International Plant Protection Convention (IPPC) Guides for Safe Trade

The IPPC Secretariat

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Outline

- Implementation of the IPPC
- IPPC technical resources – development and use
- Phytosanitary systems and IPPC guides
- Future plans
Implementation of the IPPC

- IPPC provisions
- ISPMs
- CPM recommendations
- IPPC technical resources
Advantages of the IPPC technical resources

- Accurate and up-to-date technical information
- Peer reviewed for consistency with the IPPC and its’ standards
- Globally applicable, so can be adapted to suit national needs, thus reducing costs of developing national guides and SOPs
- Serve as a foundation for capacity development activities
How IPPC technical resources are developed?

**NEEDS IDENTIFIED**
- National level capacity assessments
- Global & National & topic specific surveys

**EXISTING RESOURCES**
- Collected
- Analyzed
- Gaps identified
- Made Available through Phytosanitary Resources page

**CDC SETS PRIORITIES**
- Globally Relevant
- Not already available
- Management issues
- Compatible with priorities set by IPPC through Standards and Implementation Framework

**DEVELOPMENT AND COOPERATION**
- Peer review
- Use and provide feedback on the resources
- Training of trainers
- Provide new resources
- Translation
- Printing
How are IPPC technical resources used?

Where to find?
- PHYTO PAGE

Uses of the resources
- National and bilateral programs
- Regional and Global training programs and projects
- Training of trainers
- Academic institutions

Experience gained
- Materials improved
- Supplementary materials developed

IPPIC resources
- Contributed resources

Feedback
# IPPC resources

## Types of resources
- Guides
- Training kits
- eLearning materials
- Factsheets

## Available guides
- Market access
- Transit manual
- Establishing a national plant protection organization
- Operation of a national plant protection organization
- Managing relationships with stakeholders
- Import verification
- Export certification
- Plant pest surveillance
- Guide to delivering phytosanitary diagnostic services
- Manual of good practices for CPM participation
- IPPC meeting participation support materials
Call for the collection of information to support the implementation of the CPM-11 recommendation on the importance of pest diagnosis.

Call for presentations on the successes and challenges of implementation of the IPPC at the CPM-12 Session (April 2017)

Call for technical resources to support the IPPC Implementation pilot project on surveillance.

Call for technical resources to support the IPPC Identification and Risk Management Protocol (IPM) Implementation pilot project on surveillance.

IPPC PHOTO CONTEST WINNER: "The Shocking Impacts of Pests"

The International Plant Protection Convention Secretariat is pleased to announce the winner of the 2nd IPPC Photo Contest. Learn more.

The Secretariat of the International Plant Protection Convention issues a call for the collection of information to support the implementation of the CPM-11 recommendation on the importance of pest diagnosis. Learn more.
Phytosanitary systems

The core phytosanitary systems for safe trade:

- Export certification
- Import regulation
- Surveillance
- Pest risk analysis
- Pest eradication
- Pest Free Areas
ISPM 7 - Phytosanitary certification system

Scope

The standard contains requirements and describes components of a phytosanitary certification system to be established by national plant protection organizations (NPPOs)

*The NPPO of the exporting country has the sole authority to undertake phytosanitary certification*
Export certification guide

Export certification guide

The guide addresses aspects of the implementation of ISPM 7 and ISPM 12:

- The establishment and operation of a phytosanitary export certification system
- The scope is limited to verifying compliance of exported regulated articles with importing country requirements
- It presents a range of specific situations of importing country requirements and considers appropriate responses by the NPPO of the exporting country
Export certification guide

Content:

- Legal Authority
- Export Certification Functions of the NPPO
- Requirements of the National Phytosanitary Export Certification System
- Obligations, Responsibilities and Activities of the NPPO of the Exporting Country
- Obtaining the Importing Country’s Requirements
- Certification for Specific Requirements
- Preparation and Issuance of Phytosanitary Certificates
- Invalid Phytosanitary Certificates
- NPPO and Stakeholder Relationships in Promoting Compliance in Phytosanitary Export Certification
- Record-keeping
- Non-compliance
ISPM 25 - Consignments in transit

Scope:

The standard describes procedures to identify, assess and manage phytosanitary risks associated with consignments of regulated articles which pass through a country without being imported, in such a manner that any phytosanitary measures applied in the country of transit are technically justified and necessary to prevent the introduction into and/or spread of pests within that country.
Transit guide

http://www.phytosanitary.info/sites/phytosanitary.info/files/TransitManual_English_1.0_WEB.pdf
Transit guide

The guide provides information to help NPPOs to:

- Identify whether the consignment in transit poses a phytosanitary risk
- Manage the risk appropriately

Practical examples are provided
Transit guide

Content

- Notification and exchange of information
- Risk to the country of transit
- Establishment of a transit system
- Response to emergency or non-compliance situations
- Special cases
Import regulatory system

ISPM 20 - Guidelines for a phytosanitary import regulatory system:

The objective of a phytosanitary import regulatory system is to prevent or control the entry of regulated pests with imported commodities and other regulated articles.
Import verification guide

http://www.phytosanitary.info/information/import-verification-manual
Import verification guide

The guide to import verification for national plant protection organizations:

- Addresses import verification as an aspect of the broader subject of import regulation
- Describes a systematic approach to the verification of imported regulated articles.
- Identifies the key areas for determining compliance with the phytosanitary requirements of an importing country
Import verification guide

Content:

- Import Requirements – Setting the Stage for Import Verification
- Import Verification Framework
- Phytosanitary Measures for Imported Consignments
- Audit and compliance procedure
- Outdated National Legislation and Import Verification
- Import Pathways – Unique and Emerging Challenges
- Non-compliance and Emergency Action
Market access Guide

Market access Guide

The guide to phytosanitary issues for national plant protection organizations:

- Rights and obligations, the regulatory framework
- Achieving market access – a practical guide
- Maintaining trade
Market access steps through IPPC guides

Maintaining trade:
Export certification and import verification guides

Pest risk analysis:
eLearning materials on PRA and PRA awareness materials

A team approach:
Managing Relationships with Stakeholders

Gathering information for market access:
Plant surveillance and Plant diagnostic guides

Phytosanitary systems in place:
Establishing and operating an NPPO guides
Future plans

- eLearning module on national reporting obligations
- IPPC risk communication technical resource
- Legal and policy framework of plant protection
- Guide on grain
- Guide on pest free areas
Get involved

- Design capacity development activities, including workshops and projects based on the IPPC Technical Resources
- Develop training of trainers programmes
- Provide financial or in-kind contributions towards the cost of translation and printing of the IPPC Technical Resources
- Give feedback on use of the current materials through links provided with each technical resource
- Contribute case studies, relevant manuals, standard operating procedures and other resources to the Phytosanitary Resources webpage
- Contribute to development of future IPPC Technical Resources
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