International Cooperation

Agenda 14.4





Schedule:

Presentation by WCO: Ozlem SOYSANLI

Panel presentations:

- 1. CABI: Washington OTIENO
- 2. CBD: Junko SHIMURA
- 3. IAEA: Rui CARDOSO PEREIRA
- 4. WBG: Shane SELA
- 5. STDF: Melvin SPREIJ
- 6. WTO: Anneke HAMILTON

Questions and answers









World Customs Organization

The 14th Session of the Commission on Phytosanitary Measures (CPM-14)

Rome, Italy, 1-5 April 2019





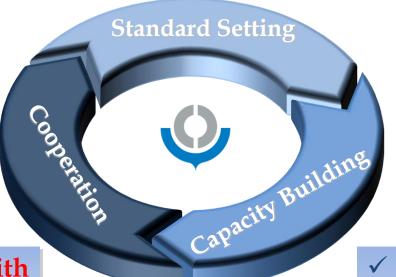
- IndependentIntergovernmentalOrganization
- Established in 1952 as the Customs Cooperation Council
- 26 January; International Customs Day
- 4 183 Members
- Headquarters in Brussels

"The WCO provides leadership, guidance and support to Customs administrations to secure and facilitate legitimate trade, realize revenues, protect society and build capacity"

Key Functions of the WCO



✓ Capability and responsibility for global standard setting for Customs



✓ Cooperation with other international organizations and other agencies

- ✓ Capacity Building
- ✓ Network of accredited experts from Customs Administrations
- ✓ Donor engagement

International Customs Day 2019



- Secure,
- Measurable,
- Automated,
- Risk Management-based and
- Technology-driven.

BORDERS



Cooperation between WCO and IPPC



Agreement signed on 19 June 2018



WCO and IPPC join forces to facilitate trade whilst protecting societies from undesirable effects





- Electronic Data Exchange (ePhyto),
- ECommerce,
- Sea Containers,
- Single Window and
- Communication and Advocacy

Cooperation between WCO and IPPC



Joint Work Plan agreed on 18 March 2019



Seven areas of cooperation

- Joint events, especially in the area of trade facilitation;
- Communication and advocacy;
- Cross-border e-commerce;
- Electronic data exchange (e-Phyto);
- Sea containers;
- Single Window; and
- Time Release Study.



Cooperation between WCO and IPPC

Ongoing joint work

- IPPC Sea Container Task Force (SCTF)
- IPPC ePHYTO Project Advisory Committee (PAC)

"2020 The International Year of Plant Health (IYPH)"



Thank you for your attention!

For more information:

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PANEL PRESENTATIONS

Highlights of contributions from several international organizations towards helping to develop plant health capacity





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PRA Decision Support Tools

Washington Otieno CPM-14, Rome, April 1-5, 2019





Key elements in managing pest risks

- Preparedness
 - Accurate early warning at intra-country, country or regional levels that would enable rapid response to emerging threats
- Detection
 - Convergence on surveillance data from activities conducted by multiple agencies
- Response
 - Data driven decisions on choice of actions





Advisory services & plant health

- Advisory services continue to be largely curative rather than preventive
 - characterized by missed opportunities for early interventions & lack of demonstrable benefits from investments in pest management.
- Examples of these in recent times since mid-2000s in Africa alone
 - Bactrocera dorsalis, Tuta absoluta, Spodoptera frugiperda, BXW, MLND, etc.
- Lack of effective response systems to deal with endemics that are still not widely distributed
 - Fusarium oxysporum fsp. cubense TR4, CBSV
- Implication: pest introductions continue to be an underlying problem and master plans required to guide prioritization of investments in plant protection activities.





