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Report Highlights:

On November 9, 2025, China announced the issuance of 42 seed production and operational licenses, including 30 companies receiving permission to produce genetically engineered (GE) seed. This report provides an unofficial translation of the announcement and the list of GE corn, cotton, and soybean seed production and operational licenses.

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Summary

On November 9, 2025, the Ministry of Agriculture and Rural Affairs (MARA) published [Announcement No. 965](#) (link in Chinese), announcing the issuance of 42 seed production and operational licenses, including 30 new genetically engineered (GE) corn, cotton, and soybean seed production and operational licenses. All Chinese field crop seed companies need to obtain an operational license, but this is only the third time licenses have included permission to commercially produce GE seeds. In the most recent announcement, 27 companies with these licenses can produce GE corn varieties (see list below), one company can produce GE corn and soybeans, one company can produce GE corn and cotton, and one company can produce GE cotton. Please refer to [GAIN Report CH2024-0129](#) and [GAIN Report CH2025-0075](#) for details on the target traits and yield performance of these varieties. MARA issued the first and second round of GE seed production and operational licenses on December 26, 2023 (26 licenses), and December 4, 2024 (13 licenses), respectively. Please see [GAIN Report CH2023-0198](#) and [GAIN Report CH2024-0165](#) for details for the first and second round of licenses.

This report provides an unofficial translation of the MARA announcement and the list of GE corn seed production and operational licenses.

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Announcement of Ministry of Agriculture and Rural Affairs No. 965

In accordance with the relevant provisions of the Seed Law of the People's Republic of China, and the Administrative Measures for Crop Seed Production and Operation License, 42 enterprises including Guangxi Nanning Jinzhidu Agricultural Development Co., Ltd. were approved to issue crop seed production and operation licenses (see the annex for details).

The announcement is hereby made.

List of the 89th Batch of Crop Seed Production and Operation License Enterprises (GE seeds only)

Name	Business	Valid Region	License No.	Valid until	Business Scope	Variety Name	GE Seeds		Seeds Production Location	Note
							Biosafety Certificate No.	Variety Valid until		
Zhongnongfa Seed Industry Group Co., Ltd.	Production, processing, packaging, wholesale, retail	Beijing	G (Agri.) Seed License (2025) No. 0099	Jan. 1, 2029	GE Corn	Fanyu 298D	(2023) No. 331	Jan 1, 2029	Ganzhou District, Zhangye City, Gansu Province	New application
Beijing Lilong Seed Technology Co., Ltd.	Production, processing, packaging, wholesale, retail	Beijing	G (Agri.) Seed License (2025) No. 0100	Sep. 1, 2029	GE Corn	Shuoqiu 50ID	(2023) No. 331	Sep. 1, 2029	Regiment 65, Division 4, Xinjiang Production and Construction Corps	New application
Beijing Longyun Seed Co., Ltd.	Production, processing, packaging, wholesale, retail	Beijing	G (Agri.) Seed License (2025) No. 0101	Sep. 1, 2029	GE Corn	Jingke 968D	(2023) No. 331	Jan. 1, 2029	Ganzhou District, Zhangye City, Gansu Province	New application
						Jingnongke 728D	(2023) No. 331	Jan. 1, 2029	Ganzhou District, Zhangye City, Gansu Province	New application
Beijing Shihui Agricultural Development Co., Ltd.	Production, processing, packaging, wholesale, retail	Beijing	G (Agri.) Seed License (2025) No. 0102	Dec.24, 2029	GE Corn	Zhengcheng 018K	(2024) No. 284	Dec.24, 2029	Linze County, Zhangye City, Gansu Province	New application

Beijing Zhongnong Dakang Technology Development Co., Ltd.	Production, processing, packaging, wholesale, retail	Beijing	G (Agri.) Seed License (2025) No. 0103	Jan. 1, 2029	GE Corn	Zhongnongda 787D	(2023) No. 331	Jan. 1, 2029	Gaotai County, Zhangye City, Gansu Province	New application
Beijing Academy of Agricultural Sciences Seed Technology Co., Ltd.	Production, processing, packaging, wholesale, retail	Beijing	G (Agri.) Seed License (2025) No. 0104	Jan. 1, 2029	GE Corn	Jingke 355D	(2023) No. 331	Jan. 1, 2029	Ganzhou District, Zhangye City, Gansu Province	New application
Hebei Dehua Seed Co., Ltd.	Production, processing, packaging, wholesale, retail	Hebei	G (Agri.) Seed License (2025) No. 0105	Jan. 1, 2029	GE Corn	Chengdan 813D	(2023) No. 331	Jan. 1, 2029	Regiment 72, Division 4, Xinjiang Production and Construction Corps	New application
Shanxi Ruidefeng Seed Co., Ltd.	Production, processing, packaging, wholesale, retail	Shanxi	G (Agri.) Seed License (2025) No. 0106	Jan. 1, 2029	GE Corn	Ruifeng 168D	(2023) No. 331	Jan. 1, 2029	Ganzhou District, Zhangye City, Gansu Province	New application
Inner Mongolia Ximeng Seed Co., Ltd.	Production, processing, packaging, wholesale, retail	Shanxi	G (Agri.) Seed License (2025) No. 0107	Jan. 1, 2029	GE Corn	Ximeng No. 6GX	(2023) No. 341	Jan. 1, 2029	Ganzhou District, Zhangye City, Gansu Province	New application
Inner Mongolia Monglong Seed Technology Co., Ltd.	Production, processing, packaging, wholesale, retail	Inner Mongolia	G (Agri.) Seed License (2025) No. 0108	Jan. 1, 2029	GE Corn	Jingke 978D	(2023) No. 331	Jan. 1, 2029	Songshan District, Chifeng City, Inner Mongolia	New application

