2026 Event Calendar

Food Export Midwest USA

Food Export USA Northeast

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The Food Export–Midwest and Food Export–Northeast 2026 Event Calendar is available to help you plan for a successful year. Explore our programs and events to map out your international market strategy, secure your spot early, and maximize opportunities. **View the full calendar at foodexport.org/events**.

Food Product Events To Grow Sales.

- Retail Products
- Foodservice Products
- Ingredient Products
- Natural Products
- Specialty/Gourmet Products
- Private Label Products
- Seafood Products
- Pet Food/Feed Products

Buyers Missions	Food/Feed Show PLUS!™	Focused Trade Missions	Seafood Trade Shows

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA	DATE	LOCATION	PRODUCTS							
Specialty Food Buyers Mission at the Winter Fancy Faire	Jan. 10,12	San Diego, California	●	●		●	●	●		
Value-Added Feed Ingredients Buyers Mission at the International Production & Processing Expo (IPPE)	Jan. 28	Atlanta, Georgia								●
Natural Products Buyers Mission at Natural Products Expo West	Mar. 3–4	Anaheim, California	●	●	●	●	●			
Seafood Buyers Mission at Seafood Expo North America	Mar. 14	Boston, Massachusetts	●					●	●	
Pet Food Buyers Mission at Global Pet Expo	Mar. 24	Orlando, Florida	●							●
Pet Food Ingredients Buyers Mission at Petfood Forum	Apr. 27	Kansas City, Missouri								●
Food Service Buyers Mission at the National Restaurant Association Show	May 15,17	Chicago, Illinois		●			●	●	●	
Sweets and Snacks Buyers Mission at the Sweets and Snacks Expo	May 18–20	Las Vegas, Nevada	●			●	●	●		
Value-Added Feed Ingredients Buyers Mission at the World Pork Expo	June 3	Des Moines, Iowa								●
Dairy, Deli, Bakery Buyers Mission at the International Dairy Deli Bakery (IDDBA) Show	June 7–8	Orlando, Florida	●	●			●	●		
Caribbean and Latin American Buyers Mission	June 16–18	Miami, Florida	●	●				●		
Specialty Food Buyers Mission at the Summer Fancy Food Show	June 26–27	New York, New York	●	●	●	●	●	●		
Food Ingredients Buyers Mission at IFT FIRST Annual Event and Expo	July 12–13	Chicago, Illinois			●					
Summer in the Cities Buyers Mission 2026	Aug. 10,12,14	Detroit, MI, Indianapolis, IN, Albany, NY	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●
Pet Food Buyers Mission at SUPERZOO	Aug. 11	Las Vegas, Nevada								●
NEW **Natural Products Buyers Mission** at Newtopia Now	Aug. 19	Denver, Colorado	●			●	●			
Value-Added Feed Ingredients Buyers Mission at the World Dairy Expo	Sep. 30	Madison, Wisconsin								●
Food Ingredients Buyers Mission at SupplySide Global	Oct. 28	Las Vegas, Nevada			●					
Condiments, Sauces, and Rubs Buyers Mission at the American Royal BBQ	TBD	Kansas City, Kansas	●	●			●	●		
Private Label Buyers Mission at the Private Label Manufacturers Association (PLMA) Show	Nov 15–16	Rosemont, Illinois	Frozen Foods					●		

CANADA	DATE	LOCATION	PRODUCTS							
Food Show PLUS!™ at SIAL Canada	Apr. 29–May 1	Montreal, Canada	●	●	●	●	●	●		
Focused Trade Mission to Canada for Retail and Foodservice	Sep. 9–10	Toronto, Canada	●	●					●	

CARIBBEAN, CENTRAL AMERICA & SOUTH AMERICA	DATE	LOCATION	PRODUCTS							
BACK-TO-BACK **Focused Trade Mission** to Central America for Retail and Foodservice	Jan. 19–21	Guatemala City, Guatemala	●	●				●		
BACK-TO-BACK **Focused Trade Mission** to Central America for Retail and Foodservice	Jan. 21–23	Panama City, Panama	●	●				●		
Food Show PLUS!™ at ANUGA Select Brazil	Apr. 7–9	São Paulo, Brazil	●	●			●			
Focused Trade Mission to Chile for Retail and Foodservice	Apr. 15–16	Santiago, Chile	●	●					●	
Booth Package **Food Show PLUS!™** at Alimentec	June 9–12	Bogota, Colombia	●	●	●	●	●	●		