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Pest Risk Analysis Tool

Targeted users: risk assessors in NPPOs

Built on CABI's Crop Protection Compendium (CPC) data

Phase 1: commodity-initiated PRA – released for trial by CPC subscribers, January 2019

Phase 2: full launch to include pest-initiated PRA and other improvements, Q4, 2019

CPC subscribers can register now to test PRA Tool (beta)

Overview

- User requirements gathered through surveys and 2 African regional workshops
- Provided as an optional add-on to the CPC for subscribers
- CPC and PRA Tool to be made available to NPPOs in Low-Income countries through donor support
- Workflow is based on the design of the CPC CD-ROM PRA module
- Aligned to IPPC international standards (e.g. ISPM 11)



CPC and **PRA** Tool gratis access to **NPPOs**

CABI's Action on Invasives programme will provide free access to both the **Crop Protection Compendium** and the **PRA Tool** to 92 low-income countries

Afghanistan Cuba
Angola Cyprus
Antigua & Barbuda Djibouti
Armenia DPR Korea
Azerbaijan DR Congo
Bahamas Equatorial Guinea

Bangladesh Eritrea Ethiopia Barbados Belize Gabon Gambia Benin Bhutan Georgia Botswana Ghana Brunei Darussalam Grenada Burkina Faso Guinea

Burundi Guinea-Bissau

Cambodia Guyana
Cameroon Haiti
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Central African Republic Kazakhstan
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Mozambique Swaziland

Myanmar Syrian Arabic Republic

Namibia Tajikistan
Nepal Tanzania
Niger Timor-Leste

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Pakistan Trinidad &Tobago Papua New Guinea Turkmenistan

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Source countries

Pathways

Plant hosts

Plant parts in trade

Taxonomic group



Horizon Scanning Tool

Prioritizing invasive species threats

www.cabi.org/horizonscanningtool

Targeted users: risk assessors, plant protection officers, quarantine officers, protected area managers and researchers

Potential threats to a country or state can be filtered by:

- habitat
- pathway
- host plant (for CPC subscribers only)
- plant part in trade (for CPC subscribers only)
- taxonomic group
- Options are provided to select source countries by geography, climate similarity or trade links
- A CSV output includes fields to assist prioritization

Phase 1: beta version launched March 2018

Phase 2: full launch, November 2018





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Ministry of Agriculture and Rural Affairs, People's Republic of China





Agriculture and Agri-Food Canada





Swiss Agency for Development and Cooperation SDC



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Capacity Development for Plant Health and Achieving 2020 Aichi Biodiversity Targets

Junko Shimura, UN Secretariat of the CBD





By 2020, invasive alien species and pathways are identified and prioritized, priority species are controlled or eradicated and measures are in place to manage pathways to prevent their introduction and establishment

----- Aichi Biodiversity Target 9







What are the issues for capacity development?



