

**Reunión sobre la elaboración de un formulario electrónico de solicitud**

UPOV/EAF/10/3

**Décima reunión  
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**Fecha:** 19 de abril de 2018**INFORME***Documento preparado por la Oficina de la Unión**Descargo de responsabilidad: el presente documento no constituye un documento de política u orientación de la UPOV***BIENVENIDA Y DISCURSO DE APERTURA**

1. La décima reunión sobre la elaboración de un prototipo de formulario electrónico (reunión EAF/10) fue inaugurada y presidida por el Sr. Peter Button, secretario general adjunto de la UPOV, quien dio la bienvenida a los participantes que se encontraban en Ginebra y a los participantes por teleconferencia.
2. La lista de participantes figura en el Anexo I del presente informe.

**APROBACIÓN DEL ORDEN DEL DÍA**

3. En la reunión se aprobó el proyecto de orden del día propuesto en el documento UPOV/EAF/10/1 Rev.

**NOVEDADES RELATIVAS AL FORMULARIO ELECTRÓNICO DE SOLICITUD**

4. En la reunión se examinó el documento UPOV/EAF/10/2 "Novedades relativas al formulario electrónico de solicitud" y la Oficina de la Unión presentó una ponencia sobre las últimas novedades relativas a dicho formulario electrónico, de la cual figura una copia en el Anexo II del presente documento.

**Nombre**

5. Los participantes tomaron nota de que, en su quincuagésima primera sesión ordinaria, celebrada en Ginebra el 26 de octubre de 2017, el Consejo había aprobado, para el EAF, el nuevo nombre "UPOV PRISMA" (sigla en inglés de Sistema de información de encaminamiento para datos de variedades vegetales con formularios plurilingües) y el logo que se muestra a continuación:

**Versiones del EAF**

6. Los participantes tomaron nota de que la versión actual del EAF es la versión 1.1. En la reunión se comunicó que está previsto que la próxima versión (versión 2.0) de UPOV PRISMA (EAF) se ponga en funcionamiento a principios de 2018.

## Versión 1.1

*Miembros de la UPOV participantes*

7. Los participantes tomaron nota de que en la versión 1.1 del EAF participan las siguientes oficinas de protección de las obtenciones vegetales, con los cultivos que se indican:

| Autoridad                 | Soja | Lechuga | Varietades frutales de manzano | Rosal | Papa/patata | Total |
|---------------------------|------|---------|--------------------------------|-------|-------------|-------|
| Argentina                 | ✓    | -       | ✓                              | ✓     | ✓           | 4     |
| Australia                 | ✓    | ✓       | ✓                              | ✓     | ✓           | 5     |
| Chile                     | ✓    | ✓       | ✓                              | ✓     | ✓           | 5     |
| China                     | -    | ✓       | -                              | ✓     | -           | 2     |
| Colombia                  | -    | -       | -                              | ✓     | -           | 1     |
| Estados Unidos de América | ✓    | ✓       | -                              | -     | ✓           | 3     |
| Francia                   | ✓    | ✓       | ✓                              | ✓     | ✓           | 5     |
| Kenya                     | ✓    | ✓       | ✓                              | ✓     | ✓           | 5     |
| Nueva Zelanda             | -    | ✓       | ✓                              | ✓     | ✓           | 4     |
| Noruega                   | ✓    | ✓       | ✓                              | ✓     | ✓           | 5     |
| Países Bajos              | ✓    | ✓       | ✓                              | ✓     | ✓           | 5     |
| República de Moldova      | ✓    | ✓       | ✓                              | ✓     | ✓           | 5     |
| Suiza                     | ✓    | ✓       | ✓                              | ✓     | ✓           | 5     |
| Túnez                     | ✓    | ✓       | ✓                              | ✓     | ✓           | 5     |
| Turquía                   | ✓    | ✓       | ✓                              | ✓     | ✓           | 5     |
| Uruguay                   | ✓    | -       | ✓                              | -     | ✓           | 3     |
| 16                        | 13   | 13      | 13                             | 14    | 14          |       |

*Idiomas*

8. Los participantes tomaron nota de que todas las páginas web y todos los elementos (las preguntas) de todos los formularios de solicitud y cuestionarios técnicos de todas las oficinas de protección de las obtenciones vegetales participantes se presentan en alemán, chino, español, francés e inglés (“idiomas de navegación”).

