



# Resilience Evidence Forum

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# Guatemala

Baseline  
2012

End-line  
2015

Leaf Rust



# Losses

**97** % farmers affected by serious disease

**41** % reduction in yields

**67** % plants affected

**46** % income reduction



## Research Insights:

1. Resilience **multi- capacity** and **multi-dimensionality** (economic, social and environmental dimensions)
2. Importance of environmental dimension in **absorptive (preparedness) capacity** and **adaptive capacity** as outcome of the adaptation process.
3. Resilience and income losses: More resilient farmers experimented less economic losses
4. Policy: Investments necessary in agro-ecological preparedness strategies



The background of the image is a close-up shot of a person's hands sorting through a large quantity of bright red coffee cherries in a wooden basket. The hands are weathered and dark-skinned, and the cherries are piled high, filling most of the frame.

# Thanks!