

Together Again And Fresher

Human and Nature

From 1986, the year of establishment, Hansalim has been seeking an alternative way for humans and nature to coexist while recognizing the limitations of industrialism, which only focuses on resource and economical development. Hansalim started the direct transaction of healthy food between rural and urban communities as well as created a way for organic farmers to go beyond the market order. Hansalim is spreading various cultural movements to overcome the crises of our day: climate change, nuclear threats, energy exhaustion, agricultural issues, and others that are continuing to get worse.



Hansalim

Human and Human

Hansalim is the oldest cooperative and has the highest number of members in Korea. In April 1988, two years after its establishment, Hansalim organized the consumers' cooperative. It has been actively hosting activities between producers and consumers, exchanging the warmth of family as shared owners of the cooperative. Since then, these kinds of activities serve as a model for Korea's cooperative movement.

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Meaningful daily action to save Life and Earth



Save Our Table

- Direct transaction between producers and consumers.
- Food education and campaigns to set a healthy table.
- Participation in the policy-making process to improve the food system.



Save Our Agriculture

- Produce eco-friendly organic products.
- Manage the fund to promote ecological local agriculture.
- Participation in exchange tours and cooperative activities between urbanrural communities.



Save our Life and Earth

- Education, research, and publications to realize the peace of life.
- Alternative way of living in harmony with nature and with neighbors.

Save our Table-Save our Agriculture-Save our Life and Earth

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Human and Human, Human and Nature World of Life with Harmony

In 2017, 644,000 households of consumer members marked a total sales figure of 423,300,000 USD with 64,400,000 USD of investment. Number of Farmhouse is 2,220 households and Agricultural land is 44,165,000 m². 991,000 m² of land has increased compared to 2016. A total of 1,515 tons of greenhouse gases were reduced by Hansalim local food and that is the same effect as planting 303,000 pine trees. Also reduced 4,300 tons of imported feed grain by improving Korean feed self-sufficiency through 'Save Korean Barley' feed grains.



Improve Korean Feed Self-sufficiency

Korean Feed Self-sufficiency Movement

Reduction of **4,300** Tons of Imported Feed Grain
As effective as reducing imported grain growing on **660** million m² of overseas farmland.

Production Stabilization Fund

Raised **0** USD We temporarily stop raising funds in 2015-2017 because the accumulated amount was more than amount used.
Used **1,003** USD

Price Stabilization Fund

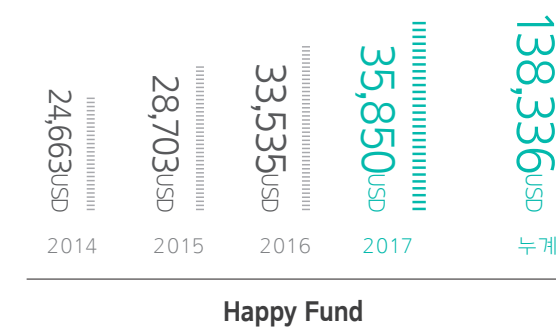
Raised **819,916** USD
Used **208,636** USD



Together with Neighbors

Happy Fund 35,850 USD

Hansalim is allocating 2% of the sales from specified cosmetic products as a 'Happy Fund.' It will be used to support neglected social groups.



Reduction of Greenhouse Gases

Reused Bottles 319,053

Greenhouse Reduction **95.6** tons
As effective as planting **19,128** pine trees

Local Food Movement

Greenhouse Reduction **1,515** tons
As effective as planting **303,300** pine trees

Sunlight Generation

Greenhouse Reduction **258** tons
As effective as planting **51,500** pine trees



Jobs and Groups



In 2017,
644,000
families Shared
423 million USD
worth of Food
for Life



Say No To GMOs!

Hansalim and Anti-GMO National Action have concluded an agreement with Rural Development Administration about stop commercialization of GM rice. Hansalim also did various activities such as Naturally Grown LMO Research; Participate 'GMO-Free zone' Gathering in Japan; Environmental Impact Assessment around LMO isolated field with government and such.

Establish People's Fairtrade Coop

Four major consumer's cooperative including Hansalim establish People's Fairtrade Coop in August, 2017. The goal of People's Fairtrade Coop is to connect Korean consumer members with producers in underdeveloped country to realize 'face-to-face trade'. Through its establishment, producer and consumer can promote sincere relationship with the value of cooperation among cooperatives across the border.



From No Nuke Toward Life

Hansalim participated in 6th anniversary of No-Nuke festival commemorating Fukushima nuclear disaster. Hansalim also made No-Nuke relay declaration and Citizen's Action for nullification of nuclear power plant construction. Moreover, Hansalim supported National No-Nuke Bus and Hansalim's 'No-Nuke Life Food Truck' against the experiment of nuclear reprocessing.



Reform Newsletter and Publish 30th Anniversary White Paper

Hansalim's representative media 'Hansalim Newsletter' has reformed in early October, 2017 to contain more stories and product information. To celebrate Hansalim's 30th Anniversary, Hansalim White Paper has published in 2 books.



Korean Native Egg Shock

Due to an unexpected Korean Native Egg Shock occurred in August 2017, Hansalim could look for new standard of production management complying with animal welfare criteria and product handling. The former can be the alternative to overcome the harmful effect of factory farm and the latter can overcome the limitations of current production control-oriented ecofriendly organic certification system.

Clothes Recycling Movement Cross the Border

Hansalim consumer members collected 82.5 tons of clothes for a month in May 2017. Those collected clothes have exported to Pakistan and all the profit has used to support 7 schools running by Al-Khair Welfare Society in Pakistan.



Establish 23rd Consumer's Cooperative

Hansalim Suwon Consumer's Cooperative established in March, 2017 as 23rd consumer's cooperative of Hansalim.



Protect Korean Rice

Hansalim promoted various campaigns to encourage more rice consumption with consumer members from 23 consumer's cooperative. As a result, entire rice stockpile from year 2015 and 5,061 tons of rice from year 2016 have consumed. Farmers proposed to freeze price of rice from year 2018 during Price Deliberation Meeting to promote more rice consumption.

Establish Hansalim Funding

In December 2017, Hansalim Funding has established. It's a financial platform based on P2P to widen the relationship between producer and consumer for mutual benefit. Producer can have necessary fund, consumer can make safe and transparent investment to grow together.



Toward Sustainable Public Meal Service

Hansalim organized International Conference on Public Meal Service in December 2017, inviting speakers from Denmark, Japan and Taiwan under the theme of 'Sustainable Food and Life'. This was to look for the way of make new cultural settlement of public meal service and food and also to change the policy.



Support Indian Dalit Organic Cooperative and African Garden Project

Hansalim received a plaque of appreciation from Slow Food International for supporting African Garden Project which helps African farmers to sustain their farming with native seed. Hansalim also delivered fund to Korean Hope Foundation to support the establishment of Indian Dalit Organic Cooperative.

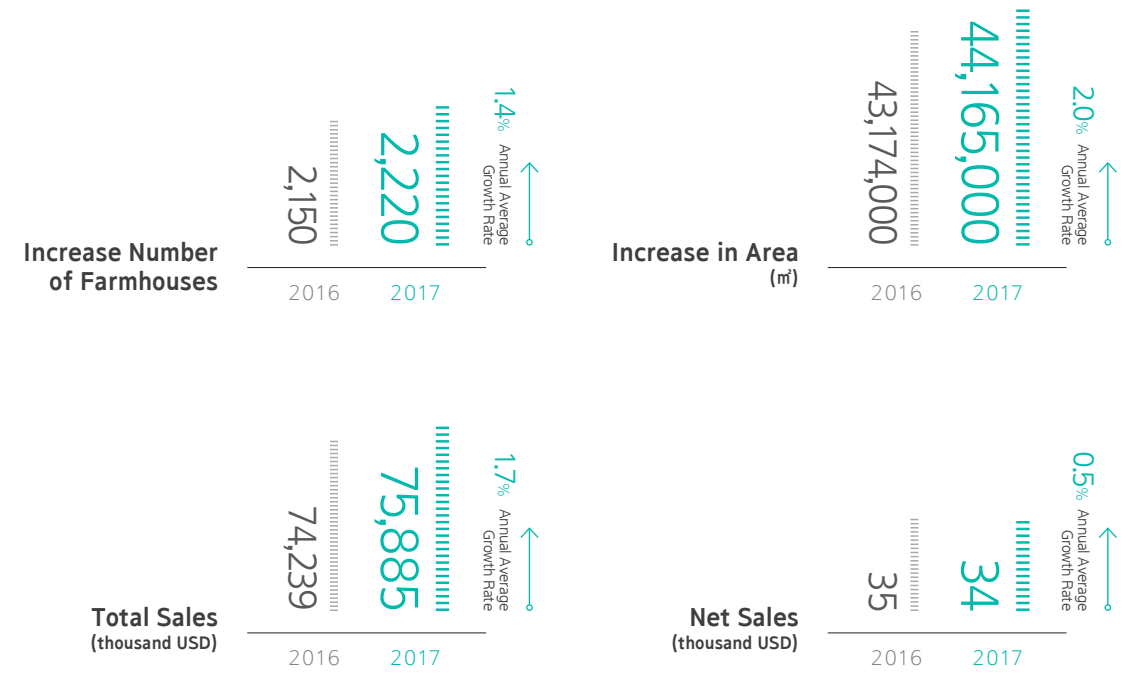
Life is Living Agriculture



Hansalim Saving Agriculture

- Living Agriculture
- Food Sovereignty
- Seed Preservation
- Urban and Rural Interchange
- Farm Land Conservation