9. Los participantes tomaron nota de que la versión 1.1 del EAF genera formularios de solicitud y cuestionarios técnicos en los idiomas especificados por las oficinas de protección de las obtenciones vegetales participantes (“idiomas de los formularios de salida”). En la versión 1.1, los idiomas de los formularios de salida son el alemán, el chino, el español, el francés, el inglés, el noruego, el rumano y el turco.

10. Los participantes tomaron nota de que la información ha de introducirse en un idioma admitido por la oficina de protección de las obtenciones vegetales en cuestión, si bien las respuestas que se seleccionen en las listas desplegables (por ejemplo, los caracteres y los niveles de expresión) se traducen automáticamente en el caso de los idiomas de navegación.

*Hoja de estilo del formulario de solicitud*

11. Los participantes tomaron nota de que las oficinas de protección de las obtenciones vegetales que lo soliciten podrán recibir el formulario de solicitud en un formato adaptado (por ejemplo, con el logo de la oficina en cuestión), siempre que faciliten la información pertinente conforme al formato especificado.

## Versión 2.0

## Miembros de la UPOV participantes

11. Los participantes tomaron nota de que los siguientes miembros de la Unión han expresado su intención de participar en la versión 2.0 de UPOV PRISMA (EAF) (circular E-17/132):

| Autoridad                         |    | Participa actualmente en la versión 1.0 o 1.1 | Tiene intención de participar en la versión 2.0 | Cultivos que prevé admitir en la versión 2.0  |
|-----------------------------------|----|---|---|---|
| Argentina                         | AR | ✓   | ✓   | Variedades frutales de manzano, papa/patata, rosál, soja y trigo, cebada, maíz, vid   |
| Australia                         | AU | ✓   | ✓   | Todos los géneros y especies  |
| Bolivia (Estado Plurinacional de) | BO |   | ✓   | Arroz, trigo  |
| Canadá                            | CA |   | ✓   | Todos los géneros y especies salvo algas, bacterias y hongos  |
| Chile                             | CL | ✓   | ✓   | Todos los géneros y especies  |
| China                             | CN | ✓   | ✓   | Lechuga, rosál  |
| Colombia                          | CO | ✓   | ✓   | Rosal, clavel, <i>Alstroemeria</i> , crisantemo, gipsófila  |
| Estados Unidos de América         | US | ✓   | ✓   | Lechuga, papa/patata, soja y trigo  |
| Francia                           | FR | ✓   | ✓   | Todos los géneros y especies  |
| Georgia                           | GE |   | ✓   | Maíz, trigo, haboncillo, alubia, manzano (variedades frutales), peral, cebada, avena, papa/patata, cerezo (cerezo dulce), frambueso, tomate, durazno/melocotonero, avellano, zarzamora, soja, girasol, nogal, arándano, garbanzo, lenteja |
| Japón                             | JP |   | ✓   | por confirmar   |
| Kenya                             | KE | ✓   | ✓   | Todos los géneros y especies  |
| México                            | MX |   | ✓   | 87 cultivos seleccionados   |
| Nueva Zelanda                     | NZ | ✓   | ✓   | Todos los géneros y especies  |
| Noruega                           | NO | ✓   | ✓   | Todos los géneros y especies  |
| Países Bajos                      | NL | ✓   | ✓   | Todos los géneros y especies  |
| Paraguay                          | PY |   | ✓   | Soja  |
| República de Moldova              | MD | ✓   | ✓   | Maíz, trigo, guisante/arveja, cebada, ciruelo europeo, tomate, vid, pimienta, ají, chile, girasol, nogal, variedades frutales de manzano, lechuga, papa/patata, rosál, soja   |
| Suiza                             | CH | ✓   | ✓   | Todos los géneros y especies  |
| Túnez                             | TN | ✓   | ✓   | Todos los géneros y especies  |
| Turquía                           | TR | ✓   | ✓   | Todos los géneros y especies  |
| Unión Europea                     | QZ |   | ✓   | Variedades frutales de manzano, lechuga, papa/patata, rosál, soja   |
| Uruguay                           | UY | ✓   | ✓   | Todos los géneros y especies  |
| Total                             |    | 16  | 23  |   |

## Cultivos o especies

12. Los participantes tomaron nota de que existen tres métodos posibles para que los miembros de la Unión participantes incorporen nuevos cultivos o especies:

*Método 1: Cuestionario técnico de la UPOV*

El cuestionario técnico de UPOV PRISMA sería idéntico al cuestionario técnico de las directrices de examen de la UPOV aprobadas. En el caso de los cultivos o especies para los que no existan directrices de examen de la UPOV aprobadas, el cuestionario técnico de UPOV PRISMA se basaría en la estructura del cuestionario técnico que figura en el documento TGP/7 "Elaboración de las directrices de examen".

