AGRICULTURE AND FOOD

MAKING THE DIFFERENCE

INNOVATIVE SAFETY, QUALITY AND SUSTAINABILITY SOLUTIONS FOR YOUR SUPPLY CHAIN
Consumers want assurance of safety and quality at every stage of the food production process. Our services build trust, reduce risk and maintain efficiency across diverse agriculture and food supply chains. We offer traditional and new digital services for agrochemicals, seeds, biofuels, fertilizers, food and forestry, adding value in all sectors by using the latest technology to increase efficiency and help clients to work smarter.

From primary production to consumption, we assist with legislation compliance, correct storage, shipping, packing and distribution, as well as import and export product inspection. Our expertise protects the integrity of our customers’ brands by assessing quality, adding value and securing safe and sustainable global supply chains.

**SEED & CROP**

**INNOVATION & SUSTAINABILITY IN FARMING**

Production agriculture needs continuous innovation to improve the management and sustainability of our natural resources. With demands for efficiency and increasing environmental concerns, expertise in research activities, product development, fertility management, other analytical techniques and farm management practices are crucial for success.

We have developed tailored solutions packages to deliver a best in class service. From precision farming to field research, and from seed testing to harvest monitoring, we offer independent and accurate studies and results.

• Field preparation and fertility management
• Seeds
• Field research and development
• Harvest
• Technical solutions

**COMMODITIES**

**ENSURE QUALITY AND QUANTITY**

Ensure the quality and the quantity of your commodities with SGS. We control and analyze your products to be sure they meet quality, safety and compliance requirements for all your global destinations. Our services extend to the prevention of insect related damage, safe storage monitoring, logistics support and primary processing activities, all to ensure value is retained and even added, where possible, through effective testing and segregation.

Our qualified experts deliver extensive and cost-effective solutions including, sampling, testing, inspection, control and certification of your commodities. We provide a complete suite of solutions at every stage of the value chain to help your agricultural commodities to market.

• Testing
• Inspections
• Pest management and fumigation
• Risk management
  • Guarantee services
  • Stock monitoring
• Audits and certifications
• Market research
**FOOD**

**SOLUTIONS FOR FOOD SAFETY, QUALITY AND SUSTAINABILITY**

Our industry expertise and experience deliver efficient services to help safeguard quality and safety throughout the whole food supply chain, from raw and semi-manufactured foodstuffs to final products in all principal food segments. We deliver comprehensive and cost-effective control solutions including audits, certification, testing, inspection, technical solutions and training. These services can be standalone or part of an integrated package to assist in product development, as well as continuous improvement of your culture of food safety, quality and sustainability.

Our expertise in compliance management will help you make the right choices for different national markets, while carrying out the necessary testing and certification quickly and professionally. Our tailor-made solutions are developed in close co-operation with your organization. They include an increasing focus on the social, economic and environmental impact of your day-to-day activities.

- Testing
- Audits and certifications
- Inspections
- Technical solutions
- Training

**FORESTRY & ALTERNATIVE FUELS**

**ACCESSING SUSTAINABILITY**

Sustainable practices are spreading rapidly throughout the agricultural and forestry industries. Due to growing awareness about climate change, biodiversity losses, and the contamination or depletion of water, consumers are now more conscious about sustainable practices. In other words, your customers want products that benefit the economy, the environment and society.

- Testing
- Inspections
- Pest management and fumigation
- Audits and certifications
- Risk management

**TECHNOLOGY & INNOVATION**

New technologies deliver knowledge, insight, transparency and efficiency for our customers.

*Univista:* Monitor pests, diseases, weeds, rainfall distribution and much more, to improve profitability and efficiency.

*Precision Gateway:* Real-time access to farm information offers knowledge and actionable insights.

*AgFlow:* The trusted source for price discovery and analytics, vessel line-ups, freight metrics, tenders and reports.

*Transparency-One:* Manage risk, production and safety with SGS’s digital supply chain solution Transparency-One.

*SGS Digicomply:* Transform the big data of compliance information into user-friendly actionable knowledge.

*e-Vision:* Real time access to product information enabling effective brand protection and product management.

**SGS BENEFITS**

- ISO 9001 and ISO 17025 accreditation
- Technical competence
- State-of-the-art equipment
- Rapid turnaround times
- Global network

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