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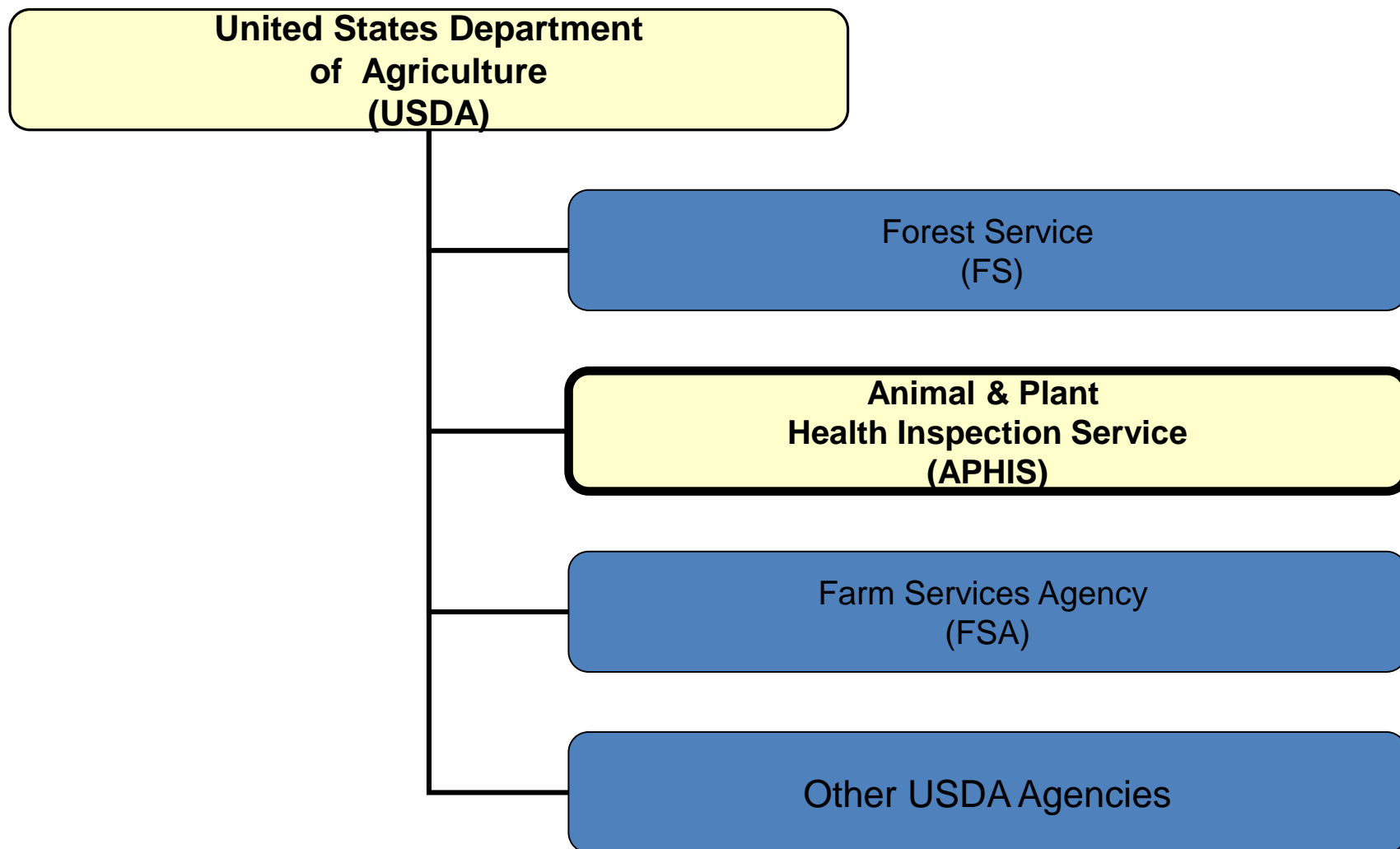




Who we are....



