

# Worldwide Symposium on Geographical Indications



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## 39 Geographical indications

37 AOs (16 foreign)  
2 Gis (Turkestan chocolate/  
Turkestan ice cream)

10 mineral waters (since 2002)  
10 spirit drinks (since 1996)  
3 wines (since 2008)  
3 milk (since 2019)  
3 ice cream (since 2018)  
2 cheeses (since 2012)  
8 other products

### Registration Procedure

**Drafting of  
Application**

**Examination**

**Publication  
for  
opposition/or  
observations**

**Registration  
list**

## International Rule

- Rule - WIPO (Paris Convention Article 1/ Lisbon System Article 2)
- Rule - WTO (TRIPs Article 22)
- Rul EU as a Benchmark (regulation on food/wine/spirit drinks and Agricultural products)

## Sui Generis GI System in Kazakhstan (since 2022)

- Civil Code of the Republic of Kazakhstan (Special Part)
- Entrepreneurial Code of the Republic of Kazakhstan
- The Law of the Republic of Kazakhstan "On Trademarks, Service Marks, Geographical Indications and Appellations of Origin of Goods"
- Rules/Guidelines

## New Mission under QAZPATENT

Legislative level

- Research on the Sui Generis GI Law/ improvement of the examination procedure
- Determination of the competent authority of the state control over the quality of goods with GI
- Development of a warning label and a GI promotion system in cooperation with the competent authorities
- Accession to the Geneva Act of the Lisbon Agreement

## Deepening International Cooperation

- Qazpatent - WIPO (Lisbon)/ Preparation of recommendations on the specification taking into account the conclusion of WIPO
- Qazpatent - EU/ based on a Memorandum between Qazpatent and EUIPO



## **ALMATY APORT APPLES**

- Symbol of the city of ALMATY
- It was born over 150 years ago at the foot of the Zailiysky Alatau mountains in Almaty region
- In 1900, at an exhibition in Paris and in 1908 in Germany, the aport was recognized as the best apple and took first place
- Aport is a large apple. The average weight is about 300-400 grams. Some fruits reached up to 700-800 grams
- It is grown in the mountains at an altitude of 900-1200 meters above sea level. Ripens in autumn. It has an excellent smell and taste



