Framework for Standards and Implementation Endorsed by CPM-15 (2021); Updated by SC May 2019 and IC May 2019, Reviewed by SPG October 2019

1. What is the Framework for Standards and Implementation?

The Framework for Standards and Implementation is a database of existing or proposed standards and tools for implementation aligning with the IPPC Strategic Framework for 2020-2030 to enable the identification of gaps as guidance for the development of standards and implementation materials to support the implementation of the Convention, standards and CPM recommendations.

2. Objective of this document

The Framework provides transparency of existing or proposed standards and tools for implementation. It helps identify gaps capturing the CPM priorities to guide the inclusion of submitted topics into the list of topics for IPPC standards or Implementation and Capacity Development topics.

3. Legend:

Strategic Objective (A, B or C), Key Result Area (A1-A6, B1-B5 or C1-C7)/Development Agenda (1-8) of IPPC Strategic Framework 2020-20301

	Standards	Implementation
Developed materials	Adopted standards ² CPM Recommendations ³	 Explanatory documents for ISPMs⁴ IPPC Guides and training materials⁵
List of topics	Topics/subjects on the List of Topics for IPPC Standards ⁶	Topics on the List of Implementation and Capacity Development topics ⁷
Gaps identified	Standards topics/subjects that need to be addressed	Implementation topics that need to be addressed
Supporting documents	IRSS studies ⁸ IRSS topics ⁹ Other relevant information	

¹ IPPC Strategic Framework 2020-2030: https://www.ippc.int/en/publications/87741/

² Adopted standards: https://www.ippc.int/en/core-activities/standards-setting/ispms/

³ CPM Recommendations: https://www.ippc.int/en/core-activities/governance/cpm/cpm-recommendations-1/cpm-recommendations/

⁴ Explanatory documents for ISPMs: https://www.ippc.int/en/core-activities/standards-setting/explanatory-documents-international-standards-phytosanitary-measures/

⁵ IPPC Guides and training materials: https://www.ippc.int/en/core-activities/capacity-development/guides-and-training-materials/

⁶ List of Topics for IPPC Standards: https://www.ippc.int/en/core-activities/standards-setting/list-topics-ippc-standards/

⁷ List of Implementation and Capacity Development topics: https://www.ippc.int/en/publications/86844/

⁸ IRSS studies: https://www.ippc.int/en/core-activities/implementation-review-and-support-system/

⁹ IRSS topics: https://www.ippc.int/en/publications/87720/

4. Notes:

- 1. List of Topics includes topics/subjects on the List of Topics for IPPC Standards/ List of Implementation and Capacity Development topics. All topics/subjects on those two lists are covered with their CPM approved priorities.
- 2. Gaps identified include topics/subjects that need to be addressed.
- 3. As 2030 Key result areas and Development Agendas of IPPC Strategic Framework 2020-2030 may relate to a wide range of materials, materials that only principally relate to those themes are indicated in this Framework
- 5. IPPC Strategic Framework 2020-2030 Strategic objectives, key result areas, and development agenda:

STRATEGIC OBJECTIVES AND KEY RESULT AREAS



Enhance global food security & increase sustainable agricultural productivity

- Á1: All NPPOs have effective pest surveillance systems in place for timely detection of new pest arrivals and monitoring spread.
- A2: All NPPOs have strong capacities to monitor, detect, diagnose, report, and prepare rapid responses to pest outbreaks, so that these pests do not have major impacts on food supplies and they do not spread and thereby threaten other regions and trading partners.
- A3: A plant health emergency response system is in place that facilitates timely action against new pest incursions and supports countries with emergency response systems tools and knowledge.
- A4: Sustainable pest risk management options, such as systems approaches, are implemented widely to minimize pest impacts right through the production process and harvesting, and to minimize the need for end-point treatments.
- A5: All NPPOs have PRA capacity in place to identify and mitigate pest risks to crop production.
- A6: Pest risk prevention is integrated throughout the production processing and trade chain of plants and plant products.