In 2017, 644,000 of Hansalim's family gathered their strength together



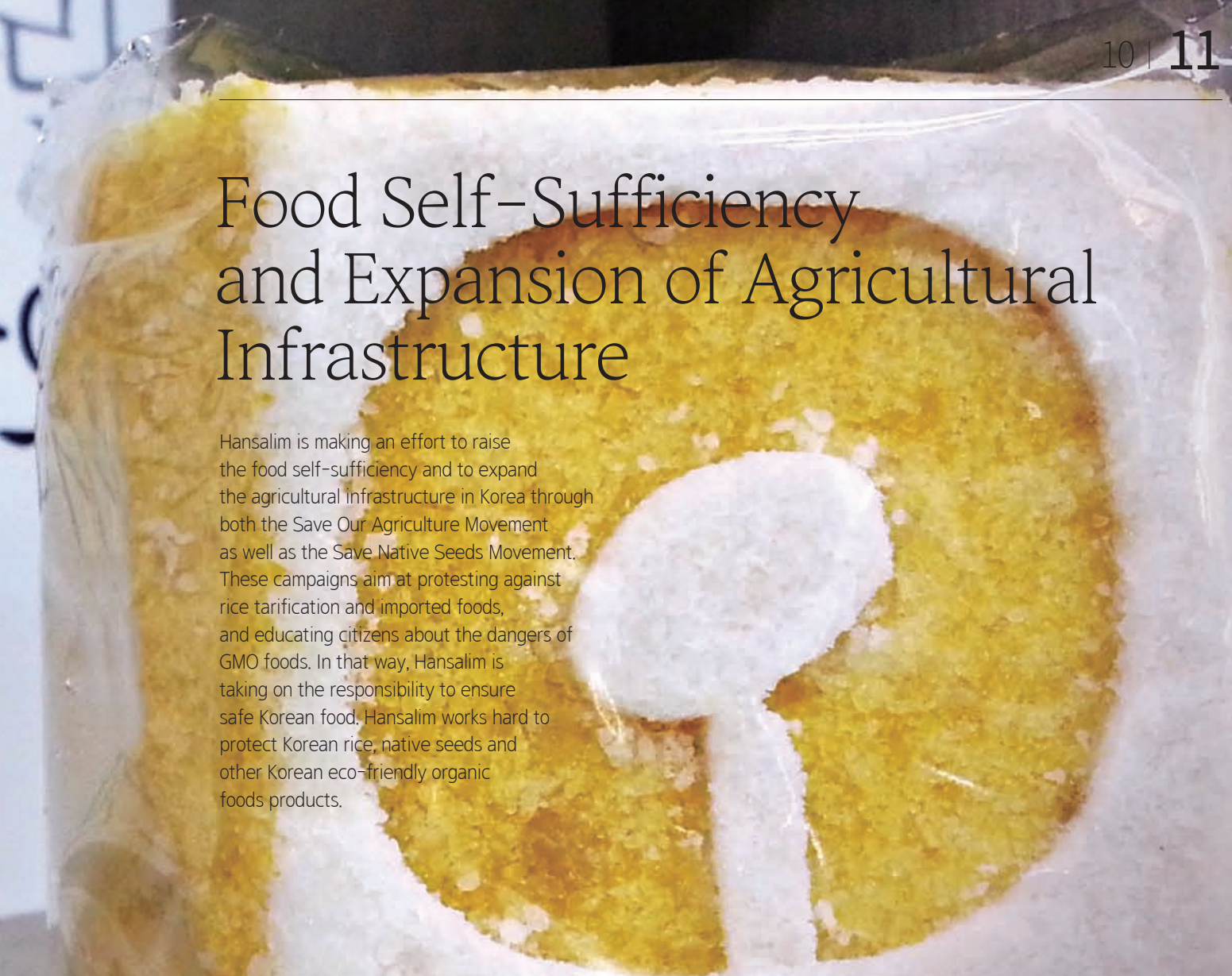
Hansalim saves our agriculture by protecting our land so it can be healthy, preserving native seeds, and supporting farmers to produce a stable yield.



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결실

Food Self-Sufficiency and Expansion of Agricultural Infrastructure

Hansalim is making an effort to raise the food self-sufficiency and to expand the agricultural infrastructure in Korea through both the Save Our Agriculture Movement as well as the Save Native Seeds Movement. These campaigns aim at protesting against rice tariffication and imported foods, and educating citizens about the dangers of GMO foods. In that way, Hansalim is taking on the responsibility to ensure safe Korean food. Hansalim works hard to protect Korean rice, native seeds and other Korean eco-friendly organic foods products.



Protecting Korean Rice: Rice is Life, the Future of our Children



Hansalim's producers and consumers have been actively campaigning against the fully open rice market through consistent responsible consumption. It is Hansalim's belief that it is not only for our sake but for the sake of our children's future that we protect our rice cultivation.

Saving Korean Wheat: Hansalim Korean Wheat Bakery



Since Hansalim began the social movement to save Korean wheat in 1988, by 2010, self-sufficiency narrowly arrived at 1% of the total amount of wheat sold in Korea. Although it may appear small and hard to say that we are self-sufficient in wheat production, it has allowed wheat farming in Korea to keep on existing. Therefore, now we have various breads, ramen, noodles, etc. made solely from Korean wheat in Hansalim's Korean Wheat Bakery.

Saving Korean Barley: Germinated Barley Processing Factory



Following the abolishment of the purchase policy on the Korean Barley repeal in 2012, Hansalim sustained barley farming by replacing imported corn used for feed using germinated barley, thus securing its production area. By 2020, Hansalim plans to expand the barley field to 1 million m², potentially increasing the amount of processed food made with barley as well as increasing the amount of barley fodder that can be used for livestock.

Saving Korean Native Seeds: Non-GMO



In order to save Korea's native seeds, Hansalim is enlarging the varieties of Korean native agricultural products and its production areas. In addition, Hansalim is developing a seed farm and seed bank. Hansalim continues to promote anti-GMO movements through investigation on the present condition of GMOs in Korea and by demanding full GMO labelling.

Securing Korean Bean consumption: Hansalim AnseongMachum Food



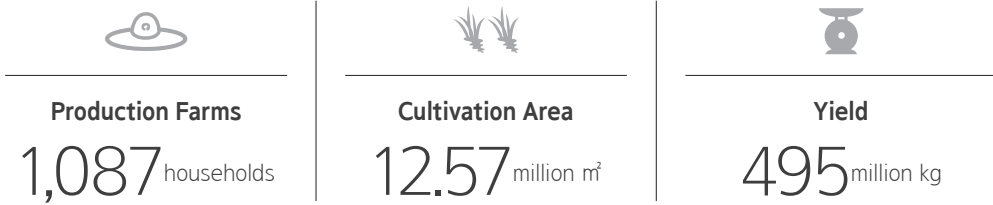
Hansalim established Hansalim AnseongMachum Food together with 6 agricultural cooperatives and Anseong City in order to expand the consumption and cultivation of Korean beans. Currently, various bean processed foods, including tofu, are being produced and supplied.

Farmland Conservation: Saving the Farmland Corporation



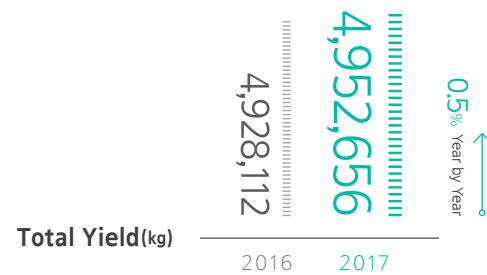
There is a plan to work together with other key players to form a farmland conservation corporate body that is sustainable and incorporates various social values. The aim is to continue practicing farming techniques that control pollution, are environmentally-friendly, maintain social values, and focus on conservation.

Rice



Rice: Our Children's Future It is the basis of our agriculture

In the situation of dwindling farmland, we have at least tried to self-supply rice. The rice self-sufficiency rate increased from 86.6% in 2012, to 104.7% in 2016. Although there is an upward trend, it is hard to be optimistic. The drop in rice consumption, in addition to decreased productivity, resulting from climate change, the abandonment of agriculture, and an aging society makes self-sufficiency difficult. However, if one eats 8 kg of rice, you can save 20m² of a living rice paddy. Securing Korean grown and produced rice products is not the only benefit of eating Hansalim rice. The existence of the rice paddies also protects against floods, fosters ground water, cleans the atmosphere, purifies water, in addition to approximately 300 other functions. Our life and dining table is maintained by this natural habitat that also gives life to the aquatic organisms that thrive there.



Rice mixed with Other Grains



Increasing our Grain Self-Sufficiency and Protecting our Native Seeds

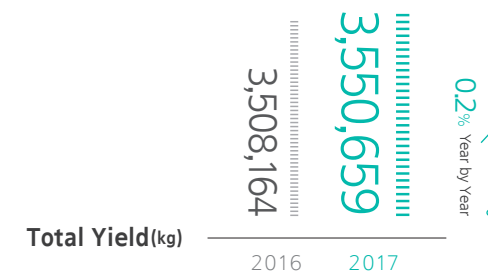
To bring in cheap, foreign agricultural products means that we lose our food sovereignty. So we remedy this by using domestically produced grains. Currently, there are many grains that are produced with strict standards and without pesticides, resulting in an overall higher quality grain.

Saving Native Seeds Agricultural Products

The agricultural products that have the Native Seed Label are cultivated from seeds have been acclimated in Korean soil. They continue to exist because our agriculture commits to nurturing it. By doing so, we are taking away Korea's dependence on seed companies owned by foreign capital.