*Método 2: Caracteres adaptados*

El cuestionario técnico de UPOV PRISMA sería igual para todos los cultivos (inespecífico para cada cultivo), salvo en relación con los “caracteres de la variedad” (sección 5 del cuestionario técnico de la UPOV o equivalente) y las “variedades similares y diferencias con respecto a esas variedades” (sección 6 del cuestionario técnico de la UPOV o equivalente). Los caracteres del cuestionario técnico de UPOV PRISMA serían:

- i) los caracteres de las directrices de examen de la UPOV
- ii) los caracteres específicos de cada autoridad
- iii) texto libre

*Método 3: Cuestionario técnico adaptado*

El cuestionario técnico de UPOV PRISMA incluiría secciones específicas para cada cultivo, además de las señaladas en el método 2.

13. Los participantes tomaron nota de que, en función del método, el número de cultivos y especies que abarque cada autoridad en las futuras versiones de UPOV PRISMA será distinto. En el caso del método 1, se podrá abarcar todos los cultivos con facilidad. En el caso de los métodos 2 y 3, se necesitará un tiempo considerablemente superior y los nuevos cultivos se añadirán conforme a los recursos disponibles y al grado de adaptación que se exija.

Funciones*Método de obtención*

14. Los participantes tomaron nota de que, en la versión 2.0 de UPOV PRISMA, la sección del método de obtención se presentará como una lista de opciones definidas previamente. Podría considerarse la posibilidad de incluir otras opciones en una versión posterior.

*Novedad*

15. Los participantes tomaron nota de que, por lo que atañe a los requisitos de novedad, cada autoridad participante deberá indicar, si procede, cuáles de los cultivos admitidos considera vides o árboles en lo que respecta a la novedad. Los participantes tomaron nota de que, por defecto, en el sistema se emplea un período de cuatro años.

*Clases de plantas*

16. Los participantes tomaron nota de que, en lo que concierne a la definición de lo que se considera una “planta” (por ejemplo, en relación con los hongos, las algas y las bacterias), UPOV PRISMA reflejará la información que figura en la base de datos GENIE, con arreglo a la información que el miembro de la UPOV en cuestión haya facilitado en el documento C/51/6.

Financiación

17. Los participantes tomaron nota de que, en la noagésima cuarta sesión del Comité Consultivo, celebrada en Ginebra el 25 de octubre de 2017, se formuló una propuesta de financiación del EAF que fue posteriormente aprobada por el Consejo en su quincuagésima primera sesión ordinaria, celebrada en Ginebra el 26 de octubre de 2017 (véase el documento C/51/22 “Informe”). En particular, tomaron nota de que el Consejo de la UPOV había convenido en que el EAF puede ofrecerse gratuitamente durante un período introductorio.

## Comunicación

18. En lo que respecta a la comunicación, los participantes tomaron nota de que:

a) cuando se puso en funcionamiento el EAF, el 9 de enero de 2017, se creó una página web propia (disponible en <http://www.upov.int/upovprisma/es/>) en la que consta toda la información necesaria para acceder a dicho formulario y utilizarlo;

b) cuando se puso en funcionamiento el EAF, la Oficina de la Unión informó sobre la disponibilidad del sistema a las organizaciones de obtentores y las oficinas de protección de las obtenciones vegetales (véanse las circulares E-17/007, E-17/008 y E-17/009) y las invitó a que informaran a todos los sectores interesados pertinentes;

c) se ha elaborado el siguiente material de comunicación, que se ha enviado a los miembros de la UPOV y las organizaciones de obtentores que lo solicitaron (aún se dispone de ejemplares para facilitarlos previa petición):

