

# Association of Bakery Ingredient Manufacturers (ABIM)

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## What does ABIM stand for?

The Association of Bakery Ingredient Manufacturers (ABIM) represents and promotes the common interests of UK companies who manufacture and supply a wide range of quality ingredients to the baking industry. First established in 1917 as BATA (the Bakery and Allied Traders Association).



## What is the drive behind ABIM?

The primary purpose of ABIM is to act on behalf of its members as a central conduit of communication with UK Government, political institutions at a European level, trade, regulatory or enforcement bodies and other public/private bodies, where appropriate.

ABIM is an active member of the European Federation of Manufacturers and suppliers of ingredients to the bakery, confectionery, and patisserie industries (Fedima).

## Who are the current members of ABIM?



## How often does ABIM meet?

There are 3 All Members' Meetings, 3 Technical Committee Meetings and 1 AGM (both committees) per year.

### **How much does it cost?**

Should your organisation want to join, please contact the Associations team via [Geraldine.albon@fdf.org.uk](mailto:Geraldine.albon@fdf.org.uk) for this year's subscription fee. Any joining member of ABIM needs to become a member of the FDF too, and by doing so, your organisation will have access to all the wider benefits that FDF membership brings! Please see <https://www.fdf.org.uk/fdf/about-fdf/reasons-to-join/> for further information on membership.