Jilin Hongxing Hi-Tech Agriculture Co., Ltd.	Production, processing, packaging, wholesale, retail	Jilin	G (Agri.) Seed License (2025) No. 0109	Jan. 1, 2029	GE Corn	Xinghui 908GX	(2023) No. 341	Jan. 1, 2029	Yining County, Ili Kazakh Autonomous Prefecture, Xinjiang Uygur Autonomous Region	New application
Jilin Fumin Seed Co., Ltd.	Production, processing, packaging, wholesale, retail	Jilin	G (Agri.) Seed License (2025) No. 0110	Jan. 1, 2029	GE Corn	Fumin 985GX	(2023) No. 341	Jan. 1, 2029	Ganzhou District, Zhangye City, Gansu Province	New application
						Fumin 228GX	(2023) No. 341	Jan. 1, 2029	Ganzhou District, Zhangye City, Gansu Province	
Jilin Bahongze Modern Agriculture Co., Ltd.	Production, processing, packaging, wholesale, retail	Jilin	G (Agri.) Seed License (2025) No. 0111	Jan. 1, 2029	GE Corn	Jipin 920D	(2023) No. 331	Jan. 1, 2029	Gongzhuling City, Changchun City, Jilin Province;	New application
Changchun Jinyuan Seed Co., Ltd.	Production, processing, packaging, wholesale, retail	Jilin	G (Agri.) Seed License (2025) No. 0112	Jan. 1, 2029	GE Corn	Z658GX	(2023) No. 341	Jan. 1, 2029	Ganzhou District, Zhangye City, Gansu Province; Regiment 61, Division 4, Xinjiang Production and Construction Corps	New application

Kenfeng Jidong Seed Co., Ltd.	Production, processing, packaging, wholesale, retail	Jilin	G (Agri.) Seed License (2025) No. 0113	Dec.24, 2029	GE Corn	Liaoyu 1K	(2024) No. 284	Dec.24, 2029	Yining County, Ili Kazakh Autonomous Prefecture, Xinjiang Uygur Autonomous Region	New application
Liaoning Jiushenghe Yuqing Seed Co., Ltd.	Production, processing, packaging, wholesale, retail	Liaoning	G (Agri.) Seed License (2025) No. 0114	Jan. 1, 2029	GE Corn	Longdan 100D	(2023) No. 331	Jan. 1, 2029	Ganzhou District, Zhangye City, Gansu Province	New application
						Jiu Shenghe 257K	(2024) No. 284	Dec.24, 2029	Yining County, Ili Kazakh Autonomous Prefecture, Xinjiang Uygur Autonomous Region	
Jiangsu Tomorrow Seed Technology Co., Ltd.	Production, processing, packaging, wholesale, retail	Jiangsu	G (Agri.) Seed License (2025) No. 0115	Jan. 1, 2029	GE Corn	Mingtian 695D	(2023) No. 331	Jan. 1, 2029	Ganzhou District, Zhangye City, Gansu Province	New application
Qingdao Qingyuan Seed Science Co., Ltd.	Production, processing, packaging, wholesale, retail	Shandong	G (Agri.) Seed License (2025) No. 0116	Jan. 1, 2029	GE Corn	Meijia T2000GX	(2023) No. 341	Jan. 1, 2029	Ganzhou District, Zhangye City, Gansu Province	New application
Shandong Jinlai Seed Co., Ltd.	Production, processing, packaging, wholesale, retail	Shandong	G (Agri.) Seed License (2025) No. 0117	Jan. 1, 2029	GE Corn	Jinlai 705D	(2023) No. 331	Jan. 1, 2029	Ganzhou District, Zhangye City, Gansu Province	New application