Area	666,702 m ²
Amount of Production	253,612 kg
Sales	2,048,553 USD

Name of Crop	Total yield(kg)	Name of Crop	Total yield(kg)
Yardlong Bean/Asparagus Bean	1,077	Korean yam	15,616
Castor bean	1,402	Butterbur Leaf	1,132
Seonbikong(Korean native bean)	2,651	Butterbur Stem	3,609
Kidney bean	10,197	Ladybell Herb	450
Guinunyi-kong(native bean)	19,318	Pigweed	13,666
Crippled wheat(Anjunbaengimil)	32,294	Lettuce(Korean native)	6,054
Hedge bean	11,597	Dried Castor Bean Leaf	544
Jerusalem artichoke	8,365	Korean garlic chive	7,437
Black Watermelon	4,188	Mugwort	15,522
Goatsbeard(Aruncus americanus)	622	Taro	20,474
Boiled Bamboo shoot	3,472	Green onion(Korean native)	2,127
Eggplant	12,737	Cucumber(Korean native)	1,401
Gomchil(Korean herb)	2,279	Corn(Korean native)	5,589
Shepherd's purse(Korean herb)	4,719	Green chili(Korean native)	1,100
Yellowish Overripe Cucumber	8,487	Water parsley	30,128
Sedum	5,358	Total	253,612



Fruit



Production Farms
584 households

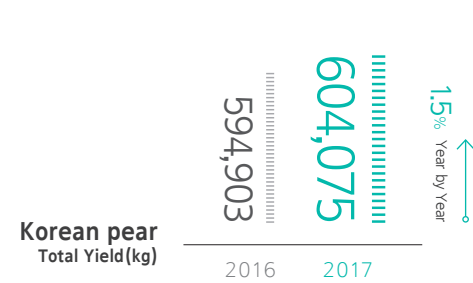


Cultivation Area
5.49 million m²



**Sunlight and Wind,
the Result of Sincere Hard work:
Hansalim's Fruit**

Hansalim stores are supplied only with fruits harvested in season as opposed to fruits that are grown under climate controlled conditions out of season. Fruit that are hard to produce organically because of their vulnerability to disease and insects are produced using the internationally authorized minimum amount of organic-pesticides like the bordeaux mixture or the limesulphur mixture. In 2015, domestic fruit consumption was poor due to the influx of FTA-dependent imported fruit that pushed our consumption patterns to change. Because of climate change, yields have been affected as expected yet our fruit producers steadfastly continue to produce their fruit difficultly.



Vegetables



Production Farms
1,204 households



Cultivation Area
6.98 million m²



**Safely grown
Hansalim Vegetables From a Harmonious
and Natural Ecosystem**

Hansalim's vegetable certification principle is that it must be cultivated organically. No growth hormones can be used nor the produce be modified; instead, the produce is given enough time to mature before cultivation. That is why our produce is more flavorful and fragrant. In addition, the prices of the vegetables do not fluctuate depending on the production harvest plan, but instead, they remain stable.

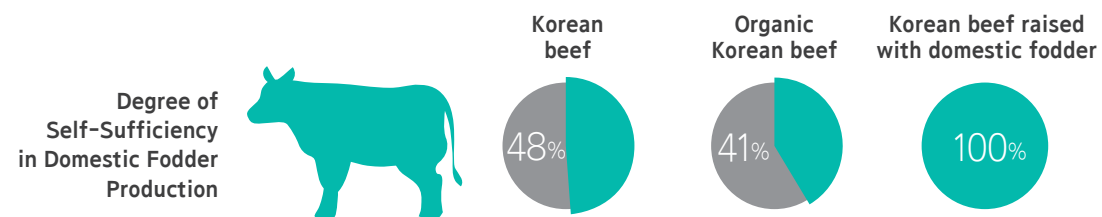
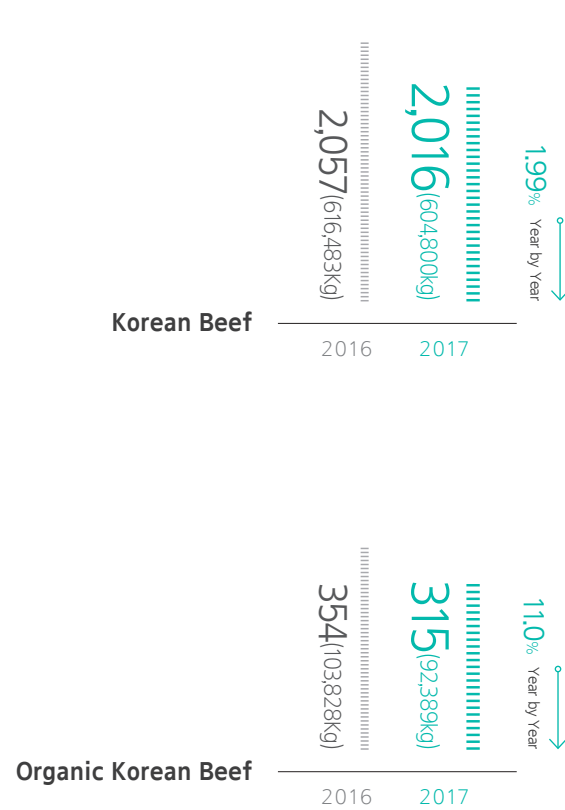


Animal Husbandry



Hansalim is concerned with animal welfare, does not use antibiotics, and is increasing the self sufficiency of domestic grain.

However, across Korea, self-sufficiency with fodder is decreasing as the number of meat consumption is increasing. Currently, more than half of the available meat is grown by imported feed. On other hand, Hansalim's consumers are trying to decrease meat consumption and turn to a more simple way of eating. We put efforts on decreasing imported grain feed. In Goesan, we set up a plant to produce TMR that is mixed with agricultural by-products and domestic ingredient. In Asan, we grow cows that feed on TMF, which is mixed with by-products from organic farms. And in Jeju, producers feed Korean cows with domestically-grown grains in cooperation with Seongnam and Yongin grain producers. And instead of using cash, the grain producers are repaid with meat. 'Save Korean Barley' fodder is Hansalim's efforts to increase the self-sufficiency rate of producing domestic fodder. Since 2013, Hansalim has been producing pigs grown on the fodder cultivated from the Save Korean Barley Campaign. So far, 330,000 sq. m of barley fields have been secured. Hansalim is now planning to produce chickens and cows using the same method.



Beneficial for both Human and Earth



Hansalim's product principles

Environmentally friendly

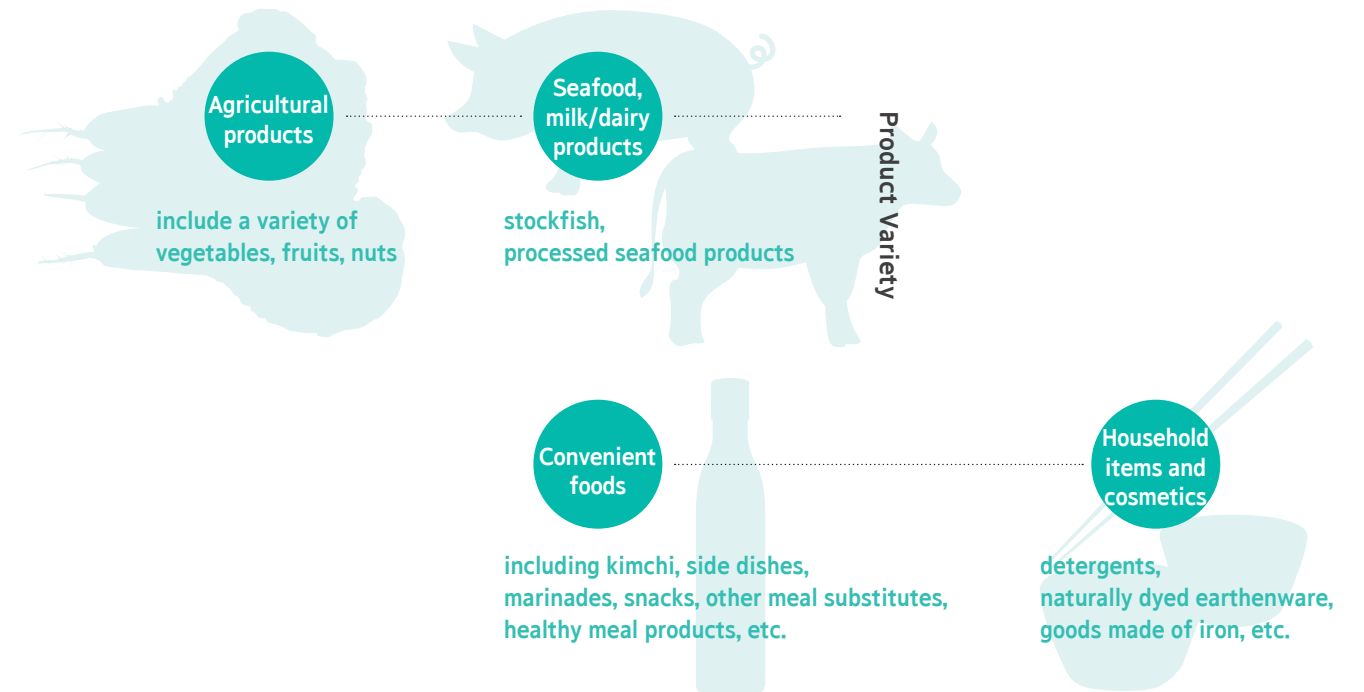
Sustainable

Safe

Cope with climate change

How are Hansalim's Products Different?

