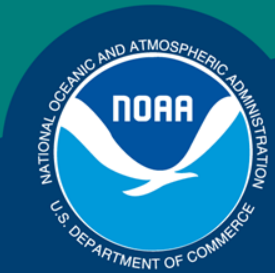


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Mission

IASI supports a broad mission including:

- Fisheries and protected resources management and conservation
- Regulations affecting international management standards and trade
- Seafood Inspection Program
- Technical trade support

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**International
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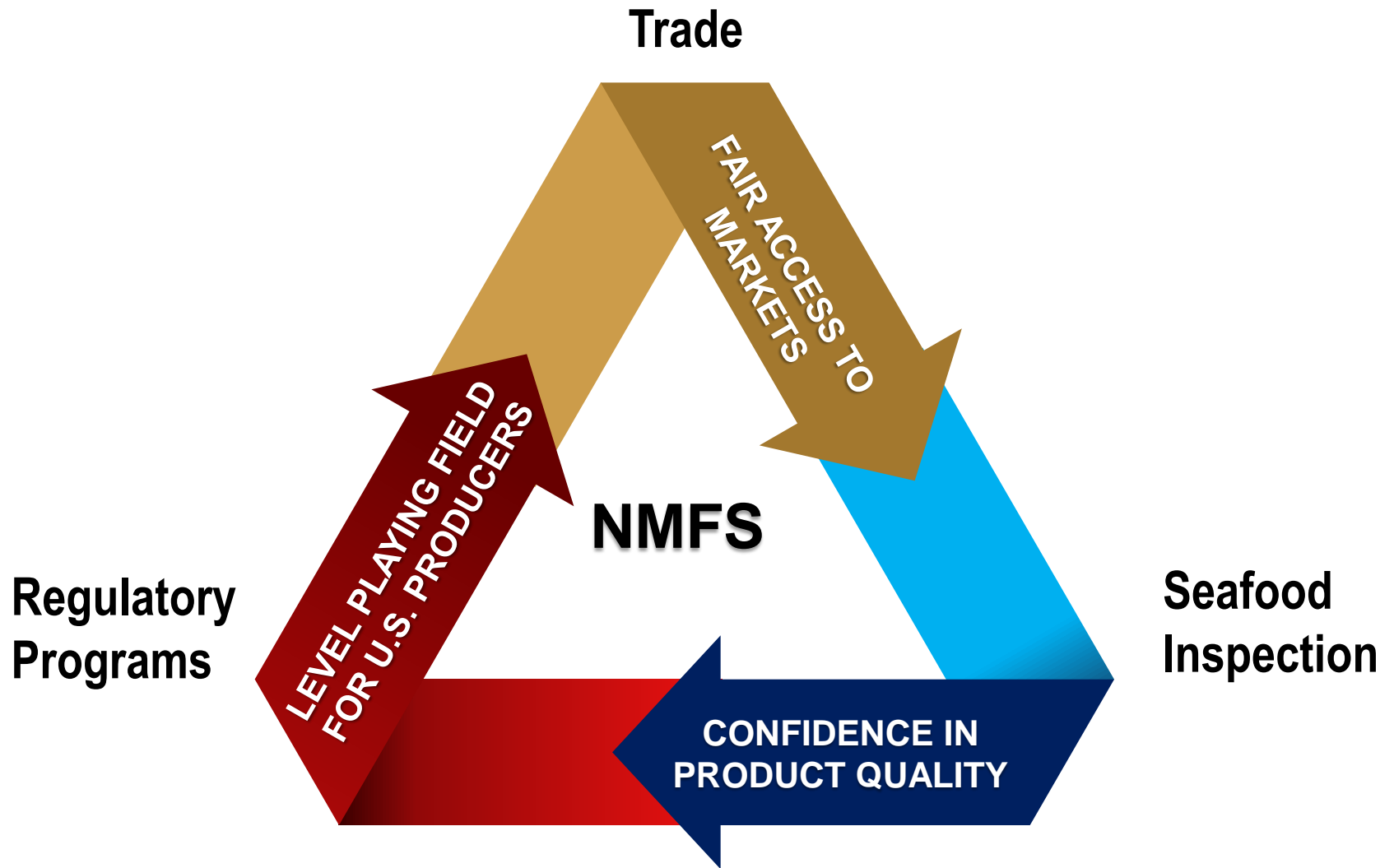
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**Seafood
Trade**

**Trade
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**Seafood
Inspection
Program**





IASI's Seafood Inspection Program (SIP)

- SIP provides services processors of fish and fish products to ensure product safety and quality and to enhance marketability
- SIP is authorized under the Agriculture Marketing Act 1946
- Four Regional offices across the US
- Quality Management Program Audits
- Lot Inspections
- Health and Catch Certifications



