

Republic of the Philippines

Department of Agriculture

BUREAU OF AGRICULTURE AND FISHERIES STANDARDS



PHILIPPINE NATIONAL STANDARD (PNS) FOR AGRICULTURE AND FISHERY MACHINERY, TOOLS, EQUIPMENT, AND STRUCTURE

Bureau of Agriculture and Fisheries Standards (BAFS)

Department of Agriculture (DA)





Presentation Outline

- 1. Definitions of Standard;
- Legislations on Standards for Machinery, Tools, Equipment and Structures;
- 3. Standards Development Process; and
- 4. Prioritization Criteria in the Standards Development.





Definitions: Standard

Document, established by **consensus**, and **approved by a recognized body**, that **provides for common and repeated use**, **rules and guidelines or characteristics for activities or their results**, aimed at the achievement of the optimum degree of order in a given context *ISO/IEC Guide 2:2004*

Document approved by a recognized body, that provides, for common and repeated use, rules, guidelines or characteristics for products or related processes and production methods, with which compliance is not mandatory

WTO Technical Barriers to Trade or TBT Agreement





Republic Act 10601 series 2013 Agricultural and Fisheries Mechanization (AFMech) Law

SEC. 26. Bureau of Agriculture and Fisheries Product Standards. – The BAFPS, in addition to its functions under Sections 62 and 63 of Republic Act No. 8435, shall develop standards for agriculture and fishery machinery, tools and equipment in coordination with accredited testing centers, and other concerned government and private entities.



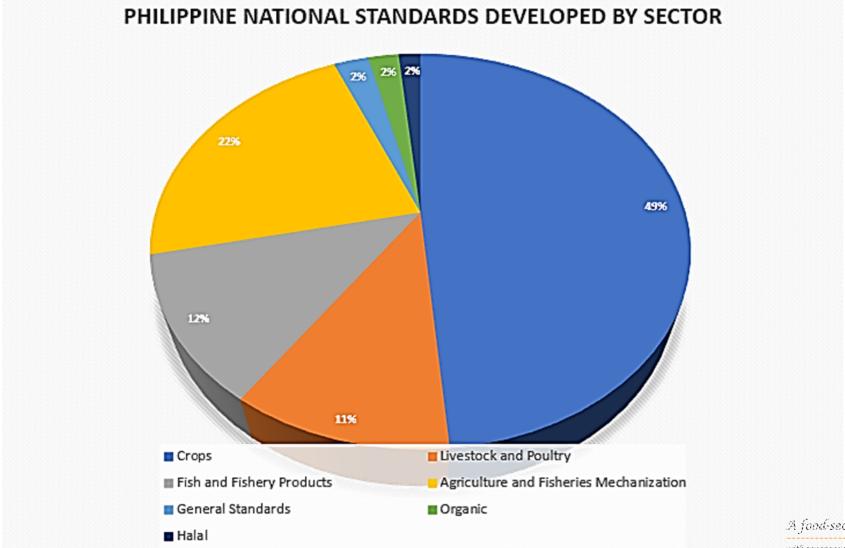


Department Circular No. 01 series of 2013 Implementing Rules and Regulations for R.A. No. 10601, Otherwise Known as the Agricultural and Fisheries Modernization (AFMech) Law

SEC. 21. Standards Development and Enforcement - The BAFPS, in coordination with DTI, the DOST, the BoAE, and the AMTEC, and in consultation with the accredited associations of farmers and fisherfolk, agricultural machinery assemblers, manufacturers and distributors and agricultural engineers shall develop standards specification and test procedures of agricultural and fishery machinery and equipment.



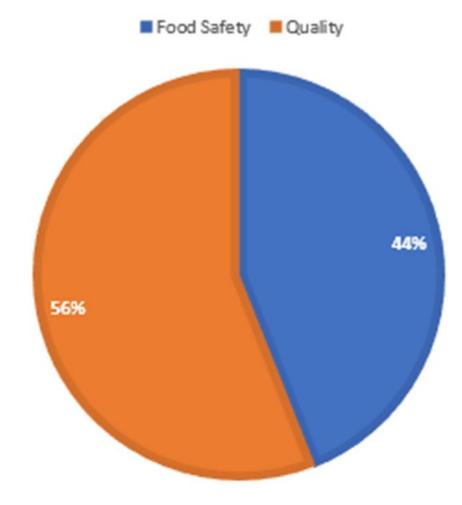
Where we are: Development of PNS, by commodity group (n=317)