- We choose our products based on human health and ecosystem maintenance, not commercial profit.
- The activists of the Agriculture and Processed Food Products Committee, consisting of Hansalim consumer members choose new products that follow the product handling principles.
- We believe producing seasonally is important, yet still acknowledge growing in facilities like greenhouses and vinyl greenhouses, etc. However, we do not accept products that have undergone heat cultivation or artificially added heat to simulate growth, the exception being products that have been temperature manipulated only in their initial growth stage. (Although we partially accept heat cultivated products when the weather gets too cold and will damage the produce).
- We only select and develop produce that was farmed organically, using no pesticides or chemical fertilizers.
- We prioritize the products that are produced in a community-based way.
- We don't use genetically modified beans, corn, grains, etc.
- We prioritize and develop the processed goods that the producers themselves produce with the raw materials that they cultivate.

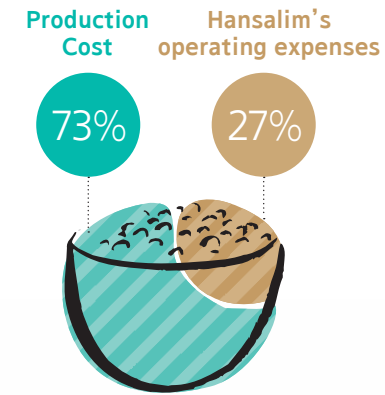


How carefully does Hansalim choose?

- As we are expecting fossil fuels to exhaust, we do not carry any climate change aggravating imported food stuffs
- We stick to seasonal foods. We do not accept heat manipulated products, with the exception being during the early growth and development period(nursery period).
- We prohibit the use of chemical pesticides, fertilizers, and growth regulatory agents(growth hormones). (Inevitably a small portion of our items were grown with low amounts of pesticides.)
- Now with the existence of the open market, in order to protect our land's food source, grains(all grains excluding rice and barley) etc. are not only chosen because they are organically grown but also because they are grown locally as well.
- In addition to grains, we prioritize processed food products that are both locally produced and made organically: grown using little to no pesticides.
- We prioritize products that are from the producer's association and social enterprises.
- We prioritize products that aim to follow environmentally sustainable methods of production as opposed to products made in the inorganic processes that are only concerned with efficiency.
- It is our rule that we do not accept imported fish or shellfish that was artificially bred or given antibiotics(pollack is an exception).
- We choose animal products (eggs, chicken, pork, and beef) that are environmentally sustainable and that does not contain antibiotics or growth hormones in their feeds.

The Extraordinary Value of Hansalim's Products

There are a great deal of environmentally sustainable food items. However, they are not all the same. Our agriculture and our table thinks about the earth in a deeper way. We are paving a better life for ourselves and the earth.



In Hansalim's product prices, the producers and the consumers protect one another so that the next generation can safely live.

Hansalim is not what you eat but what you do

73% goes to the producer, 27% goes to operating expenses! 'Hansalim goes the producer's way' so that they can safely maintain their production. Hansalim's operating expenses (labor costs, distribution costs, PR, training, member activities, etc.) are all returned to the producer. Producers, consumers, and employees all gather together before the planting for the upcoming year occurs. At this open meeting, they collaboratively decide on how much to plant, where, who and what price the harvest will be in the following year. The prices of agricultural products in the open market follow the climate and supply and demand, thus, it skyrockets and plummets frequently. However, at Hansalim, the prices stay where they were promised and set previously. At times the case is that Hansalim's products are more expensive than their open market counterparts. That is because one is supporting the farmers who unwaveringly believe in farming them organically. However, it is no longer just occurring for domestic products. Because of the volatility of the market and the tendency for the price of imported agricultural products to skyrocket there are many more instances of the imported products being more expensive. Hansalim always has the intention to maintain the responsibility of life and livelihood. Always with a grateful heart, the price of the products is decided together.



Local Food

By choosing the food items labeled 'Local Food Product,' a small but significant practice is entrusted to our members. They are protecting our global environment by reducing the impact on the rising carbon dioxide levels.



Bottle Reuse

Hansalim is continuing its bottle reuse campaign and starting a dialogue to spread significant ways one can reuse bottles in daily life with 50 different types of bottles.



Hansalim Autonomous Certification

Hansalim was already enforcing its autonomous certification system since 2011. Compared to the national low-pesticide standards that was abolished in 2016, Hansalim's certification sets stricter standards, providing you and your family with safer food.



Non-GMO

Hansalim is campaigning against artificially manipulated GMO's and absolutely none of Hansalim's products' raw materials contain any gene-tempered beans, corn or grains.



Saving Native Seeds

Our native seeds are precious volunteers for our agriculture; they are adapted to our soils and our climate. For our tables, our safe agriculture and our future of seed sovereignty, Hansalim is working hard to preserve our native seeds.



'Saving Korean Barley' Pork

The 'Saving Korean Barley' Cooperative opened its Germinated Barley Processing Factory and is saving our barley through it. Our 'Saving Korean Barley' Pork feeds on domestic fodder, not imported corn, increasing our self-sufficiency.



Producers and Consumers Get Closer Meaningful Facilities that Think About our Earth



Hansalim Distribution Center

27,730㎡ Area of Land
 1 Floor Underground . 4 Floors Above Ground
 19,040㎡ Total Floor Area
 5,146㎡ Roadside of the Building

Building's Standing Area

Rooftop Sunlight Regeneration Power Plant
4th Floor Hansalim's Korean Wheat Bakery
3rd Floor Reusable Plastic Bottle WashRoom, Hansalim's Korean Wheat Bakery
2nd Floor Delivery Center Office, Meeting Rooms, Restaurant, Lounge
1st Floor Room Temperature and Refrigerator DPS (storage areas), Work Stations; Packing Areas, Boxes and Recyclable Item Compression Facility
1st Basement Floor Freezer Work Station, Bookkeeping, DAS (Classification for each Storefront) Work Area, Standby and Release

Cutting Edge Distribution Center



Because space was lacking in the previous distribution center, the supply going to the storefronts as well as the consumer members' homes were treated in one assembly line without division. In the new Anseong Distribution Center there are two lines so that each category can be treated in their respective line. Because they are divided, the items can be developed into having the right packaging characteristics to make supplying the members of the cooperative much easier

Korean Wheat Bakery



The 3rd and 4th floor of the Anseong Distribution Center are very sanitary with modern facilities. It is where the bakery is located. To make our healthy bread, the bakery only uses domestically produced ingredients and adds virtually no additives. We are increasing Korean wheat usage through individual members and through the Save Korean Wheat Campaign. New products like confectionary, freshly made breads, and partially processed food items are incorporating not just Korean wheat, but fermented spices, other grains, fruit, etc. They are all helping to develop the Korean wheat business.

Hansalim AnseongMachum Foods



In order to magnify domestic bean production and increase the outcome of the farming area, Hansalim, Anseong City and six agricultural cooperatives came together to establish Hansalim AnseongMachum Foods. It made tofu and other processed soybean products able to be produced and supplied since 2015.

Hansalim Sunlight Regeneration Power Plant



As an alternative to nuclear energy, Hansalim made an effort toward increasing an alternative form of regenerative energy. The first operating Sunlight Regeneration Power Plant (opened March of 2014) had a roof of 5200 square meters installed and by using rays of sunlight (440kwh), had an effectiveness of a 1403 ton reduction in greenhouse gases yearly.

Reusing Plastic Bottle Campaign



Everyday, approximately 9600 bottles are cleaned and reused. Since February 1, 2014, Hansalim enacted a system that returned 50 won per bottle. In addition, the yearly "Bottle Reuse Campaign" has been steadily going. When it first started it had a collection rate of 14% but it rose to 20% in 2015.

Products' Box Packaging Reuse Handling Facility



While operating the distribution center, there have been other operating facilities where members can reduce waste and recycle in an environmentally friendly and ecological way such as the box recycling area.



Meticulous producer management and product safety inspection you can trust

In order to make Hansalim's safe food products, producers and consumers form a working group to manage the entire production process. 'The producers give consumers life and the consumers are responsible for producers' livelihoods.' This is Hansalim's tradition that is not easy for other organizations to follow because it comes from a long-held faith that still continues to exist between the two. Hansalim keeps the radiation standard for adolescents and youths to 8Bq/kg and 4Bq/kg for infants. Every month, Hansalim requests a detailed inspection report from Hansalim Agricultural Product Inspection Center, The Republic of Korea Research Facility, and the Citizen's Radioactivity Center. Even if it is under the standard, we always let the customer know how much radiation is present; we honor transparency.

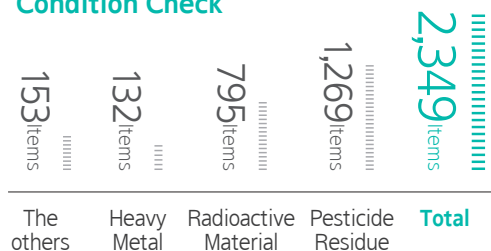
Radioactive Material Frequency Autonomous Standard

The permissible amount of radioactive material in Korea 100 Bq/kg
 Hansalim's permissible amount of radioactive material ● Adolescents and Adult 8 Bq/kg ● Infants 4 Bq/kg

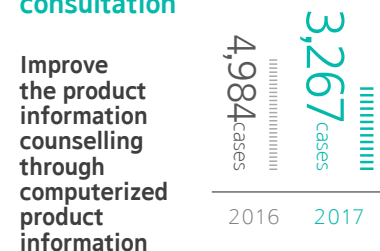
Radioactive material check up



Product Safety Present Condition Check



Ordering and Product consultation



Improve the product information counselling through computerized product information



Protecting Hansalim's Strict Standards Even Before Government Authorization was Made

Hansalim has been farming without pesticides and chemicals since its inception in 1986, many years before 2001 when the Korean government published laws regarding organic and non-pesticides farming.



