

Timor-Leste Ministry of Agriculture and Fisheries

Minister of State, Coordinator for Economic Affairs
and Minister of Agriculture and Fisheries

Vice-Minister of Agriculture and Fisheries

Secretary General

Director General of Agriculture

National Directorate of Agriculture,
Horticulture and Extension

Department of Plant Protection

National Directorate of Quarantine
and Biosecurity

Department of Plant Protection

Conducts surveillance of plant pests, provides information on pest status, monitors the extent of damage caused by pests.

Chief of the Department is IPPC contact point

Plant Pest management

- surveillance of plant pests
- control of plant pests
- extension activities
- research

Plant Disease management

- surveillance of plant diseases
- control of plant diseases
- extension activities
- research

Weed management

- surveillance of weeds
- control of weeds, including the introduction of biocontrol agents
- extension activities
- research

Pesticide management

- Regulates use of pesticides
- extension activities
- research

Plant pest and disease laboratory

- Provides identification services for pests, diseases and weeds
- research

National Directorate of Quarantine and Biosecurity

National Director of Quarantine and Biosecurity

Provides leadership to Timor-Leste's biosecurity and plant health activities to underpin biosecurity and facilitate international market access; is the focal point for international plant protection activities. Provides Timor-Leste's input and support to international plant protection bodies, including standard setting activities.

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Department of Plant Quarantine

Responsible for all matters concerning the import and export of plants and plant products, maintenance of pests lists and response to incursions

Plant Science Manager

Coordinates response to plant pest incursions, provides science-based quarantine assessments and policy advice to support Timor-Leste's plant-based agricultural exports and protect Timor-Leste from plant-based biosecurity risks to agricultural productivity and market access

Plant Quarantine Operations

Responsible for import permits and phytosanitary certification

Plant Inspection Operations

Regulates the import and export of plant products by the delivery of import and export inspection services