- IAS and pests
- Crops
- Forests
- Biodiversity
- Economics
- Trade
- Travel

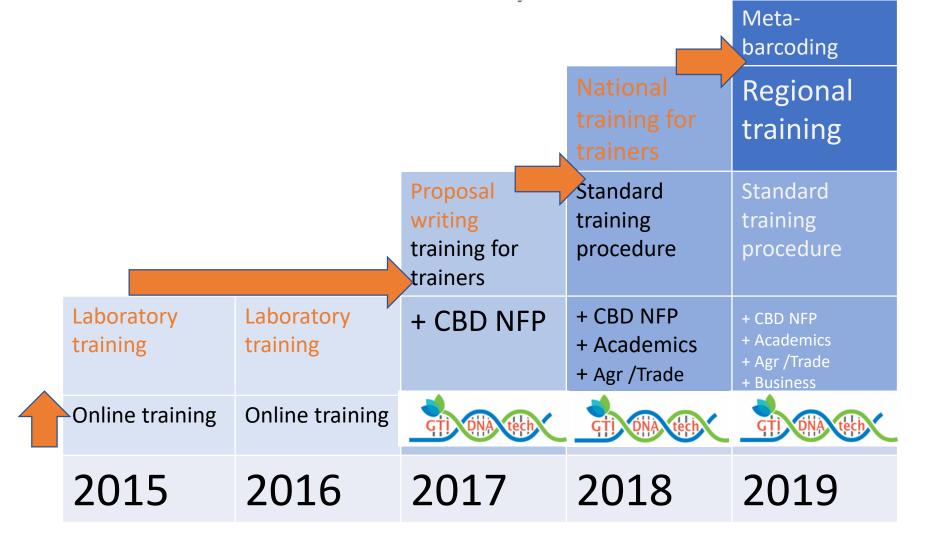






Convention on Biological Diversity

Global Taxonomy Initiative

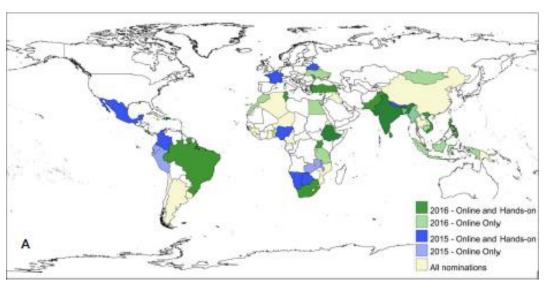








Online and lab training for trainers in 2015 -2016



- 52 Trainees from 48 developing countries trained by online
- 29 trainees trained in lab who became Trained Trainers of GTI-DNA tech







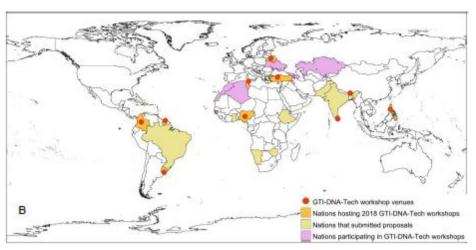








GTI-DNA-tech standard training for trainers organized by ToT in 2018



Giodiversit.







- 10 workshops implemented
- 165 new trainers trained
- 95 experts from103 institutes/organisationsEngaged
- 625 samples analyzed and
- 500 BOLD sequences to be added







Convention on Biological Diversity

- Develop sound policy and national commitment (e.g. NBSAPs)
- Maximize existing capacity
- Strengthen knowledge sharing and bioinformatics capacity development.















Post-2020 Biodiversity Framework

- Stepping stone for 2050 vision of biodiversity "Living in Harmony with Nature"
- Process should be driven by Parties and participatory, inclusive, gender responsive, transformative, comprehensive, catalytic, visible, knowledge based, transparent, efficient, result-oriented, interactive and flexible
- Biodiversity commitments

Indicative chronology

- Feb- May 2019 :Regional consultations
- May Aug 2019 : Discussion paper for review
- Aug/Sep 2019 : Open-ended Working Group on Biodiversity Framework 1
- Nov 2019 : SBSTTA 23
- Mar 2020 : Draft Framework
- May 2020 : **SBSTTA 24** and **SBI 3**
- July 2020 : Open-ended WG2
- Oct 2020: COP15 in China for adoption of the post-2020 global biodiversity







More information:

- http://cbd.int/post2020
- http://cbd.int/invasive
- http://cbd.int/gti
- https://www.cbd.int/sp/targets/

Special thanks to:

- University of Guelph, Canada
- International Barcode of Life Consortium
- Japan Biodiversity Fund
- Communication team at the Secretariat of the CBD
- Creative commons

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The Joint FAO/IAEA Division of Nuclear Techniques in Food and Agriculture contributions to capacity development for plant health



Rui Cardoso Pereira

Commission on Phytosanitary Measures, Fourteenth Session, 1-5 April 2019. Rome, Italy





Technical Panels

The Joint FAO/IAEA Division continues to support the:

- Technical Panel on Pest Free Areas and Systems Approaches for Fruit Flies (TPFF)
- Technical Panel on Phytosanitary Treatments (TPPT).

