

Dissemination Workshop for Two Food Systems Policy Briefs



Research Analyst, Mrs Dinah Salonga making presenting during the dissemination workshop

On Thursday, 22 January 2026, MwAPATA disseminated the two Policy Briefs titled “[Policy and Practice: Lessons for Localising Malawi’s Food Systems Transformation](#)” and “[Does accessing multiple social support programmes improve household resilience and food security?](#)”. The two Policy Briefs are the outcomes of the research conducted by the MwAPATA Institute under the Transformative Initiative for Food Systems (TI Malawi) Project, in partnership with GIZ Malawi and CSONA. MwAPATA’s Research Fellow, Dr Anderson Gondwe, and Research Analyst, Mrs Dinah Salonga presented the two Policy Briefs.

During the dissemination workshop which was held at the BICC in Lilongwe, various stakeholders, in the Food Systems sector including development partners, government ministries, departments, and agencies (MDAs), farmers' organizations, the youth, women, civil society, the private sector, the media, and academia, discussed actionable solutions that would empower policymakers and stakeholders with evidence-based insights to inform their decisions and initiatives related to food security and resilience.

The dissemination workshop also served as a vital platform for enhanced awareness and collaborative development of actionable strategies to address the identified challenges in the food systems based on policy research findings that are outlined in the two Policy Briefs. The event was graced by the Deputy Director of Planning at the Ministry of Agriculture, Mr. Readwell Musopole.

Watch the highlights of the workshop [here](#).