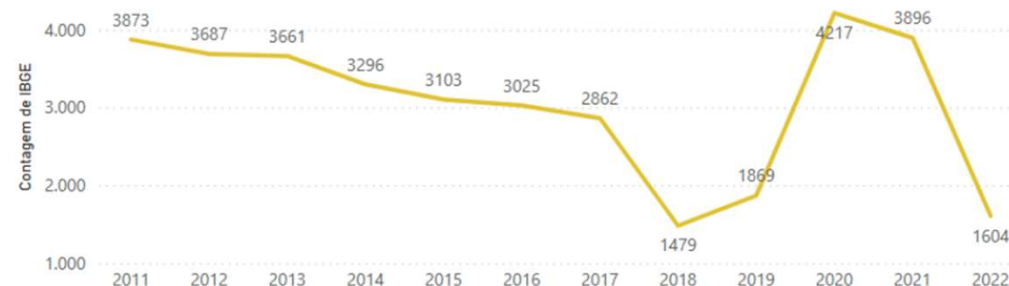
% acquisitions from family farming from 2011 to 2022



% acquisition per region, 2022



Number of municipalities with acquisition less than 30%



Respect for the food culture and traditions of each locality, including schools in indigenous and maroon territories



Organic and agroecological production: state/municipality can pay a 30% price bonus



Generation of employment and income in rural areas and riverside regions



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Lessons Learned in 15 Years of Family Farming

- The simplicity of the model facilitates subnational adherence;
- Public calls allows for adaptation to local realities;
- The role of school **nutritionists** is essential — they serve as the **link between menu planning and local territories**;
- Success depends on **coordination among local managers, farmers, and communities**;
- Policy requires political will, **active listening, and continuous technical support**;
- The maturation process is gradual — each year brings progress, adjustments, and local innovation.



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International Relevance of the PNAE

The PNAE is an **international benchmark for intersectoral public policy in education, food and nutritional security, and sustainable local development.**

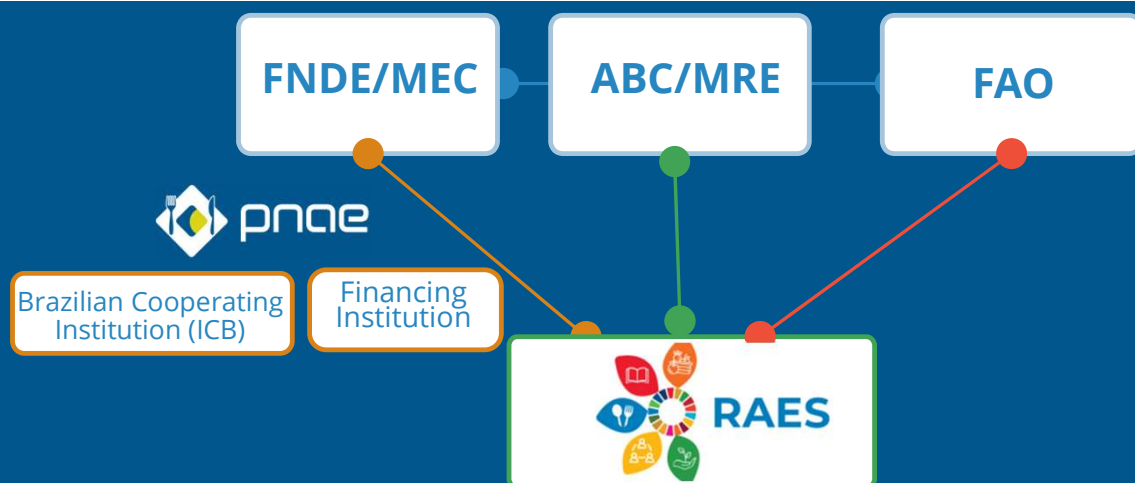
- The program is part of the priority actions of the **Global Alliance against Hunger and Poverty**
- It is also considered a key policy of the **School Meals Coalition** and of the Sustainable School Feeding Network (**RAES**)



In **trilateral cooperation** with the Brazilian Cooperation Agency (ABC), the Center of Excellence Against Hunger of the World Food Programme (WFP), and the Food and Agriculture Organization of the United Nations (FAO/BR), the FNDE, through the PNAE, has supported the implementation of sustainable school feeding programs in **more than 70 countries in Latin America, the Caribbean, Africa, and Asia.**



Sustainable School Feeding Network of Latin America and the Caribbean



Created in 2018 to promote advancements in school feeding programmes across Latin America and the Caribbean.

Over the years, RAES has attracted the participation of countries interested in exchanging experiences and serves as a repository of replicable and scalable good practices.

18 member countries

FNDE has had — and continues to have — an active involvement with RAES since its inception.



School Meals Coalition



Launched in 2021 during the UN Food Systems Summit

In 2023, Brazil accepted the invitation to serve as **Co-Chair of the Global School Meals Coalition**, alongside France and Finland   

- Its mission is the eradication of hunger and the promotion of food security, with a focus on school feeding
- The Coalition aims to ensure that all 724 million children in primary schools worldwide receive healthy school meals by 2030

On September 18 and 19, the 2nd Coalition Summit was held in Fortaleza, Brazil (2025), reuniting representatives from **80 countries, 30 at the ministerial level**

112 Member
Countries

150 Partner
Organizations



Global Alliance against Hunger and Poverty



The PNAE is **part of the Alliance's Policy Basket**, serving as a basis for technical cooperation and exchange of best practices

The Alliance collaborates to advance the initiatives of the **RAES** and the **School Meals Coalition**

It promotes a **new approach to international cooperation**

- Reduce the fragmentation of development cooperation
- Provide coordinated support from international financial institutions, bilateral donors, UN agencies, and philanthropic foundations
- Expand experiences that already work

Recent advances

- **105 countries** and **96 partner organizations**
- Establishment of the Alliance's Support Mechanism
- Nov. 2025: First Leaders' Meeting (Doha)
- As good examples, **Indonesia** launched the Nutritious Meals Program, and **Benin** has been expanding its school feeding program. **Both countries cooperate with Brazil.**





**Thank you!
Dankeschön!**

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