Trade – Market Access

- Technical Support
- Inter-agency engagement
- In-region technical and policy engagement
- Bilateral Memoranda of Understanding
- FTAs



TRADE MONITORING

- ❖ International Trade Data System (ITDS)
- ❖ Antarctic Marine Living Resource (AMLR) Permits
- ❖ Tuna Tracking and Verification Program
- ❖ Catch Documentation Schemes

MMPA IMPORT RULE

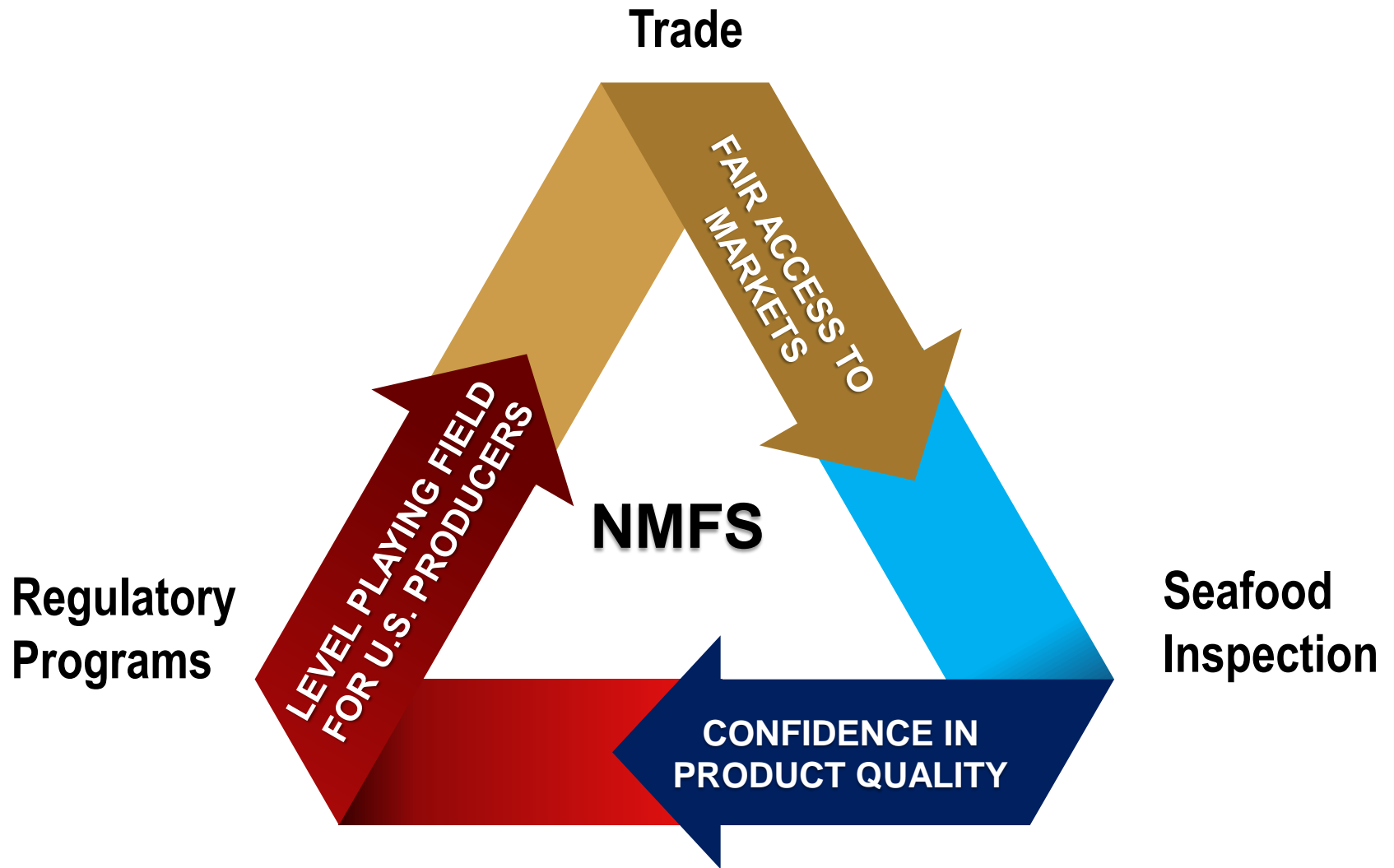
- ❖ List of Fisheries
- ❖ Fishery Evaluations
- ❖ Fishery Certifications
- ❖ Import Restrictions

MSRA IDENTIFICATIONS AND CERTIFICATIONS

- ❖ IUU Fishing
- ❖ Bycatch of Living Marine Resources
- ❖ Shark catches in international waters

SEAFOOD IMPORT MONITORING PROGRAM (SIMP)

- ❖ Implementation
- ❖ Auditing and Verification
- ❖ Expansion



Questions and discussion...

