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Project Overview



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We will talk about

- CIER
- Background of the project
 - Methodology
- Environmental Scan



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Introduction

Founded in 1995 by 10 First Nation
Chiefs from across Canada.



Since 1995, over 500 CIER projects across Canada have positively impacted the Indigenous Nations to build sustainable communities and protect lands and waters.



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**Indigenous communities contribute the least to climate change
but are affected the most.**



BACKGROUND

- How Food Security and Indigenous Nations are intimately tied
- Climate change and the connection to the land



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Explaining the Why

- Gaps and priorities
- Food safety and challenges
- Gather available knowledge
- Find innovative projects
- Exchange knowledge



Methodology

- Phase 1 (Oct 2022- March 2023)
 - Environmental Scan
 - National survey
 - Interviews
- Phase 2 (April 2023- Feb 2024)
 - Resource Materials
 - Workshop



Environmental Scan

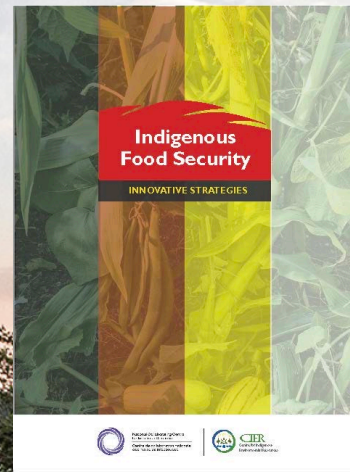
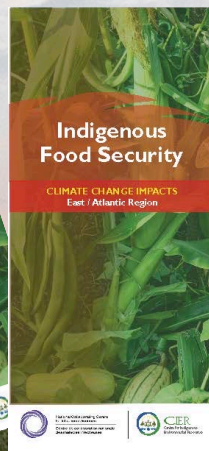
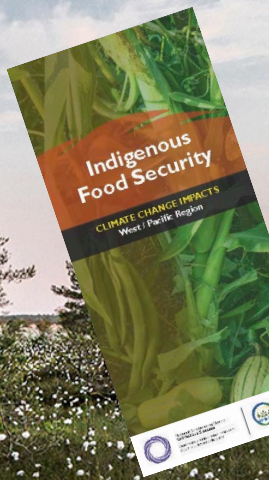
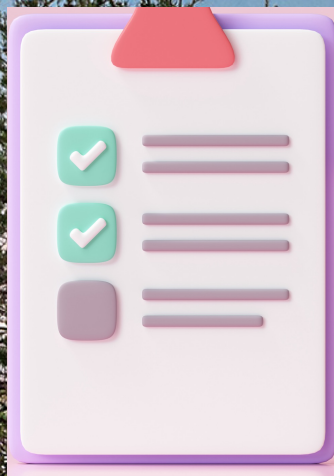
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