MEXICO	DATE	LOCATION	PRODUCTS							
NEW **Focused Trade Mission** to Mexico for Cheese, Meat, & Beverage	Mar. 3–6	Mexico City & Puerto Vallarta, Mexico		●		●	●			
Booth Package **Food Show PLUS!™** at Expo ANTAD and Alimentaria	May 19–21	Guadalajara, Mexico	●	●	●	●	●	●		
Focused Trade Mission to Mexico for Retail and Foodservice	Aug. 17–21	Mexico City & Monterrey, Mexico	●	●			●		●	
Booth Package **Food Show PLUS!™** at Food Tech Summit	Sep. 30–Oct. 1	Mexico City, Mexico			●					
Booth Package **Feed Show PLUS!™** at FIGAP	Oct. 21–23	Guadalajara, Mexico								●

EUROPE	DATE	LOCATION	PRODUCTS							
Food Show PLUS!™ at Seafood Expo Global	Apr. 21–23	Barcelona, Spain							●	
NEW **Focused Trade Mission** to Southeast Europe for Feed Ingredients	Apr. 28–29	Sofia, Bulgaria								●
Food Show PLUS!™ at Interzoo	May 12–15	Nuremberg, Germany								●
Food Show PLUS!™ at SIAL Paris	Oct. 17–21	Paris, France	●	●		●	●			
Booth Package **Food Show PLUS!™** at Food Ingredients Europe	Nov. 17–19	Frankfurt, Germany			●					

MIDDLE EAST	DATE	LOCATION	PRODUCTS							
Booth Package **Food Show PLUS!™** at Gulfood	Jan. 26–30	Dubai, United Arab Emirates	●	●		●	●	●		
Focused Trade Mission to the Middle East for Retail and Foodservice	Dec. 8–11	Dubai, United Arab Emirates	●	●		●	●	●	●	●

ASIA	DATE	LOCATION	PRODUCTS							
Food Show PLUS!™ at Supermarket Trade Show (SMTS)	Feb. 18–20	Chiba, Japan	●	●	●	●	●			
NEW **Focused Trade Mission** to Vietnam for Wood Products at the HAWA Expo	Mar. 1–7	Ho Chi Minh City, Vietnam	●							
Food Show PLUS!™ at FOODEX Japan	Mar. 10–13	Tokyo, Japan	●	●	●	●	●			
Food Show PLUS!™ at Food & Hotel Asia (FHA)	Apr. 21–24	Singapore, Singapore	●	●		●	●			
Food Show PLUS!™ at SIAL China	May 18–20	Shanghai, China		●			●		●	
Feed Show PLUS!™ at ILDEX Vietnam	May 20–22	Ho Chi Minh City, Vietnam	●	●	●	●	●			●
Booth Package **Food Show PLUS!™** at Thaifex ANUGA Asia	May 26–30	Bangkok, Thailand	●	●			●			
Food Show PLUS!™ at Seoul Food & Hotel	June 9–12	Seoul, Korea	●	●			●			
Booth Package **Food Show PLUS!™** at Food Taipei	June 24–27	Taipei, Taiwan	●	●			●			
Focused Trade Mission to Taiwan for Retail and Foodservice	Aug. 18–20	Taipei, Taiwan	●	●	●	●	●		●	
Food Show PLUS!™ at Seafod Expo Asia	Sep. 2–4	Singapore, Singapore	●	●	●	●			●	
NEW Booth Package **Food Show PLUS!™** at Indonesia International Pet Expo	Sep. 4–6	Jakarta, Indonesia								●
BACK-TO-BACK **Focused Trade Mission** to Southeast Asia for Retail and Foodservice	Oct. 5–7	Manila, Philippines	●	●	●	●	●		●	
BACK-TO-BACK **Focused Trade Mission** to Southeast Asia for Retail and Foodservice	Oct. 7–9	Bangkok, Thailand	●	●	●	●	●		●	
Focused Trade Mission to Korea for Innovative, Healthy, & Convenient Products in Retail and Foodservice	Oct. 27–29	Seoul, Korea	●	●	●	●			●	
Food Show PLUS!™ at China Fisheries Show 2026	Oct. 28–30	Qingdao, China							●	

AFRICA	DATE	LOCATION	PRODUCTS							
NEW **Focused Trade Mission** to West Africa for Consumer-Oriented Products	Feb. 3–5	Accra, Ghana	●	●				●		

OCEANIA	DATE	LOCATION	PRODUCTS							
Food Show PLUS!™ at Fine Food Australia	Aug. 31–Sep. 3	Melbourne, Australia	●	●		●	●			

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- Create foreign compliance packaging and label development
- E-commerce and website optimization
- Produce digital, video, and print materials

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