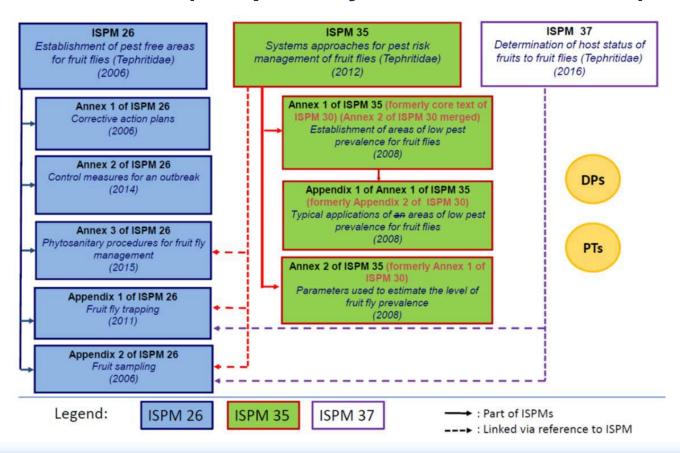






Fruit Fly ISPMs

Review of technical information related to the reorganization and harmonization of fruit fly standards (adopted by the CPM-13, 2018).

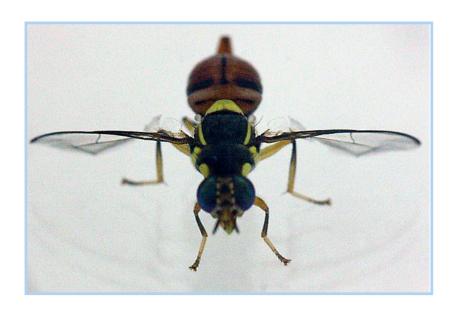






ISPMs

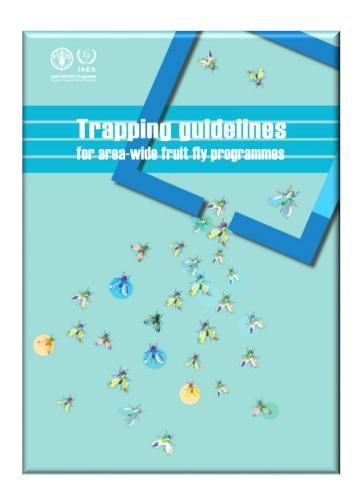
Facilitated the successful adoption of treatments as Annexes to ISPM 28, the last of which was the "Vapour heat treatment for *Bactrocera dorsalis* on *Carica papaya*" in 2018







Technical materials to support the implementation of the ISPMs









The International Database on Commodity Tolerance (IDCT)



https://nucleus.iaea.org/sites/naipc/IDCT/Pages/default.aspx





Capacity building on the implementation of the fruit fly ISPMs through regional workshops and technical meetings







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Supporting capacity development in plant health



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Specialist

Trade Facilitation Support Program



- 45 developing countries being supported
- \$45 million in commitments from donors
- Alignment of laws, procedures, processes, systems to Trade Facilitation Agreement (TFA)
- Facilitation of knowledge sharing, peer-to-peer learning, and the measurement of progress and results
- Practical/demand-driven assistance
- Focus on full and effective implementation of the TFA
- Important in the context of border cooperation, increasing risk-based procedures, etc.

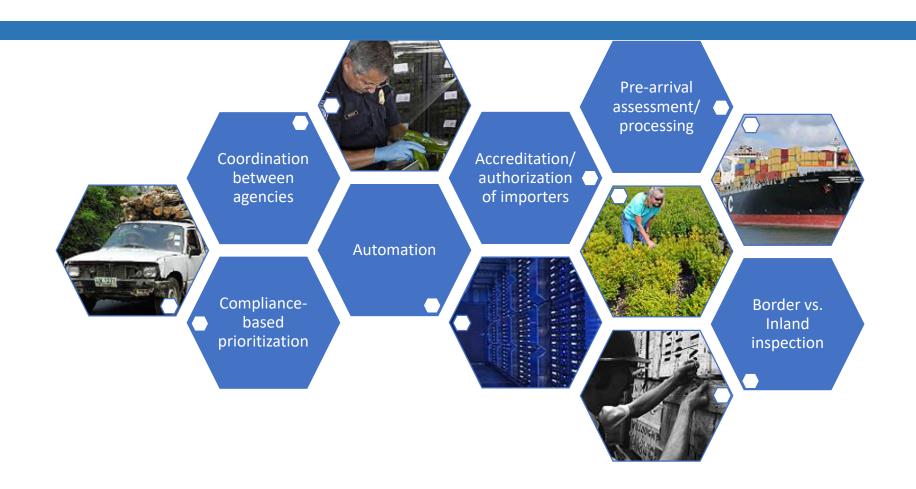


Risk-based management

- Working to implement TFA reforms with SPS agencies
- Objectives
 - Increase risk-based border management and collaboration amongst agencies
 - Reduce documentary burdens
 - Support preparations for Single Window implementation



