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**COMMODITIES:** Sugarcane, Vegetables, Sweet corn, Rice, Turf

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### Clientele Contacts (2021)

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- Participants at group learning events: **44,090**
- Phone and email consultations: **24,735**
- Social media engagement: **202,593**
- Educational materials created: **373**

### Statewide Clientele Outcomes (2021)

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- No. of producers who adopted recommended practices: **13,606**
- No. of adults and youth reporting healthy eating or physical activity practices, or improved health parameters: **25,608**

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