

e-Phyto 
Regional
Workshop

April 18-20
2023
Argentina

ePhyto Regional Workshop Agenda - April 18-20, 2023

Location: Argentine Foreign Ministry. Manuel Belgrano Auditorium. Esmeralda 1216, Autonomous City of Buenos Aires, Argentina.

| Time | Agenda item | Host/Speaker |
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| Day 1 – Introduction to ePhyto (live broadcast all day) | | |
| 09:00-09:30 | Accreditation | |
| 09:30-10:00 | Welcome Opening panel | <p>Authorities from:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Southern Cone Plant Health Committee. Diego Quiroga. COSAVE President & National Director of Plant Protection. SENASA. Argentina • Ministry of Foreign Affairs, International Trade and Worship of Argentina. Dr. Santiago Galar. National Director of International Cooperation of ACIAH. Argentina • National Service of Agrifood Health and Quality (SENASA). Diana Guillen. President • Inter-American Institute for Cooperation on Agriculture (IICA). Dr. Manuel Otero. General Director. <p>Moderator: Melisa Nediilskyj (COSAVE)</p> |
| 10:00-10:15 | Introduction to ePhyto | Martín Delucis (Argentina) |
| 10:15-10:30 | Hub and y Generic ePhyto National System (GeNS) | Craig Fedchock (CIPF) |
| 10:30-11:00 | Break | |



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| 11:00-12:00 | E-Phyto in the context of the IPPC. Background and global situation. IPPC E-phyto Steering Group update. Experiences of countries in other regions | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • E-Phyto in the context of the IPPC. Background and global situation. Craig Fedchock (IPPC) • IPPC E-phyto Steering Group Update. Christian Dellis (USDA-APHIS). • Current status of e-Phyto in Korea. Ms. Donam KIM. Deputy Director/Plant Quarantine Department, Animal and Plant Quarantine Agency (APQA), Korea. • Current status of e-Phyto in the EU. Ms. Hélène KLEIN (Head of Sector TRACES-IMSOC/DG SANTE). <p>Moderator: Ezequiel Ferro (Argentina)</p> |
| 12:00-12:20 | Hub connection process / Requirements. | Craig Fedchock (CIPF) |
| 12:20-12:40 | GeNS Progress. GeNS live demonstration. | Craig Fedchock (CIPF) |
| 12:40-13:00 | Q&A | Moderator: Ezequiel Ferro (Argentina) |
| 13:00-14:15 | Lunch | |
| 14:15-14:35 | Live demonstration of exchange through the Hub | Argentina / Paraguay |
| 14:35-15:00 | Experiences in connection. System design in operation and future challenges. How to support 100% phytosanitary paperless in the world? | Rodrigo Robles (Chile) |
| 15:00-15:20 | Break | |
| 15:20-17:00 | NPPO and RPPO presentations. Current situation and perspectives | Moderator: Rafael Mendieta (Paraguay) |
| 17:00-17:10 | Closing of the day | Moderator: Ezequiel Ferro (Argentina) |

| Day 2 – e-Phyto workshop | | |
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| 08:30-10:30 | (Continued) Presentations by NPPOs and RPPOs. Current status and perspectives. | Moderator: Rafael Mendieta (Paraguay) |
| 10:30-11:00 | Break (from now until the end of the day there will be no live broadcast) | |
| 11:00-11:20 | Group activity. IT and Phytosanitary Groups Moderator: Ezequiel Ferro (Argentina) | |
| 11:20-12:30 | <p>Group 1. IT:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Implementation processes of Hub, GeNS systems or through Single Windows. - Security: measures applied to avoid infringe or misuse of the electronic certificate (electronic signature, QR code, etc.). - Support: casuistry and actions when the transmission is down or unsatisfactory (error of transmitted data). Contingency Plan: elements and stages. - Future tools and evolutionary vision of the systems. - Design discussion of the best system option for current and 100% paperless operation. - Other services provided by the system. - The group will select a speaker who will take note of the discussion and present the conclusions to the plenary meeting. <p>The group will select a speaker who will take note of the discussion and present the conclusions to the plenary meeting.</p> <p>Moderator: Rodrigo Robles y Fernando Peralta (Chile)</p> | <p>Group 2. Phytosanitary:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Analysis of the operation of countries with paperless experience from the processes of agreements, implementation and initiation of operation between NPPOs, as well as contingency cases with their resolution and learning. - System improvements to provide more tools to inspectors and users of the NPPOs, according to the demand that is collected. - Contingency Plan: elements and stages. - Vision for the future of paperless in the countries of the region. - Financing of the e-Phyto IPPC solution. - Other services provided by the system. <p>The group will select a speaker who will take note of the discussion and present the conclusions to the plenary meeting.</p> <p>Moderator Carlos Saravia (Perú) y Rodneyx Huallpa Choque (Bolivia)</p> |
| 12:30-14:00 | Lunch | |
| 14:00-17:00 | (Continuation Group 1) | (Continuation Group 2) |

