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FLOUR-BREAD '13 REPORT



**7th INTERNATIONAL CONGRESS
FLOUR-BREAD '13**

9th CROATIAN CONGRESS OF CEREAL TECHNOLOGISTS

BRAŠNO-KRUH '13.

**Opatija, Croatia,
October 16 - 18, 2013**

The 7th International Congress and the 9th Croatian Congress of Cereal Technologists "Flour-Bread '13" was held from 16-18 October 2013 in Opatija, Croatia. The Congress has been organized by the Faculty of Food Technology in Osijek and the International Association for Cereal Science and Technology (ICC). The Congress was organized under the auspices of the Ministry of Agriculture of the Republic of Croatia, the Ministry of Science, Education and Sports of the Republic of Croatia, the Josip Juraj Strossmayer University of Osijek, Croatian Parliament-Agriculture Committee, the Croatian Academy of Science and Arts, the Croatian Chamber of Economy and the Croatian Academy of Engineering.

The "Flour-Bread" Congress has been organized traditionally every second year since 1997 and become one of the most significant European scientific meetings in the field of cereal science and technology. The research results presented at "Flour-Bread" Congresses provides faster acceptance of the latest scientific and professional achievements in cereal production and processing, development of new products and quality enhancement.

The "Flour-Bread '13" Congress topics were the following: breeding and quality of cereal grains, grain storage and milling technology, analytical and rheological methods, baking technology, improvers and additives, starch and modified starch, extrusion and pasta production, biscuit and pastry products, nutritional quality of cereals, cereal food safety and cereal based functional foods.

Despite the economic recession worldwide, over 200 experts from 25 countries took part in the Congress (Austria, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Brazil, Czech Republic, France, Iraq, Iran, Italy, Jordan, China, Latvia, Lithuania, Hungary, Malaysia, Mexico, Netherlands, Germany, Poland, Saudi Arabia, Slovakia, Slovenia, Serbia, Spain, Turkey, the United Kingdom and of course Croatia). There were 43 oral presentations and 68 posters at the Congress. Eleven national and international companies presented their production programmes, process and laboratory equipment and cereal industry products.

Many new scientific achievements were introduced to the Congress participants and they also had opportunity to exchange their personal experiences with the experts from various institutions and industry.

The following 8th International Congress and the 10th Croatian Congress of Cereal Technologists „Flour-Bread '15" will be held in October 2015.

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