



East Asia Plant Variety Protection Forum
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LIST OF THE COOPERATION ACTIVITIES IN 2021-2022

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The cooperation activities in 2021-2022 were proposed by Forum members. The cooperation activities need to be in line with the Common Direction of the 10-Year Strategic Plan of the EAPVP Forum with a view to streamlining the Forum's cooperation activities toward further harmonization of the PVP system in the region. The Forum is invited to consider and adopt following cooperation activities.

1. Cambodia

1-1-1. Title of program: **Developing the PVP procedure and examination guideline for DUS testing of some potential crops**

1-1-2. Proposed date: October 2021 (tentative)

1-1-3. Proposed venue: General Directorate of Agriculture, Phnom Penh, Cambodia

1-1-4. Expected participants: PVP Staffs (about 20 persons)

1-1-5. Note: Activities include making a kind of manual of PVP procedure and translation of UPOV DUS test guidelines in Cambodian language.

1-2-1. Title of program: **Dissemination workshop on the role and responsibilities of government regulatory bodies and endorsed law, regulation and declaration related to New Plant Variety Protection**

1-1-2. Proposed date: November 2021 (tentative)

1-1-3. Proposed venue: General Directorate of Agriculture, Phnom Penh, Cambodia

1-1-4. Expected participants: Around 90 persons from the relevant stakeholders

2. Indonesia

1-1. Title of program: **Seminar/FGD on Breeder's Exemption in PVP to Acknowledge Farmer's Rights**

1-2. Proposed date: To be confirmed

1-3. Proposed venue: Online

1-4. Expected participants: PVP officers, PVP examiners, stakeholders of PVP, NGO, breeder farmers, farmers group, universities

3. Japan

3-1-1. Title of program: **Capacity Building Workshop1: Introduction of PVP & UPOV TG1/3**

3-1-2. Proposed date: To be confirmed

3-1-3. Proposed venue: Online

3-1-4. Expected participants: PVP staff members, examiners, other related staff members and management persons of EAPVP Forum member countries (max 100 participants / one time)

3-1-5. Note: Basic lectures for junior staffs or contractors just starting PVP related works

3-2-1. Title of program: **Capacity Building Workshop2: Technical Training for PVP Senior Staff**

3-2-2. Proposed date: To be confirmed

3-2-3. Proposed venue: Online

3-2-4. Expected participants: PVP staff members, examiners, other related staff members and management persons of EAPVP Forum member countries (max 100 participants / one time)

3-2-5. Note: Lectures on technical matters which cannot be covered in the Workshop 1

4. Thailand

4-1. Title of program: **In Country Training on DUS Testing and Taking Photos**

4-2. Proposed date: January 2022 (two days)

4-3. Proposed venue: Bangkok

4-4. Expected participants: Plant breeders/applicants from public-private sectors and individual(15-20 persons)

4-5. Note: Some examiners from other member countries may participate in this activity according to budget.

5. Viet Nam

5-1-1. Title of Program: **Workshop with the enforcement offices to enhance the Awareness on PVP**

5-1-2. Proposed date: To be confirmed

5-1-3. Expected venue: Mekong delta provinces, Viet Nam

5-1-4. Expected participants: Relevant persons of Court, Market control, Customs Office, Economy Police

5-2-1. Title of Program: **PVP Awareness Seminars**

5-2-2. Proposed date: To be confirmed

5-2-3. Expected venue: North and South of Viet Nam

5-2-4. Expected participants: Stakeholders of PVP from Viet Nam and EAPVPP Member countries

5-3-1. Title of Program: **Cooperation on exchanging DUS Test Results through e-Asia PVP**

5-3-2. Proposed date: To be confirmed

5-3-3. Expected venue: TBD

5-3-4. Expected participants: Members and Non-members of UPOV(plan: Lao PDR, Brunei Darussalam)

5-4-1. Title of Program: **DUS Test Training Course**

5-4-2. Proposed date: To be confirmed

5-4-3. Expected venue: Viet Nam

5-4-4. Expected participants: Technical staffs from DUS Testing agencies of Viet Nam

6. EAPVP Pilot project

6-1. Title of Program: **Meetings of EAPVP Pilot project**

6-2. The seventh meeting / the eighth meeting

6-3. Proposed date: The seventh meeting (online meeting): 8-9 July 2021
The eighth meeting: December 2021

6-4. Proposed venue: Online meeting

6-5. Expected participants: Brunei Darussalam, Japan, Malaysia, Myanmar, Viet Nam and the UPOV Office
Observers for the seventh meeting: Cambodia, Indonesia, Thailand

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