Government Certification is a bare minimum

The National Administration of Agricultural Products and the government, organizations whom one trusts, in addition to Hansalim's Agri-Food Analysis center are receiving lasting analyses that are being acknowledged.



Meticulous Double Checking System

Not only do the products get a certificate from authorities, the products of Hansalim are scrupulously managed by the local Producer Association. In addition, local buyers and some related organizations frequents the production sites to check the safety of the products.



Channel for Product Communication Hansalim Member Service Center

Hansalim improves the ease of use and the confidence on product through prompt member support services by integrating each service system ran by each consumer's cooperative.



Producer Association Management

Production sites are usually clustered and newly joined clusters are educated using our own honest principles. Hansalim's Producer's Associations are also using a lot of effort in examining the production processes constantly. Moreover, Hansalim receives each producers' own checklist to enhance the safety.



Thorough Pesticide Analyses That Will Remain! What's More Important is Our Confidence in it

The official national certification organization can only test around 320 ingredients that exist in pesticides out of the 440,000 that is currently available in market circulation. These pesticide checks are not enough. No matter how thoroughly we do the checks, there is always the possibility that a small amount remains. So we believe the trust between producers and consumers is more important. And since 1986, Hansalim has been keeping this tradition alive.



Hansalim Agri-Food Analysis Center Increases Public Confidence Through Product Safety Reports

Hansalim Agri-Food Analysis Center, which launched March 2015, uses its own safety checking systems to scrutinize the existence of chemicals among the products. This system closely inspects for 320,000 different ingredients and radioactive substances, enhancing the reliability of our checking system.



At the Distribution Center, We Inspect it Again

When product enters distribution center, we recheck the products for existence of chemicals. Every week, we find a minimum of 5 products that do not meet the inspection standard.



Producers and Consumers Themselves! Hansalim's Own Certification System

Since 2013, Hansalim has launched the Autonomous Management, Autonomous Check, and Autonomous Inspection, which encourage producers and consumers to voluntarily manage and inspect the production process. These systems, in particular, are extremely beneficial for the cases of fruits that are extremely difficult to grow without chemicals; we use our own scrupulous standard to make reasonable criteria on such fruits.

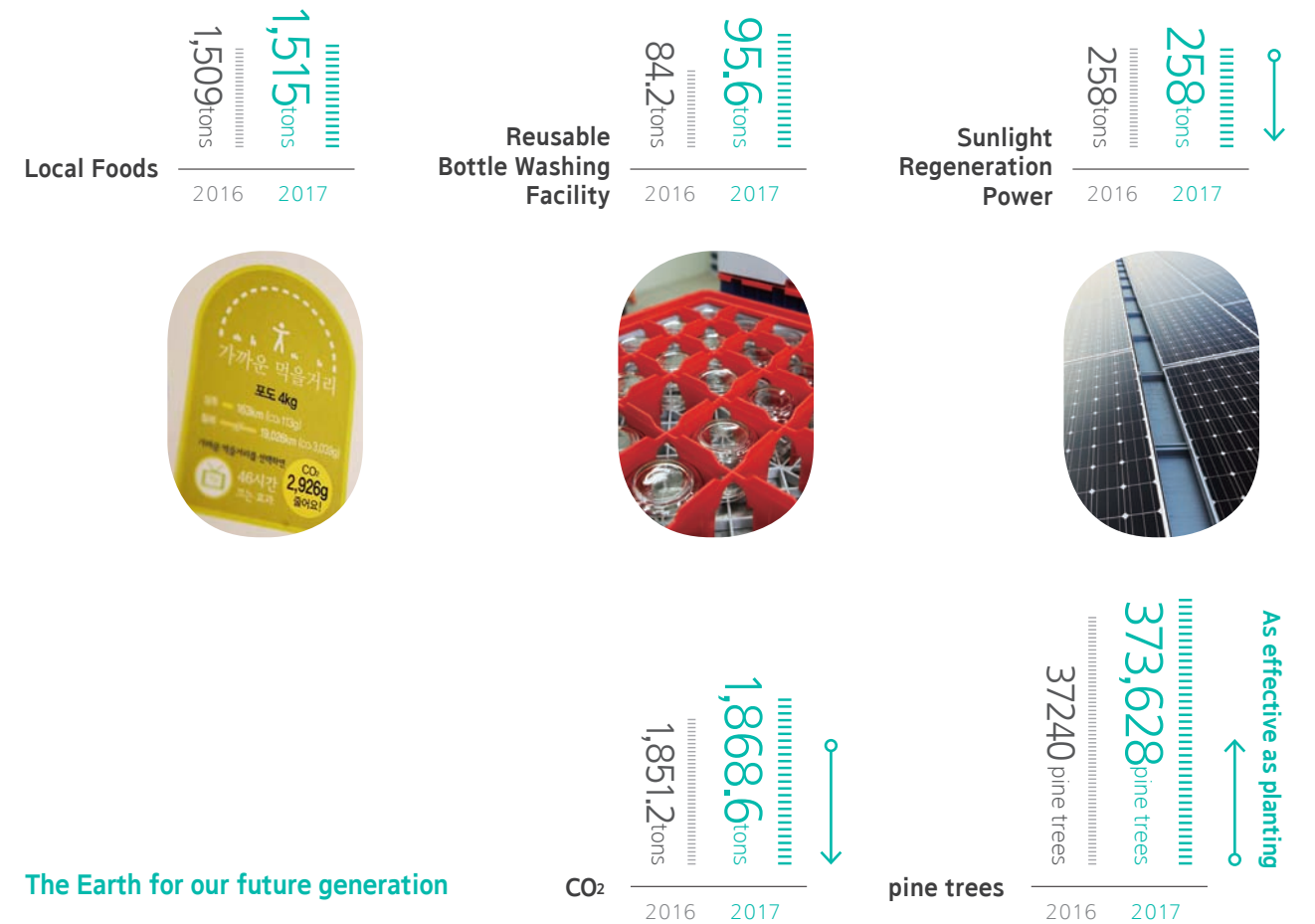
Significant practices with the Earth in mind



Hansalim's Activities

- Urban and Rural Interchange
- Solidarity and Cooperation
- Frequent Activities
- Participation and Communication
- Member's Meeting
- Preventing Climate Change Correspondence

Hansalim is opposed to the creation of nuclear powerplants and is devoted to reducing greenhouses gases.



The Earth for our future generation

I must change first in order for us to live life together



- Accept the obligation to consume more than 20kg of rice per year to raise food self-sufficiency and to save eco-system.
- Using one more backed-up product in order to share some of the hardship that the producer faces.
- Use natural detergents to protect the water supply from getting polluted.
- Save the environment by gathering up the courage to use reusable items.
- Take a reusable bag with me with going grocery shopping.
- Going to the farming area and meeting a producer once a year.
- Prepare simple, vegetarian meals.
- Purchasing foods that are grown as close to me as possible and trying to save the food culture as much as I can.
- Cleanly washing reusable bottles and returning to the storefront along with boxes that can be reused.
- Use environmentally friendly products in place of one-time use products.

Local Foods, Hansalim's Action Against Climate Change

It is quite inevitable for exporters to use preservatives on foods to endure the long journey. Apart from that, carbon dioxide and other toxic gases come out of the engines used to transport the goods, threatening the earth. We are pursuing to increase the consumption of locally produced food; so accordingly, on the receipt, we write the amount of energy and carbon emissions that you saved by using our products.

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Food Life Education with Society together

To expand the concept of Save our Life and the culture of foods, Food Life Center developed various food program throughout one's lifetime from the baby to elderly people and practice it with local communities. Food Life Center develops high-quality contents of food life through its specialized research meeting and runs 300 hours of the Basic, Intensive, Advanced course to train food life education activists.



Food Life Center conducted **958 times** of food life education and green food life movement a year for **24,220 people** from infant to adult. Each activity considers the health in the process of production, consumption and intake. And also expresses gratitude for the environment and nature.



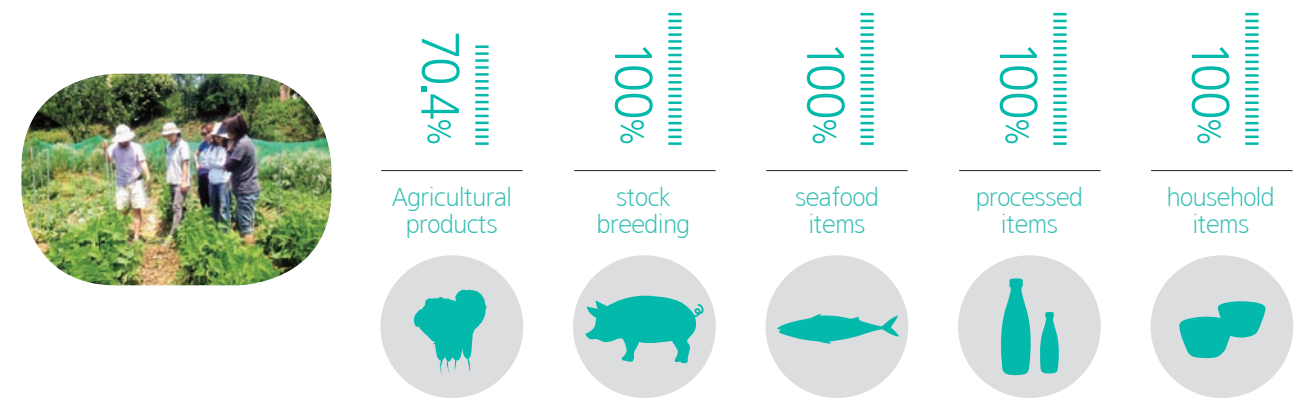


Autonomous Management Autonomous Check Autonomous Certification

The producers themselves directly decide on not only the business policies, but the standards for Hansalim's products as well. Through lasting urban and rural exchanges, together the consumers and producers meticulously choose the method of production and therefore it is able to be trusted naturally.

