



2024 work plan of the IPPC implementation and facilitation unit

(2023 November IFU and IC reviewed and noted)

Strategies: the 2024 IFU work plan is fully consistent with the IPPC Strategic Framework 2020-2030.

The Implementation and Capacity Development (ICD) objectives will be achieved by:

- Focusing on global impact in order of priority: international, regional and national.
- Continuing building strong, quality-oriented team that supports and implements innovative ideas.
- Strengthening cooperation with relevant stakeholders to maximize resources to deliver ICD activities.
- Plan work according to allocated resources and mobilize resources as needed.

Main activities and outputs:¹

- **Governance:** CPM-18 (2024), Bureau, SPG, POARS SG, ePhyto SG are supported implementation of four development agendas (ePhyto, e-commerce, POARS, and authorization of third-party entities).
- **CPM events:** Coordination of e-commerce (with RPPOs) and TR4 side sessions, the NPPOs orientation and the plenary session on “Successes and challenges in implementing the IPPC during CPM-18 (2024)
- **IPPC Secretariat initiatives** are supported: FAO-One Health (including AMR), MTM, TR4 global coordination.
- **IC is supported** including face to face/virtual meetings, IC Sub-group: IPPC Observatory, IC Teams: NROs, Cont. Res, e-Commerce, F S&I, G&TM, PCE, Projects, TFT, TR4, CPM preparation and Web, revision of NROs Guide and revision of Manual on CPM preparation, revision of TFT templates and revision of RW guidelines..
- **List of ICD** topics is managed, and IC recommendations are submitted to CPM.
- **IFU communications** work plan is developed and implemented through IST and the FAO PWS (including publications, webinars, news, calls and announcements), two ICD webinars organized (on projects and on latest IPPC ICD materials). The phytosanitary component pages are revised (if resources are available).
- **ICD web based information** is updated once a year. Contribute to the further redesign of the IPP through IST. Contributed resources managed.
- **Guides and training material:** Guides published: two WPM treatment manuals, Risk-based inspection, CPM participation revision, live simulation exercise for TR4, training courses on TR4 surveillance and diagnostic. Initiate the revision of the guide on NROs and initiate the guide on audits.
- **Projects managed (or phytosanitary input provided):** African Phytosanitary Programme supported; EU: 9 PCEs to be finalized (COMESA countries); COMESA: TR4 prevention; Japan project. Support 6 PCEs in PRASAC-CEMAC countries (STDF). Backstopping for FAO projects.
- **IPPC Observatory** E-commerce and AMR studies are completed. The IPPC Third General survey is launched.

¹ Subject to the following staff resources. Regular Programme: P4, P2, G4. In-kind: P4 Canada, P4 France, e-learning support COLEAD. Projects: P3 (\$ EU & China), P3 (\$ EC for 9 PCEs in COMESA), P2 (\$ Japan), 1 Consultant (\$ China), 1 Consultant (\$ Korea), 2 Consultants (\$ COMESA trade facilitation programme), PCE facilitators (\$ China, \$ EC), 1 Consultant (\$ MDTF-PCE, & EC). Operation costs from RP and Projects

- **PCE tool and online system:** PCE desk study is finalized. The PCE tool and process are improved.
- **STDF Working Group:** STDF WG Chaired, PPGs and PGs reviewed and supported.
- **ICD Procedures that are updated are included in the ICD Manual** annually and the 2023 version is published in March.
- **Dispute avoidance assistance** is provided to Contracting Parties as requested and the CPM Bureau is supported accordingly.
- **IPPC Regional workshops:** participate in preparatory meetings to develop the agenda and presentations and at least two RW are co-organized and co-delivered by IFU.
- **External Cooperation** is maintained or developed with various organizations: EC, CABI, COLEAD, EFSA, IICA, GEA, STDF, UPU, WCO, Global Alliance.