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#### ABOUT THE IPPC

The **International Plant Protection Convention (IPPC)** is an international agreement on plant health to protect cultivated and wild plants from the introduction and spread of **pests, make trade easier, and preserve our planet's biodiversity.** The **Secretariat** of the IPPC is provided by the **Food and Agriculture Organization of the United Nations.** [Read more](#)

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#### PLANT PROTECTION NEWS & EVENTS



**Plant Protection History Webinar**  
Rome, 2 November 2022 [A webinar about lessons from history in plant protection was broadcast and can be accessed here.](#)



**ISPM 15 in Action Around The World**  
Rome, 28 October 2022 [We explore the different ways in which ISPM 15 helps trade while keeping plants safe from bugs.](#)

#### CORE ACTIVITIES & TOPICS



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#### GOVERNANCE & COORDINATION



The IPPC is governed by the **Commission on Phytosanitary Measures (CPM)**, composed of all IPPC Contracting Parties, and a number of key CPM subsidiary and oversight bodies.

The **IPPC Secretariat** coordinates the core activities of, and provides operational support to, the IPPC work programme. Structure of the IPPC Secretariat: the **Standards Setting Unit**, the **Integration and Facilitation Unit**, the **Integration Support Team** and the **ePhyto** group.

#### COUNTRIES & PARTNERSHIPS

The IPPC, governed by the **Commission for Phytosanitary Measures**, has a network of international partners from around the world. These include ten **Regional Plant Protection Organizations (RPPOs)** and the **National Plant Protection Organizations (NPPOs)**.

The IPPC specifies the functions of RPPOs as:

1. Coordinating NPPOs and participating in activities to promote and achieve the objectives of the IPPC.
2. Cooperating with other regions to promote phytosanitary measures.
3. Gathering and sharing information related to the IPPC's work.
4. Cooperating with the CPM and the IPPC Secretariat to develop and implement International Standards for



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#### MEDIA & PUBLICATIONS

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#### MEETINGS & EVENTS

Start Date & Time	Title	Location
2022 Nov 7	Reorganization of Pest Risk Analysis Standards	Milan, Italy
2022 Nov 7	TC RPPO	Virtual meeting
2022 Nov 14	Standards Committee (SC) meeting	FAO HQ, Rome, Italy
2022 Nov 21	Implementation and Capacity Development Committee (IC) November meeting	Rome, Italy
2022 Nov 25	IC team on PCE	Virtual meeting

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