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## 2024 AG CALENDAR

Annual Meetings and Legislative Conferences

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Jan 3-4	FARMCON	Kansas City, Mo.
Jan 3-5	Beltwide Cotton Conferences	Fort Worth, Texas
Jan 6-13	Pennsylvania Farm Show	Harrisburg, Pa.
Jan 9	Land Investment Expo	Des Moines, Iowa
Jan 10-11	Potato Expo	Austin, Texas
Jan 10-11	National Sunflower Association Research Forum	Fargo, N.D.
Jan 10-13	American Sheep Industry Association	Denver, Colo.
Jan 11-14	Southeast Regional Fruit & Vegetable Conference	Savannah, Ga.
Jan 13-14	Northeast Organic Farming Association/Massachusetts Winter Conference	Worcester, Mass
Jan 14-16	School Nutrition Industry Conference	Orlando, Fla.
Jan 17-20	EcoFarm Conference	Pacific Grove, Calif.
Jan 17-20	National Bison Association Winter Conference	Westminster, Colo.

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Jan 17-20	Global Forum for Food and Agriculture	Berlin, Germany
Jan 19-24	American Farm Bureau Convention	Salt Lake City, Utah
Jan 20-21	Northeast Organic Farming Association/New York Winter Conference	Syracuse, N.Y.
Jan 21-24	IDFA Dairy Forum	Phoenix, Ariz.
Jan 22-25	Weed Science Society of America	San Antonio, Texas
Jan 22-26	USW-NAWG Winter Joint Board Meeting	Washington, D.C.
Jan 23-26	Wheat Industry Winter Conference	Washington, D.C.
Jan 26-30	ASTA Vegetable & Flower Seed Conference	Monterey, Calif.
Jan 27	Northeast Organic Farming Association/New Jersey Winter Conference	New Brunswick, N.J.
Jan 28-30	Farm Credit Council Annual Meeting	Washington, D.C.
Jan 28-Feb 1	Society for Range Management Annual Meeting	Sparks, Nev.
Jan 30-Feb 1	International Production & Processing Expo	Atlanta, Ga.
Jan 31-Feb 2	CattleCon 24: Cattle Industry Convention & NCBA Trade Show	Orlando, Fla.
Jan 31-Feb 2	Crop Insurance and Reinsurance Bureau Annual Meeting	Scottsdale, Ariz.
Feb 4-6	American Sugarbeet Growers Association Annual Meeting	Orlando, Fla.
Feb 4-7	NASDA Winter Policy Conference	Washington, D.C.
Feb 4-7	Crop Insurance Industry Convention	Scottsdale, Ariz.
Feb 5-8	Clean Fuels Conference	Fort Worth, Texas
Feb 6	International Fresh Produce Association Executive Leadership Summit	Berlin, Germany
Feb 10	Northeast Organic Farming Association/New Hampshire Winter Conference	Manchester, N.H.
Feb 10-14	National Association of Conservation Districts	San Diego, Calif.
Feb 11-14	RTIME for Rural Broadband	Tampa, Fla.
Feb 13-15	National Council of Farmer Cooperatives	Fort Lauderdale, Fla.
Feb 13-15	World Ag Expo	Tulare, Calif.
Feb 13-16	NACWA Winter Conference	Austin, Texas
Feb 14-16	U.S. Grains Council International Marketing Conference	Guatemala City, Guatemala
Feb 14-17	National Farm Machinery Show	Louisville, Ky.
Feb 15-16	USDA Agricultural Outlook Forum	Arlington, Va.
Feb 16-18	National Cotton Council Annual Meeting	Orlando, Fla.
Feb 17-18	Northeast Organic Farming Association/Vermont Winter Conference	Burlington, Vt.
Feb 19-21	National Ethanol Conference	San Diego, Calif.
Feb 20-22	Southwest Ag Issues Summit	Yuma, Ariz.
Feb 20-23	National WIC Association Policy Conference	Online
Feb 22-24	Marbleseed Organic Farming Conference	La Cross, Wis.
Feb 24-27	AFFI Frozen Food Convention	San Diego, Calif.

