

Implementation Review and Support System (IRSS)

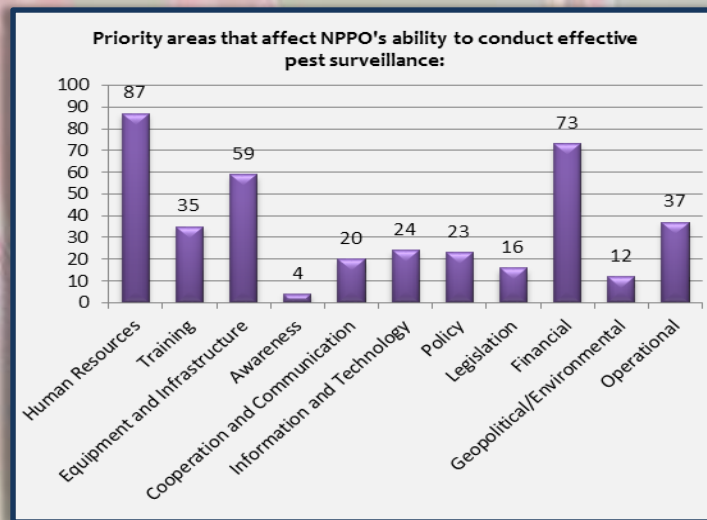
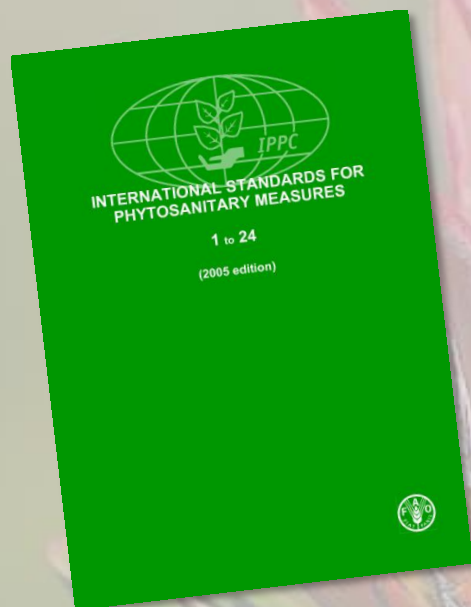
**IPPC Secretariat
Regional IPPC Workshop**

Date

Venue

THE PRIMARY OBJECTIVE OF THE IRSS

Facilitate and promote the implementation of the IPPC and ISPMs



- The IRSS is a project funded by the EU
- IPPC sourced funds for IRSS in 2011 with EU funding until March 2014



HOW DOES THE IRSS WORK?

