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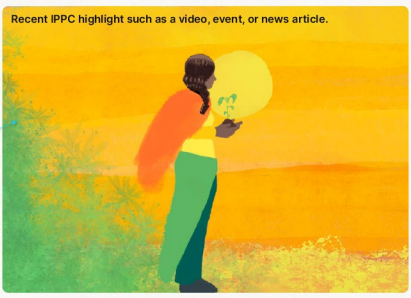

ABOUT THE IPPC

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

A brief description of the IPPC is present to help first-time visitors learn what the IPPC is and to improve search engine optimization (SEO).

Latest announcements, calls and pest reports box as required.

Announcements | Calls | Pest Reports

2022 Oct 26 Translations of the IPPC Export Certification guide in Arabic now available

2022 Oct 26 Translations of the IPPC Surveillance guide in Arabic now available

2022 Oct 26 New e-learning course on Phytosanitary Inspection

See all announcements

A redrawn IPPC logo for a bolder brand that is more consistent with the FAO logo. Modifications can be made after consultation with all stakeholders.

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PLANT PROTECTION NEWS & EVENTS

Smaller, more subtle typography for homepage section headings to better match the style of FAO's homepage and give more prominence to the content.

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**.

News items written with short titles and brief descriptions to tell the most important information.

CORE ACTIVITIES & TOPICS

The main activites and topics of IPPC's work, using beautiful botanical illustrations as key images.

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Standard Setting

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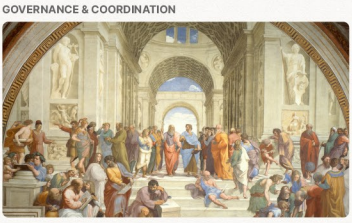


The IPPC is governed by the **Commission on Phytosanitary Measures (CPM)**, composed of all IPPC **Contracting Parties**, and a number of key **CPM** subsidiary and oversight bodies.

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 **Implementation and Facilitation Unit**, the **Integration Support Team** and the **ePhyto** group.

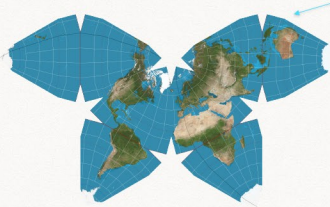
COUNTRIES & PARTNERSHIPS

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
3. promote phytosanitary measures.
4. 3. Gathering and sharing information related to
5. the IPPC's work.
6. 4. Cooperating with the CPM and the IPPC Secretariat
7. to develop and implement International Standards for

At the national level, IPPC related activities are primarily coordinated and implemented each **country's NPPO**.



Waterman "Butterfly" world map projection displaying Earth in a flat plane with correct relative sizes of landmasses.

Another option is to use a dynamic spinnable globe, though I like the butterly shape, which relates well to IPPC's work.

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MEDIA & PUBLICATIONS

Panels with a light background and drop shadows serve to group together a set of related information, in this case a thumbnail, title, short description, and download links. This design pattern can be applied to other elements of the site, as needed.

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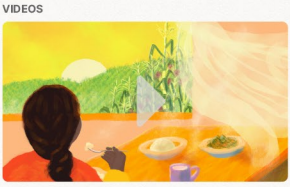

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MEETINGS & EVENTS

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

All Events

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