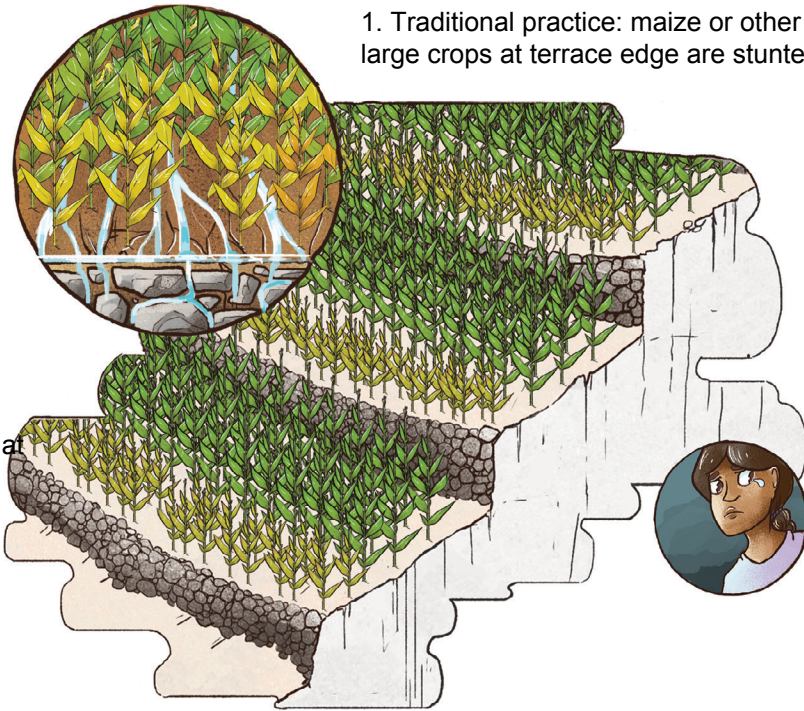
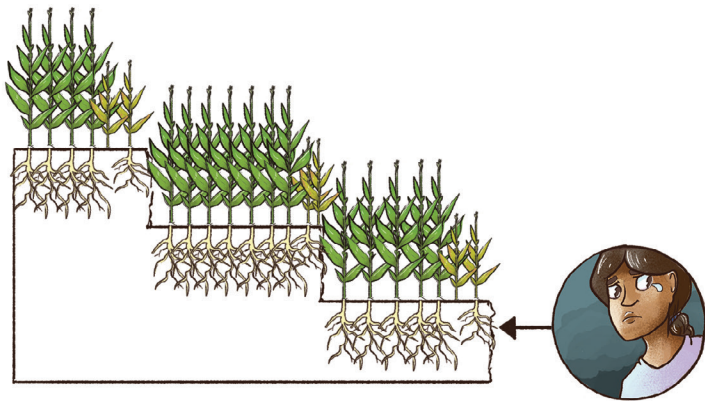


1. Traditional practice: maize or other large crops at terrace edge are stunted

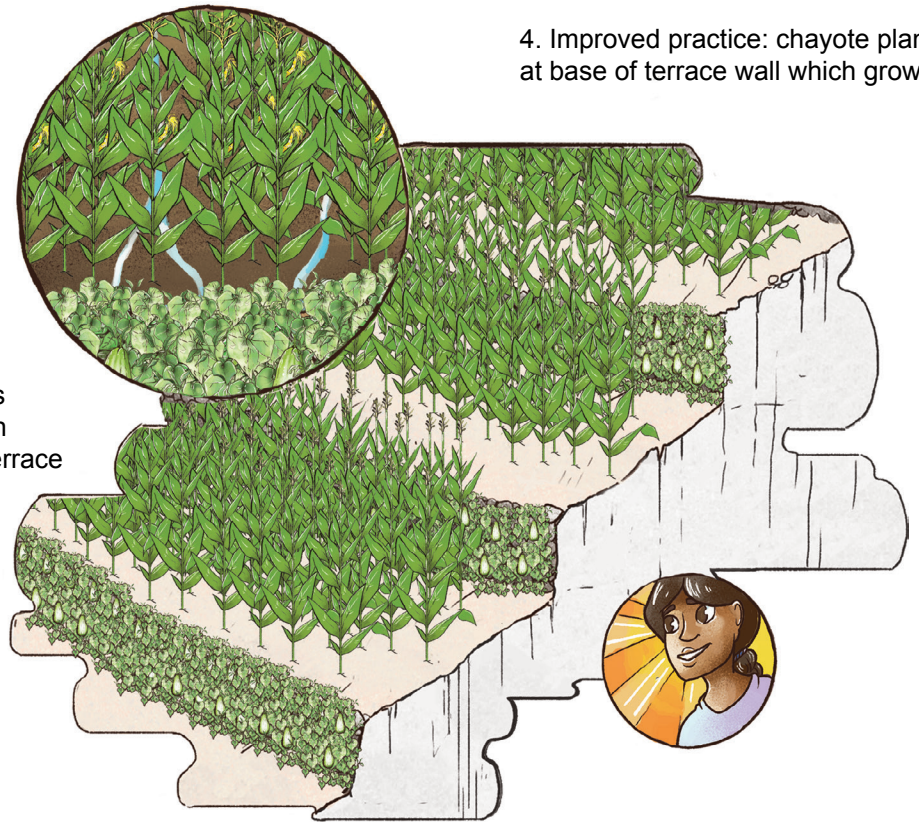


2. Soil erosion at terrace edge

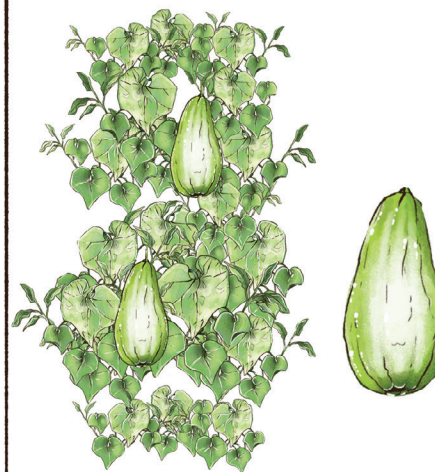


3. Traditionally, low yield near terrace edge

4. Improved practice: chayote planted at base of terrace wall which grow up



5. Less erosion from terrace edge



6. Terrace wall is better utilized