The basics of the national certificate, the producers and consumers manage it together with faith

2017 Producer Autonomous Management



2017 Consumers Autonomous Check



The activity of **63** inspection teams consisting of consumers' cooperative members

2017 Hansalim Autonomous Certification



127 producers receive certification out of the **23**nd provinces

You say producers autonomously manage?

The basis of 'Hansalim goes the producers' way' is to give the producers independent responsibility.

- All the producers participate in supplying items to Hansalim.
- Before the producers ship the agricultural harvest, they independently record the contents on a checklist that they give to Hansalim. Only after we ensure that there is nothing abnormal in the order, we will supply it. The producers of processed food, household items, seafood, livestock products are checking its production process regularly. Managing checklist gets filled out and then submitted to Hansalim twice a year
- Hansalim confirms the checklist is accurate.
- Members can also check that the checklist is accurate.

You say members can autonomously confirm the checklist?

The members of the consumer cooperative who participate in a prior study of the product in small groups can visit the production site, can inspect the producers' autonomous management and the product background, as well as check the production process. For Hansalim, anyone who is a member has the possibility to participate in these events.

- In order to belong to this group, one must fill out the required form.
- Before visiting the producer, one must participate in the prior study so that they can learn about the producer and his/her products (required).
- During the visit, the production process of the products are verified.
- The verified nature of the process, consumer members fill out the checklist of autonomous check and autonomous management and then submitted to Hansalim.

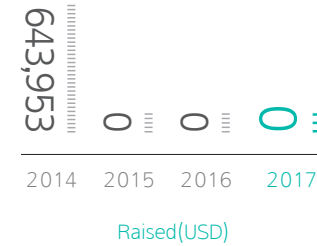
Cities and Farming Villages are Hansalim's One Heart



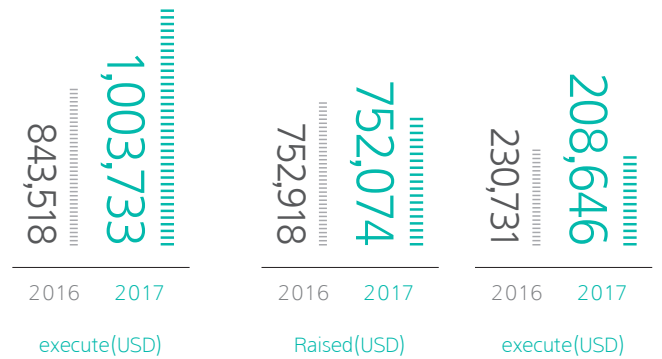
We feel as if the lives of Hansalim's producers and consumer members who live in both the farming villages and cities are being connected together. The producers who live on the farmland and the consumers who are in the cities trust and depend on each other, harmoniously living together. Producers and consumers are not coldly purchasing goods with money, but instead they have consideration toward each other. Together, they share and eat food, as if they are of one family. Hansalim is protecting our agriculture and saving our farming communities' cultures.

Production Stabilization Fund

We temporarily stop raising funds in 2015-2016 because the accumulated amount was more than amount used.



Price Stabilization Fund



Urban and Rural interchange participants



Producer event participation



Producer visit experience



Producer volunteer assistance



Producer consumer Discussion



Producer consumer Discussion



Hansalim Urban and Rural Interchange Event

- **To cover the producer labor shortage:** villages, consumers, and decision-makers meet and visit the farm to help cover the lack of labor
- **Visiting the producer:** families or gathered groups visit Hansalim's producers as one would an agriturismo (picking grapes or picking apples, etc.) in order to fulfill the farmers' livelihood
- **During the first full moon of the Lunar Calendar, Fall Harvest Festival, or other festivals:** the seasonal customs traditionally done are reenacted and in addition to various games, producers and consumers have a feast in the garden
- **School of Life:** during summer and winter vacation, elementary school students go to School of Life where they learn about the farming communities' culture while roaming around as much as they please in nature.





Members Participate in Managing Hansalim



Hansalim's consumer members are not solely just customers. They are rightfully Hansalim owners. Hansalim's business and policies are decided upon by the Board of Directors, all of whom are determined by cooperative members. The right to decide applies to each member who live in all 22 provinces that make up our country. Decisions on how to treat products, ceasing or selecting new products, purchases and management of buildings or facilities, expression of positions on social agendas, all of these are discussed and decided upon by the elected Board of Directors. The Committee of Agricultural Products and the Committee of Processed Products, etc. in each respective area collect member agreements on how to handle the products. The members of the participating committees meticulously inspect the sites of production and make visits to see the production process. Producers and consumers in form and exchange opinions. In addition, the producers and consumers work together to create the annual farming plan. All this aside, within the interest and participation of our members is the management through various committees like the Environmental Committee, Committee to Save our Table, Public Relations Committee, etc. Through this management, we can realize our values and intentions. Still, in all of Korea, Hansalim's most important foundation are the active 803 groups. These are product samplers, infant education events, reading discussions, hobby-related gatherings, various village and consumer meetings that depend on your interests that are still occurring.

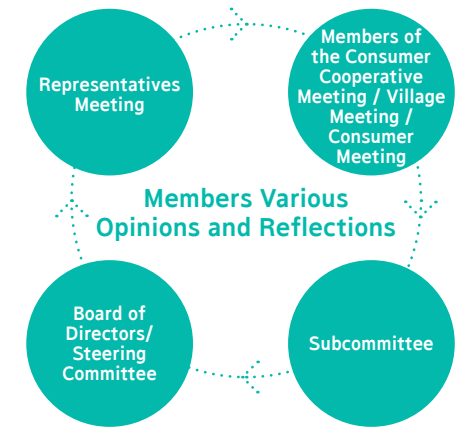
Hansalim Worker's Collective

In Hansalim, the members who have the intentions and the will find necessary work on their own. While they invest and work together, they take responsibility and manage as a Worker's Collective. They make side dishes, the products that are wasteful to throw away are revived by their creativity, and items that need to go are given away or deliberately sold. The proceeds go to support the neighbors in the area.

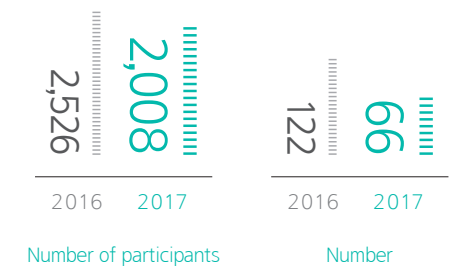


Members Meeting

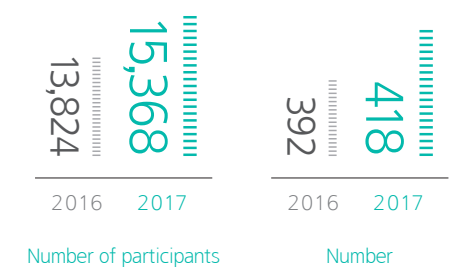
Members voluntarily meet to discuss and share things regarding Hansalim's products, cooking, the environment, hobbies, their community, various events, etc. One can freely participate and initiate other meetings if one is passionate about doing so.



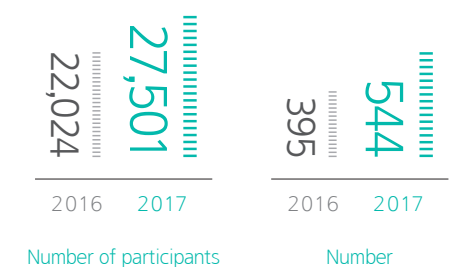
Consumer Cooperative Meeting



Village Gathering



Consumer Meeting



Village Gathering

Each village comfortably meet to discuss the progress in cooking, food products, environment, Hansalim reports, etc.

Consumer Meeting

The meeting consist of reading books, sowing, drawing, sharing different topics, and learning together.

Consumer Cooperative Meeting

Members of the same cooperative meet together to share various things and participate in food tastings.

Department Meeting

As a member, one can independently suggest events and products. If it reflects the will of the others, a subdivision meeting(committee activity and connection) will be held where participation is voluntary. (Committees: Processed goods, Agricultural Products, Save our Rice Paddies, Life School, Food Education Center, Environment, Public Relations, Training Center, Etc).



Hansalim's Warm Communication to the World

You can meet Hansalim because we are close to each other. Producers and members of Hansalim constantly communicate with one another. Every 24 seasonal divisions of year, life's full breath shop various products, Hansalim's producers and production sites, news of members' various actions, homepage, blog, and facebook are just some of the various ways you can get the latest news. There are many ways that we bring consumers and producers together and in that way, they can be more empathetic towards each other.

《Hansalim》 Newsletter
The newsletter spreads news about Hansalim neighbors and our area. It also includes everything to do with Hansalim product production and members' matters.



Gift planning premise and product brochures
We are spreading our thankful hearts through our products on holidays like Korean New Year's, Family Day, Korean Thanksgiving, and the End of the Year.



