

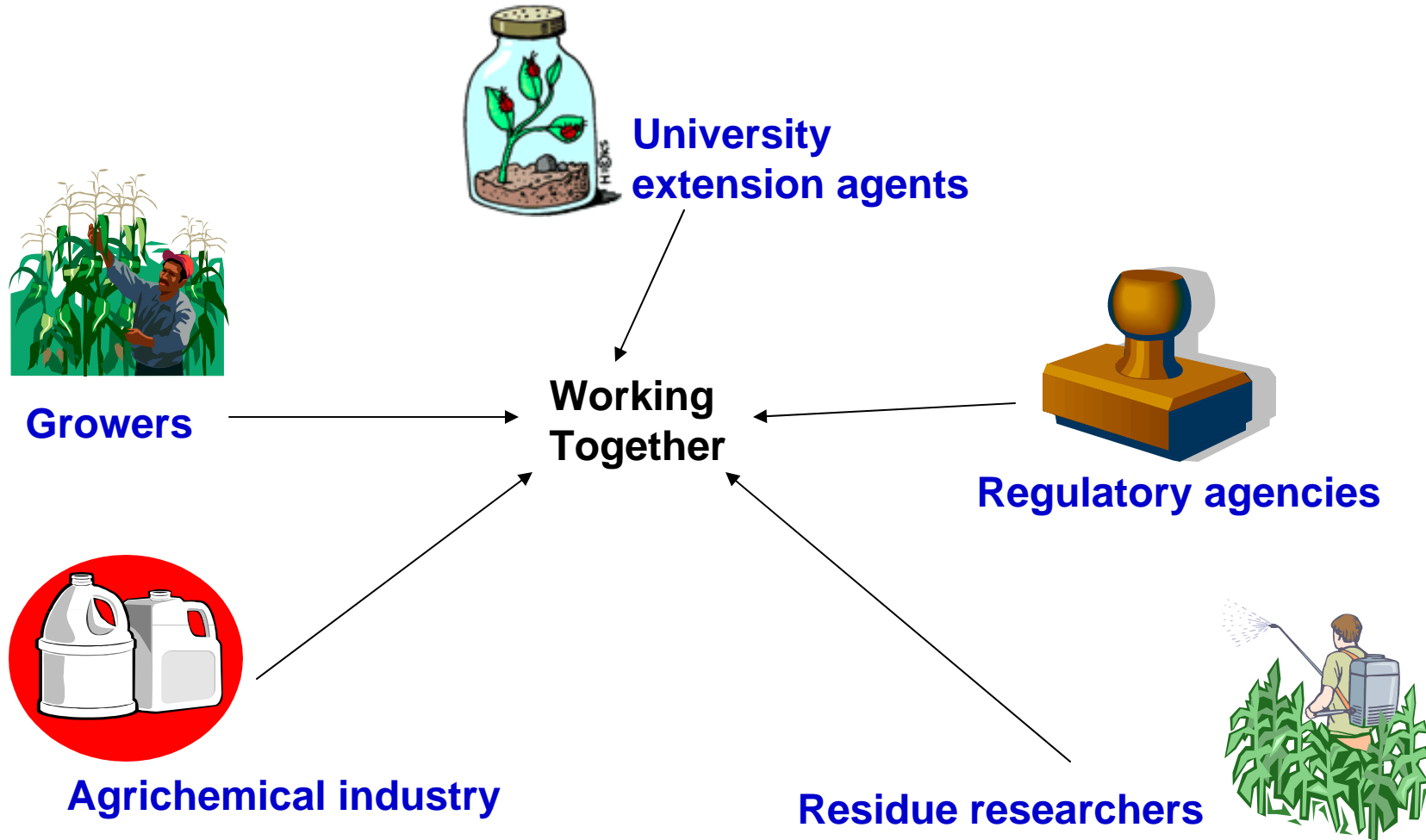


ICGCC Report

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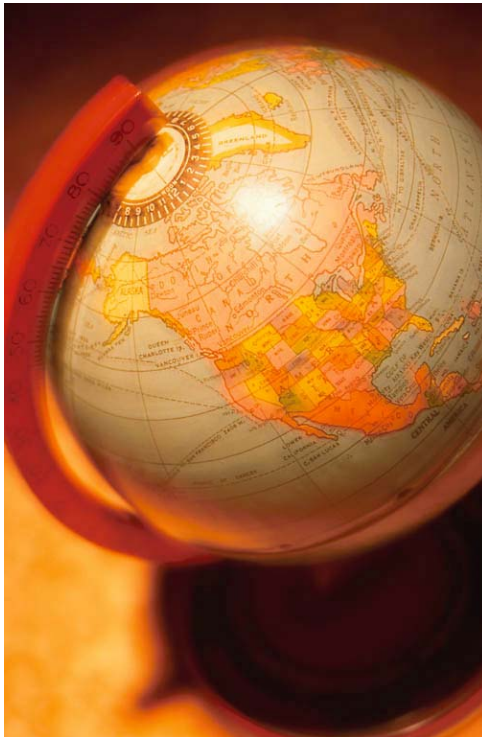