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Protect the environment from the impacts of plant pests

- B1: CPs recognize the management of environmental plant pests as part of their responsibilities and work with national environmental sector agencies to support pest management programmes aimed at environmental protection.
- B2: CPs have mechanisms in place to control the spread of environmental contaminating pests on non-plant trade pathways
- B3: Mechanisms are in place to share adaptation strategies for responding to the impacts of climate change.
- B4: Agencies with environmental and forest biodiversity stewardship responsibilities regularly access information and other resources managed by the IPPC Secretariat.
- B5: CPs continue to improve their capacity to implement key IPPC standards which directly address the spread of forest and environmental pests

C

Facilitate safe trade, development & economic growth

- C1: Commodity-specific standards with harmonized phytosanitary measures have facilitated and accelerated trade negotiations and simplified safe trade in plant products.
- C2: Detections of pests in trade pathways are declining as exporting countries take more responsibility for managing the pest risk associated with exports, and importing countries report detections more quickly and more consistently.
- C3: NPPOs have built capacity and been supported to establish phytosanitary export assurance and phytosanitary certification systems that are robust and are trusted by trading partners.
- C4: The efficiency of administering phytosanitary certification systems has improved and the circulation of fraudulent certificates has been eliminated through electronic phytosanitary certification systems
- C5: NPPOs have access to expert advice to enable resolution of bilateral trade concerns of a phytosanitary nature
- C6: NPPOs are able to meet regularly to deliberate on phytosanitary research and emerging issues and other matters of common interest.
- C7: CPs have legislation in place to enable implementation of ePhyto.

IPPC DEVELOPMENT AGENDA 2020-2030

- 1. Harmonization of electronic data exchange
- 2. Commodity- and pathway-specific ISPMs
- 3. Management of e-commerce and postal and courier pathways
- 4. Developing guidance on the use of third-party entities

- 5. Strengthening pest outbreak alert and response systems
- 6. Assessment and management of climate change impacts on plant health
- 7. Global phytosanitary research coordination
- 8. Diagnostic laboratory networking

Strategic objective A: Enhance Global Food Security and Increase Sustainable Agricultural Productivity

Key result area A1: All NPPOs have effective pest surveillance systems in place for timely detection of new pest arrivals and monitoring spread

	Standards	Implementation
Developed materials	 Requirements for the establishment of pest free areas (ISPM 4) Surveillance (ISPM 6) Determination of pest status in an area (ISPM 8) Requirements for the establishment of pest free places of production and pest free production sites (ISPM 10) Requirements for the establishment of areas of low pest prevalence (ISPM 22) Establishment of pest free areas for fruit flies (Tephritidae) (ISPM 26) Recognition of pest free areas and areas of low pest prevalence (ISPM 29) 	Guide, Plant Pest Surveillance Guide, Pest Free Area
List of topics	Revision of ISPM 4 Requirements for the establishment of pest free areas (2009-002, Priority 4)	 Plant health surveillance, Portal (2015-015, Priority 1) Plant Pest Surveillance, Guide-Revision (2017-049, Priority 1) Surveillance of <i>Xylella fastidiosa</i>, Guide (2018-037, Priority 1) Fall Armyworm Prevention, Guidelines and training materials (2020-010, Priority 1) Surveillance and reporting obligations, e-Learning course (2020-012, Priority 1) Pest Free Areas (PFA), e-Learning course (2017-044, Priority 2) Pest Status Guide, (2017-048, Priority 2)
Gaps identified	 Specific guidance on surveillance for a pest or a group of pests (Priority 3)¹⁰ Specific guidance on PFA, PFPP and ALPP for a pest or a group of pests (Priority 4)¹¹ 	Specific guidance on surveillance for a pest or a group of pests Specific guidance on PFA, PFPP and ALPP for a pest or a group of pests
Supporting documents		

¹⁰ Standard and Implementation material for this topic could be developed potentially simultaneously.

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Strategic objective A: Enhance global food security and increase sustainable agricultural productivity

Key result area A2: All NPPOs have strong capacities to monitor, detect, diagnose, report, and prepare rapid responses to pest outbreaks, so that these pests do not have major impacts on food supplies and they do not spread and thereby threaten other regions and trading partners.