Member Education Booklet
Education Booklet for Hansalim consumer members and activists



Web of Life
Center for the Web of Life Quarterly

Website of Hansalim consumer's cooperative and affiliated organization

- Hansalim Gangwon-Yeongdong Consumer's Cooperative gwyd.hansalim.or.kr
- Hansalim Southern Gyeonggi Consumer's Cooperative ggnb.hansalim.or.kr
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- Hansalim Sunlight Generation Cooperative solar.hansalim.or.kr
- Hansalim Funding hansalimfunding.co.kr
- Hansalim Training Center edu.hansalim.or.kr
- Hansalim Food Life Center cafe.daum.net/hansalimfoodlife
- Center for the Web of Life www.mosim.or.kr
- Hansalim Press www.salimstory.net

Hansalim Homepage
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Hansalim Foundation
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shop.hansalim.or.kr



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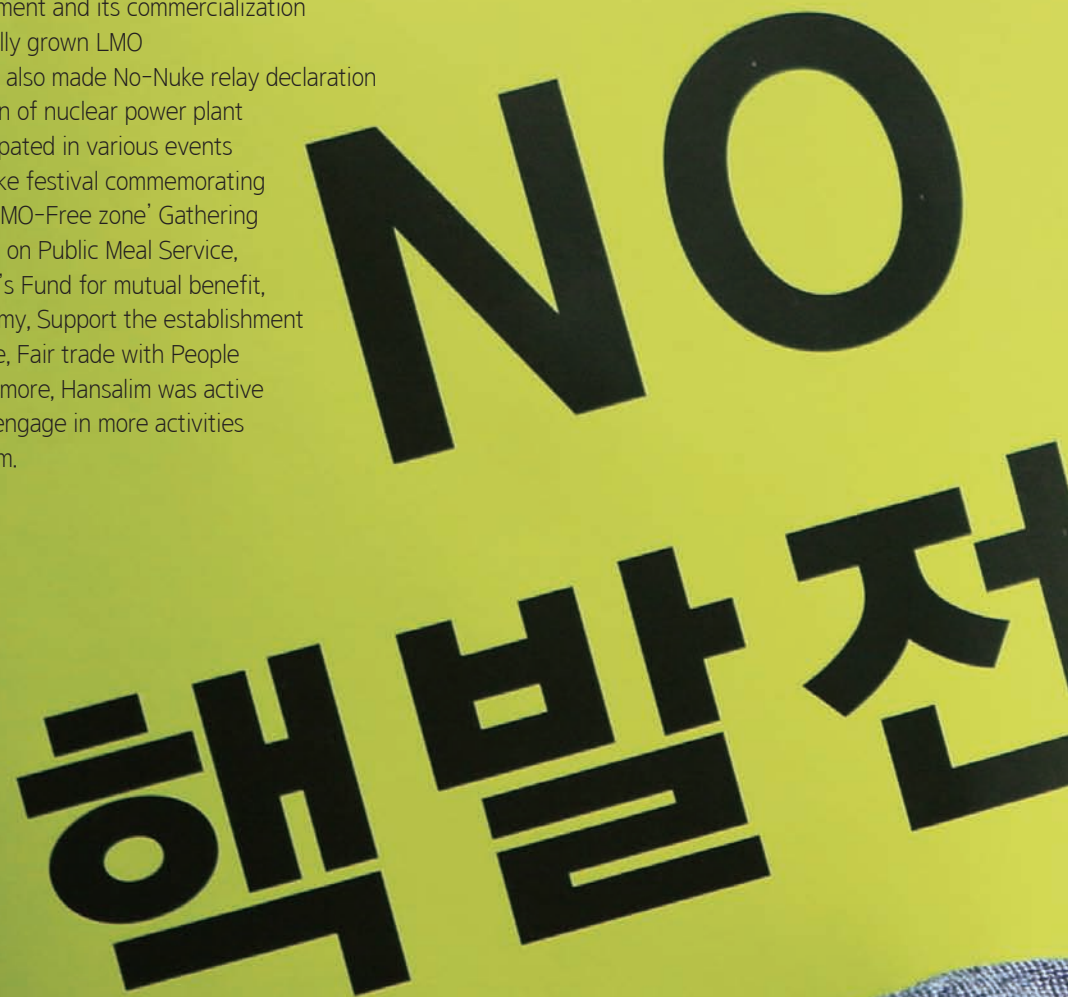


Hansalim's facebook
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Internal and External Solidarity

Hansalim engaged in various campaigns regarding social issues in year 2017 as well. Hansalim drove anti-GMO movement with other NGOs against government's GMO experiment and its commercialization plan. Also, took research on naturally grown LMO with consumer members. Hansalim also made No-Nuke relay declaration and Citizen's Action for nullification of nuclear power plant construction. Also Hansalim participated in various events such as 6th anniversary of No-Nuke festival commemorating Fukushima nuclear disaster and 'GMO-Free zone' Gathering in Japan. International Conference on Public Meal Service, General Assembly of Asian People's Fund for mutual benefit, Policy agreement for Social Economy, Support the establishment of Indian Dalit Organic Cooperative, Fair trade with People to People exchange activities and more, Hansalim was active in various activities. Hansalim will engage in more activities with members to achieve Life Salim.



- 1 JANUARY
 - Green Co-op, Japan make return visit to Hansalim for onion provision
- 3 MARCH
 - Participate in 'GMO-Free zone' Gathering in Japan.
 - 311 Fukushima disasters 6th anniversary 'Butterfly Parade'
- 4 APRIL
 - Daichi Wo Mamoru Kai, Japan visit Hansalim
 - Japan Fiber-Recycles Solidarity Association visit Hansalim
 - IFOAM Asia visit Hansalim production sites
 - Participate in National Gathering of Stop GMO sowing
 - Presidential election Policy agreement on Agriculture and Social economy sector
- 5 MAY
 - Anti-THAAD Peace bus
 - AKBG, JFSA visit to Korea and give lecture



- 6 JUNE
 - National No-Nuke Bus against the experiment of nuclear reprocessing.
 - Hansalim Life Food Truck
 - Naturally Grown LMO Research
 - CERES, Australia and La Trobe University visit Distribution Center
 - Support the establishment of Indian Dalit Organic Cooperative
 - Present the achievement of Korean Anti-GMO movement in Taiwan Symposium

- 7 JULY
 - Environmental Impact Assessment around LMO isolated field with government
 - Establish Citizen's Action for nullification of nuclear power plant construction



- 8 AUGUST
 - Establish People's Fair Trade Coop
 - Announce No-Nuke relay declaration and Hansalim Anti-Nuclear declaration
 - Press conference on Naturally Grown LMO Research

- 9 SEPTEMBER
 - Conclude an agreement on stop commercialization of GM rice between Anti-GMO National Action and Rural Development Administration about.
 - Participate in seminar organized by Asia-Pacific Food and Fertilizer Technology Center, Taiwan
 - Invite to Mindful Market Lecture, Taiwan

- 10 OCTOBER
 - Visit to sugarcane production sites in Negros, Philippines
 - General Assembly of Asian People's Fund for mutual benefit, Japan
 - 'Let's Peace' Festival for Denuclearization and Peace in Korean Peninsula

- 11 NOVEMBER
 - Research Study on Mondragon Cooperative Corporation, Spain
 - Hold forum to reform the current ecofriendly organic certification system
 - Visit Green Co-op, Japan to review ordering system
 - Join Democracy UP 2017 Politic Festival



- 12 DECEMBER
 - Hold International Conference on Public Meal Service with Seoul Metropolitan government
 - Present Hansalim case in 9th CSA gathering in China

We are Consumer Cooperatives that participate in Hansalim's Life Campaign



How Hansalim wants us to live

Hansalim wants to save the sacred life that we foster within ourselves. When one respects the sacredness of their life, they can realize the magnetic self within themselves. How can we foster our sacredness so that others can respect their own worth?

How can we overcome ourselves and think of the land we live on like we think of ourselves

Just as a child grows through his dependence on his mother's bosom, the universe acknowledges that peoples' life is dependent on the meal table. That is why saving lives is to save agriculture and the land—the basics in the production of food.

We think that our neighborhood producers and consumers are family

We are pushing out and restoring neighborly faith and love in our lives where indifference and alienation is widespread. Hansalim's producers are giving consumers life and consumers are giving producers their livelihoods. Because they are responsible for each other, they are creating a joined community that they live in.