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APHIS

Animal Care

Biotechnology Regulatory Services

Wildlife Services

Veterinary Services

International Services

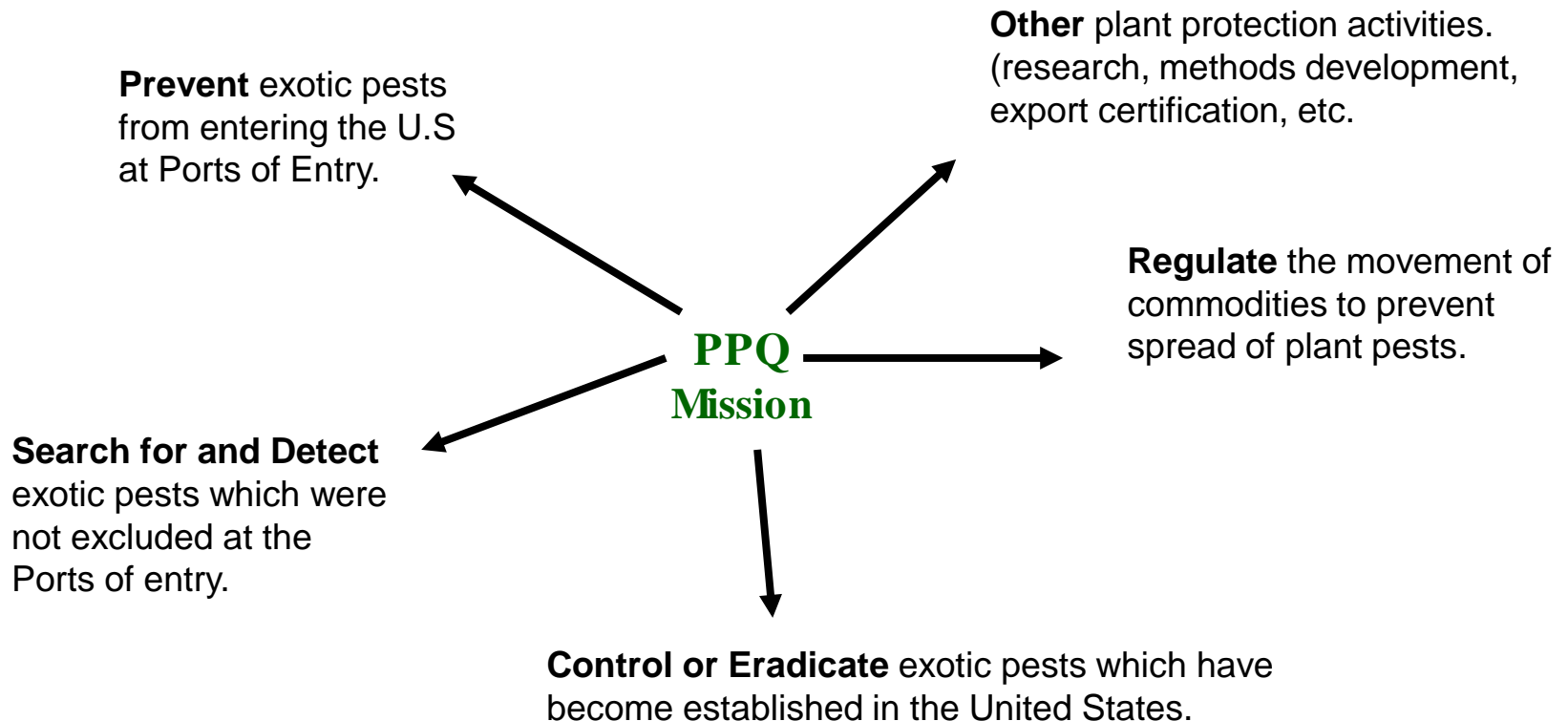
Plant Protection and Quarantine



What we do....

PPQWhat we do

PPQ MISSION: Plant Protection and Quarantine (PPQ) regulates the importation of plants and plant products under the authority of the Plant Protection Act. PPQ maintains its import program to safeguard U.S. agriculture and natural resources from the risks associated with the entry, establishment, or spread of animal and plant pests and noxious weeds.





What are Biologicals?

Plants, Organisms, and Soil

Plant pests (plant feeding insects, mites, snails, slugs, and plant pathogenic bacteria, viruses, fungi, etc.), biological control organisms of plant pests and weeds, bees, parasitic plants and Federally listed noxious weeds, earthworms, soil for the purpose of isolating or culturing microorganisms from the soil.

Veterinary Biologics (VS)

Vaccines, bacterins, antisera, animal proteins, diagnostic kits, fomites, cell cultures, bone ash, bone black, or bone char, hides, tissue samples, and other products of biological origin...



Our Role

1. Protect American Agriculture
2. Give you the information you need
3. Help you import your products safely and appropriately
4. Assist you in the permit process
5. Work with you up-front so the process goes smoothly
6. Enforce the conditions of the permit if necessary
7. Cooperate with other Agencies



How to Apply for a Permit

<https://www.aphis.usda.gov/aphis/resources/permits>

ePermits

ePermits is a web-based system that allows users to submit import /interstate movement/transit/release permit applications, track applications, apply for renewals and amendments, and receive copies of their permits.

ePermits uses a USDA-wide system for login called USDA eAuthentication. To use ePermits, you will need to register for an eAuthentication account with Level 2 access for most application permit types.



Applications that can be submitted online through ePermits:

Application Form	Application Name
PPQ 525A	Application for Permit to Receive Soil
PPQ 526	Application and Permit to Move Live Plant Pests or Noxious Weeds
PPQ 546	Agreement for Postentry Quarantine State Screening Notice
PPQ 585	Application for Permit to Import Timber or Timber Products
PPQ 586	Application for Permit to Transit Plants and/or Plant Products, Plant Pests, and/or Associated Soil, through the United States
PPQ 587	Application for Permit to Import Plants or Plant Products
PPQ 588	Application for Permit to Import Plants or Plant Products for Experimental Purposes
PPQ 621	Application for General Permit to Engage in the Business of Importing, Exporting, or Reexporting Terrestrial Plants
VS 16-3	Application for Permit to Import Controlled Material or Transport Organisms or Vectors
VS 16-7	Application for Permit to Import Cell Cultures and Their Products (Supplemental to the VS 16-3)
VS 17-129	Application for Import or in Transit Permit (for Live Animals, Semen or Embryos)
APHIS 2005	Application for United States Veterinary Biological Product Permit
On Hold	On Hold Shipment Notification
BRS 2000	Application for Permit or Courtesy Permit for Movement or Release of Genetically Engineered Organisms
BRS Notification	Notification of Movement or Release of a Genetically Engineered Plant



Contacts

ePermits

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The END

Or

Is it just the Beginning?

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