

Access Agriculture Panorama No. 6 - January 2021



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Welcome to our monthly news update with 'Access Agriculture Panorama'

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ANNOUNCEMENTS

Fight against Covid-19 in rural communities Donate now to Access Agriculture

Your contribution will be of immense value to six young changemakers, who are on the front lines of the coronavirus fight sensitizing poor farming communities in remote areas of Africa and South Asia about health and hygiene.

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New videos

80 new videos ([Ateso 7](#); [Chichewa / Nyanja 22](#); [Luganda 5](#); [Marathi 1](#); [Peulh Fulfuldé 5](#); [Spanish 2](#); [Chitonga / Tonga 8](#); [Tumbuka 26](#); and [Wolof 4](#)) have been posted on our platform www.accessagriculture.org. They are freely downloadable as video (mp4), audio (mp3), mobile (video format 3gp) along with a one-page fact sheet with contact details for more information.



Managing mealybugs in vegetables

Farmers in India show how ladybird beetles kill mealybugs. By knocking mealybugs off the plants with a strong spray of water, they will die. You can also spray neem oil or an extract of bitter leaves mixed with water or urine. Some biological pesticides contain fungi that can kill mealybugs.

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Sorting and storing pumpkins

Farmers selling pumpkins right after harvest get a low price because there are so many.

They can sell them at a better price during the off-season by storing them.

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NEWS & BLOG POSTS



Trying it yourself

Helping to write a script for a farmer training video on vermiwash triggered my interest in trying it out myself, as I began to wonder if ideas from tropical India could work in temperate Belgium.

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Spotlight on strategies to support farmers in Malawi

At the recent launch of the new strategy for the National Agriculture Extension and Advisory Services in Lilongwe, Malawi, Access Agriculture (www.accessagriculture.org/) was invited to participate in the exhibition titled “Agriculture Extension and Advisory Services within reach: Key to Improved Agricultural Productivity and Nutrition.”

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VOICES FROM THE FIELD

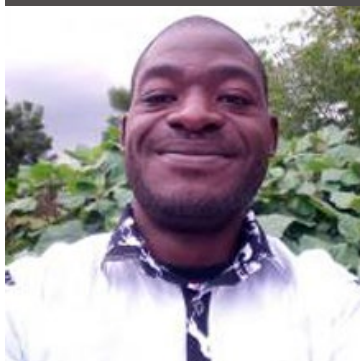


Planting their way to self-reliance

A little idea can go a long way. This is what Simon Adriko learnt when he started showing farmer-training videos to residents of the refugee settlements in the West Nile region of Uganda to increase agricultural productivity, improve their livelihood and make them self-reliant.

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MEET OUR AMBASSADOR



Maliki Agnoro

Maliki Agnoro is a graduate of the Faculty of Agricultural Sciences from the University of Abomey-Calavi. He is a young Beninese professional who has a decade of experience in supporting the rural world and the promotion of youth entrepreneurship. His aim is to promote effective agricultural training for farmers and rural businesses through the Access Agriculture platform.

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Access Agriculture Engagement Analytics - as of 31 Dec 2020



WINNER OF THE MONTHLY QUIZ



Halile Fidèle Paraiso - Winner of Access Agriculture December 2020 Quiz contest

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The January 2021 Quiz will be open from 1-15 January 2021.

Check out the contest here: www.AccessAgriculture.org