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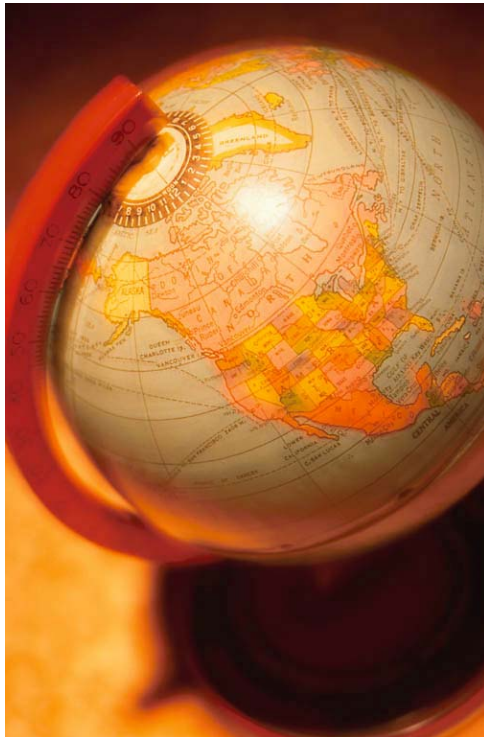
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Australia

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**China,
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Major Tasks of ICGCC

- **Add/validate crops and update crop scientific names and cross-reference common names**
- **Develop commodity monographs and crop grouping data packages**
- **Develop electronic databases: zone maps, dry matters, residue trial requirement, Codex/EU/US crop grouping comparisons, etc.**
- **Promote harmonization in crop classification and residue extrapolation, and commodity imports/exports.**



Crop Grouping Expansion

Categories	Current Crop Grouping	Future Crop Grouping (Estimation)
Commodities	508	1000 – 1500
Crop Groups	19	30 – 40
Subgroups	18	80
Definitions	20	30
Ornamentals	0	900
Ornamental Groups	0	12
Medicinal crops	1	?