Development agenda 8: Diagnostic laboratory networking

	Standards	Implementation
Developed materials	 Surveillance (ISPM 6 Surveillance) Determination of pest status in an area (ISPM 8) Pest Reporting (ISPM 17) Guidelines on lists of regulated pests (ISPM 19) Guidelines for Inspection (ISPM 23) Diagnostic protocols for regulated pests (ISPM 27), including 29 Annexes/DPs Methodologies for sampling of consignments (ISPM 31) Design and operation of post-entry quarantine stations for plants (ISPM 34) CPM Recommendation: The importance of pest diagnosis (R-07) CPM Recommendation: Preparing to use high-throughput sequencing (HTS) technologies as a diagnostic tool for phytosanitary purposes (R-08) 	Explanatory document ISPM 17 (Pest reporting) Guide, Plant Pest Surveillance Guide to delivering phytosanitary diagnostic services Guide to National Reporting Obligations NRO training materials¹² NRO e-learning
List of topics	23 Diagnostic Protocols on LoT as of 03/2021	 Plant Pest Surveillance, Guide-Revision (2017-049, Priority 1) Strengthening Pest Outbreak Alert and Response Systems, Programme (2017-051, Priority 1) Inspection and diagnostics e-Learning course (2020-011, Priority 1) Surveillance and reporting obligations, e-Learning course (2020-012, Priority 1) Pest Status Guide, (2017-048, Priority 2) Designing plant quarantine laboratories, Reference material (2018-013, Priority 4) Pest diagnostic, TBD (2016-015, Priority 4)
Gaps identified	 Revision: Pest reporting (ISPM 17) (Priority 2) Revision: Guidelines on lists of regulated pests (ISPM 19) (Priority 2) Requirements for diagnostics (Priority 2) 	
Supporting documents	National Reporting obligations (NRO) on IPP ¹³	

¹² https://www.ippc.int/en/core-activities/information-exchange/nro-and-ipp-training/

¹³ https://www.ippc.int/en/core-activities/information-exchange/nro/

Strategic objective A: Enhance global food security and increase sustainable agricultural productivity

Key result area A3: A plant health emergency response system is in place that facilitates timely action against new pest incursions and supports countries with emergency response systems tools and knowledge.

Development agenda 5: Strengthening pest outbreak alert and response systems

	Standards	Implementation
Developed materials	Guidelines for the notification of non-compliance and emergency action (ISPM 13) Pest Reporting (ISPM 17)	 Explanatory document ISPM 17 (Pest reporting) Guide on managing relationships with stakeholders Guide to National Reporting Obligation Guide on Pest Risk Communication NRO training materials¹⁴ NRO e-learning
List of topics		 Strengthening Pest Outbreak Alert and Response Systems, Programme (2017-051, Priority 1) Contingency planning, Guide (2019-012, Priority 1) Fall Armyworm Prevention, Guidelines and training materials (2020-010, Priority 1) Surveillance and reporting obligations, e-Learning course (2020-012, Priority 1)
Gaps identified	Contingency planning and emergency response (Priority 1)	
Supporting documents	National Reporting obligations (NRO) on IPP ¹⁵	

¹⁴ https://www.ippc.int/en/core-activities/information-exchange/nro-and-ipp-training/

¹⁵ https://www.ippc.int/en/core-activities/information-exchange/nro/

Strategic objective A: Enhance global food security and increase sustainable agricultural productivity

Key result area A4: Sustainable pest risk management options, such as systems approaches, are implemented widely to minimize pest impacts right through the production process and harvesting, and to minimize the need for end-point treatments.

	Standards	Implementation
Developed materials	 The use of integrated measures in a systems approach for pest risk management (ISPM 14) Guidelines for the determination and recognition of equivalence of phytosanitary measures (ISPM 24) Design and operation of post-entry quarantine stations for plants (ISPM 34) Systems approach for pest risk management of fruit flies (Tephritidae) (ISPM 35) 	
List of topics	ISPM 38 - International movement of seeds: Annex 1 - Design and use of systems approaches for phytosanitary certification of seeds (2018-009, Priority 1) Pest risk management for quarantine pests (2014-001, Priority 2) Use of systems approaches in managing risks associated with the movement of wood (2015-004, Priority 3) Efficacy of measures (2001-001, Priority 4)	Inspection of consignments for <i>Xylella fastidiosa</i> at points of entry, Guide (2018-038, Priority 1) Pest Risk Management, Guide (2017-047, Priority 3)
Gaps identified	Specific guidance on pest risk management for pests or a group of pests (Priority 3) Clarification on the concepts of integrated measures and systems approach (Priority 4) Specific guidance on systems approaches for commodities or pests (Priority 4)	
Supporting documents	 IRSS study - Review of the application of equivalence between phytosanitary measures used to manage pest risk in trade Beyond the compliance tool (was developed by the ICL and will be improved Beyond compliance project)¹⁶ 	