- o carteles y expositores enrollables en chino, español e inglés,
- o folletos en chino, español, francés e inglés,
- o una serie de guías (en inglés), que también se ha publicado en el sitio web de la UPOV, con subtítulos en árabe, chino, coreano, español, francés y japonés;

d) se han organizado cinco reuniones (entre ellas, sesiones y seminarios por Internet), previa petición, para solicitantes individuales o grupos de solicitantes;

e) se han presentado ponencias en las siguientes reuniones: el congreso de la ISF, el foro EAPVP, el congreso de la ESA, la reunión anual de la AOHE y el congreso de la SAA;

f) se ha creado una página en LinkedIn (<https://www.linkedin.com/showcase/24973258/>);

g) la Oficina de la Unión ha invitado a las oficinas de protección de las obtenciones vegetales a difundir la información sobre la disponibilidad del EAF a los posibles usuarios (p. ej., obtentores, representantes, agentes, etc.) y a añadir en sus propios sitios web un enlace que remita al EAF (véase la circular E-17/138);

h) se han organizado sesiones informativas en español, francés e inglés al margen de las sesiones de la UPOV que se celebraron en Ginebra en octubre de 2017 (véase la circular E-17/139).

19. En cuanto al plan de comunicación para 2018, los participantes convinieron en que deben incorporarse los siguientes elementos:

- comunicación dirigida a posibles usuarios del EAF de la UPOV (p. ej., agentes, representantes, empresas dedicadas al fitomejoramiento y asociaciones de obtentores);
- sesiones de formación (*in situ* y por Internet);
- participación en actividades internacionales de obtentores (p. ej., ISF, AOHE, CIOPORA, ASTA, ...);
- material de comunicación actualizado (carteles, folletos y guías) con el nuevo nombre y el logo y los nuevos cultivos y países que abarca;
- artículos de prensa;
- actualización del sitio web de la herramienta de la UPOV para solicitar derechos de obtentor (EAF) con nuevos testimonios de obtentores y oficinas de protección de las obtenciones vegetales;
- inclusión de la información en programas de capacitación existentes de la UPOV y de miembros de la UPOV.

## FECHA DE LA PRÓXIMA REUNIÓN

20. Se decidió que la próxima reunión (reunión EAF/11) se celebre el 28 de marzo de 2018 por la mañana en Ginebra.

21. *El presente informe fue aprobado por correspondencia.*

[Siguen los Anexos]

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## Meeting on the development of an Electronic Application Form

Document EAF/10/2

“Developments concerning the  
electronic application form”

Geneva  
October 27, 2017



International Union for the Protection of New Varieties of Plants

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## New Name for the EAF

**PRISMA**

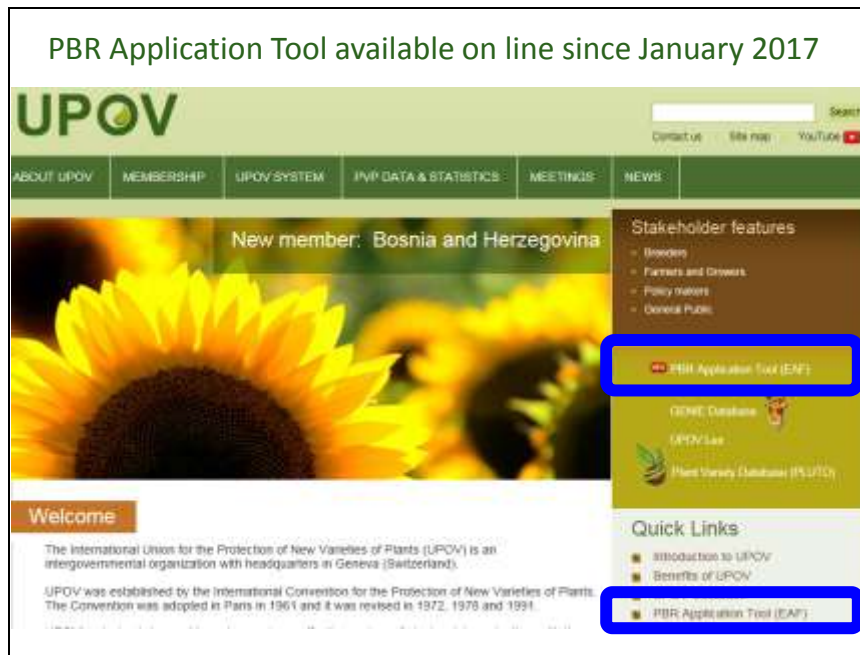
## PBR Application Tool



### UPOV - PBR Application Tool: **PRISMA** **Key benefits**

- **Online PBR application tool** to provide application data to participating PVP Offices in required format (hard copy, e-mail notification, system-to-system)
- Application forms can be displayed in **range of languages** (answers must be provided in an acceptable language for the PVP Office- some information in the TQ will be automatically translated in all navigation languages)
- Variety data can be **re-used** in subsequent applications
- Different **user roles** can be specified (e.g. drafter, signatory, translator, agent, procedural representative)
- **Controlled access** to all PBR application data
- **Secure** and confidential
- **Easy access** to PVP application forms
- **Track** your applications...

