



2 October 2019 (1 st day)	
Venue: Beijing Hotel, Conference Hall Lotus	
9:00 – 9:30	Registration Opening and welcome address <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Aleksey Bogdanov, Director of the International Relations Department, Ministry of Agriculture and Food of the Republic of Belarus Vasilina Akhramovich, Institute of System Researches in Agroindustrial Complex of NAS of Belarus, FAO Correspondent Officer, the Republic of Belarus Olga Panteleeva, Trade and Markets Division, FAO
10:00 – 11:00	Session 1: The Pilot Study on Agricultural Policy Monitoring in Six Post-Soviet Countries: background and methodology Moderator: Olga Panteleeva, Trade and Markets Division, FAO <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Andrea Zimmermann, Trade and Markets Division, FAO. <i>Background and overview of the pilot study approach</i> Maja Kožar, Agricultural Institute of Slovenia. <i>Data collection and methodology</i>
11:00 – 12:00	Coffee Break
11:30 – 13:00	Session 2: Country results of the analysis of agricultural price distortions and budget transfers Moderator: Andrea Zimmermann, Trade and Markets Division, FAO <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Armenia: Policy indicators at country level (Hasmik Hovhanesian, Yerevan State University) Azerbaijan: Policy indicators at country level (Rashad Huseynov, Khazar University) Discussion and country results review by governmental representatives.
13:00 – 14:00	Lunch Break
14:00 – 15:30	Session 3: Country results of the analysis of agricultural price distortions and budget transfers Moderator: Signe Nelgen, Trade Policy Specialist, FAO <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Belarus: Policy indicators at country level (Vasilina Akhramovich, Institute of System Researches in Agroindustrial Complex of NAS of Belarus) Georgia: Policy indicators at country level (Nato Kldiashvili, The Georgian Center for Agribusiness Development) Discussion and country results review by governmental representatives.
15:30 – 16:00	Coffee Break





16:00 – 17:00	<p>Session 4: Overview of FAO activities related to agricultural and trade policy</p> <p>Moderator: Evelyne van Heck, Trade and Development Consultant, FAO</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Andrea Zimmerman, Trade and Markets Division, FAO. <i>SOCO 2018: Interlinkages between climate change and agri-food trade in Eastern Europe and Central Asia</i> • Olga Panteleeva, Trade and Markets Division, FAO. <i>Market monitoring and analytical outcomes of the Trade and Markets Division</i>
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9:00 – 9:30	Registration
9:30 – 10:45	<p>Session 5: Policy monitoring and policy trends at global and regional levels</p> <p>Moderator: Andrea Zimmermann, Trade and Markets Division, FAO</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Signe Nelgen, Trade Policy Specialist, FAO. <i>Agricultural policy monitoring and policy trends at global level</i> • Maja Kožar, Agricultural Institute of Slovenia. <i>Overview of policy indicators in the regional context: selected countries of Southeastern Europe and post-Soviet countries</i>

10:45 – 11:15	Coffee Break
	<p>Session 6: Country results of the analysis of agricultural price distortions and budget transfers</p> <p>Moderator: Maja Kožar, Agricultural Institute of Slovenia</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Kyrgyzstan: Policy indicators at country level (Zalina Enikeeva, Institute of Public Policy and Administration University of Central Asia) • Moldova: Policy indicators at country level (Anatolie Ignat, National Institute of Economic Research of the Republic Moldova)

Discussion and country results review by governmental representatives.

12:30 – 13:30	Lunch Break
13:30 – 14:30	<p>Session 7: Plenary discussion</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Country needs and way forward • Country engagement
14:30 – 15:30	<p>Wrap-up and closing</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Summary of the plenary discussion • Concluding remarks (Olga Panteleeva, Trade and Markets Division, FAO)