¹⁶ https://www.ippc.int/en/core-activities/capacity-development/beyond-compliance-project/

A5

Strategic objective A: Enhance global food security and increase sustainable agricultural productivity Key result area A5: All NPPOs have pest risk analysis capacity in place to identify and mitigate pest risks to crop production.

	Standards	Implementation
Developed	Framework for pest risk analysis (ISPM 2)	e-learning on PRA
materials	Guidelines for the export, shipment, import and release of biological control agents	Training materials on PRA
	and other beneficial organisms (ISPM 3)	
	Pest risk analysis for quarantine pests (ISPM 11)	
	Regulated non-quarantine pests: concept and application (ISPM 16)	
	Pest risk analysis for regulated non-quarantine pests (ISPM 21)	
	Categorization of commodities according to their pest risk (ISPM 32)	
	Determination of host status of fruit to fruit fly (ISPM 37)	
List of topics	Pest risk management for quarantine pests (2014-001, Priority 2)	Assessing the risk of introduction of pests with seeds, Guide (2018-036, Priority 1)
	Criteria for the determination of host status for fruit flies based on available information	Pest risk analysis, e-Learning course (2020-002, Priority 1)
	(Annex to ISPM 37) (2018-011, Priority 3)	
	Supplement on Guidance on the concept of probability of transfer to a suitable host and	
	establishment as used in a pest risk analysis for quarantine pests to ISPM 11 (2015-010,	
	Priority 4)	
	Reorganization of Pest Risk Analysis standards (2020-001)	
Gaps	Economic analysis in PRA (Priority 2)	
identified	Host and non-host status (Priority 3)	
	Specific guidance on pest risk management for pests or a group of pests (Priority 3) Piet appropriation (Priority 3)	
	Risk communication (Priority 3) Revision and combination of PRA standards (including ISPM 2, 11 and 21) (priority 4)	
Supporting	IRSS Study: Diversion from Intended Use: Consideration of the extent of the issue	
documents	External cooperation Convention on Biological Diversity (CBD) ¹⁷	

¹⁷ https://www.ippc.int/en/external-cooperation/organizations-page-in-ipp/cbd/

Strategic objective A: Enhance global food security and increase sustainable agricultural productivity

Key result area A6: Pest risk prevention is integrated throughout the production, processing and trade chain of plants and plant products.

	Standards	Implementation
Developed materials	 Guidelines for the export, shipment, import and release of biological control agents and other beneficial organisms (ISPM 3) Phytosanitary certification system (ISPM 7) Phytosanitary certificates (ISPM 12) Guidelines for a phytosanitary import regulation system (ISPM 20) Guideline for inspection (ISPM 23) Consignments in transit (ISPM 25) Safe provision of food and other humanitarian aid to prevent the introduction of plant pests during an emergency situation (R-09). 	Guide, Transit
List of topics		 Developing Phytosanitary Security Procedures, Guide (2018-028, Priority1) Inspection and diagnostics e-Learning course (2020-011, Priority 1) Risk based inspection of imported consignments, Guide (2018-022, priority 2)
Gaps identified	 Risk based inspection of imported consignments (2018-022, Pending) Diversion from intended use (Priority 2? to be determined) (concept standard or supplementary document) Non-commodity specific phytosanitary treatments for regulated pests (e.g. soil drench, sterilization) (Annexes to ISPM 28) (Priority 4) 	
Supporting documents	IRSS Study: Diversion from Intended Use: Consideration of the extent of the issue	

Strategic objective B: Protect the environment from the impacts of plant pests

Key result area B1: Contracting parties recognize the management of environmental plant pests as part of their responsibilities and work with national environmental sector agencies to support pest management programmes aimed at environmental protection.

