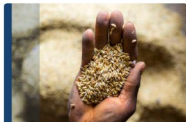


International Plant Protection Convention



The **International Plant Protection Convention (IPPC)** is the only intergovernmental **treaty** that aims to protect the world's plants, agricultural products and natural resources from invasive pests. Ratified by **184 countries**, the IPPC promotes the application of **International Standards for Phytosanitary Measures (ISPMs)** as the main set of tools to safeguard global **food security**, protect the **environment** and facilitate **safe trade**.

Main Topics



Plant Health & Food Security

Keeping plants healthy means safeguarding global food security. Protecting plants and plant resources and important crops from pests will help feed an increasingly hungry world.



Plant Health & Safe Trade

Facilitating the safe trade of goods by applying international phytosanitary standards will help mitigate the negative impacts of plant pests on the environment, economies and livelihoods.



Plant Health & Environmental Protection

Protecting plants and plant resources from the impact of a warming climate will mitigate the introduction and spread of invasive species, and thus helps to protect the environment and biodiversity.

In Action



Standard Setting



Implementation and Capacity Development



Governance

[Announcements](#) [Calls](#) [Pest Reports](#)

2023 Jan 28 - CPM-17 will be held in person in FAO Headquarters on 27 – 31 March 2023.

2023 Jan 01 - In Memoriam.

2022 Nov 15 - Call for experts from the LAC region extended to 10 February – CPM Focus Group in Climate Change and Phytosanitary Issues.

[See all announcements](#)

Main Tools



ePhyto



Phytosanitary Capacity Evaluation



Phytosanitary Systems



IPPC Observatory



e-learning



Communication Tools

COMMON QUESTIONS

- What is the **Convention** on plant health?
- What are **plant health standards**?
- How are these standards **developed**?
- How are standards **applied**?
- How do plant health standards impact **trade**?

EVENTS

2023 Jan 12 - CPM Focus Group on Safe Provision of Food and Other Humanitarian Aid. Nadi, Fiji

2023 Jan 25 - TENTATIVE: Technical Panel on Diagnostic Protocols (TPDP). Virtual (12:00-14:00 GMT+1)

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Latest Publications



Protecting Plants Protecting Life



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Final Report of the Sea Containers Task Force



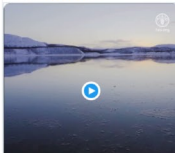
12 May
International Day of Plant Health

Tweets from @ippcnews

IPPC | International Plant... (@ippcnews - 23h)
🚨 The #ClimateEmergency can become a Plant Health Emergency if we do not take action!

Take a minute to learn the impacts of #ClimateChange on #PlantHealth and the implications this has on #FoodSecurity.

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