

AGRI - Testing, Inspection & Certification

Why Cotecna

- > **Established Swiss Expertise**
Founded in 1974, Cotecna is a trusted global leader in Testing, Inspection, and Certification services.
- > **NAM Team of Seasoned Professionals**
20+ highly qualified specialists in North America with extensive expertise in Agri inspections.
- > **NAM Dedicated Front-Office Team**
Long-time experts with global and local Agri-trade exposure, closely connected to operations and our customers' specific needs.
- > **NAM Fully Equipped Grading Laboratory**
Our laboratory, located in Canada and staffed by highly qualified specialists, provides grading services under CGC, USDA, and other international standards.
- > **Global Reach with Local Presence**
A network of around 8,000 professionals, 180+ offices and accredited laboratories, ensuring support wherever you operate.
- > **Operational Support at Critical Points**
We provide technical expertise and inspection services at key ports of loading and discharge.
- > **Innovative Digital Solutions**
Our E-DOX platform delivers fast, secure, and traceable digital certificates.

Cotecna Eye is a digital platform that streamlines field inspections with real-time data capture, geolocation, offline access, and automated reporting — enhancing efficiency, transparency, and control.
- > **Expanded Expertise to Meet Evolving Needs**
Cotecna provides a broad range of services, including Certification, ESG solutions, Food and Feed products testing, Verification of Conformity and others.

Accreditations, Certifications & Memberships

- > TIC Council member
- > ISO 9001:2015 certification issued by AB Certification
- > ISO/IEC 17020:2012 accreditation issued by ANAB
- > GAFTA Approved Superintendent
- > FOSFA Superintendent member
- > ISO/IEC 17065:2012 by GCC Accreditation Center
- > Canadian Grain Commission authorization for local inspection/grading

Global Agri Network

We provide both inspection and testing services in over 40 countries around the globe. Our network covers all the major trade routes and continents, enabling timely customer support and quick request turnaround time. We also offer agricultural testing services through multiple Cotecna group specialized accredited laboratories, including (but not limited to) the following:





Services

Pre-Shipment

- > Cargo identification
- > Visual condition
- > Stock checks, audits
- > Sampling

Load & Discharge Supervision*

- > Weight, tallying, sampling
- > Loading / Discharge supervision
- > Load compartment cleanliness
- > Hose test of hatch covers
- > Sealing, unsealing
- > Draft survey

*Vessels, barges, containers, railcars, trucks

Testing**

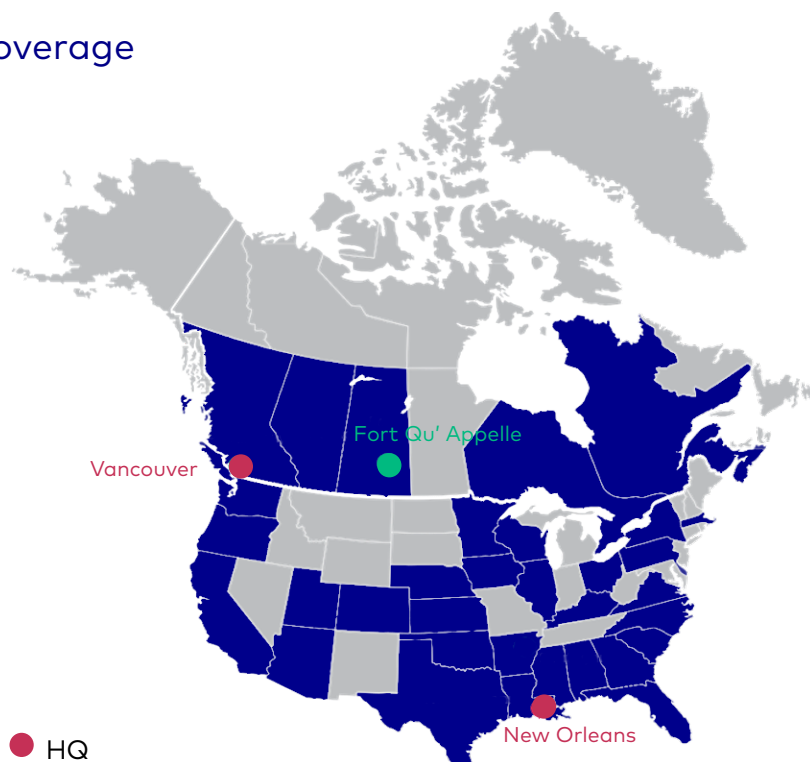
- > Grading
- > Physical & chemical
- > Microbiology
- > Mycotoxins
- > Heavy metals
- > Pesticides residues
- > GMO
- > Others

**Performed in Cotecna Group labs and/or reputable third-party labs

Products

- > Wheat / Durum
- > Corn
- > Barley
- > Rice
- > Sorghum
- > Soybeans
- > Canola / Rapeseed
- > Pulses
- > Feed meals / Pellets
- > Corn gluten
- > DDGS
- > Others

Coverage



- HQ
- Office with lab
- Surveyor coverage

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