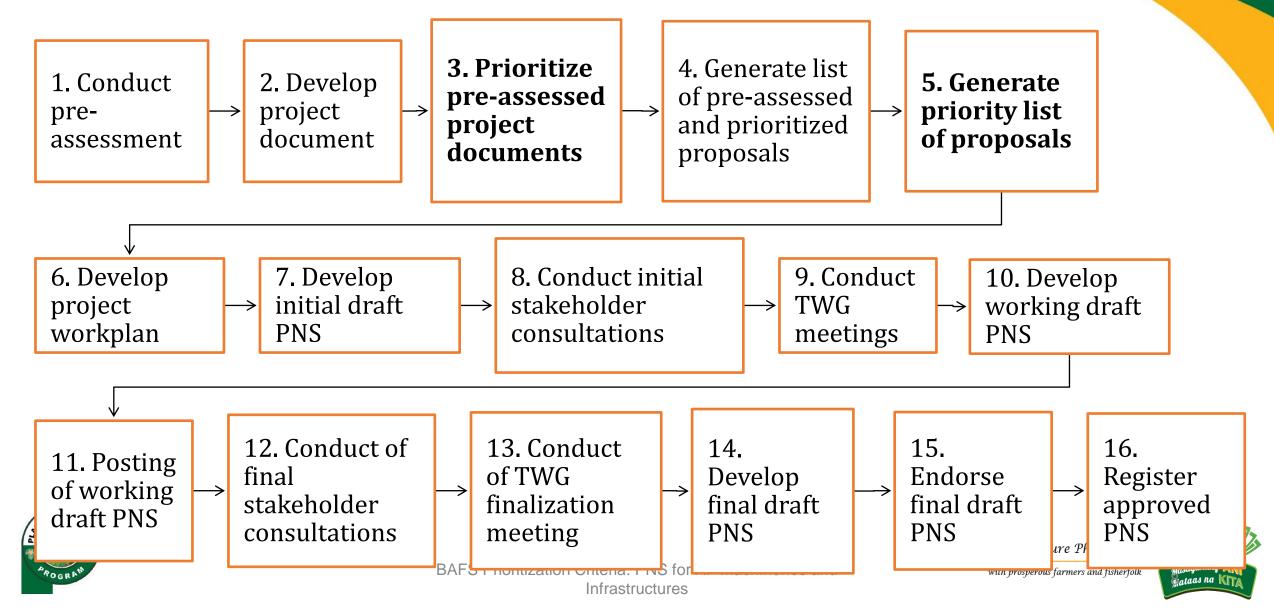
Where we are: Development of PNS, by type(n=317) FOOD SAFETY STANDARDS VS QUALITY



STANDARDS



Standards Development Process Flow



Criteria	Maximum Rating
1. Intended use	20
2. Market commercialization potential	20
3. Impact to trade	20
4. Existing international, regional, national (related) and industry standards	10
5. Available data	10
6. Available local experts	10
7. Available accredited testing centers to test required parameters	10
Total Maximum Rating*	100





*Total minimum rating to proceed with standardization is 60



Criteria	Maximum Rating
1. Intended use	20

Select only one (1)

(20 points) intended for production, harvest, and primary postharvest process of agricultural and fishery commodities

(15 points) intended for secondary postharvest process, transport, and distribution of agricultural and fishery commodities

(5 points) included in the List of Products and Systems under Mandatory Certification of Department of Trade and Industry (DTI) and considered as highly industrial

Major References: BAFE, AMTEC, DTI







Criteria	Maximum Rating
2. Market commercialization potential	20

Select only one (1)

(20 points) commercially available, locally for at least 3 years

(15 points) commercially available, both locally and internationally

(10 points) commercially available internationally

(5 points) in the process of commercialization, prototype available locally and/or internationally

Major References: BAFE, AMTEC, DA RFOs, DOST





Criteria	Maximum Rating
3. Impact to trade	20

Select only one (1)

(20 points)

high volume/value of domestic production² and/or high volume/value of exports of the commodity/ies to which it will be used (top 20 Philippine agri-fishery exports) (10 points)

low volume/value of production and/or low volume/value of exports of the commodity/ies to which it will be used (i.e. not included in the top 20 Philippine agrifishery exports)

Major References: PSA, DTI-EMB, DA regulatory agencies







BAFS' 7 SD Prioritization Criteria for

AF Machineries

Criteria	Maximum Rating
4. Existing international, regional, and related national, and industry standards	10

Select only one (1)

(10 points) with existing international standards

(7 points) with existing related national and/or industry standards

(5 points) with existing local/regional/international/industry manuals/guidelines/protocols that may be adopted/translated to a standard

For amendment/revision of PNS

(10 points) international standards amended/revised/updated due to new/current information (7 points) related national and/or industry standards amended/revised/updated due to new/current information

(5 points) local/regional/international/industry manuals/guidelines/protocols amended/revised/updated due to new/current information

