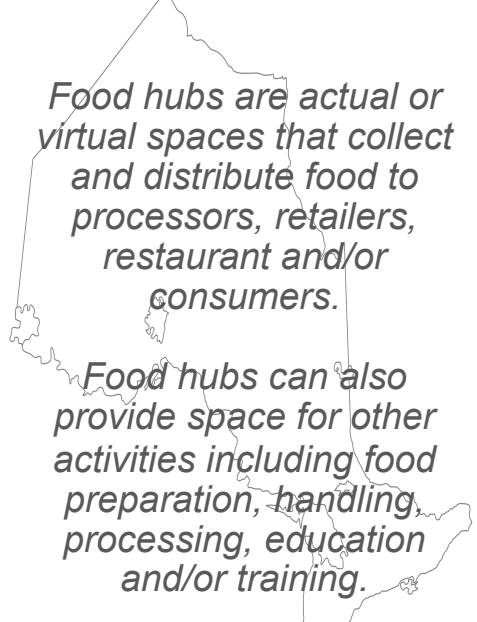




Food Hubs Add Value for Producers and Community

We sent a survey to food producers, processors, distributors involved in local and sustainable food across Ontario, Canada.

We heard back from 187* operations connected to **food hubs**.



*Our overall sample was 187; response rates for each question may be lower or slightly higher

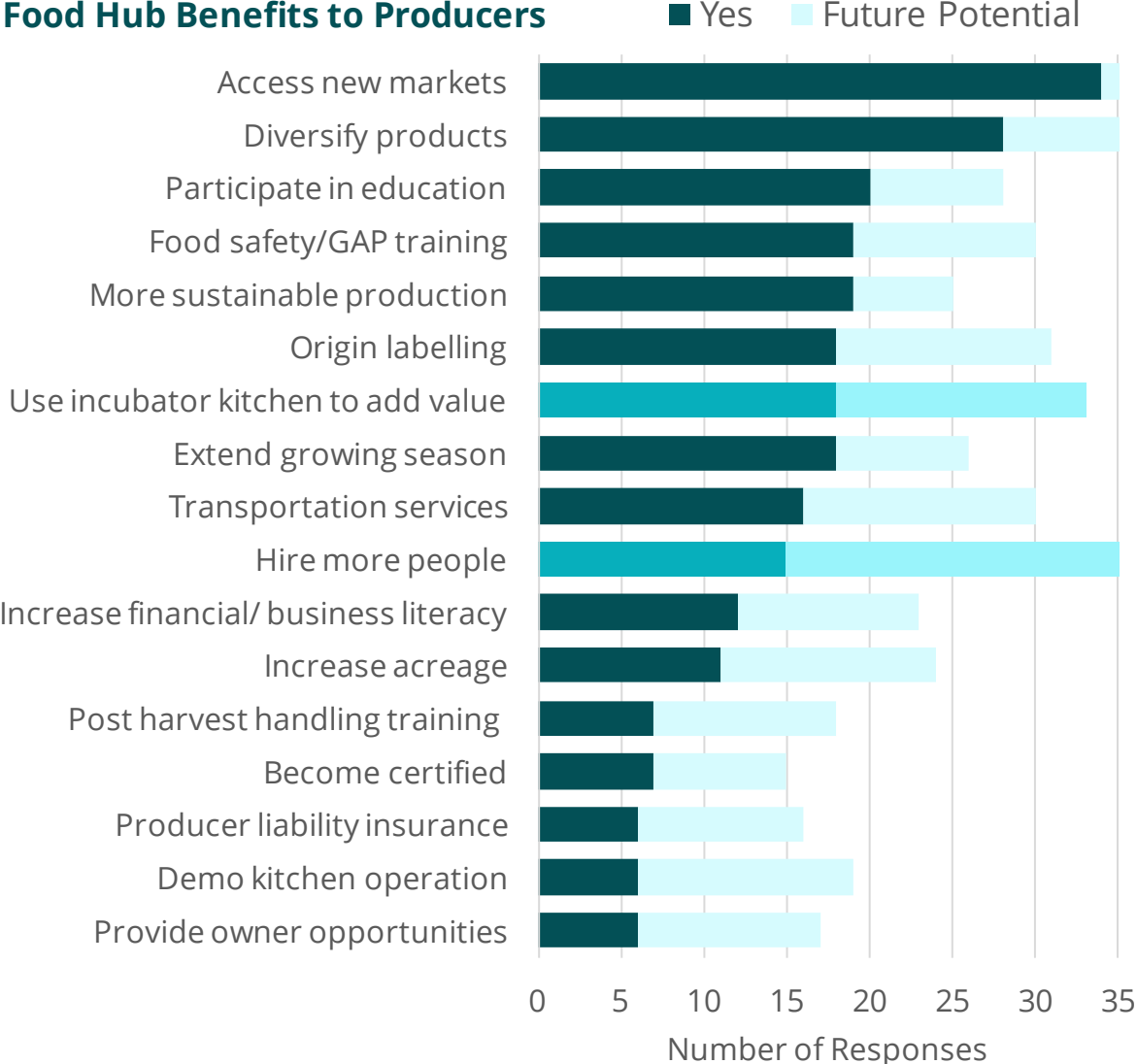
Food Hub Services to Producers



Top ongoing and planned **food hub services to producers** were **transportation, educational activities, product branding, marketing** and **brokering new markets**.

Food Hub Benefits to Producers

Access to **new markets** and **diversifying products** were the **top current benefits to producers** from food hubs. **Incubator kitchens** and **hiring more people** were the top **future potential benefits** to producers.



Food Hub Services to Community

Top food hub services to community were **food donation, paid youth employment, community education, and cooking and nutrition education**.



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