Component 1: **The
Implementation
Review system
(IRS)**

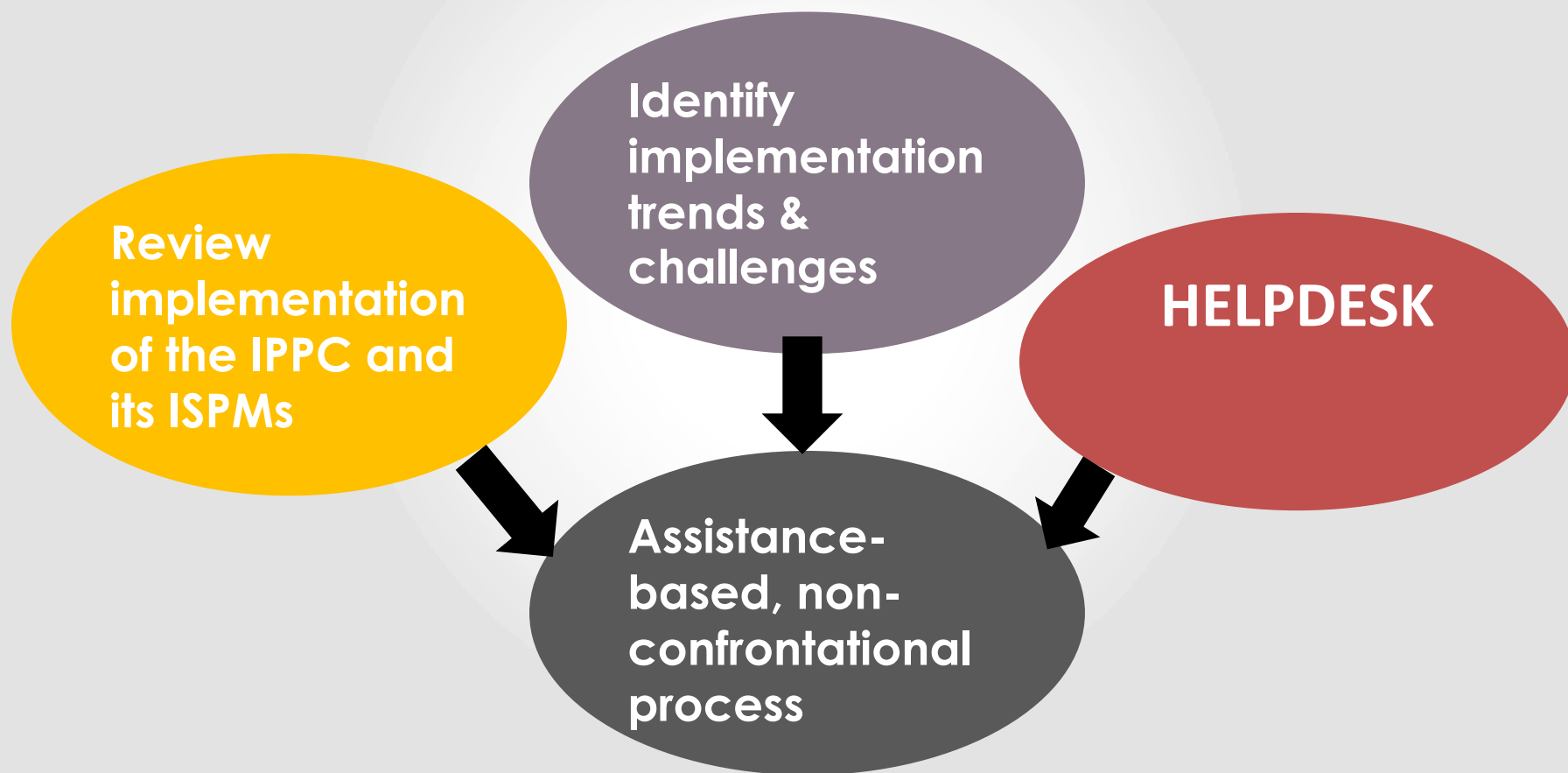
Component 2: **The
Implementation
Support system
(ISS)**

Expected product

The Implementation Review Response (IRR)

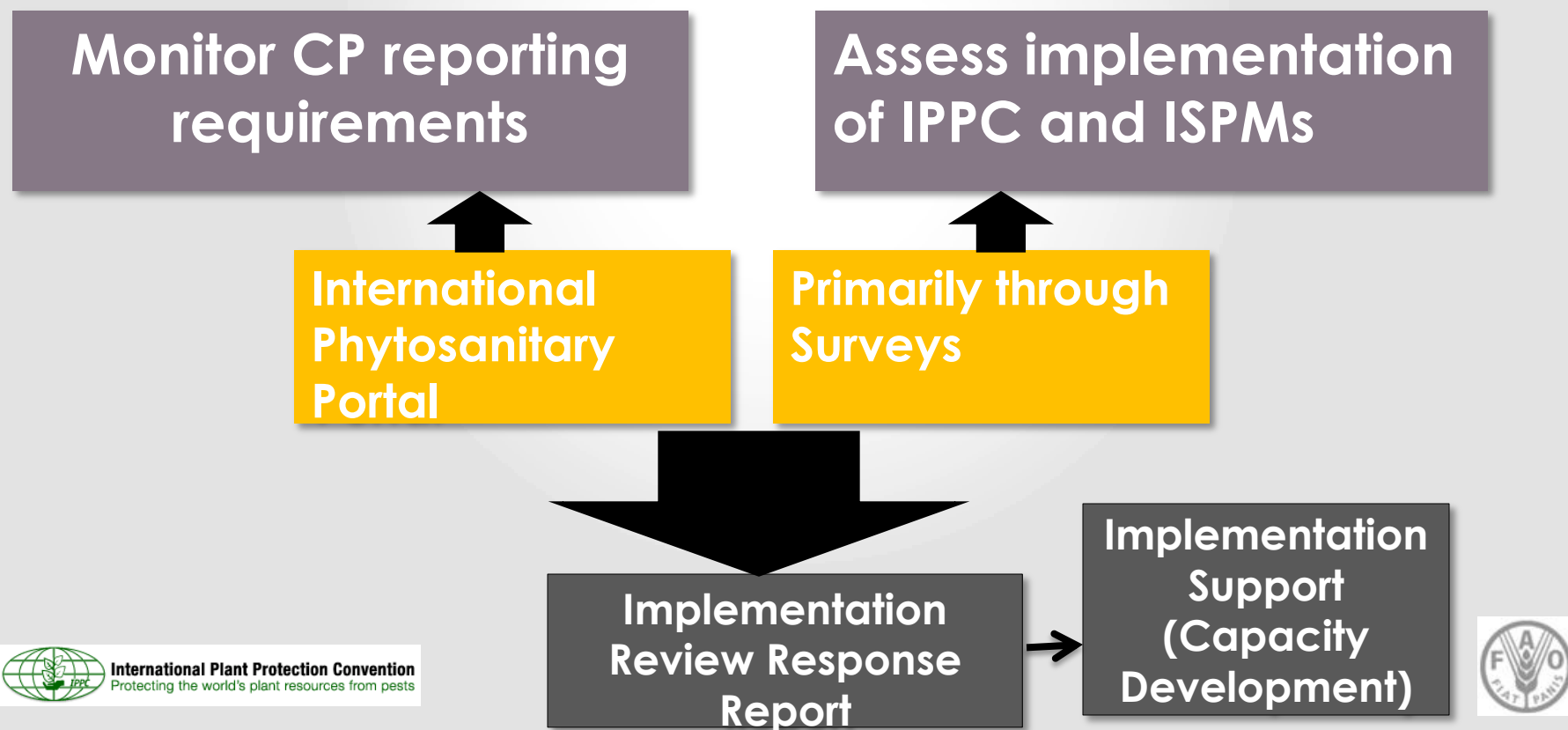
*three year summary of overall implementation of
the IPPC and ISPMs by IPPC Contracting Parties*

