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#### 1. Summary statistics for National Reporting Obligations 2005 - 2016

A total of 1 674 NRO reports were uploaded on the IPP in the past 12 years, covering all NRO categories. They are shown altogether in the graph 1 and in breakdown into categories in tables (Table 1 and 2) and associated graphs (Figure 2 and 3).

The NRO categories with the biggest numbers of reports available on the IPP are Pest reports (607 reports) and Legislation: phytosanitary requirements/ restrictions/ prohibitions (441 reports). The next most prolific categories are: Description of NPPO - 195 reports; Entry points – 153 reports and List of regulated pests – 146 reports.

NRO categories with dozens of reports are: Organizational arrangements of plant protection – 36 reports; Pest status – 31 reports; Rationale for phytosanitary requirements – 27 reports and Emergency action – 23 reports. The least prolific category is Non-compliance (15 reports), however, that NRO is considered to be strictly bilateral and most of the information exchange is carried out between the countries without making it public on the IPP.

Pest reports is the category with the most stable improvement tendency each year. Pest reports has kept an input of at least 50 reports every year since 2012. At the same time, it must be noted that 2015 and 2016 were two record years with input of 92 and 98 pest reports respectively. It makes it nearly a double yearly number of pest reports in comparison to all previous years (2005-2014).

Another category with the second most stable increase in numbers is Legislation: phytosanitary requirements/ restrictions/ prohibitions. At the same time, it must be noted that since 2014 this category has kept an input of over 50 reports each year (namely: 2014: 59 reports; 2015: 59 reports; 2016: 58 reports) which makes it three stable record years in a row which has never happened before.

Overall, the number of NRO reports, both considered as public or bilateral and made available by countries on the IPP, has been steadily increasing for the last 12 years. At the same time it must be noted that looking at all NRO data gathered since 2005 the year 2015 and 2016 were two record years in a row with the highest total numbers of reports made available by countries on the IPP. This has not been seen since 2005 at this level. This vast improvement must be due to the NRO Programme initiated in the IPPC Secretariat in mid-2014. The Programme has so far consisted of the following:

- 1. NRO Support staff was employed (since June 2014) which allowed for regular assistance to Official Contact Points and their IPP editors offered throughout that time to facilitate reporting through the IPP.
- 2. National Reporting Obligations Advisory Group (NROAG) meeting was held in July 2014. It gave a direction to NRO Programme issuing recommendations that were followed up (awareness raising, advocacy and educational materials, reminders).
- The monthly NRO newsletter the "NROs Update" started being issued in October 2014 by the IPPC Secretariat in Arabic, English, French, Spanish, and Russian. It has been distributed monthly to all IPPC Contact Points and IPP editors.

- 4. The NRO Years were introduced to boost awareness raising. So far the Year of Official Contact Points, the Year of the Organization of the NPPO and the Year of Pest reporting have taken place.
- 5. New section was created on the IPP dealing directly with NROs all NRO files were gathered in one place and the IPPC Secretariat made sure that they are available in Arabic, English, French, Spanish, and Russian.
- 6. Upgrading technology of the IPP website in February 2015 the IPPC Secretariat launched a revised IPP website the data entry (including posting NROs) was made easier and more user friendly. To facilitate the use of the revised IPP, a revised user manual was produced. It was available in Arabic, English, French, Spanish, and Russian.
- 7. New and improved layout of NRO information on the countries national pages was introduced.
- 8. Regular registration of new Contact Points and archiving was carried out without delay. An electronic archiving system of countries Contact Points was introduced. The nomination form for Contact Points, RPPOs and IPP editors were updated and made available in Arabic, English, French, Spanish, and Russian.
- 9. The pre-CPM-10 training session on NROs was conducted by the IPPC Secretariat in March 2015.
- 2015 IPPC Regional workshops included a training session on NROs. Supplementary NRO guidance material was prepared for training purposes.
- 11. NRO General and Specific Procedures were drafted following the analysis of previous NRO related CPM recommendations and decisions carried out by NROAG and the IPPC Secretariat. The Procedures were preliminarily adopted at CPM-10 and then finally adopted at CPM-11, together with Quality Control Guidelines and NRO Work Plan.
- 12. Following this milestone the series of advocacy and awareness raising materials was prepared in 2016 by the IPPC Secretariat:
  - the new Guide to NRO offering guidance to Official Contact Points and IPP editors on NRO types and methods together with IPP data entry advice;
  - tables listing NROs (all NROs, Public NROs and Bilateral NROs);
  - 13 detailed leaflets for each NRO offering concise advice and references; 4 NRO leaflets prepared in 2015 regarding benefits of reporting, consequences of not reporting and networking received a new, improved layout.
- 13. The system of automated IPP NRO reminders was developed by the IPPC Secretariat and became operational in July 2016.
- 14. The IPPC Workshop took place in September 2016 in Beijing, China. It was the first from the new series of NRO Workshops.
- 15. The scripts for NRO e-learning (5 modules) were prepared by the IPPC Secretariat.
- 16. Automatic NRO statistics were prepared and made available by the IPPC Secretariat in January 2017.

