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THE DEVELOPMENT OF COOPERATIVES IN THE ORGANIZATIONAL STRUCTURE OF WORLD AGRICULTURE

The features of the development of cooperatives in the organizational structure of world agriculture and expanding areas of activity while deepening specialization, formation of regional, sectoral and national associations of the cooperative movement internationally.

Systematized domestic and international experience of the cooperative movement in agriculture, in order to identify internal and external relations and regularities of formation of cooperatives in Ukraine and in the world.

It is determined that development of agricultural cooperatives is an inevitable component of agriculture transformation to market conditions, and market system of farming cannot function effectively unless it includes the cooperative mechanisms of producers’ self-support and self-defense in complex competitive environment.

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