

**Technical Working Party for Agricultural Crops**
**TWA/47/1 Rev.**
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**REVISED DRAFT AGENDA**
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1. Opening of the Session
2. Adoption of the agenda (TWA/47/1 Rev.)
3. Short reports on developments in plant variety protection
  - (a) Reports from members and observers (document TWA/47/3)
  - (b) Report on developments within UPOV (document TWA/47/2)
4. Molecular Techniques (document TWP/2/7)
5. TGP documents (document TWP/2/1)
 

*Revision of TGP documents*

TGP/7: Development of Test Guidelines  
*Duration of DUS tests* (document TWP/2/9)

TGP/8: Trial Design and Techniques Used in the Examination of Distinctness, Uniformity and Stability  
*Method for more than one single test (year)* (document TWP/2/10)

TGP/14: Glossary of Terms Used in UPOV Documents  
*Illustrations for shape and ratio characteristics* (document TWP/2/11)  
*UPOV color groups* (document TWP/2/12)
6. Variety denominations (document TWP/2/6)
7. Information and databases
  - (a) UPOV information databases (document TWP/2/4)
  - (b) Variety description databases (document TWP/2/2)
  - (c) Exchange and use of software and equipment (document TWP/2/5)
  - (d) Electronic application systems (document TWP/2/3)
8. Survey on approaches for obtaining plant material from breeders and on deciding on varieties whose existence is a matter of common knowledge (document TWP/2/13)
9. Number of growing cycles in DUS examination (document TWA/47/5)
10. Minimum distance between varieties (document TWA/47/4)
11. Experiences with new types and species (oral reports invited)
12. Matters to be resolved concerning Test Guidelines adopted by the Technical Committee
  - \*Cotton (*Gossypium* L.) (Revision) (document TWA/47/6)

13. Discussion on draft Test Guidelines (Subgroups)
  - \*Castor Bean (*Ricinus comunis* L.) (document TG/RICIN(proj.4))
  - Ginseng (*Panax ginseng* C.A. Mey) (Revision) (document TG/224/2(proj.2))
  - \*Oats (*Avena sativa* L. & *Avena nuda* L.) (Revision) (document TG/20/11(proj.4))
  - \*Quinoa (*Chenopodium quinoa* Willd.) (document TG/CHENO(proj.5))
  - Red Clover (*Trifolium pratense* L.) (document TG/5/8(proj.3))
  - Rice (*Oryza sativa* L.) (Revision) (document TG/16/9(proj.2))
  - Soya Bean (*Glycine max* (L.) Merrill) (Revision) (document TG/80/7(proj.4))
  - Sunflower (*Helianthus annuus* L.) (Revision) (document TG/81/7(proj.1))
  - Tea (*Camellia sinensis* (L.) Kuntze) (Revision) (document TG/238/2(proj.1))
  - Triticale (x*Triticosecale* Witt.) (Revision) (document TG/121/4(proj.1))
14. Recommendations on draft Test Guidelines
15. Guidance for drafters of Test Guidelines (document TWP/2/8)
16. Date and place of the next session
17. Future program
18. Adoption of the Report on the session (if time permits)
19. Closing of the session

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\* Indicates possible final draft Test Guidelines