Figure 1. Total Number of NRO Reports uploaded each year by countries on the IPP

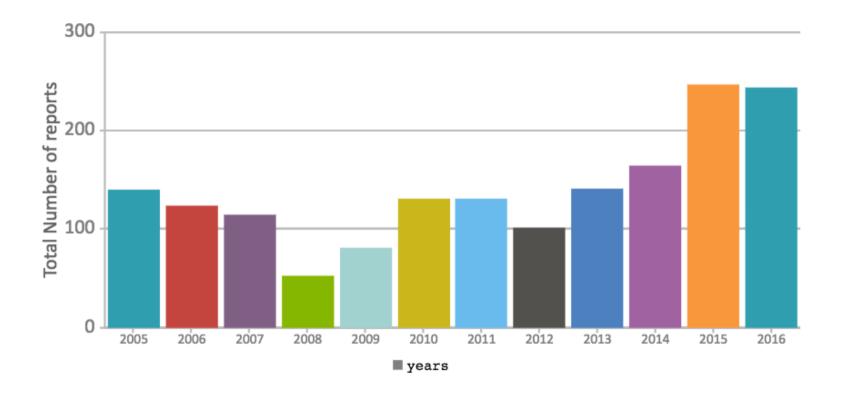


Table 1. The cumulative total of NRO reports made available by all countries through the IPP in each NRO category for the years 2005- 2016.

# Reporting Year (cumulative totals)

Type of NRO	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016
Description of NPPO	23	39	53	57	60	78	102	108	130	150	172	195
Pest reports	14	42	75	105	144	205	251	309	363	417	509	607
Emergency action	0	2	4	5	5	6	8	12	14	14	20	23
List of regulated pests	19	26	41	45	53	66	79	83	92	112	127	146
Entry points	24	44	61	64	73	80	90	91	105	114	135	153
Legislation: phytosanitary requirements/ restrictions/ prohibitions	47	94	127	137	153	181	208	235	265	324	383	441
Non-compliance	0	0	0	0	0	3	5	5	5	5	8	15
Organizational arrangements of plant protection	7	8	9	9	12	12	18	18	21	21	28	36
Pest status	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	8	10	25	31
Rationale for phytosanitary requirements	2	5	5	6	9	9	10	12	15	16	23	27
Total	140	264	379	432	513	644	775	877	1018	1183	1430	1674

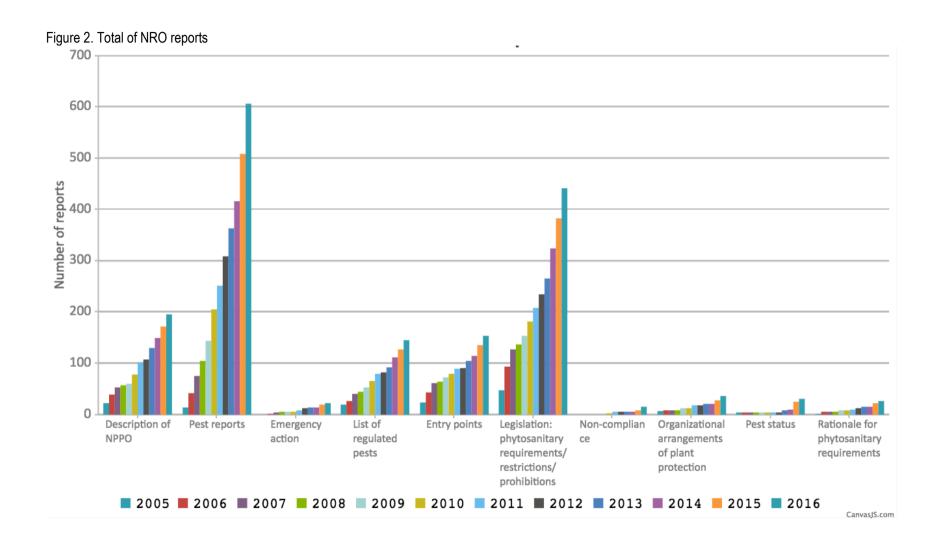
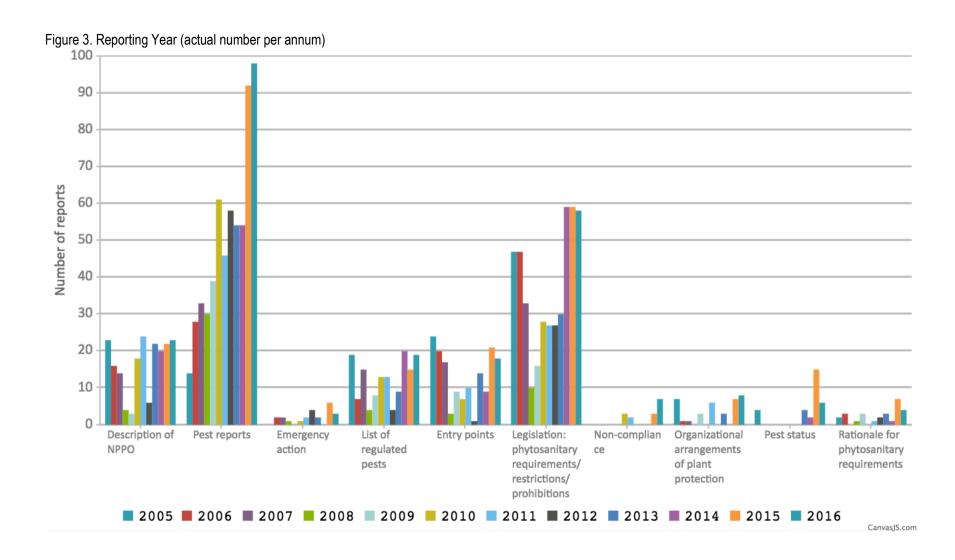


