



Membership Application/Renewal

Company Name _____

Mailing Address _____

Physical Address _____

City, State, and Zip _____

Phone _____ Fax _____

Website Address (for linking) _____

Please list name, address, phone, and e-mail address for key personnel for receipt of the Weekly Update and for directory listing (if more than five attach additional page)

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TSTA Code of Ethics

All active members of the association shall subscribe to the following code of ethics. We possess the greatest faith in the future of the seed industry. We recognize seeds as a fundamental part of the agricultural success of our country. We pledge our earnest cooperation and sincere effort to protect the interests of the public, our industry and our association members through honest and upright business practices; our sincere effort to breed, grow, buy, and sell quality seeds, and to conduct ourselves in a business manner where just compensation for ourselves and our fellow seedsmen can flourish. We believe in the Texas Seed Trade Association, subscribe to the principles for which it stands, and agree to its Rules, Constitution, and Bylaws.

Signature _____



Texas Seed Trade Association Membership Dues

Active Membership with Voting Privileges (for companies that produce, market, provide, and sell seeds)

Total Business Volume (Seed)	Annual Dues	<i>Make checks payable to Texas Seed Trade Association Please indicate if you require an invoice or a receipt</i>
0 to \$500,000.00	\$500.00	
\$500,000.00 - \$1M	\$600.00	
\$1M - \$3M	\$850.00	
\$3M - \$5M	\$1150.00	
\$5M - \$10M	\$1500.00	
Over \$10M	\$1900.00	

Associate Membership (limited to companies that produce, market, provide, and sell products exclusive of seed)

Annual Dues	\$500.00	<i>Make checks payable to Texas Seed Trade Association</i>
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Affiliate Membership (limited to allied trade associations, non-businesses, and professional organizations).

Annual Dues	\$300.00	<i>Make checks payable to Texas Seed Trade Association</i>
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Branch locations bearing the same name as the parent business will be listed in the directory at no additional cost.

TSTA dues are not deductible as a charitable contribution but may be deductible as an ordinary and necessary business expense. A portion of the dues is not deductible and an ordinary and necessary business expense because TSTA actively engages in state and federal lobbying. The non-deductible portion of dues for the year 2015-16 is 7%.

The association directory lists member's categories utilizing the following footnotes. Please indicate the segments you would like to list as your company's products by circling the following that apply.

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| 1. Farm Seed | 10. Clover Seed |
| 2. Flower Seed | 11. Cotton Seed |
| 3. Corn Seed | 12. Sunflower Seed |
| 4. Vegetable Seed | 13. Tree Seed |
| 5. Lawn Seed | 14. Peanut Seed |
| 6. Sorghum Seed | 15. Wildlife Forage Seed and/or Wild Bird Seed |
| 7. Soybean Seed | 16. Rice Seed |
| 8. Field Grass Seed | 17. Small Grains Seed |
| 9. Alfalfa Seed | 18. Seed Company Services |