	Standards	Implementation
Developed materials	 Guidelines on the understanding of potential economic importance and related terms including reference to environmental considerations (ISPM 5 - Supplement 2) CPM Recommendation: LMOs, biosecurity and alien invasive species (R-01) CPM Recommendation: Threats to biodiversity posed by alien species: actions within the framework of the IPPC (R-02) CPM Recommendation: Replacement or reduction of the use of methyl bromide as a phytosanitary measure (R-03) CPM Recommendation: IPPC Coverage of Aquatic Plants (R-04) 	
List of topics		
Gaps identified		
Supporting documents	 IRSS study: Aquatic Plants: Their Uses and Risks - A review of the global status of aquatic plants: IRSS study: The Biosecurity approach: A review and evaluation of its application by FAO, inte IRSS study: Analyzing the benefits of implementing the IPPC External cooperation: Ozone Secretariat¹⁸ External cooperation: Convention on Biological Diversity (CBD)¹⁹ External cooperation: UN Environment²⁰ 	

¹⁸ https://www.ippc.int/en/external-cooperation/organizations-page-in-ipp/ozonesecretariat/

¹⁹ https://www.ippc.int/en/external-cooperation/organizations-page-in-ipp/cbd

²⁰ https://www.ippc.int/en/external-cooperation/organizations-page-in-ipp/unep/

Strategic objective B: Protect the environment from the impacts of plant pests

Key result area B2: Contracting parties have mechanisms in place to control the spread of environmental contaminating pests on non-plant trade pathways (e.g. invasive ants on vehicles and machinery, or gypsy moth egg masses on sea containers and vessels).

	Standards	Implementation
Developed materials	 International movement of used vehicles, machinery and equipment (ISPM 41) CPM Recommendation: Sea containers (R-06) 	
List of topics	Minimizing pest movement by sea containers (2008-001, Priority 1) Minimizing pest movement by air containers and aircrafts (2008-002, Priority 3) Facilitating safe trade by reducing the incidence of contaminating pests associated with traded goods (CPM recommendation 2019-001)	Sea containers, Programme (2016-016, Priority 1) Development and implementation of regulations and legislation to manage phytosanitary risks on regulated articles for NPPOs, Guide (2018-008, Priority 1)
Gaps identified		
Supporting documents	IRSS study: The Biosecurity approach: A review and evaluation of its application by FAO; Internationally and in various countries External cooperation: International Maritime Organization (IMO) ²¹	

²¹ https://www.ippc.int/en/external-cooperation/organizations-page-in-ipp/imo/

Strategic objective B: Protect the environment from the impacts of plant pests

Key result area B3: Mechanisms are in place to share adaptation strategies for responding to the impacts of climate change.

Development agenda: 6. Assessment and management of climate change impacts on plant health

	Standards	Implementation
Developed materials	CPM Recommendation: Replacement or reduction of the use of methyl bromide as a phytosanitary measure (R-03)	
List of topics		
Gaps identified	Guidance on climate change (supplement to ISPM 11) (Priority 3)	
Supporting documents	External cooperation (Ozone Secretariat) ²²	

B4

Strategic objective B: Protect the environment from the impacts of plant pests

Key result area B4: Agencies with environmental and forest biodiversity stewardship responsibilities regularly access information and other resources managed by the IPPC Secretariat.

	Standards	Implementation
Developed		Guide, Managing relationships with stakeholders
materials		
List of topics		
Gaps		
identified		
Supporting	IRSS Topic: Antimicrobial Resistance (Priority 4)	
documents	External cooperation: Ozone Secretariat ²³	
	• External cooperation: Convention on Biological Diversity (CBD) ²⁴	

²² https://www.ippc.int/en/external-cooperation/organizations-page-in-ipp/ozonesecretariat/

²³ https://www.ippc.int/en/external-cooperation/organizations-page-in-ipp/ozonesecretariat/

²⁴ https://www.ippc.int/en/external-cooperation/organizations-page-in-ipp/cbd

Strategic objective B: Protect the environment from the impacts of plant pests

Key result areas B5: Contracting parties continue to improve their capacity to implement key IPPC standards which directly address the spread of forest and environmental pests, such as ISPM 15 on wood packaging materials and other such standards, to contain the global spread of pests which threaten forests, biodiversity and non-cultivated flora.