Table 2. The number of new NRO reports made available by all countries on the IPP in each NRO category every year (2005-2016).

# Reporting Year (actual number per annum)

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Type of NRO	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016
Description of NPPO	23	16	14	4	3	18	24	6	22	20	22	23
Pest reports	14	28	33	30	39	61	46	58	54	54	92	98
Emergency action	0	2	2	1	0	1	2	4	2	0	6	3
List of regulated pests	19	7	15	4	8	13	13	4	9	20	15	19
Entry points	24	20	17	3	9	7	10	1	14	9	21	18
Legislation: phytosanitary requirements/ restrictions/ prohibitions	47	47	33	10	16	28	27	27	30	59	59	58
Non-compliance	0	0	0	0	0	3	2	0	0	0	3	7
Organizational arrangements of plant protection	7	1	1	0	3	0	6	0	3	0	7	8
Pest status	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	2	15	6
Rationale for phytosanitary requirements	2	3	0	1	3	0	1	2	3	1	7	4
Total	140	124	115	53	81	131	131	102	141	165	247	244



#### 2. Status of IPPC Contact Points

# 2.1. Status of IPPC Contact Points

In 2016 there were 214 IPPC Contact Points in 3 categories:

- 183 IPPC Official Contact Points (OCP) (for IPPC contracting parties),
- 20 Local contact points (for dependent territories of contracting parties), and
- 11 Information points (for non-contracting parties).

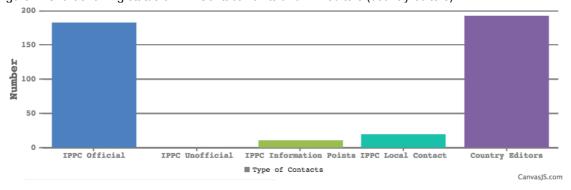
For the second time in a row, all IPPC contracting parties had officially nominated IPPC Contact Points by the end of 2016.

The tables and graphs below summarize the status of IPPC Contact Points and IPP editors.

Table 3. Status of IPPC Contact Points and IPP editors

Type of Contact	Number
IPPC Official	183
Unofficial	0
Information Points	11
Local contact	20
IPP Editors	193

Figure 4. Chart showing status of IPP Contact Points and IPP editors (country editors)



# 2.2 Changes among IPPC Contact Points over 2016

In 2016, a total 41 IPPC Contact Points changed (i.e. they were officially nominated by countries and registered by the IPPC Secretariat) in comparison to 43 in 2015. In 2016, the average number of new nominations for Contact Points received by the IPPC Secretariat was 3.4 per month. 43% of all 2016 nominations were received between July and September 2016, (7, 5 and 6 nominations respectively). At the same time, the IPPC Secretariat kept updating the contact details (such as their email addresses, titles, names of the organizations, etc.) of all IPPC Contact Points throughout the year. However, it must be noted that the IPPC Contact Points can change their contact details themselves (except for their title and their name) after logging in to the IPP.