Shandong Dendai Yuyu Seed Co., Ltd.	Production, processing, packaging, wholesale, retail	Shandong	G (Agri.) Seed License (2025) No. 0118	Jan. 1, 2029	GE Corn	Yuyu 603D	(2023) No. 331	Jan. 1, 2029	Ganzhou District, Zhangye City, Gansu Province	New application
Henan Jifeng Seed Industry Group Co., Ltd.	Production, processing, packaging, wholesale, retail	Henan	G (Agri.) Seed License (2025) No. 0119	Jan. 1, 2029	GE Corn	Jifeng 336GX	(2023) No. 341	Jan. 1, 2029	Gaotai County, Zhangye City, Gansu Province	New application
Henan Huangfan District Dishen Seed Co., Ltd.	Production, processing, packaging, wholesale, retail	Henan	G (Agri.) Seed License (2025) No. 0120	Jan. 1, 2029	GE Corn	Fanyu 298D	(2023) No. 331	Jan. 1, 2029	Huangfan District Farm, Zhoukou City, Henan Province	New application
Henan Qiule Seed Technology Co., Ltd.	Production, processing, packaging, wholesale, retail	Henan	G (Agri.) Seed License (2025) No. 0121	Jan. 1, 2029	GE Corn	Jiyu 903K	(2024) No. 284	Dec. 24, 2029	Ganzhou District, Zhangye City, Gansu Province	New application
						Zhengdan 958DT	(2023) No. 333	Jan. 1, 2029	Linze County, Zhangye City, Gansu Province	
Henan Yuyu Seed Co., Ltd.	Production, processing, packaging, wholesale, retail	Henan	G (Agri.) Seed License (2025) No. 0122	Jan. 1, 2029	GE Corn	MY73ZL	(2023) No. 336	Jan. 1, 2029	Linze County, Zhangye City, Gansu Province	New application
Henan Gengjie Agricultural Technology Co., Ltd.	Production, processing, packaging, wholesale, retail	Henan	G (Agri.) Seed License (2025) No. 0123	Jan. 1, 2029	GE Corn	Jinfengjie 903GX	(2023) No. 341	Jan. 1, 2029	Linze County, Zhangye City, Gansu Province	New application
Xinjiang Huaxi Industry Co.,	Production, processing,	Xinjiang	G (Agri.) Seed License (2025)	Jan. 1, 2029	GE Corn	Yuanke 105D	(2023) No. 331	Jan. 1, 2029	Yining	New application

Ltd.	packaging, wholesale, retail		No. 0124			Heyu 187D	(2023) No. 331	Jan. 1, 2029	County, Ili Kazakh Autonomous Prefecture, Xinjiang Uygur Autonomous Region	
						Yuanke 105WG	(2023) No. 335	Jan. 1, 2029		
						Heyu 185WG	(2023) No. 335	Jan. 1, 2029		
Jiushenghe Seed Co., Ltd.	Production, processing, packaging, wholesale, retail	Xinjiang	G (Agri.) Seed License (2025) No. 0125	Dec. 24, 2028	GE Corn	Longdan 100D	(2023) No. 331	Jan. 1, 2029	Yining County, Ili Kazakh Autonomous Prefecture, Xinjiang Uygur Autonomous Region	New application
						Jiushenghe 257K	(2024) No. 284	Dec. 24, 2028		
						Jiushenghe 257D	(2023) No. 331	Jan. 2, 2029		
						Jiushenghe 2468K	(2024) No. 284	Dec. 24, 2029		
Xinjiang Huiyuan Seed Co., Ltd.	Production, processing, packaging, wholesale, retail	Xinjiang	G (Agri.) Seed License (2025) No. 0095	Aug.31, 2030	GE Cotton	Zhongshengmian No. 16	(2025) No. 172	Aug.31, 2030	Regiment 147, Division 8, Xinjiang Production and Construction Corps	Renewal
Beijing Dabeinong Biotechnology Co., Ltd.	Production, processing, packaging, wholesale, retail	Beijing	G (Agri.) Seed License (2023) No. 0054	Dec. 24, 2028	GE Corn GE Soybean	Zhengdan 958DT	(2023) No. 333	Jan. 1, 2029	Ganzhou District, Zhangye City, Gansu Province	Expand Business Scope

Jinan Xinrui Seed Technology Co., Ltd.	Production, processing, packaging, wholesale, retail	Shandong	G (Agri.) Seed License (201) No. 0023	Jun. 13, 2027	GE Corn GE Cotton	Xinrui 25D	(2023) No. 331	Jan. 1, 2029	Ganzhou District, Zhangye City, Gansu Province; Regiment 62, 63, and 64, Division 4, Xinjiang Production and Construction Corps	Expand Business Scope
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