	Standards	Implementation
Developed materials	Pest Risk Analysis for quarantine pests (ISPM 11), Annex4 Regulation of wood packaging material in international trade (ISPM 15) International movement of wood (ISPM 39) PT 22: Sulphuryl fluoride fumigation treatment for insects in debarked wood PT 23: Sulphuryl fluoride fumigation treatment for nematodes and insects in debarked wood	Explanatory document ISPM 15 (Regulation of wood packaging material in international trade) Guide to implementation of phytosanitary standard in forestry e-Learning: Trade in forest commodities and the role of phytosanitary measures
List of topics	 Heat treatment of wood using dielectric heating (2007-114, Priority 1) Criteria for treatments for wood packaging material in international trade (Revision of ISPM 15) (2006-010, Priority 2) International movement of wood products and handicrafts made from wood (2008-008, Priority 2) Use of systems approaches in managing risks associated with the movement of wood (2015-004, Priority 3) 	ISPM 15 Wood packaging material, Guide (2017-043, Priority 1)
Gaps identified	Revision of ISPM 15 to include fraudulent use (Priority 2) Revision: Regulated non-quarantine pests: concept and application (ISPM 16), to broaden to pests and clarify the concepts related to quarantine pests, RNQP and pests of national concern (Priority 2)	
Supporting documents	 External cooperation: Convention on Biological Diversity (CBD)²⁵ External cooperation: International Forest Quarantine Research Group (IFQRG)²⁶ 	

²⁵ https://www.ippc.int/en/external-cooperation/organizations-page-in-ipp/cbd

https://www.ippc.int/en/external-cooperation/organizations-page-in-ipp/internationalforestryguarantineresearchgroup/

Strategic objective C: Facilitate safe trade, development and economic growth

Key result area C1: Commodity-specific standards with harmonized phytosanitary measures have facilitated and accelerated trade negotiations and simplified safe trade in plant products. **Development agenda 2:** Commodity- and pathway-specific ISPMs **Development agenda 3:** Management of e-commerce and postal and courier pathways

	Standards	Implementation
Developed materials	 Regulation of wood packaging material in international trade (ISPM 15) Guidelines for the use of irradiation as a phytosanitary measure (ISPM 18) Phytosanitary treatments for regulated pests (ISPM 28) incl 39 Annexes (PTs) Categorization of commodities according to their pest risk (ISPM 32) Pest free potato (Solanum spp.) micropropagative material and minitubers for international trade (ISPM 33) Integrated measures plants for planting (ISPM 36) International movement of seeds (ISPM 38) International movement of wood (ISPM 39) International movement of growing media in association with plants for planting (ISPM 40) International movement of used vehicles, machinery and equipment (ISPM 41) Requirements for the use of temperature treatments as a phytosanitary measure (ISPM 42) Requirements for the use of fumigation as a phytosanitary measure (ISPM 43) CPM Recommendation: Internet trade (e-commerce) in plants and other regulated articles (R-05) Requirements for the use of modified atmosphere treatments as a phytosanitary measure (ISPM 44) 	Explanatory document ISPM 15 (Regulation of wood packaging material in international trade) Explanatory document ISPM 18 (Guidelines on the use of irradiation as a phytosanitary treatment) Guide to implementation of phytosanitary standards in forestry e-Learning: Trade in forest commodities and the role of phytosanitary measures
List of topics	 16 Phytosanitary treatments (Annexes to ISPM 28) on LoT as of 03/2021 International movement of grain (2008-007, Priority 1, pending) Safe handling and disposal of waste with potential pest risk generated during international voyages (2008-004, Priority 2) International movement of cut flowers and foliage (2008-005, Priority 4, pending) Guidelines for Phytosanitary of International Mail Items (2018-014, Priority 4) Requirement for phytosanitary certificate on cross-border online-shopping plants, plant products and other regulated articles (2018-021, Priority 4) Requirements for the use of chemical treatments as a phytosanitary measure (2014-003, Priority 3) Requirements for the use of irradiation as a phytosanitary measure (Revision to ISPM 18) (2014-007, Priority 1) Commodity-based standards for phytosanitary measures (2019-008, Priority 1) 	e-Commerce for plants, plant products and other regulated articles, Guide (2017-039, Priority 1) ISPM 15 Wood packaging material, Guide (2017-043, Priority 1) Management of plants and plant products carried by entry passengers, Awareness materials (2018-017, Priority 2)
Gaps identified	 Non-commodity specific phytosanitary treatments for regulated pests (e.g. soil drench, sterilization) (Annexes to ISPM 28) (Priority 4) 	Guidance for fumigation treatments
Supporting documents	 IRSS study: Internet Trade (e-Commerce) in Plants: Potential Phytosanitary Risks IRSS Topic: Desk study to catalogue available phytosanitary treatments and extend of their use (Priority 3) External cooperation: Phytosanitary Measures Research Group (PMRG)²⁷ External cooperation: World Customs Organization (WCO)²⁸ 	•