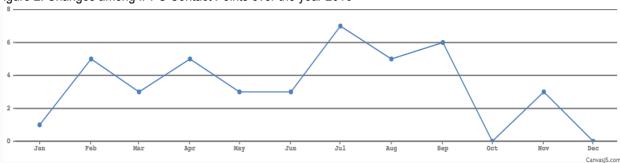


Figure 2. Changes among IPPC Contact Points over the year 2016

The role of the IPP editor is to manage the country's information, including uploading NRO reports, on the International Phytosanitary Portal (IPP) on behalf of their Contact Point. In 2016 there were 193 editors registered in the IPP in total. 19 new IPP editors were registered in 2016 by the IPPC Secretariat.

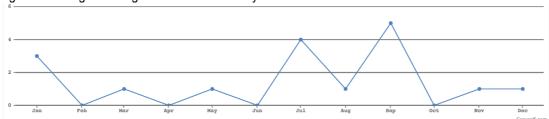


Figure 6. Changes among IPP Editors over the year 2016

### 2.3 Activity of IPPC Contact Points and IPP Editors on the IPP

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According to the latest data, on average 94.6% of Official Contact Points log in to the IPP after their registration by the IPPC Secretariat. 5.4% of Official Contact Points have never logged in to the IPP after their registration by the IPPC Secretariat. The regions where such cases are most frequent are: Africa (10%) and Europe (8.8% of OCPs). The regions with the highest success rate are: Asia, Near East, North America and South West Pacific – all Official Contact Points of these regions log in after their registration.

The data shows that on average 44% IPP editors never log in to the IPP after their registration by the IPPC Secretariat. The regions where such cases are most frequent are: South West Pacific (47% of IPP editors never logged in to the IPP) and Africa (36%). The regions with the highest success rate are: North America – all IPP editors of that region logged in after their registration – followed by Asia (80%), Latin America and Caribbean (77%) and Europe (74%).

The tables and graphs below summarize by region activity of IPPC Contact Points and IPP editors on to the IPP separately for: IPPC contracting parties (Official Contact Points), non-contracting parties (Information points) and dependent territories of contracting parties (Local contacts).

Table 4. Activity of Official Contact Points (contracting parties)

# **REGIONS**

	Africa	Asia	Europe	Latin America & Caribbean	Near East	North America	Southwest Pacific	Total number
No. of Contracting Parties:	50	25	45	33	15	2	13	183
OCPs that have <b>never</b> logged in to IPP	5	0	4	1	0	0	0	10
IPP Editors that <b>never</b> logged in	19	6	9	7	5	0	8	54

Figure 7. Logging Activity of Official Contact Points



Figure 8. Logging Activity of IPP Editors (of Official Contact Points)



Table 5. Activity of Information points (Non-contracting parties)

REGIONS

	Africa	Asia	Europe	Latin America & Caribbean	Near East	North America	Southwest Pacific	Total number
No. of Non- contracting parties	2	4	2	0	0	0	3	11
Information Points that <b>never</b> logged in	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	3
IPP Editors that <b>never</b> logged in	0	0	-	-	-	-	0	0

Figure 9. Logging Activity of Information Points

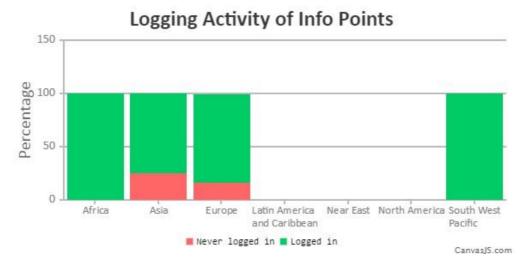


Figure 10. Logging Activity of IPP Editors (of Information points)

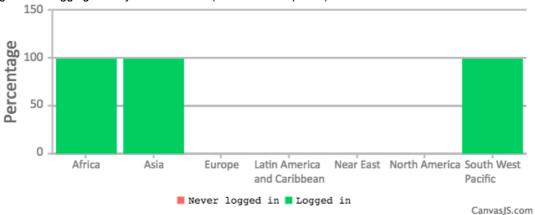


Table 6. Activity of **Local contacts** (dependent territories of contracting parties)

#### **REGIONS**

	Africa	Asia	Europe	Latin America & Caribbean	Near East	North America	Southwest Pacific	Total number
No. of Territories	2	0	0	11	0	0	7	20
Local contacts that <b>never</b> logged in	0	0	0	1	0	0	2	3
IPP Editors that <b>never</b> logged in	-	-	-	0	-	-	-	0

