

Proposed Implementation Schedule of the EAPVPF Cooperation Activities 2015–2016 by EAPVPF Office (updated on Oct. 2, 2015)

Title	Year 2015					Year 2016			Remarks
	August	September	October	November	December	January	February	March	
(1) In-country training (Training organized by host country)									
① Dispatched Experts for Setting up Example Varieties for Selected Crops (Rice) : Nov. 24–27									1) New Plant Variety Testing Center for Rice 2) Perak, Malaysia 3) Maximum 20 participants (Rice examiners including PVP officers in charge of rice from Malaysia & Participants from other Forum member countries)
② Training Course for DUS of Upland Crops (EXPECTED with TOMATO) : Nov.30 to Dec. 3									1) Plant Variety Protection Office, Dep. of Crop Production 2) Hanoi, Vietnam 3) Participants from Forum Member countries
(2) Harmonization of test guidelines and other tools for PVP examination in the region									
Test Guidelines Harmonisation Meeting on ACACIA (Acacia spp.): Sep. 8–11									1) Forest Research Institute (FRIM) 2) Kepong, Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia 3) Crop experts, PVP officers and technical resource persons from Forum member countries
(3) Information sharing through the Forum Website	<div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px; display: inline-block;">Update of the EAPVPF Website</div> ← →								
(4) Awareness raising for key persons in decision making (Seminars, Workshops)									
① Plant Variety Protection and DUS Technical Testing under the UPOV Convention: Dec. 5									1) Department of Agriculture and Agrifood 2) Brunei 3) Not Determined

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②Workshop on Awareness of Plant Varieties Protection under UPOV Convention : Dec. 7–8									1)Department of Agriculture 2)Vientiane, Lao PDR 3)45participants from relevant organizations of Laos and UPOV members
③Plant Variety Protection and DUS Technical Testing under the UPOV Convention : Dec.9–10									1)Plant Variety Protection Office and Dep. of Agriculture 2)Phom Penh, Cambodia 3)56 participants from: 20 local participants from government official of Cambodia, 30 participants from NGOs, private sectors and model farmers, 4 international speakers
④High Level Tour in Japan									It will be organized by UPOV
⑤Study Course for DUS test facilities in Japan : Oct 26–30									1)Ministry of Agriculture of Indonesia (Funded by Indonesian Government) 2)Japan 3)Delegates from Indonesia
(5) Supprt for PVP law development and other activity to assist accession to UPOV									
Legal Consultation on International Harmonized PVP System									1) Department of Agriculture 2) Malaysia 3) UPOV Legal Advisor, Malaysian Ministerial Legal Advisor of Ministry of Agriculture, Representative from Malaysian Attorney–General Chamber, Malaysiaian Plant Variety Technical Committee Members

*Note:

- Remarks : (1) Organization of the host country (2) Venue (3)Expected participants
- This schedule is subject to change under unexpected situation.
- If some activities other than the above which meet the objectives of the EAPVP Forum and of which resources are available are proposed, they may be implemented.