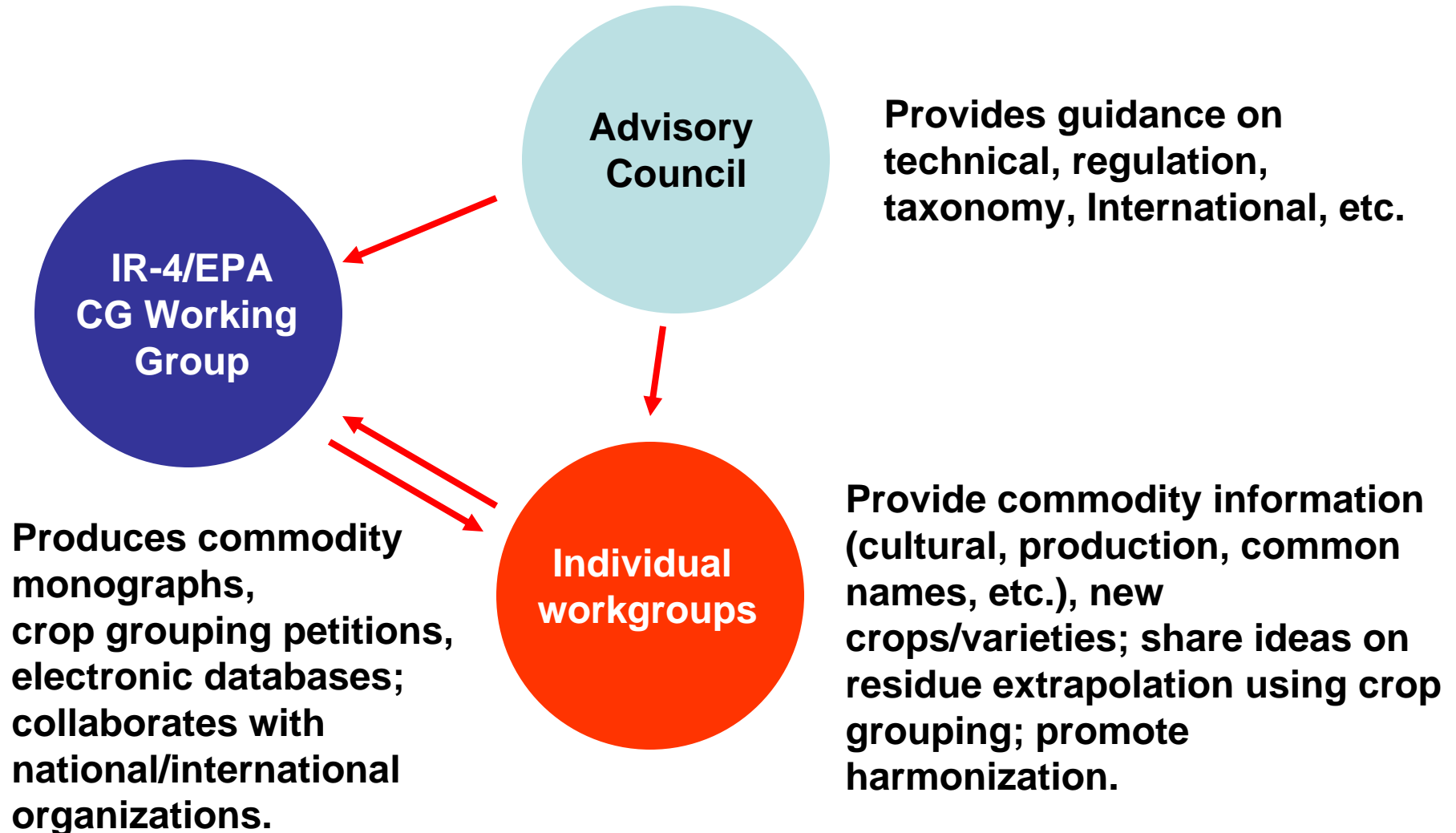


Medicinal Crops

- **Herbal medicines continue to be a major market in US pharmacies & constitute a multi-billion dollar industry**
- **~ 1,500 medicinal herbs sold in US; ~ 12,000 medicinal species documented in China**
- **Traditional herbal medicine adopted throughout western world, & become one of the fastest growing health care choices**
- **Herbal medicine practitioners tripled in 10 years (5,000 to 15,000) which promoted demand for medicinal crops**
- **Imported Chinese herbal medicines grown in similar environment which give great potential for growing in US**



Teamwork





Crop Group 3: Bulb Vegetables

7 commodities

Rep crops: onion, green; onion, dry bulb

Requires 9 residue trials



Garlic; garlic, great-headed; leek; onion, dry bulb and green; onion, Welsh' shallot.



Proposed New Crop Group 3

Existing CG3	Proposed CG3	Codex
Garlic Garlic, great-headed Leek Onion, dry bulb Onion, green Onion, Welsh Shallot	Chive Chive, Chinese Daylily Elegans hosta Fritillaria Garlic Garlic Canadian Garlic, greatheaded Garlic, Serpent Kurrat Leek Leek, Lady's Lily Onion, Beltsville Bunching Onion, bulb Onion, Chinese Onion, green Onion, fresh Onion, Mcrostem Onion, pearl Onion, potato Onion, tree Onion, Welsh Shallot Wild leek	Fennel, bulb Garlic Garlic, great-headed Kurrat Leek Onion, bulb Onion, Chinese Onion, Welsh Shallot Spring onion Silverskin onion Tree onion Carosella Chives Chives Chinese Fennel, Italian Fennel, Roman Fennel, sweet Japanese bunching onion Multiplying onion Onion, Egyptian Rakkyo.



