



Notice to Trade # 11

IGTC welcomes new Russian Federation member association, RUSGRAIN UNION in the mission to contribute to global food security and economic development through trade

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Please join us to welcome RUSGRAIN UNION, the Russian Union of Grain Exporters, as the newest Member Association of the International Grain Trade Coalition (IGTC).

Established in 2019, RUSGRAIN UNION brings together more than 70% of grain export operations in the Russian Federation. RUSGRAIN UNION is a leading resource for both private sector actors and Russian legislators, providing support for the forwarding of grain and legumes of Russian origin on international markets; improving coordination among grain exporters and government authorities; implementing global best practices on grain processing and quality; assisting in the development of specialized laboratories; and use of digital technologies and information systems.

IGTC is the federation of non-profit associations that works inclusively and internationally with the public and private sectors to provide for representation and share expertise on the value chain of the crops that are the foundation of the world's safe, predictable, sustainable, affordable and nutritious food supply. IGTC utilizes and engages a global network across disciplines, cultures, borders and jurisdictions to provide for assessment and communication of technical and economic impacts of selected current and prospective commercial practices and government policies.

RUSGRAIN UNION's contribution to the ongoing success of IGTC will support its mission accomplishment as well as increase IGTC capacity to deliver results consistent with progress toward the goal of global food security as defined by the United Nations (UN) Committee on World Food Security (CFS) when "all people, at all times, have physical, social, and economic access to sufficient, safe, and nutritious food that meets their food preferences and dietary needs for an active and healthy life".

More information on RUSGRAIN UNION can be found here. The current IGTC membership list, contact and other information is here.