²⁷ https://www.ippc.int/en/external-cooperation/organizations-page-in-ipp/phytosanitarymeasuresresearchgroup/

²⁸ https://www.ippc.int/en/external-cooperation/organizations-page-in-ipp/wco/

Strategic objective C: Facilitate safe trade, development and economic growth

Key result area C2: Detections of pests in trade pathways are declining as exporting countries take more responsibility for managing the pest risk associated with exports, and importing countries report detections more quickly and more consistently.

	Standards	Implementation
Developed	Phytosanitary certification system (ISPM 7)	Explanatory document ISPM 31 (Methodologies for sampling of consignments)
materials	Phytosanitary certificates (ISPM 12)	Guide, Export certification
	Guidelines for the notification of non-compliance and emergency action (ISPM 13)	
	Guidelines for a phytosanitary import regulatory system (ISPM 20)	
	Guidelines for inspection (ISPM 23)	
	Diagnostic protocols for regulated pests (ISPM 27)	
	Phytosanitary treatments for regulated pests (ISPM 28)	
	Methodologies for sampling of consignments (ISPM 31)	
List of topics		Phytosanitary export certification system, e-Learning course (2020-003, Priority 1)
		Managing non-compliant treated consignments, Guide (2018-027, Priority 2)
		Risk based inspection of imported consignments, Guide (2018-022, priority 2)
Gaps	Risk based inspection of imported consignments (2018-022, Pending)	
identified		
Supporting documents		•

Strategic objective C: Facilitate safe trade, development and economic growth

Key result area C3: NPPOs have built capacity and been supported to establish phytosanitary export assurance and phytosanitary certification systems that are robust and are trusted by trading partners.

Development agenda 4: Developing guidance on the use of third-party entities

	Standards	Implementation
Developed materials	 Phytosanitary certification system (ISPM 7) Phytosanitary certificates (ISPM 12) Requirements for national plant organizations if authorizing entities to perform phytosanitary actions (ISPM 45) 	Guide, Export Certification Guide, Establishing an NPPO Guide, Operation of an NPPO Guide, Managing Relationships with stakeholders Guide to Resource Mobilization: Promoting contracting party partnerships Guide, Preparing a national phytosanitary Capacity Development Strategy NPPO establishment training kit NPPO operations training kit IPPC Introduction presentation Phytosanitary Capacity Evaluation (PCE) ²⁹ Training materials for PCE facilitator ³⁰ Phytosanitary Capacity Evaluation (PCE) Strategy for 2020-2030 ³¹
List of topics	Audit in the phytosanitary context (2015-014) (Priority 1) Focused revision of ISPM 12 (Phytosanitary certificates) (2015-011, Priority 2) Use of specific import authorization (Annex to ISPM 20) (2008-006, Priority 4)	 Plant health officer training, Curriculum (2017-054, Priority 1) Authorization of entities to perform phytosanitary actions, Guide (2018-040, Priority 2) PCE facilitators training, Training materials (2014-008, Priority 3) PCE tool, Modernization (2017-052, Priority 3)
Gaps identified	Elements of an effective NPPO e.g. training, engagement of stakeholders, competency (Priority 1) National legislation requirements (Priority 4)	Guidance on audit in the phytosanitary context Guidance on non-compliance of phytosanitary certificate system
Supporting documents	 Guidelines for the revision of national phytosanitary legislation – FAO (2007)³² IRSS Topic: Desk study on Requirements for NPPOs if authorizing entities to perform phytosanitary actions (Priority 2) 	