Figure 11. Logging Activity of Local contacts





#### 3. Summary statistics for National Reporting Obligations: NROs only for 2016

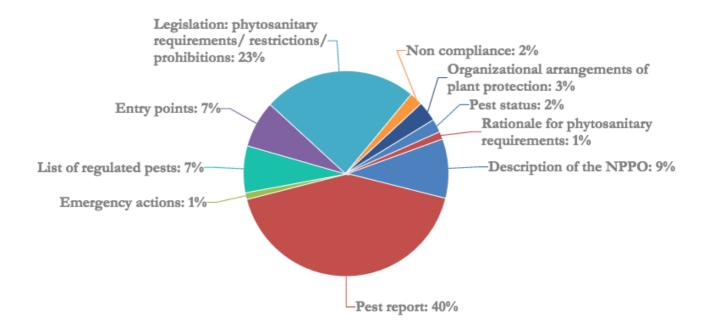
The past year has proved to be a very active year for providing and maintaining NROs. In total countries provided 244 reports. It must be noted that looking at all NRO data gathered since 2005 the year 2016 was the second record year in a row with the highest total numbers of reports made available by countries on the IPP. This has not been seen since 2005 at this level.

In general the NRO categories with the biggest numbers of reports available on the IPP are: Pest reports (they constitute 40% of all reports) and Legislation: phytosanitary requirements/ restrictions/ prohibitions (23%). The next most prolific categories are: Description of NPPO (9%); Entry points (7%) and List of regulated pests (7%).

Table 7. The relative number of reports provided by countries in 2016

Type of NRO	Relative number of reports provided in 2016
Description of NPPO	23
Pest reports	98
Emergency action	3
List of regulated pests	19
Entry points	18
Legislation: phytosanitary requirements/ restrictions/ prohibitions	58
Non-compliance	7
Organizational arrangements of plant protection	8
Pest status	6
Rationale for phytosanitary requirements	4
Total	244

Figure 13. Total NRO reports in 2016



- Description of the NPPO
- Pest report
- Emergency actions
- List of regulated pests
- Entry points
- Legislation: phytosanitary requirements/ restrictions/ prohibitions
- Non compliance
- Organizational arrangements of plant protection
- Pest status
- Rationale for phytosanitary requirements

#### 4. Summary of NRO Year of Pest reporting (1 April 2016 - 31 March 2017)

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The NRO Year of Pest reporting was taking place from 1 April 2016 until 31 March 2017. In May 2016 an official letter was sent out to IPPC Official Contact Points reminding about a need to concentrate efforts on pest reporting. The NRO educational newsletter issued monthly during that time by the IPPC Secretariat "NROs Update" focused mainly on topics relevant for pest reporting. The NRO Guide made available to Official Contact Points and IPP editors in 2016 contained a detailed chapter on how to create and update pest reports. There was also a leaflet on pest reporting made available on the IPP in the NRO folder (currently available in English and French). Additionally, the scripts for planned e-learning on NRO prepared by the IPPC Secretariat consist of 2 modules on pest reporting out of 5 planned modules. The automated IPP NRO reminders system that stared functioning in July 2016 sent out 2 reminders regarding pest reporting (in August 2017 and February 2017) to email addresses of Official Contact Points. As a result the number of pest reports updated by countries in 2016 rose by 36 % in comparison to 2015.

The tables below show the detailed breakdown by region of Pest reports made available by <u>contracting</u> <u>parties</u> on the IPP according to data generated on 1 March 2017.

Table 8. Pest reports by contracting parties overall state on 1 March 2017

Pest reports								
Region	Number of contracting parties	Number of reporting parties	Number of reports					
Africa	50	15	60					
Asia	25	13	52					
Europe	45	18	175					
Latin America and Caribbean	33	16	92					
Near East	15	0	0					
North America	2	2	146					
South West Pacific	13	7	94					
Total	183	71	619					

The most active regions during the NRO Year of Pest reporting was Europe and North America with respectively 34 and 29 new pest report. Both regions were also the most active in updating pest reports on the IPP with 40 and 46 updated pest report respectively. The other regions were also active. 10 countries (Ghana, Sao Tome and Principe, Zambia, Malaysia, Pakistan, Philippines and Timor-Leste, Cyprus, Germany, Lithuania) made pest reports available on the IPP for the first time. The only region that was not active during that time in pest reporting was Near East.

Table 9. Pest reports by contracting parties: changes during 1 April 2016 - 1 March 2017

Pest reports	Country		
Region	Countries	New reports	Updated reports
Africa	Ghana, Mozambique, São Tomé and Príncipe, South Africa, Zambia,	14	15
Asia	Japan, Malaysia, Myanmar, Nepal, Pakistan, Philippines, Republic of Korea, Singapore, Thailand,	12	16
Europe	Cyprus, Czech Republic, Denmark, Germany, Lithuania, Malta, Netherlands, Slovenia, Turkey, Ukraine,	34	40
Latin America and Caribbean	Barbados, Costa Rica, Guyana, Jamaica, Nicaragua, Trinidad and Tobago,	11	16
Near East		0	0
North America	Canada, United States of America,	29	46
South West Pacific	Australia,	7	8
Total		107	141

The tables below show the detailed breakdown by region of Pest reports made available by <u>all countries</u> (including local territories and non-contracting parties) according to data generated on 1 March 2017.

