

Guarantee Solutions



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SGS

Commodities are transported around the world constantly. As such, they can be susceptible to a wide variety of risks. These risks cannot always be anticipated or controlled, but the negative results can be damaging and costly. At SGS, our comprehensive and customizable portfolio of solutions eliminates these risks.

Our solutions include:

Full Outturn Guarantee, Full Outturn Quality, and Quality Risk Protection

SGS offers comprehensive protection for commodities in transit through our FOG (Full Outturn Guarantee), FOQ (Full Outturn Quality), and QRP (Quality Risk Protection) solutions.

- FOG covers weight loss during transit due to factors like trading activities, measurement errors, theft, or unknown causes.
- FOQ protects against quality degradation between loading and discharge, addressing inconsistencies in sampling and testing.
- QRP adds extra coverage for both weight and quality risks, ensuring peace of mind throughout the transport chain.

Together, these solutions provide reliable, flexible protection for both weight and quality-related risks.

Comprehensive Cover (CC)

In addition to FOG, we offer Comprehensive Cover (CC), a marine insurance solution for international commodity shipments. Secured through top-tier underwriters, CC protects against risks such as war, strikes, riots, and civil unrest. Designed to safeguard agricultural commodities from delays, quality degradation, and loss, CC ensures your cargo is protected worldwide, preserving its value and integrity throughout the journey.

Non-Rejection Guarantee

Protect your commodity shipments from unexpected financial loss with SGS's flexible trade risk guarantees. Our commodity Non-Rejection Guarantee covers losses from destination rejections, including issues like GMO detection or regulatory non-compliance. We assume responsibility for reloading cargo, rerouting shipments, demurrage charges, and depreciation due to delays, minimizing your financial exposure and helping maintain operational continuity.

Fumigation Guarantee

Even when goods are properly treated at the origin, pest-related issues can still arise during transit. At the destination, shipments may be subject to strict requirements—such as the absence of any live insects. In the event of infestation, our guarantee covers the associated costs, including demurrage or re-treatment.

Non-GMO Guarantee

Importers need confidence that the products they purchase are genuinely non-GMO. SGS's Non-GMO Guarantee takes on the responsibility of ensuring proper segregation from potential contaminants. Through our thorough certification services, we help prevent non-GMO claims and protect the integrity of your products.

Financial Loss Cover (In Case of Piracy)

If cargo delays or non-deliveries occur due to piracy, there's a risk that buyers may refuse to reimburse importation costs. Alongside our Comprehensive Coverage (FOG and Marine Insurance), we provide Financial Loss Protection to cover any lost interest resulting from these disruptions.

SIR (Standard Inspection Reporting)

Our inspection reporting platform offers standardized data entry, providing consistent, high-quality reports globally. It helps minimize redundant efforts, shorten reporting turnaround times, and streamline communication—all within one secure, cloud-based system.

Why choose SGS?

We bring unmatched experience, cutting-edge technology, and access to a global network of experts and advanced facilities. No matter where you operate, our innovative, tailored solutions are designed to help you mitigate risks and optimize your supply chain.

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The SGS logo consists of the letters "SGS" in a bold, sans-serif font. A vertical line is positioned to the right of the letters, and a horizontal line is positioned below the letters, forming an L-shape that frames the logo.

When you need to be sure