# HERSHEYS.



#### **The Hershey Company**

## Milton S. Hershey



The Hershey Company was founded in 1894 by Milton S. Hershey, whose imagination, strong work ethic and concern for others are reflected in the company's **commitment to consumers, community, shareholders and children**. Milton Hershey's spirit can also be seen in how we inspire and reward our employees.



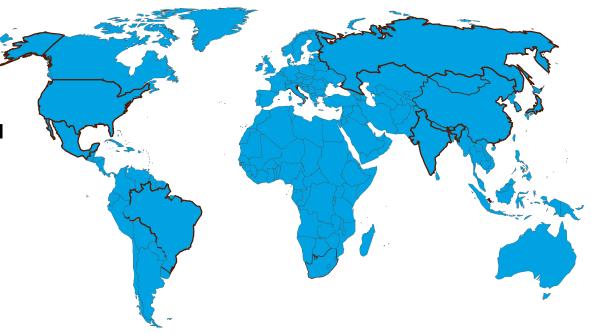






## Hershey, a global company...

- 57.1 billion net sales (proj) in 2014
  - 100% of sales are confection
  - Majority of the product portfolio is chocolate
- ~14,000 employees around the world
- Products available in over70 countries around the world

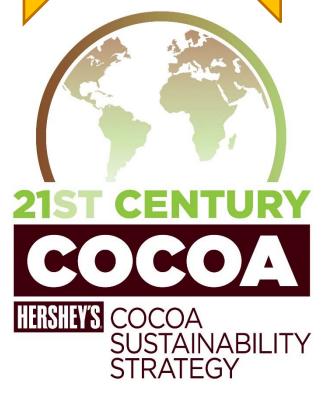


## Align Current Programs with CocoaAction Objectives

**Cocoa**Action

**Hershey Programs** 

New trees
Fertilizer
Community development
Engage governments
Digital delivery
Key Performance Indicators









# CocoaLink Successfully Piloted in Ghana Ready to Scale Up and Help Enable CocoaAction

"As originally intended, COCOBOD, a dependable partner throughout the pilot phase of CocoaLink, now takes over the management."

...Ghana Cocoa Board March 18, 2014





# Hershey's Learn to Grow – Ghana Identify LTG Framers For CocoaAction



#### 2014

- 1,467 farmers
- One growing region
- 500+ CocoaLink users
- Community training
- GPS mapping
- Yield improvement over baseline = 300kg/ha
- No food crops

## 2018

- **22,000 farmers**
- Five growing regions
- 20,000+ CocoaLink users
- Women training programs
- Customized farm business plan
- Yield improvement over baseline = 650kg/ha
- Food crop (e.g. cassava or plantain)



## **Cocoa Sustainability Challenges**

- Translating plans into action
- Aligning with...
  - Governments
  - Donors
  - Suppliers
  - Competitors
  - NGOs
- Measuring impact