Table 10. Pest reports by all <u>countries</u> (including local territories and non-contracting parties) overall state to 1 March 2017

Pest reports								
Region	Number of countries	Number of reporting countries	Number of reports					
Africa	55	15	60					
Asia	29	14	54					
Europe	51	18	175					
Latin America and Caribbean	44	16	92					
Near East	15	0	0					
North America	2	2	146					
South West Pacific	23	9	105					
Total	219	74	632					

Table 11. Pest reports by all <u>countries</u> (including local territories and non-contracting parties): changes during 1 April 2016 - 1 March 2017

Pest reports	Country		
Region	Countries	New reports	Updated reports
Africa	Ghana, Mozambique, São Tomé and Príncipe, South Africa, Zambia,	14	15
Asia	Japan, Malaysia, Myanmar, Nepal, Pakistan, Philippines, Republic of Korea, Singapore, Thailand, Timor-Leste,	14	18
Europe	Cyprus, Czech Republic, Denmark, Germany, Lithuania, Malta, Netherlands, Slovenia, Turkey, Ukraine,	34	40
Latin America and Caribbean	Barbados, Costa Rica, Guyana, Jamaica, Nicaragua, Trinidad and Tobago,	11	16
Near East		0	0
North America	Canada, United States of America,	29	46
South West Pacific	Australia, French Polynesia,	8	9
Total		110	144

Pest reports is a category with the overall biggest number of reports available on the IPP (in total 632 according to data generated on 1 March 2017). Pest reports account for 40% of all reports uploaded by countries on the IPP. It is also a category of reports that grows in number steadily every year since 2005. Pest reports has kept an input of at least 50 reports every year since 2012. At the same time, it must be noted that 2015 and 2016 were 2 record years with input of 92 and 98 pest reports respectively which makes it nearly a double yearly amount of pest reports in comparison to all previous years (2005-2014).

Table 12. The cumulative total of Pest reports made available by all countries through the IPP for the years 2005 - 2016.

# Reporting Year (cumulative totals)

Year	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016
Pest reports	14	42	75	105	144	205	251	309	363	417	509	607

Figure 14. Cumulative number of Pest reports in each year

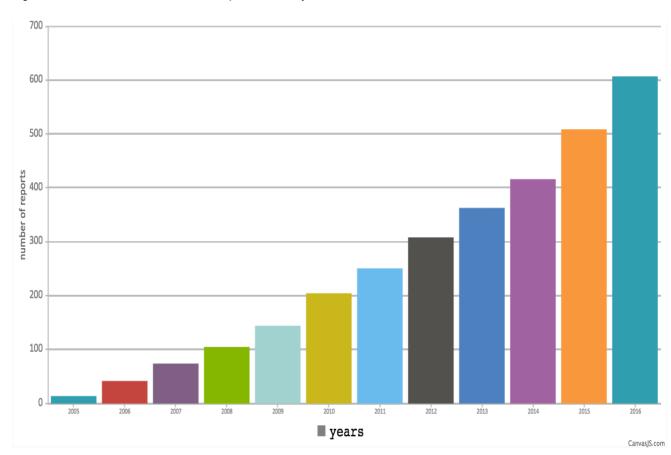
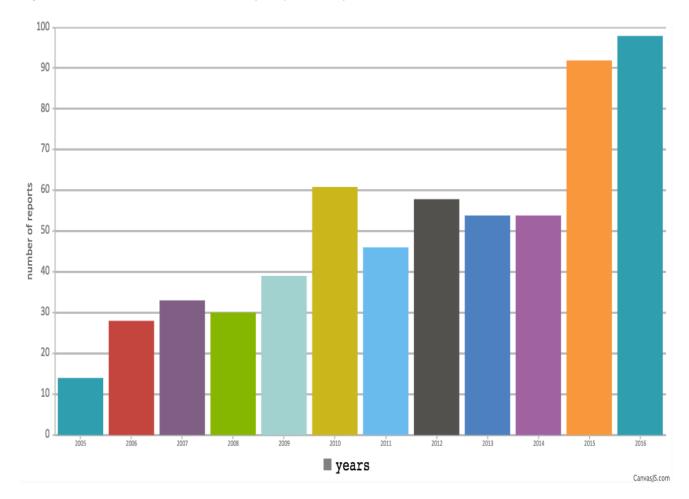


Table 13. The number of new Pest reports made available by all countries on the IPP every year (2005 - 2016).