Risk-based management



Supporting automation

- IPPC ePhyto project
- Improvements to efficiency and security in exchange of phytosanitary certificates
- Opportunity to expedite government and trade processes
- WBG working with IPPC to assist developing countries in using ePhyto to improve trade
 - Advanced information pre-arrival analysis, assessment of risk, implementation of coordinated risk-based approaches
 - Data availability and analysis better identification understanding of risks
 - Alignment of ePhyto with national single windows
- WBG is also working with STDF, OIE and Codex to facilitate alignment between electronic documents

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Understanding the impact of border procedures on perishables

- Survey of traders to understand the challenges in the movement of perishables
- Allow for more focused interventions to better address border management challenges
- Area of analysis
 - Where are the bottlenecks?
 - What are reasons?
 - What is the role of Customs, Plant Quarantine and others in contributing to impacts?
 - How can things be improved?
 - Are there estimates for the impacts?
- Currently working with







WBG Blog

 Getting the balance right: minimizing food safety risks and facilitating trade in North Macedonia

https://blogs.worldbank.org/trade/getting-balance-right-minimizing-food-safety-risks-and-facilitating-trade-north-macedonia

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SIDE Standards and Trade Development Facility



STDF work in support of plant health and safe trade

Melvin Spreij CPM, Rome 3 April 2019













SIDE Standards and Trade Development Facility

Global coordination platform, knowledge hub and network for SPS capacity building



Funds for innovative, crosscutting SPS projects and project development



DRIVING SAFE TRADE SOLUTIONS WORLDWIDE

Supporting farmers, processors and traders in developing countries to access global markets







Driving good practice in SPS technical cooperation

- Reducing SPS trade costs, protecting health (in broader context of TFA)
- o Public-private partnerships:
 - includes focus on use of third party assurance schemes in food control systems
- Prioritizing SPS investments for Market Access (P-IMA) Tajikistan





Innovative/collaborative projects

- Collection & development of IPPC training manuals (PG/350)
- Training of 30+ PCE facilitators; 4 validated (PG/401)
- ePhyto (PG/501)
- Rolling out tools to support Systems Approach (ISPM 14) (PG/503)

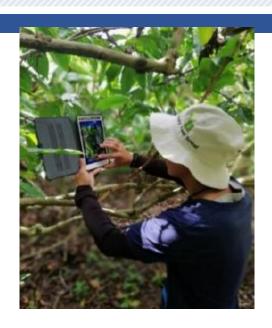






Examples of other ongoing projects

- Promoting IT solutions for surveillance and pest reporting in SE Asia (PG/432)
- Strengthening phytosanitary capacity for plant exports in Zambia (PG/481)
- Building phytosanitary capacity to facilitate trade in **Guinea** (PG/498)
- Enhancing capacity of fruit and vegetable sector in **Uganda** (PG/543)





STDF Standards and Trade Development Facility

Steps to follow on STDF PPG or project funding

Browse webpages for eligibility criteria
www.standardsfacility.org/project-preparation-grants
www.standardsfacility.org/project-grants

View examples of previous projects
Read the guidance note for applicants
Consult stakeholders in the country/region

Send concept for feedback STDFSecretariat@wto.org

Submit application form online before 19 July 2019







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WTO SPS Technical Assistance

- Specific SPS-related technical assistance activities on the SPS Agreement are organized and delivered each year.
- To enhance the knowledge and expertise of government officials from Members and Observers in understanding and implementing the SPS Agreement.
- Plant health is one of the components covered in these activities. IPPC participates in various of these WTO SPS technical assistance activities.



