

East Asia Plant Variety Protection Forum

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INDIVIDUAL IMPLEMENTING STRATEGY OF MYANMAR

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1. National goal (10-year strategic plan 2018-2027)

- Intend to enforce the 2019 New Plant Variety Protection Law with articles which are in line with UPOV 1991 act.
- ii. Intend to become UPOV member as a foundation of encouraging the development of new plant varieties for all stakeholders of the regime to contribute for developing sustainable agriculture and achieving food security.
- iii. To promote regional harmonization on application, examination and granting procedures towards the effective and cooperative PVP system for the breeders in the region and globally in future.

2. Objectives with analysis of challenges (for next 3 years)

2024

- i. To raise the awareness of the importance of PVP system among the multi-stakeholders
- ii. To become UPOV member as a foundation of encouraging the development of new plant varieties for all stakeholders of the regime to contribute for developing sustainable agriculture and achieving food security.
- iii. To promote regional harmonization on application, examination and granting procedures towards the effective and cooperative PVP system for the breeders.

2025

- i. To raise the awareness of the importance of PVP system among the multi-stakeholders
- ii. To become UPOV member as a foundation of encouraging the development of new plant varieties for all stakeholders of the regime to contribute for developing sustainable agriculture and achieving food security.
- iii. To promote regional harmonization on application, examination and granting procedures towards the effective and cooperative PVP system for the breeders.

2026

- i. To raise the awareness of the importance of PVP system among the multi-stakeholders
- ii. To promote regional harmonization on application, examination and granting procedures towards the effective and cooperative PVP system for the breeders.

3. Planned activities and Road map (for next 3 years)

For 2024, objective

- Carry out the required internal procedure to become UPOV member.
- Adoption on knowledge sharing in case of DUS administrative and technical ways through formation of database for reference varieties of main crops, establishing National DUS test stations and regional collaborations. (training & implementation own stations)

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- 4. Proposal of Cooperation Activity (Members who submitted proposals ONLY. The proposals will be presented with explanation of relevance to its 10-YSP.)
 - Activity 1 Awareness Raising Workshop on UPOV PVP System among the relevant policy makers and stakeholders with the assistance of the experts from UPOV and EAPVP forum members
 - Activity 2 Participating of Myanmar PVP examiners (who are the members of Technical and Subtechnical Plant Variety Protection Committee of Myanmar) in DUS test training, Development of National TG trainings and Database trainings to be held among the region

Activity 3 - Set up online Application System

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