



Agribusiness 2018

**Taking a lead in Agri-Food
Policy post-Brexit**

AIC's Priorities and the Agri-Brexit Coalition

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I could talk all day about...

BREXIT

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The current situation...



So what are the most pressing issues?

Sector issues identified in October 2017

Animal Feed

- Antimicrobials / Antibiotics
- Deforestation – soya supply

Crop Marketing

- RED status and Red Tractor
- Mycotoxins

Crop Protection and Agronomy

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- Proliferation of 'fake facts' by NGOs

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- EU Fertiliser Regulations

Seed

- Seed treatments
- Need for innovation

Cross Sector

Environmental issues

- Ammonia
- Soils

Assurance Schemes

- Furthering 'Earned Recognition'
with UK governments
- Continuing development of Schemes

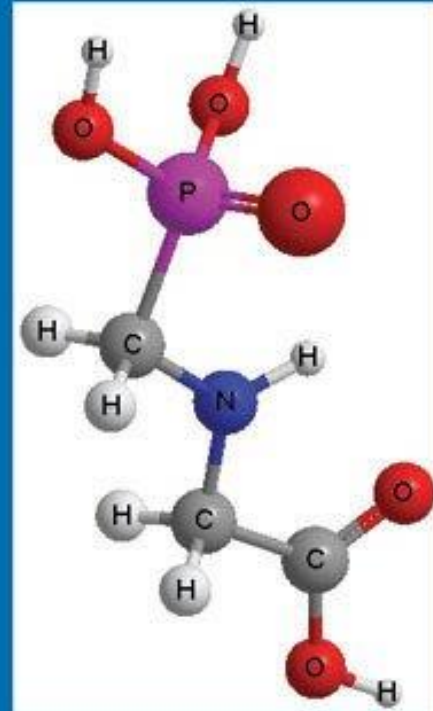
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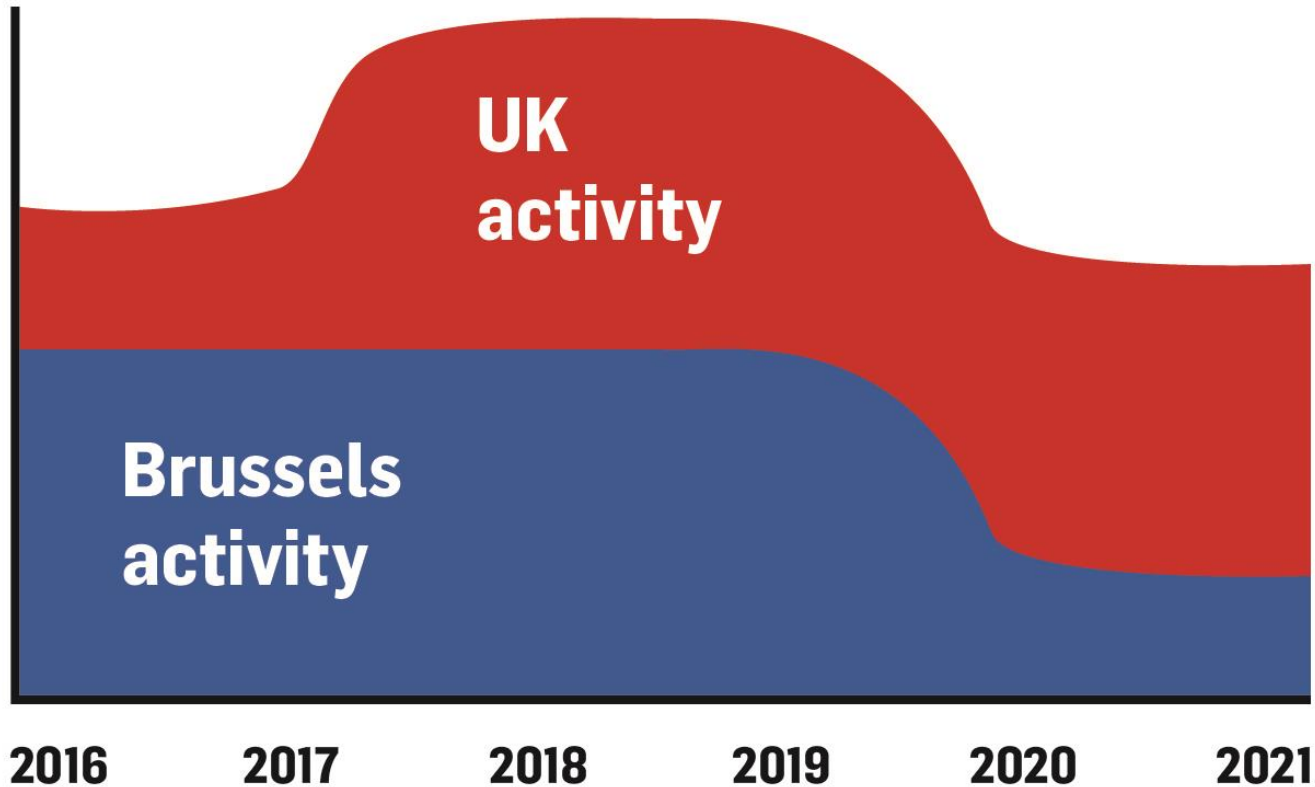
Issues
that
emanate
from...