WTO SPS Technical Assistance: Activities

National Seminars

 Focus on specific challenges related to the implementation of the SPS Agreement

Regional SPS Workshops

 Address specific SPS-related training needs identified within regions, in collaboration with regional organizations

Thematic SPS Workshops

- Build on topic-specific discussions within the SPS Committee
- Transparency and Coordination: 15-16 July 2019 (Geneva, Switzerland)



WTO SPS Technical Assistance: Activities

Advanced SPS Course

- 3 week in-depth and hands-on training activity on the SPS Agreement focused on the active leadership of participants in SPS-related matters
- 2019 Advanced SPS Course (English): 28 October to 15 November 2019 (Geneva, Switzerland)
- Other activities as requested by international/regional organizations
 - 2018 Border Agency Cooperation workshop held in Cape Town, South Africa (funded by the Trade Facilitation Agreement Facility and World Bank)
- SPS e-Learning Course
 - Available all year long: https://wtolearning.csod.com



WTO SPS Technical Assistance: Application Process

Complete information on eligibility criteria, deadlines, funding, prerequisites, and application processes and form are available from:

- G/SPS/GEN/997 /Rev.9;
- the SPS Technical Assistance gateway at: http://www.wto.org/sps/ta; and
- the SPS Technical Assistance flier.



WTO SPS TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE ACTIVITIES IN 2019

The WTO Secretariat plans to organize a number of specific technical assistance activities on the Agreement on the Application of Sanitary and Phytosanitary Measures (SPS Agreement) in 2019:

- E-Learning Course on the SPS Agreement (https://wtolearning.csod.com)
 E-Learning course in English, French and Spanish available throughout the year
- National SPS Seminars
 - Upon request by any WTO Member or Observer. The online application form to request a WTO National SPS Seminar is available at:
 https://www.formstack.com/formsfational-ta-requests
- Thematic SPS Workshop on Transparency and Coordination (in English, French and Spanish)
 In Geneva, Switzerland: 15 to 10 July 2019
 - Open to all WTO Members and observers: Least-developed and developing countries
 - relay apply to unutring Pre-requisite: only for government officials holding direct responsibilities in the SPS area, particularly in the implementation of the transparency provisions of the SPS Agreement or in coordination among SPS agencies at the national level, including SPS national enquiry
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 Deadline for application for funding: 5 April 2019
- > 2019 Advanced Course on the SPS Agreement (in English)
 - In Geneva, Switzerland: 28 October to 15 November 2019
 Eligible WTO Members and observers: Least-developed and developing countrie Pre-requistic successful completion of the WTO E-Learning Course on the SPS
 - Agreement

 Deadline for application for funding: 3 June 2019
- Regional SPS Workshop for Central and Eastern Europe, Central Asia and the Caucasus (in English)
 - Filipible WTO Members and observers: Afghanistan; Albania; Amenia; Azerbaijan; Belaus; Bosnia and Herzegovina; Georgia; [ran; Israel; Kazakhstan; Kyrgyz Republic, Moldova, Republic of, Mortenegor, North Macedonia; Russian Federation; Serbia; Tajikistan; Turkey; Ukraine; Uzbekistan
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 Pre-requisite: preference will be given to candidates that have successfully completed the
 WTO E-Learning Course on the SPS Agreement by the time of their application
 Deadline for application for funding: 3 June 2019

The online application form for SPS Technical Assistance activities is available at: https://worldtradeorganization.wufoo.eu/forms/2019-wto-sps-technical-assistanceapplication-form/

5 March 2019





SPS Committee: Thematic Sessions and Fifth Review

- Knowledge dissemination and experience sharing are also fostered through SPS Committee Thematic Sessions on various topics such as:
 - Equivalence (October 2018 and March 2019);
 - Regionalization (July 2018 and July 2019);
 - o Fall Armyworm (March 2019); and
 - o Approval Procedures (November 2019).
- Participation of Members and various organizations, including 3 Sisters, in these thematic sessions.



Questions and answers





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