WHAT WE DO



PROGRAMME OVERVIEW

Component 1: Implementation Review System



PROGRAMME OVERVIEW CONT'D

Component 2: Implementation *Support* System

Help Desk

Helps guide Contracting Parties requesting assistance with the implementation of ISPMs

Monitor, identify, report implementation difficulties to IPPC Subsidiary Bodies, Capacity Development Committee, and IPPC Secretariat (Standard-Setting, National Reporting Obligations and Capacity Development teams)

Summary of IPPC Help Desk activities to CPM and the Implementation Review Response Report



Protecting the world's plant resources from pests

How does the IRSS help NPPO? – NPPO Participation has contributed to the following actions:

- Inform the review of the framework for all of the ISPMs (underway)
- Inform revision of ISPMs (4,6 and 8)
- Development of series of manuals on surveillance
- Stimulate reflection on greater issues of IPPC implementation
- Stimulate discussion on emerging issues such as Aquatic Plants and Internet Trade in Plants
- A repository of technical materials for use by NPPOs
- Inform review of roles, functions of Subsidiary body on dispute settlement

IRSS Web Page

Direct access on the International Phytosanitary Portal (IPP) to new and exciting features

- What we are working on currently

<http://irss.ippc.int/activities>

- How you can get help (HELPDESK):