# Reporting Year (actual number per annum)

Year	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016
Pest reports	14	28	33	30	39	61	46	58	54	54	92	98

Figure 15. Numbers of Pest reports in each year (2005-2016)



# 5. NRO Submission trends in reports provided by countries for 2016 in comparison to those in 2015

The number of reports made available by countries remained at the same very high level in 2016 in comparison to 2015. There were no major changes in trends with Pest reports and Legislation: phytosanitary requirements/ restrictions/ prohibitions remaining two top NRO categories.

Table 14. NRO Submission trends in reports provided by countries for 2016 in comparison to those in 2015.

NRO category	reports in 2015	reports in 2016	Actual Increase or Decrease	Percentage Increase or Decrease
Description of NPPO	22	23	increase by 1.0 report	+4.55 %
Pest reports	92	98	increase by 6.0 reports	+6.52 %
Emergency action	6	3	decrease by 3.0 reports	-50.0 %
List of regulated pests	15	19	increase by 4.0 reports	+26.67 %
Entry points	21	18	decrease by 3.0 reports	-14.29 %
Legislation: phytosanitary requirements/ restrictions/ prohibitions	59	58	decrease by 1.0 reports	-1.69 %
Non-compliance	3	7	increase by 4.0 reports	+133.33 %
Organizational arrangements of plant protection	7	8	increase by 1.0 report	+14.29 %
Pest status	15	6	decrease by 9.0 reports	-60.0 %
Rationale for phytosanitary requirements	7	4	decrease by 3.0 reports	-42.86 %
Total	247	244		

# 6. Detailed statistics for each NRO in 2016

The tables below show the detailed breakdown by region of NRO reports made available by contracting parties on the IPP regarding the following National Reporting Obligations:

- Description of the NPPO;
- Pest reports;
- Emergency action;
- List of regulated pests;
- Entry points;
- Legislation: phytosanitary requirements/restrictions/prohibitions;
- Non-compliance;
- Organizational arrangements of plant protection;
- Pest status;
- Rationale for phytosanitary requirements.

Table 15. NRO "Description of the NPPO": the overall state for 2016

Description of the NPPO						
Region	Number of contracting parties	Number of reporting parties	Number of reports			
Africa	50	27	43			
Asia	25	16	26			
Europe	45	31	38			
Latin America and Caribbean	33	22	54			
Near East	15	4	6			
North America	2	2	3			
South West Pacific	13	10	19			
Total	183	112	189			

Table 16. NRO "Description of the NPPO": changes in reporting during 2016

Description of the NPPO	2016			
Region	New reports	Updated reports		
Africa	7	10		
Asia	6	16		
Europe	1	12		
Latin America and Caribbean	5	16		
Near East	1	1		
North America	0	1		
South West Pacific	0	4		
Total	20	60		

Table 17. NRO "Pest reports": the overall state for 2016

Pest reports					
Region	Number of contracting parties	Number of reporting parties	Number of reports		
Africa	50	14	53		
Asia	25	12	50		
Europe	45	16	161		
Latin America and Caribbean	33	16	92		
Near East	15	0	0		
North America	2	2	146		
South West Pacific	13	7	93		
Total	183	67	595		

Table 18. NRO "Pest reports": changes in reporting during 2016

Pest reports	2016			
Region	New reports	Updated reports		
Africa	8	9		
Asia	10	14		
Europe	28	31		
Latin America and Caribbean	11	15		
Near East	0	0		
North America	33	50		
South West Pacific	6	7		
Total	96	126		

Table 19. NRO "Emergency action": the overall state for 2016

Emergency action					
Region	Number of contracting parties	Number of reporting parties	Number of reports		
Africa	50	2	2		
Asia	25	3	5		
Europe	45	6	6		
Latin America and Caribbean	33	1	1		
Near East	15	0	0		
North America	2	2	2		
South West Pacific	13	3	9		
Total	183	17	25		

Table 20. NRO "Emergency action": changes in reporting during 2016

Emergency action	2016			
Region	New reports	Updated reports		
Africa	0	0		
Asia	1	4		
Europe	0	3		
Latin America and Caribbean	0	0		
Near East	0	0		
North America	0	1		
South West Pacific	1	7		
Total	2	15		

Table 21. NRO "List of regulated pests": the overall state for 2016

List of regulated pests						
Region	Number of contracting parties	Number of reporting parties	Number of reports			
Africa	50	10	13			
Asia	25	14	39			
Europe	45	30	37			
Latin America and Caribbean	33	21	45			
Near East	15	5	6			
North America	2	2	2			
South West Pacific	13	6	8			
Total	183	88	150			