²⁹ https://www.ippc.int/en/pce/

³⁰ https://www.ippc.int/en/core-activities/capacity-development/phytosanitary-capacity-evaluation/training-material-on-the-phytosanitary-capacity-evaluation-pce/

³¹ https://www.ippc.int/en/publications/87701/

³² http://www.fao.org/3/a-bb096e.pdf

Strategic objective C: Facilitate safe trade, development and economic growth

Key result area C4: The efficiency of administering phytosanitary certification systems has improved and the circulation of fraudulent certificates has been eliminated through electronic phytosanitary certification systems including the generic ePhyto national system and the global ePhyto hub.

Development Agenda 1: Harmonization of electronic data exchange

	Standards	Implementation
Developed	Phytosanitary certification system (ISPM 7)	Guide, Export Certification
materials	Phytosanitary certificates (ISPM 12)	
List of topics		
Gaps identified	National legislation requirements (Priority 4)	
Supporting documents	ePhyto on IPP ³³	

Strategic objective C: Facilitate safe trade, development and economic growth

Key result area C5: NPPOs have access to expert advice to enable resolution of bilateral trade concerns of a phytosanitary nature.

	Standards	Implementation
Developed materials	 Phytosanitary principles for the protection of plants and the application of phytosanitary measures in international trade (ISPM 1) Glossary of phytosanitary terms (ISPM 5) Guidelines for a phytosanitary import regulatory system (ISPM 20) 	 Guide, Market access Explanatory document ISPM 20 Explanatory document ISPM 5 – Annotated Glossary Guide, Import Verification Guide, Establishing an NPPO Guide, Operation of an NPPO
List of topics	27 Phytosanitary terms on LoT as of 03/2021	Dispute settlement, Procedures revision (1999-005, Priority 3)
Gaps identified		
Supporting documents	IRSS study - Review of the application of equivalence between phytosanitary measures used to manage pest risk in trade	

³³ https://www.ippc.int/en/ephyto/

Strategic objective C: Facilitate safe trade, development and economic growth

Key result area C6: NPPOs are able to meet regularly to deliberate on phytosanitary research and emerging issues and other matters of common interest. **Development agenda 7:** *Global phytosanitary research coordination*

	Standards	Implementation
Developed		Guide on managing relationships with stakeholders
materials		
List of topics		
Gaps identified		
Supporting	IRSS Study: 2016 Global emerging issues	
documents	Concept of emerging pests and emergency issues - (Draft) role of the IPPC in relation to Plant Health emergencies and emerging pests ³⁴	
	External cooperation: Phytosanitary Measure Research Group (PMRG) ³⁵	
	IPPC Regional Workshops ³⁶	

C7

Strategic objective C: Facilitate safe trade, development and economic growth

Key result area C7: Contracting parties have legislation in place to enable implementation of ePhyto.

Development Agenda 1: Harmonization of electronic data exchange

	Standards	Implementation
Developed	Phytosanitary certification system (ISPM 7)	Guide, Export Certification
materials	Phytosanitary certificates (ISPM 12)	
List of topics		Phytosanitary export certification system, e-Learning course (2020-003, Priority 1)
Gaps identified	National legislation requirements (Priority 4)	PCE tool identified for ePhyto
Supporting documents	ePhyto on IPP ³⁷	

³⁴ https://www.ippc.int/en/publications/86922/

³⁵ https://www.ippc.int/en/external-cooperation/organizations-page-in-ipp/phytosanitarymeasuresresearchgroup/

³⁶ https://www.ippc.int/en/core-activities/capacity-development/regional-ippc-workshops/

³⁷ https://www.ippc.int/en/ephyto/