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Feb 25-28	CARET/AHS Joint Annual Meeting	Washington, D.C.
Feb 25-28	International Sweetener Colloquium	Aventura, Fla.
Feb 26-Mar 1	National Potato Washington Summit	Washington, D.C.
Feb 27	Floral Conference Anaheim	Anaheim, Calif.
Feb 29-Mar 2	Commodity Classic	Houston, Texas
Mar 3-5	School Nutrition Association Legislative Conference	Washington, D.C.
Mar 4-6	International Biomass Conference	Richmond, Va.
Mar 4-6	Distilled Spirits Annual Conference	San Diego, Calif.
Mar 4-8	SNA National School Breakfast Week	
Mar 5-7	National Pork Industry Forum	Chicago, Ill.
Mar 9-12	NAMA Spring Conference	Marco Island, Fla.
Mar 10-12	National Grocers Association Show	Las Vegas, Nev.
Mar 10-12	National Farmers Union Convention	Scottsdale, Ariz.
Mar 11-12	Indoor AgCon	Las Vegas, Nev.
Mar 11-13	Aspen Ideas: Climate	Miami Beach, Fla.
Mar 12-13	AFIA Purchasing & Ingredient Suppliers	San Antonio, Texas
Mar 12-13	National Farmers Organization Convene '24	Coralville, Iowa
Mar 12-14	Regenerative Agriculture & Food Systems Summit	Chicago, Ill.
Mar 12-16	Natural Products Expo West	Anaheim, Calif.
Mar 17-19	NGFA Annual Convention	Orlando, Fla.
Mar 18-20	NAMI Annual Meat Conference	Nashville, Tenn.
Mar 18-20	U.S. Canola Association Meeting	Washington, D.C.
Mar 19	USApple Capitol Hill Day	Washington, D.C.
Mar 19	National Agriculture Day	Washington, D.C.
Mar 19-20	World Agri-Tech Innovation Summit	San Francisco, Calif.
Mar 19-21	CropLife America & RISE Board Meeting and Legislative Rally	Washington, D.C.
Mar 21-22	Future Food-Tech	San Francisco, Calif.
Mar 23	Northeast Organic Farming Association/Connecticut Winter Conference	Willimantic, Conn.
Apr 2-3	National Food Policy Conference	Washington, D.C.
Apr 7-9	IFPA Women's Fresh Perspectives Conference	Orlando, Fla.
Apr 7-10	National WIC Association Education & Training Conference	Chicago, Ill.
Apr 7-13	NACWA Water Week	Washington, D.C.
Apr 8-10	PBPC Annual Conference	Omaha, Neb.
Apr 9-10	IDFA Ice Cream Technology Conference	Clearwater, Fla.

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Apr 9-10	IDFA Yogurt & Cultured Innovation Conference	Clearwater, Fla.
Apr 11-12	AgCon2024	Overland Park, Kan.
Apr 11-13	NoCo Hemp Expo	Estes Park, Colo.
Apr 14-16	SNAC International SNX24 Conference & Trade Show	Dallas, Texas
Apr 15-17	Global AgInvesting 2024	New York, N.Y.
Apr 15-17	CropLife America & RISE Regulatory Conference	Arlington, Va.
Apr 15-17	National Restaurant Association Public Affairs Conference	Washington, D.C.
Apr 16-19	Food and Beverage Environmental Conference	Miramar Beach, Fla.
Apr 21-24	American Commodity Distribution Association	St. Louis, Mo.
Apr 22-26	National Child Nutrition Conference	Orlando, Fla.
Apr 25-27	SNA National Leadership Conference	Seattle, Wash.
Apr 25-28	HEALcon	Coronado, Calif.
May 1-2	IFPA Retail Conference	Phoenix, Ariz.
May 6-8	IDFA Spring Meetings	Savannah, Ga.
May 6-9	Food Safety Summit	Rosemont, Ill.
May 8-9	Animal Ag Alliance Stakeholders Summit	Kansas City, Mo.
May 14-15	National Rural Lenders Association Spring Meeting	Memphis, Tenn.
May 14-16	OTA Organic Week	Washington, D.C.
May 14-16	Sweets & Snacks Expo	Indianapolis, Ind.
May 15-16	NAMI Animal Care and Handling Conference	Kansas City, Mo.
May 18-21	National Restaurant Association Show	Chicago, Ill.
May 20-22	International Fertilizer Association Annual Conference	Singapore
May 20-23	Agriculture Transportation Coalition Annual Meeting	Tacoma, Wash.
May 22-24	U.S. Meat Export Federation Spring Conference	Kansas City, Mo.
May 29-30	Innovation Forum: The Future of Food and Beverage	Minneapolis, Minn.
May 29-Jun 1	Ducks Unlimited National Convention	San Diego, Calif.
May 30-Jun 6	NCBA Young Cattlemen's Conference	Denver, Colo., & Washington, D.C.
Jun 1-6	AOSA/SCST Annual Meeting	Rapid City, S.D.
Jun 3-5	FRAC National Anti-Hunger Policy Conference	Washington, D.C.
Jun 3-6	BIO International Convention	San Diego, Calif.
Jun 5-7	World Pork Expo	Des Moines, Iowa
Jun 10-12	IFPA Washington Conference	Washington, D.C.
Jun 10-13	USA Peanut Congress	Amelia Island, Fla.
Jun 10-12	International Fuel Ethanol Workshop & Expo	Minneapolis, Minn.