Table 22. NRO "List of regulated pests": changes in reporting during 2016

List of regulated pests	2016			
Region	New reports	Updated reports		
Africa	5	5		
Asia	6	11		
Europe	2	8		
Latin America and Caribbean	5	10		
Near East	1	1		
North America	0	1		
South West Pacific	0	2		
Total	19	38		

Table 23. NRO "Entry points": the overall state for 2016

Entry points					
Region	Number of contracting parties	Number of reporting parties	Number of reports		
Africa	50	27	36		
Asia	25	16	22		
Europe	45	27	33		
Latin America and Caribbean	33	22	39		
Near East	15	5	7		
North America	2	2	3		
South West Pacific	13	12	15		
Total	183	111	155		

Table 24. NRO "Entry points": changes in reporting during 2016

Entry points	2016	
Region	New reports	Updated reports
Africa	0	2
Asia	6	14
Europe	5	12
Latin America and Caribbean	4	8
Near East	1	1
North America	0	1
South West Pacific	0	3
Total	16	41

Table 25. NRO "Legislation: phytosanitary requirements/ restrictions/ prohibitions": the overall state for 2016

Legislation: phytosanitary requirements/ restrictions/ prohibitions			
Region	Number of contracting parties	Number of reporting parties	Number of reports
Africa	50	26	77
Asia	25	16	104
Europe	45	31	90
Latin America and Caribbean	33	21	129
Near East	15	8	37
North America	2	2	10
South West Pacific	13	7	42
Total	183	111	489

Table 26. NRO "Legislation: phytosanitary requirements/ restrictions/ prohibitions": changes in reporting during 2016

Legislation: phytosanitary requirements/ restrictions/ prohibitions		2016
Region	New reports	Updated reports
Africa	6	9
Asia	10	57
Europe	12	33
Latin America and Caribbean	15	26
Near East	3	4
North America	0	2
South West Pacific	11	17
Total	57	148

Table 27. NRO "Non-compliance": the overall state for 2016

Non-compliance			
Region	Number of contracting parties	Number of reporting parties	Number of reports
Africa	50	1	1
Asia	25	3	8
Europe	45	2	2
Latin America and Caribbean	33	1	2
Near East	15	0	0
North America	2	0	0
South West Pacific	13	2	2
Total	183	9	15

Non-compliance	2016	
Region	New reports	Updated reports
Africa	0	0
Asia	4	5
Europe	2	2
Latin America and Caribbean	0	0
Near East	0	0
North America	0	0
South West Pacific	0	0
Total	6	7

Table 29. NRO "Organizational arrangements of plant protection": the overall state for 2016

Organizational arrangements of plant protection			
Region	Number of contracting parties	Number of reporting parties	Number of reports
Africa	50	7	7
Asia	25	8	10
Europe	45	3	3
Latin America and Caribbean	33	5	7
Near East	15	2	2
North America	2	0	0
South West Pacific	13	4	6
Total	183	29	35

Table 30. NRO "Organizational arrangements of plant protection": changes in reporting during 2016

Organizational arrangements of plant protection		2016
Region	New reports	Updated reports
Africa	0	1
Asia	5	7
Europe	0	0
Latin America and Caribbean	1	3
Near East	1	1
North America	0	0
South West Pacific	0	3
Total	7	15

Table 31. NRO "Pest status": the overall state for 2016

Pest status			
Region	Number of contracting parties	Number of reporting parties	Number of reports
Africa	50	3	3
Asia	25	6	17
Europe	45	3	3
Latin America and Caribbean	33	3	3
Near East	15	0	0
North America	2	0	0
South West Pacific	13	3	4
Total	183	18	30

Table 32. NRO "Pest status": changes in reporting during 2016

Pest status	2016	
Region	New reports	Updated reports
Africa	1	1
Asia	1	11
Europe	2	3
Latin America and Caribbean	1	1
Near East	0	0
North America	0	0
South West Pacific	0	0
Total	5	16

Table 33. NRO "Rationale for phytosanitary requirements": the overall state for 2016

Rationale for phytosanitary requirements			
Region	Number of contracting parties	Number of reporting parties	Number of reports
Africa	50	0	0
Asia	25	4	4
Europe	45	4	8
Latin America and Caribbean	33	4	7
Near East	15	0	0
North America	2	0	0
South West Pacific	13	2	8
Total	183	14	27

Table 34. NRO "Rationale for phytosanitary requirements": changes in reporting during 2016

Rationale for phytosanitary requirements		2016
Region	New reports	Updated reports
Africa	0	0
Asia	1	2
Europe	2	3
Latin America and Caribbean	1	1
Near East	0	0
North America	0	0
South West Pacific	0	7
Total	4	13