

Multi-Government Organizations and Agreements

- *Asia-Pacific Economic Cooperation (APEC)*
<http://www.apec.org/> The only inter governmental grouping in the world operating on the basis of non-binding commitments, open dialogue and equal respect for the views of all participants.
 - Agricultural Technical Cooperation Working Group
<http://www.apec.org/Groups/SOM-Steering-Committee-on-Economic-and-Technical-Cooperation/Working-Groups/Agricultural-Technical-Cooperation.aspx>
 - Free Trade Agreements and Regional Trading Agreements
http://www.apec.org/Home/Groups/Other-Groups/FTA_RTAA
- *Association of South East Asian Nations (ASEAN)*
<http://www.aseansec.org/home.htm> A coalition of 10 countries (Indonesia, Malaysia, Philippines, Singapore, Thailand, Brunei Darussalam, Vietnam, Lao PDR, Myanmar and Cambodia) with the aim of accelerating economic growth, social progress and cultural development and to promote regional peace and stability.
 - AFTA & FTAs
<http://www.aseansec.org/4920.htm>
- *The Cairns Group* <http://www.cairnsgroup.org/> A coalition of 19 agricultural exporting countries bringing together developed and developing countries from Latin America, Africa and the Asia-Pacific region.
- *Common Market for Eastern and Southern Africa (COMESA)*
<http://www.comesa.int/> An organisation of free independent sovereign states (19 in number) which have agreed to promote regional integration through trade development and to develop their natural and human resources for the mutual benefit of all their people .
 - COMESA Food & Agricultural Marketing Information System
<http://famis.comesa.int/>
- *Europa: Gateway to the European Union*
<http://europa.eu/> Gateway to policies, legislation, reviews, and so on of the European Union.
 - Activities of the European Union Agriculture
http://www.europa.eu/pol/agr/index_en.htm
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- *East African Community*
<http://www.eac.int/> A regional intergovernmental organisation of the Republics of Kenya, Uganda, the United Republic of Tanzania, Republic of Rwanda and Republic of Burundi
 - Trade
<http://www.eac.int/trade/>
- *Food and Agriculture Organization of the United Nations (FAO)*
<http://www.fao.org/>
 - International Treaties, Conventions, Advisory Bodies
<http://www.fao.org/agriculture/crops/core-themes/theme/treaties/en/>
 A page with information about and links to international treaties, conventions and advisory bodies that play a major role in international cooperation for plant production and protection.
 - Trade in Agriculture, Fisheries, and Forestry
<http://www.fao.org/trade/>
- *Foreign Affairs and International Trade Canada (ITCan)*
<http://www.international.gc.ca/index.aspx>
- *Free Trade Area of the Americas*
<http://www.ftaa-alca.org/>
- *G-20*
<http://www.g20.org/index.asp> A group of major advanced and emerging economies established to stabilize the global financial market
- *North American Free Trade Agreement*
 - Full text of the agreement.
<http://www.sice.oas.org/Trade/NAFTA/NAFTATCE.ASP> or
www.international.gc.ca/trade-agreements-accords-commerciaux/agr-acc/nafta-alena/texte/index.espx
 - Canadian government information
<http://www.international.gc.ca/trade-agreements-accords-commerciaux/agr-acc/nafta-alena/index.aspx?lang=en&view=d>
 - United State government information
www.fas.usda.gov/itp/Policy/NAFTA/nafta.asp
- *Organisation for Economic Cooperation and Development (OECD)*
<http://www.oecd.org/home/>
- *SICE: Foreign Trade Information System*
<http://www.sice.oas.org/> From the Organization of American State's Foreign Information System, this site provides information about hemispheric integration and trade trends.

- *World Bank*
<http://www.worldbank.org/>
 - Agriculture and Rural Development
<http://web.worldbank.org/WBSITE/EXTERNAL/TOPICS/EXTARD/0,,menuPK:336688~pagePK:149018~piPK:149093~theSitePK:336682,00.html>
 - Agricultural Trade
<http://web.worldbank.org/WBSITE/EXTERNAL/TOPICS/EXTARD/0,,contentMDK:20451181~menuPK:336688~pagePK:148956~piPK:216618~theSitePK:336682,00.html>

- *World Trade Organization*
<http://www.wto.org/>
 - Trade Topics: Agriculture Gateway
http://www.wto.org/english/tratop_e/agric_e/agric_e.htm
 - WTO Agreement on Agriculture
http://www.wto.org/english/docs_e/legal_e/14-ag.pdf
 - General Agreements on Trade and Tariffs (GATT) Archives
http://www.wto.org/english/news_e/pres05_e/pr402_e.htm

Other International Organizations

- *International Centre for Trade and Sustainable Development (ICTSD)*
<http://ictsd.org/> An independent non-profit, non-governmental organization that endeavors to contribute to a better understanding of development and environment concerns in the context of international trade.

- *International Food Policy Research Institute*
<http://www.ifpri.org/> The Institute seeks sustainable solutions for ending hunger and poverty.

- *International Federation of Agricultural Producers*
<http://www.ifap.org/> A global network in which farmers from industrialised and developing countries exchange concerns and set common priorities.

Single Country Sites

- *Australian Government Department of Foreign Affairs and Trade*
<http://www.dfat.gov.au/>

- *Foreign Affairs and International Trade Canada*
<http://www.international.gc.ca/international/index.aspx?lang=eng&view=d>
- *Japan Association for International Collaboration of Agriculture and Forestry*
<http://www.jaicaf.or.jp/> A non-profit organization under the joint jurisdiction of Japan's Ministry of Agriculture, Forestry and Fisheries and Ministry of Foreign Affairs
- *United States Department of Agriculture Foreign Agricultural Service*
<http://www.fas.usda.gov/>