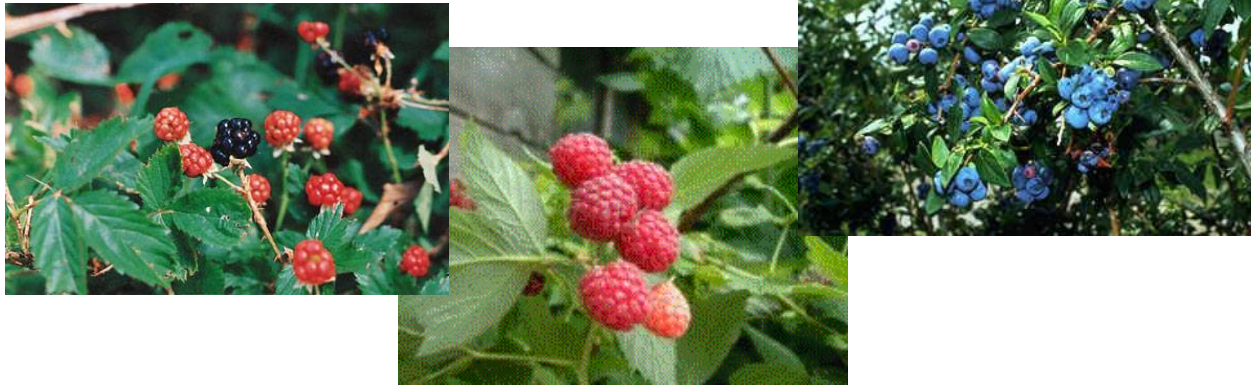
Crop Group 13: Berries & Small Fruits

8 commodities

Rep crops: any one blackberry or any one raspberry;
and blueberry

Requires 9 residue trials

2 subgroups: 13A. Caneberry (blackberry and raspberry);
13B. Bushberry



Blackberry (including bingleberry, boysenberry; dewberry; lowberry, marionberry, olallieberry, youngberry); blueberry; currant; elderberry; gooseberry; huckleberry; loganberry; raspberry, black and red.



Proposed New Crop Group 13

Existing CG13	Proposed CG13		Codex
<p>Blackberry (including bingleberry, boysenberry; dewberry; lowberry, marionberry, olallieberry, youngberry)</p> <p>Blueberry</p> <p>Currant</p> <p>Elderberry</p> <p>Gooseberry</p> <p>Huckleberry</p> <p>Loganberry</p> <p>Raspberry, black and red</p>	<p>Amur River grape</p> <p>Andean blackberry</p> <p>Aronia berry</p> <p>Bayberry</p> <p>Bearberry</p> <p>Bilberry</p> <p>Blackberry</p> <p>Blueberry, highbush</p> <p>Blueberry, lowbush</p> <p>Buffalo currant</p> <p>Buffaloberry</p> <p>Che</p> <p>Chilean guava</p> <p>Chinese egg gooseberry</p> <p>Chokecherry</p> <p>Cloudberry</p> <p>Cranberry</p> <p>Currant, black and red</p> <p>Elderberry</p> <p>European barberry</p> <p>Gooseberry</p> <p>Grape</p> <p>Highbush cranberry</p>	<p>Honeysuckle</p> <p>Huckleberry</p> <p>Jostaberry</p> <p>Juneberry and Saskatoon berry</p> <p>Kiwifruit, fuzzy</p> <p>Kiwifruit, hardy</p> <p>Lingonberry</p> <p>Maypop</p> <p>Mountain pepper berries</p> <p>Mulberry</p> <p>Muntries</p> <p>Native currant</p> <p>Partridgeberry</p> <p>Phalsa</p> <p>Pincherry</p> <p>Raspberry</p> <p>Riberry</p> <p>Salal</p> <p>Sea buckthorn</p> <p>Serviceberry</p> <p>Strawberry</p> <p>Wild raspberry</p>	<p>Bearberry</p> <p>Bilberry</p> <p>Bilberry, bog</p> <p>Bilberry, red</p> <p>Blackberries</p> <p>Blueberry, highbush</p> <p>Blueberry, lowbush</p> <p>Blueberry, rabbiteye</p> <p>Cloudberry</p> <p>Cranberry</p> <p>Currant (black, red, white)</p> <p>Dewberries (Including boysenberry and loganberry)</p> <p>Elderberries</p> <p>Gooseberry</p> <p>Grapes</p> <p>Huckleberries</p> <p>Juneberries</p> <p>Mulberries</p> <p>Raspberries, red, black</p> <p>Rose hips</p> <p>Service berries</p> <p>Strawberries</p>



Current Status and Next Steps

- Analysis and evaluation for Bulb Vegetable petition is near completion
- Completed draft monographs for edible fungi; developing monographs for fruiting vegetables
- Developed electronic databases: crop distribution maps, dry matters, Codex/US crop grouping comparisons table
- Adding medicinal crops
- Next: legume vegetables, citrus fruits, root/tuber vegetables



We Appreciate Your Participation & Support

**Coming together is a beginning;
keeping together is progress;
working together is success.**
- Henry Ford