Bangkok Declaration

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The delegates to the 8th International Food Data Conference, in recognising the importance of food composition data to nearly all activities in nutrition and food quality and safety, as well as the continuing need for quality food composition data for public health, for agriculture, for the environment and for food trade, agree to promote the science of food composition in multiple and diverse forums, including national, regional and international conferences, to undertake advocacy in the context of policy and programme development, to insure the integration of food composition principles in relevant activities, and to support in various ways the continuing development, maintenance and updating of food composition databases within sustainable infrastructures.