GLYPHOSATE



Activity 'hump' 2017–2021



Two way dialogue



Both sides need a good deal

BREXIT

This affects every AIC Member

BREXIT

A wait-and-see approach
will be too late for key issues



So what is AIC doing?



Outcome?

KEY OBJECTIVE

To work for the **best-possible outcomes** for AIC Members for:

- **economic success**
- **long-term sustainability.**

Muscle up!

1. **agri-brex**it
COALITION

2. Use as a springboard to
'higher places'

agri-brexit COALITION



Ag
Engineering



Products
and
services



Plant
breeding &
bioscience



Crop
protection



Farm
business
advice



International
trade



Ag
contracting



Animal
health

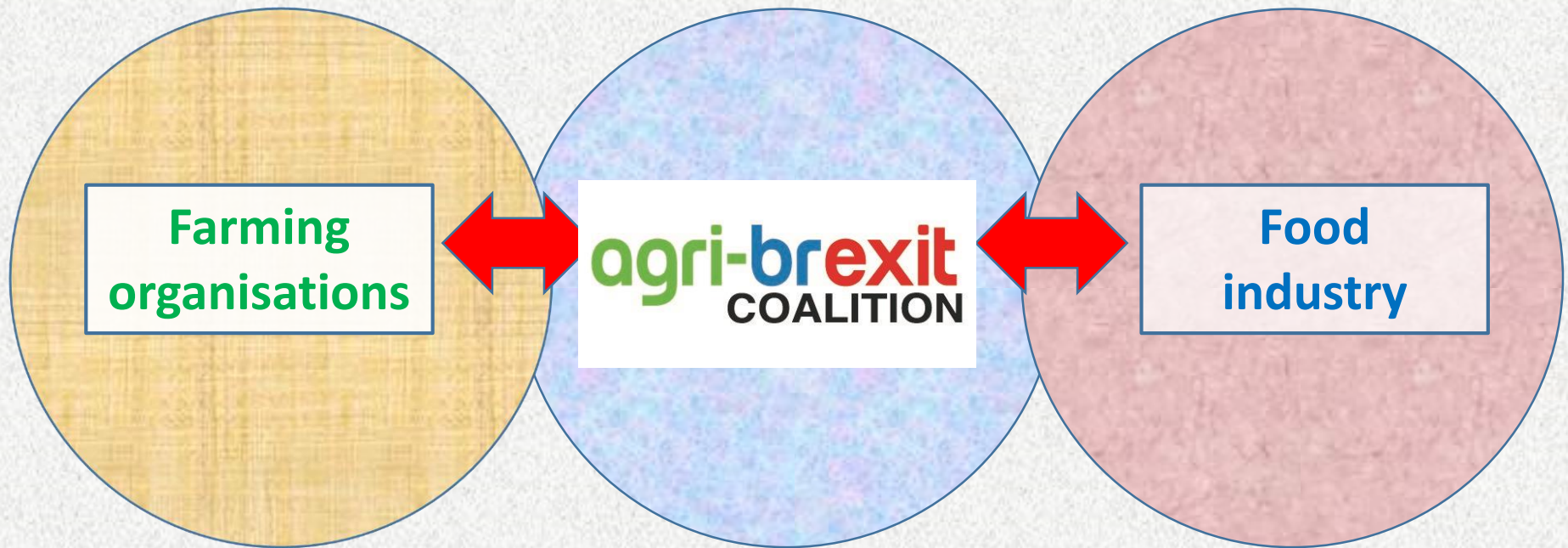
The Supply Industry Coalition:

Working with others for common cause

KEY OBJECTIVES

- Fair Trade and without Customs barriers
- Innovation
- Raising productivity
- Pragmatic policy and regulation
- A modern, resilient agriculture

The need to speak with common cause



KEY LEARNING

Having the most logical, credible, universally-acceptable strategies for the future is wasted...

**Unless we sit with the people
who actually make the decisions.**

If we talk from an agriculture
base...



Department
for Environment
Food & Rural Affairs

If we talk from a food chain base...



Department
for Transport



Department
of Health



Department
for Business
Innovation & Skills



Department
for Exiting the
European Union



Department
for Environment
Food & Rural Affairs



Department
for International
Development

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So today, let us talk about



As we focus on

Post-Brexit Agricultural Policies which secure:

*a modern, sustainable,
commercial agriculture.*



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