| Day 3 – e-Phyto IT workshop (live broadcast all day) | | |
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| 08:30-09:30 | <p>Presentation of IT Group conclusions to the plenary.</p> <p>The moderator chosen by the group will present the addressed topics with a summary of the discussions and the conclusions reached.</p> | <p>Group Representative</p> <p>Moderator: Juan Martín Vivas (Argentina)</p> |
| 09:30-10:30 | <p>Presentation of Phytosanitary Group conclusions to the plenary.</p> <p>The moderator chosen by the group will present the addressed topics with a summary of the discussions and the conclusions reached.</p> | <p>Group Representative</p> <p>Moderator: Eduardo Henrique Porto Magalhães (Brasil)</p> |
| 10:30-11:00 | Break | |
| 11:00-12:30 | <p>Plenary session. IT and Phytosanitary. Summary of the main conclusions.</p> <p>Moderator: Melisa Nedilskij (COSAVE)</p> | |
| 12:00-13:30 | Lunch | |
| 13:30-14:00 | Other solutions | <p>Claudia Berrospi (Perú)</p> <p>Moderator: Melisa Nedilskij (COSAVE)</p> |
| 14:00-15:00 | Private sector experiences with ePhyto. | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Efficiency in phytosanitary certification - e-phyto as a key tool for it. María Marta Rebizo. Manager of Economic and Commercial Affairs, CIARA-CEC. Argentina • Seed movement and electronic phytosanitary certification. Current situation and needs. Juan Erdmann. Technical and Institutional Relations Manager of the Argentine Seed Association (ASA). • Vision of the Chilean fruit industry on e-Phyto. Miguel Canala - Echeverria Vergara. General Manager. Fruit Exporters Association of Chile - ASOEX. Chile |

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| | | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Vision of the Chilean Seed Industry about e-Phyto. Bernardita Pincheira. Import & Export Specialist. National Association of Seed Producers - ANPROS. Chile • The importance of e-Phyto for the trading of grains. Marcos Amorim. Associação Nacional dos Exportadores de Cereais - ANEC. Brasil <p>Moderator: Beatriz Melchó(Uruguay)</p> |
| 15:00-15:30 | Q&A | Moderator: Beatriz Melchó(Uruguay) |
| 15:30-16:00 | Break | |
| 16:00-17:00 | Bilateral meetings (to be defined during the workshop) | Moderator: Ezequiel Ferro (Argentina) |
| 17:00-18:00 | Closure of the workshop | <p>Authorities from:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Inter-American Institute for Cooperation on Agriculture (TBC). • Ministry of Foreign Affairs, International Trade and Worship of Argentina. Sabina Frederic. President of the Argentine Agency for International Cooperation and Humanitarian Assistance White Helmets. • Secretariat of Agriculture, Livestock and Fisheries of Argentina. Ariel Martínez. Undersecretary of Policy Coordination • National Service of Agrifood Health and Quality (SENASA). Diana Guillen. President (TBC) • Southern Cone Plant Health Committee. Diego Quiroga. COSAVE President & National Director of Plant Protection. SENASA. Argentina <p>Moderator: Melisa Nedilskyj (COSAVE)</p> |