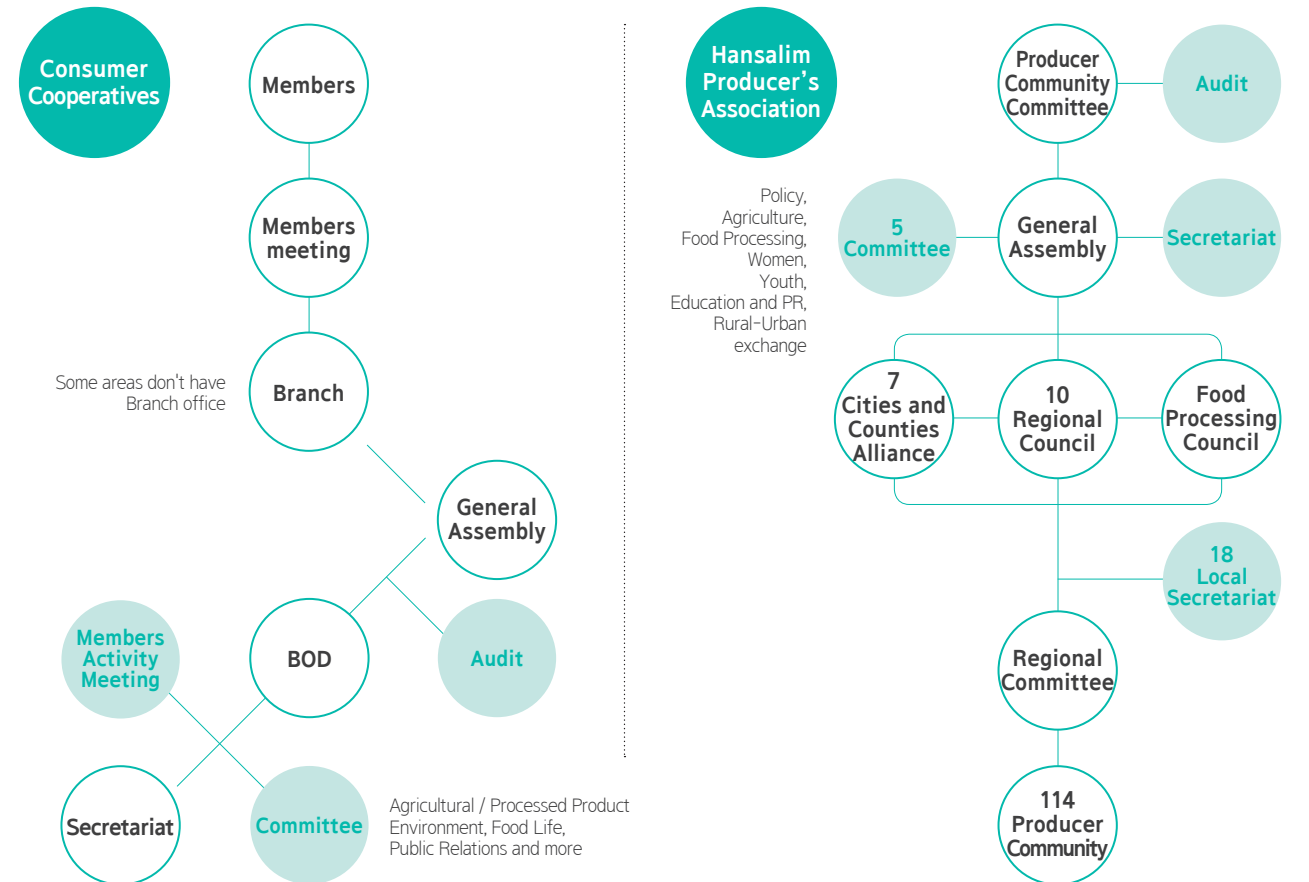
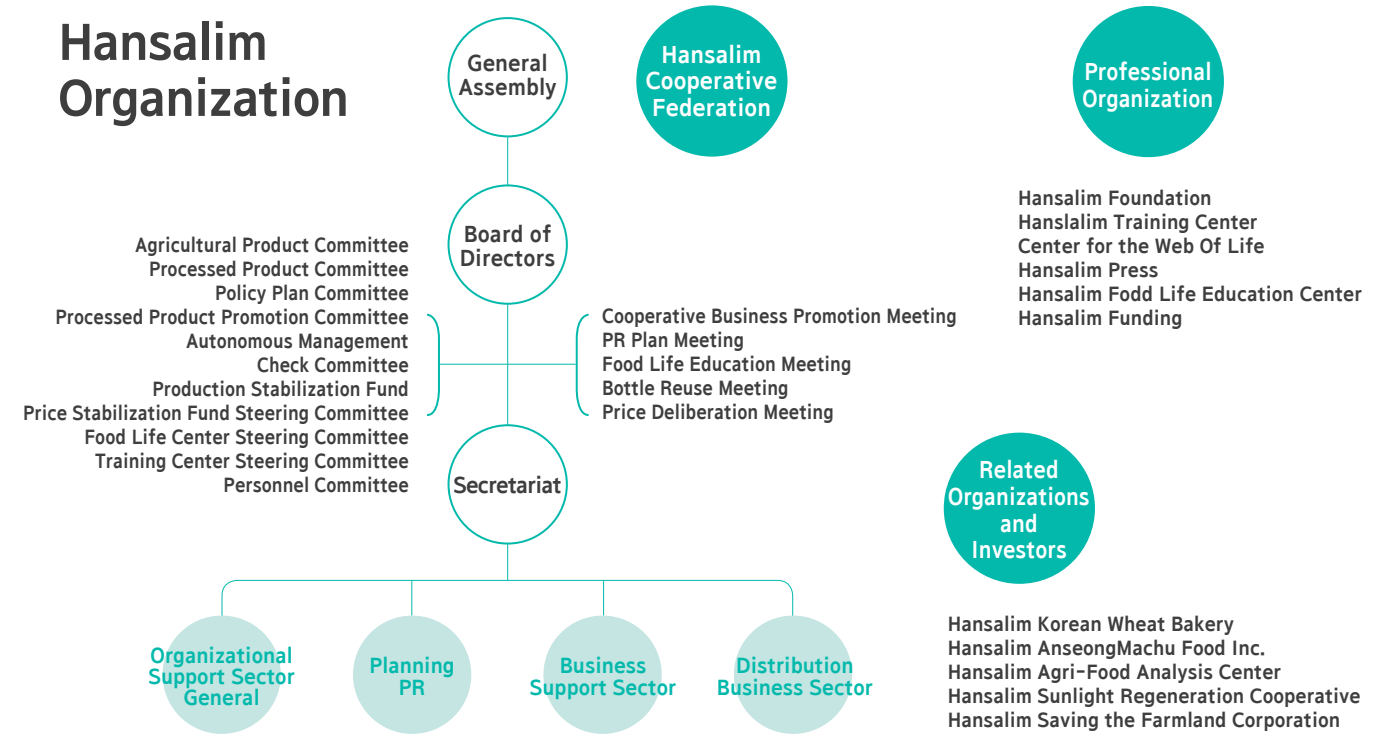
Because we are members in the universe's life, we are responsible for the ecosystem

We are living together in the root of life. All the natural environment, sunlight and shade, wind and even the small amount of water flowing in the ditches are splitting up their precious love for us to exist today. For that reason, together, all life is making our livelihoods.

I must start with myself for the life that we are living together

Because Hansalim focuses on one person at a time to recognize their existence as being larger than themselves, our campaigns aid in caring for one another through concern and love for our neighbors, nature's creations and even our future generations. When I start with myself, valuing life and changing my lifestyle patterns to the right way, we make living together good for our local areas and neighbors.

Hansalim Organization



The Journey of Hansalim

Major Milestones

1986 ~ 2017

Major Milestones in a Social Context



- 1986 Hansalim Nongsan
- 1988 Hansalim Establishes Community Consumer Cooperative and Hansalim's Producers' Association
- 1989 Hansalim Manifesto

- 1993 Heuk Salim Institute Established
- 1995 Korea Japan Life Community Gathering Reached 10,000 Members
- 1996 Completion of the First Distribution Center
Hansalim Ten Year Anniversary

1986

1990

2000



- 1991 "Save Korean Wheat" Campaign
- 1992 Campaign Against Developing Cheonggyesan Mountain Slopes
- 1994 Korean Federation of Sustainable Agriculture Organization Established
- 1996 Earth's Day Event
- 1997 Delivered Contributions to starving North Korean fellows Campaign Against Nuclear Waste from North Korea and Taiwan



- 2000 Anti-GMO Campaigns
Seoul Environmental Grand Prize Received
- 2001 Financial Support for Afghanistan refugees
- 2002 Financial Support for Victims of Typhoon Rusa
- 2003 "School Feeding with Safe Food" Enactment Signature Campaign
- 2006 Unification Table with a Delivery of Life Giving Rice and 310 bags to North Korea
Campaign Against Imported Rice



- 2000 Set-Up Internet Homepage, Online Ordering
Reached 20,000 Members Commemoration Concert
- 2002 Center for Web of Life Established
- 2006 Hansalim Twenty Year Anniversary
- 2008 Hansalim Press Established
- 2009 200,000 Members Reached



- 2011 Hansalim Cooperative Federation Established
- 2012 Sunlight Generation Cooperative Established
Save Korean Barley Cooperative Established
- 2013 The Second Term of Hansalim Cooperative Federation Begins
- 2014 Anseong Distribution Center Established
- 2015 Hansalim Agri-food Analysis Center Established
500,000 Members Reached
Hansalim Transportation Cooperation Unit Created
Hansalim Expands to Include Rice and Grains that the Public can Trust
Hansalim AnseongMachum Foods Established



- 10 Hansalim 30th Anniversary Festival
Life and Peace Gathering
- 9 Open Hansalim Member Service Center
- 7 Establish Famrland Salim Corporation for farmland conservation

2010

2016

2017

- 2010 Support for Haiti and Pakistan
- 2012 Campaign to Save Korean Barley
- 2013 Established Civil Radioactivity Monitoring Center Created a Relief Fund for Philippine Typhoon Victims
- 2014 Received the 'One World Award' Campaign against Rice Tariffication
- 2015 Created a Relief Fund for Nepal Earthquake Victims



- 5 Signature Collecting for GMO Labeling Law revision
- 7 Actions against GMO cultivation experiment by Rural Development Administratio
- 8 Deliver fund to Justice Remember Foundation to correct the problem of sexual slavery in the Japanese Military
- 8 Complete Shree Mahalaxmi Higher Secondary School in Nepal
- 10 Establish Anti-GMO National Action



- 12 Establish Hansalim Funding
- 8 Establish People's Fairtrade Cooperative
- 6 The era of 600,000 consumer members
- 3 Establish Hansalim Suwon Consumer's Cooperative



- 5 Clothes Recycling Movement to support Pakistan Schools
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Again,
Rice



Hansalim being Rice of World

Being Rice means
Lower Oneself to Save Others.
The reason World works is because
All beings have been Rice to each other.

Producer being Consumer's Rice,
Consumer being Producer's Rice
Take Responsibility for each other,
Human also being Nature's Rice.

In the world of losing the importance of a meal of rice,
Think better of eating rice facing each other.
Thank you for being Rice all this while,
Hansalim will be Rice of World as it used to be.



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