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Jun 12-15	Livestock Marketing Association Annual Convention	Oklahoma City, Okla.
Jun 15-19	ASTA Leadership Summit	Nashville, Tenn.
Jun 17-19	TechConnect World Innovation Conference	National Harbor, Md.
Jun 18	IFPA Floral Conference	Miami, Fla.
Jun 18-19	World Agri-Tech South America Summit	São Paulo, Brazil
Jun 24-26	Farm Credit Council Learning Conference	Chicago, Ill.
Jun 25-26	National Sunflower Association Summer Seminar	Duluth, Minn.
Jun 25-28	National Potato Council Summer Meeting	Fort Collins, Colo.
Jul 8-10	Cattle Industry Summer Business Meeting	San Diego, Calif.
Jul 10-11	Organic Produce Summit	Monterey, Calif.
Jul 14-16	School Nutrition Association National Conference	Boston, Mass.
Jul 14-17	IAFP Annual Meeting	Long Beach, Calif.
Jul 14-17	Institute of Food Technologists Meeting & Food Expo	Chicago, Ill.
Jul 14-18	Southwestern Fertilizer Conference	Nashville, Tenn.
Jul 23-24	Renewable Fuels Association Meeting/Hill Day	Washington, D.C.
Jul 25-26	IFPA Foodservice Conference	Monterey, Calif.
Jul 28-30	AAEA Annual Meeting	New Orleans, La.
Jul 29-31	U.S. Grains Council Board of Delegates Meeting	Salt Lake City, Utah
Aug 2-7	International Sweetener Symposium	Seattle, Wash.
Aug 4-7	Agricultural Media Summit	Kansas City, Mo.
Aug 5-7	NCSL Legislative Summit	Louisville, Ky.
Aug 6-8	Minnesota Farmfest	Redwood County, Minn.
Aug 6-8	Newtopia Now	Savannah, Ga.
Aug 14-16	American Coalition for Ethanol Conference	Omaha, Neb.
Aug 15-16	U.S. Apple Outlook 2024	Chicago, Ill.
Aug 27-29	Farm Credit Council Risk 360 Conference	Boston, Mass.
Aug 27-29	Farm Progress Show	Boone, Iowa
Sep 5-6	Meat Industry Food Safety Conference	Indianapolis, Ind.
Sep 9-11	Farm Credit Council National Directors Conference	Louisville, Ky.
Sep 10-12	AFIA Liquid Feed Symposium	Salt Lake City, Utah
Sep 11-12	Plant Based World Expo	New York, N.Y.
Sep 12-15	NAMA Annual Meeting	Sun Valley, Idaho
Sep 15-19	CropLife America Annual Meeting	San Diego, Calif.
Sep 22-25	NASDA Annual Meeting	Indianapolis, Ind.

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Sep 24-26	RFA Annual Meeting	Milwaukee, Wis.
Oct 1-Nov 1	National Farm to School Month	
Oct 7-9	USGC Export Exchange	Fort Worth, Texas
Oct 8-9	Animal AgTech Innovation Summit	Amsterdam, Netherlands
Oct 9-11	Protein Pact 2024 Summit	Austin, Texas
Oct 15-18	International Dairy Federation World Dairy Summit	Paris, France
Oct 17-19	Global Produce & Floral Show	Atlanta, Ga.
Oct 25-27	The Reducetarian Summit	Dallas, Texas
Oct 27-28	National Rural Lenders Fall Meeting	Washington, D.C.
Nov 6-8	AFIA Equipment Manufacturers Conference	Bonita Springs, Fla.
Nov 10-12	Association of Public & Land-Grant Universities Annual Meeting	Orlando, Fla.
Nov 12-15	National Agricultural Bankers Conference	Milwaukee, Wis.
Nov 13-15	Equipment Manufacturers Conference	Indian Wells, Calif.
Nov 18-21	NAAA Ag Aviation Expo	Fort Worth, Texas
Nov 20-21	Sustainable Agriculture Summit	Minneapolis, Minn.
Dec 5-6	CHS Annual Meeting	Minneapolis, Minn.
Dec 8-10	USA Rice Outlook Conference	Little Rock, Ark.
Dec 10-12	NGFA Country Elevator Conference & Trade Show	Kansas City, Mo.

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