- Question and Answer Forum

- FAQs

- Access to phytosanitary.info databases

<http://irss.ippc.int/helpdesk/>

- Country Profiles at a glance

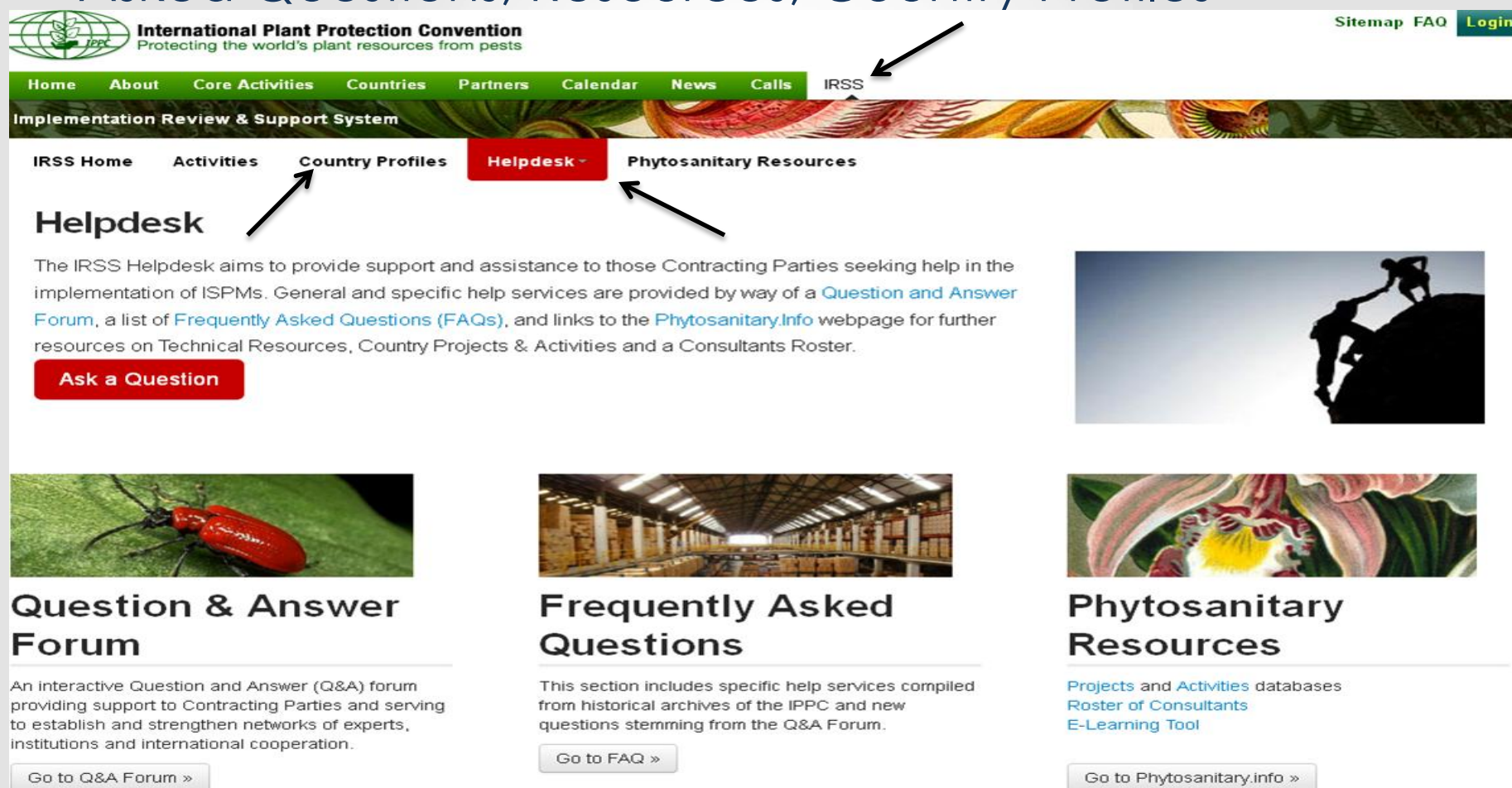
- National trade and phytosanitary related data on one page

<https://www.ippc.int/countries/>

Protecting the world's plant resources from pests

WHAT IS THE HELPDESK?

Online platform: Question and Answer Forum, Frequently Asked Questions, Resources, Country Profiles



International Plant Protection Convention
Protecting the world's plant resources from pests

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Helpdesk

The IRSS Helpdesk aims to provide support and assistance to those Contracting Parties seeking help in the implementation of ISPMs. General and specific help services are provided by way of a [Question and Answer Forum](#), a list of [Frequently Asked Questions \(FAQs\)](#), and links to the [Phytosanitary.Info](#) webpage for further resources on Technical Resources, Country Projects & Activities and a Consultants Roster.

[Ask a Question](#)

Question & Answer Forum

An interactive Question and Answer (Q&A) forum providing support to Contracting Parties and serving to establish and strengthen networks of experts, institutions and international cooperation.

[Go to Q&A Forum »](#)

Frequently Asked Questions

This section includes specific help services compiled from historical archives of the IPPC and new questions stemming from the Q&A Forum.

[Go to FAQ »](#)

Phytosanitary Resources

[Projects](#) and [Activities](#) databases
[Roster of Consultants](#)
[E-Learning Tool](#)

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WHAT'S NEXT? (IRSS Work Programme 2013)

- Just released - IRSS Survey on ISPM19: 2003 (Guidelines on Lists of Regulated Pests) and ISPM17: 2002 (Pest Reporting)
 - *The survey is available in English, French, Spanish and Russian and Arabic*
 - *The online survey tool (Contact Points only) is accessible from **June 26th - September 30th, 2013** from your own IPP Dashboard. Simply log into your IPP account*
- Implementation Review Response Report is currently being prepared for CPM-9
- Work on indicators IPPC/ISPM implementation and a possible monitoring framework

DISCUSSION

What has been your experience with IRSS activities?

**Has your NPPO participated in an IRSS Survey?
Why/Why not?**

How do you think the IRSS project could help your NPPO?

THANK YOU

