

Join EFSA's Scientific Committee and Panels

- Make a difference to European food safety
- Deliver scientific advice to Europe's risk managers
- Be part of Europe's network of top food safety scientists
- Gain knowledge and ideas for future research



The role of EFSA

EFSA is the European Union's scientific risk assessment body on food and feed safety, nutrition, animal health and welfare, and plant health and protection, tackling issues all along the food chain. Its Scientific Committee and Panels consist of independent scientists from universities, research institutions and national food safety authorities. They deliver high-quality scientific advice for Europe's decision-makers to act on and protect consumers, animals and plants.

EFSA's scientific work is published on the EFSA Journal which has been accepted for indexation by leading bibliographic databases.

EFSA's Scientific Committee and Panels

- Experts are sought to join Panels covering: plant health and plant protection; GMOs; food additives and nutrient sources; food contact materials, enzymes and flavourings; feedstuffs; animal health and welfare; toxicology; contaminants in the food chain; biological hazards; dietetic products, allergies, novel foods and nutrition.
- Experts can sit on EFSA's Scientific Committee and Panels for a 3 year mandate. The mandate for the Scientific Committee and all Panels - except the two Panels on Food Additives & Nutrient Sources and on Food Contact Materials, Enzymes & Flavourings - will run from mid-2012 to mid-2015. The mandate for the Panels on Food Additives & Nutrient Sources and that on Food Contact Materials, Enzymes & Flavourings will run from mid-2014 to mid-2017.
- If not appointed, experts can be placed on a reserve list to be used to fill future vacancies.
- Selected through a simplified, open and transparent procedure, based on proven scientific excellence and independence.

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Committed to ensuring that Europe's food is safe