Major References: BAFE, AMTEC, DTI-BPS, DA regulatory agencies, private sector organizations











Criteria	Maximum Rating
5. Available data	10

Select only one (1)

(10 points) valid and reliable data available, both local and international

(8 points) valid and reliable data available (local only)

(6 points) valid and reliable data available (international only)

(4 points) preliminary data available (local and international)

(2 points) preliminary data available (local only)

Major References: BAFE, AMTEC, DA RFOs, academe and research institutions (i.e. technology developers)







Criteria	Maximum Rating
6. Available local experts	10
Select as it applies (cumulative scoring)	
(2 points) from regulatory agencies	

(2 points) from academe and research institutions

(2 points) professional organizations

(2 points) private sector organizations

(2 points) CSOs

Major References: BAFE, AMTEC, DA RFO, PCAF





Criteria	Maximum Rating
7. Available accredited testing centers to test required	10
parameters	

Select only one (1); if not applicable*, automatic 10 points

(10 points) AMTEC and/or other accredited testing centers capable of testing all required parameters

(5 points) AMTEC and/or other testing centers capable of testing for selected required parameters

Major References: DA-BAFE, AMTEC, DA RFOs, LGUs

*Not applicable if rating of score on the available data criteria is at least 8 points







Criteria	Maximum Rating
1. Intended use and relevance	30
2. Replication potential	10
3. Impact to trade	20
4. Existing international, regional, national (related) and industry standards	10
5. Available data	10
6. Available local experts	10
7. Quantity and investment requirements	10
Total Maximum Rating*	100





*Total minimum rating to proceed with standardization is 60



Criteria	Maximum Rating
1. Intended use and relevance	30

Select as it applies (cumulative scoring)

(15 points) appropriate for the intended use

(5 points) promotes cost-effectiveness

(5 points) modern (i.e. uses the latest advancement in science and technology)

(5 points) promotes environmental sustainability (i.e. uses renewable and non-

conventional sources of energy)

Major References: BAFE, AMTEC, DPWH, DOST





Criteria	Maximum Rating
2. Replication potential	10

Select only one (1)

(10 points) structure already existing and has been replicated, both locally and internationally

(8 points) structure already existing and has been replicated, locally

(6 points) structure already existing and has been replicated, internationally

(4 points) prototype structures existing, locally and/or internationally

Major References: BAFE, AMTEC, DA RFOs, DPWH





Criteria	Maximum Rating
3. Impact to trade	20

Select only one (1)

(20 points) high volume/value of domestic production and/or high volume/value of exports of the commodity/ies to which the structure will be used (including for transport and distribution purposes)

(10 points) low volume/value of production and/or low volume/value of exports of the commodity/ies to which the structure will be used (including for transport and distribution purposes)

Major References: PSA, DTI-EMB, DA regulatory agencies, DPWH





Criteria	Maximum Rating
4. Existing international, regional, and related national,	10
and industry standards	

Select only one (1)

(10 points) with existing international and/or DPWH standards

(7 points) with existing related national and/or industry standards

(5 points) with existing local/regional/international/industry manuals/guidelines/protocols that may be adopted/translated to a standard

For amendment/revision/updating of PNS

(10 points) international and/or DPWH standards amended/revised/updated due to new/current information

(7 points) related national and/or industry standards amended/revised/updated due to new/current information

(5 points) local/regional/international/industry manuals/guidelines/protocols amended/revised/updated due to new/current information

Major References: BAFE, AMTEC, DTI-BPS, DA regulatory agencies, private sector organizations, DPWH



Criteria	Maximum Rating
5. Available data	10

Select only one (1)

(10 points) valid and reliable data available, both local and international

(8 points) valid and reliable data available (local only)

(6 points), valid and reliable data available (international only)

(4 points) preliminary data available (local and international)

(2 points) preliminary data available (local only)

Major References: BAFE, AMTEC, DA RFOs, academe and research institutions

(i.e. technology developers)





Criteria	Maximum Rating
6. Available local experts	10
Select as it applies (cumulative scoring)	
(2 points) from regulatory agencies	
(2 points) from academe and research institutions	
(2 points) professional organizations	

(2 points) professional organizations

(2 points) private sector organizations

(2 points) CSOs

Major References: BAFE, AMTEC, DA RFO, PCAF





Criteria	Maximum Rating
7. Quantity and investment requirements	10
Select only one (1)	
(10 points) high quantity, low investment cost	

(8 points) high quantity, high investment cost

(6 points) low quantity, low investment cost

(4 points) low quantity, high investment cost

Major References: DA-BAFE, AMTEC, DA RFOs, LGUs, DPWH







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