PBR Application Tool available on line since January 2017



The screenshot shows the UPOV website homepage. At the top, there is a navigation menu with links for ABOUT UPOV, MEMBERSHIP, UPOV SYSTEM, IVP DATA & STATISTICS, MEETINGS, and NEWS. Below the menu, there is a banner for a new member, Bosnia and Herzegovina, featuring a sunflower image. To the right of the banner, there is a 'Stakeholder features' section with links for Breeders, Farmers and Growers, Policy makers, and General Public. Below this, there are links for UPOV Database, UPOV Law, and Plant Variety Database (PVP). In the 'Quick Links' section, there are links for Introduction to UPOV, Benefits of UPOV, and PBR Application Tool (EAF). The PBR Application Tool (EAF) link is highlighted with a blue box in both the 'Stakeholder features' section and the 'Quick Links' section.

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## Developments since EAF/9

### – Launch of EAF Version 1.1

➤ July 2017

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### UPOV members (16) and crops (5) currently covered by PBR Application Tool (EAF)

| AUTHORITY                | APPLE<br>FRUIT<br>VARIETIES | LETTUCE | POTATO | ROSE | SOYABEAN |
|--------------------------|-----------------------------|---------|--------|------|----------|
| Argentina                | √                           |         | √      | √    | √        |
| Australia                | √                           | √       | √      | √    | √        |
| Chile                    | √                           | √       | √      | √    | √        |
| China                    |                             | √       |        | √    |          |
| Colombia                 |                             |         |        | √    |          |
| France                   | √                           | √       | √      | √    | √        |
| Kenya                    | √                           | √       | √      | √    | √        |
| Netherlands              | √                           | √       | √      | √    | √        |
| New Zealand              | √                           | √       | √      | √    | √        |
| Norway                   | √                           | √       | √      | √    | √        |
| Republic of Moldova      | √                           | √       | √      | √    | √        |
| Switzerland              | √                           | √       | √      | √    | √        |
| Tunisia                  | √                           | √       | √      | √    | √        |
| Turkey                   | √                           | √       | √      | √    | √        |
| United States of America |                             | √       | √      |      | √        |
| Uruguay                  | √                           |         | √      |      | √        |

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### Coverage of the EAF: July 2017



### Navigation languages

The screenshot displays the UPOV Electronic Application Form (EAF) interface. At the top, the UPOV logo and the text "Electronic Application Form" are visible. A language selection dropdown menu is positioned in the top right corner, currently set to "English". Below the header, there are navigation links: "Start a new application", "Copy application", "User Role Management", and "Edit User profile". The main content area is titled "Your Applications" and contains a table with the following columns: "Information #", "Created Reference", "Modified On", "Date of Submission", "Proposed Variety Designation", "Breeder's Variety Reference", and "Submitter's Variety Reference". The table lists two application entries. In the bottom right corner, there are five language selection buttons: "English", "Français", "Deutsch", "Español", and "中文". The UPOV logo is also present in the bottom left corner of the interface.

| Information #       | Created Reference | Modified On | Date of Submission | Proposed Variety Designation | Breeder's Variety Reference | Submitter's Variety Reference |
|---------------------|-------------------|-------------|--------------------|------------------------------|-----------------------------|-------------------------------|
| AL_00017<br>1000000 | 20160211          | 1400017     | NA                 | New                          |                             |                               |
| AL_00017<br>1000000 | 20160211          | 20160217    | NA                 | New                          |                             |                               |

## Output form languages

### Turkish

Uygulama Formu  
SAGDARLI SAHABE

Bayroni Sahibin Adı (1000)  
Bayroni Sahibin Adresi (1000)  
Ülke  
Telefon (1000)  
Faks (1000)  
e-Posta (1000)  
Fax (1000)

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### Romanian

Seknad (XU\_3020160001742)

|                      |  |
|----------------------|--|
| Registratura A/E/E/P | Registrul National de Cereri de Invenții |
| Setare               | pentru cereri de invenții                |
| Id.                  | U2/Număr de cerere                       |
| Data                 | U2/Data de depunere                      |

Seknadskjema

|                   |                              |
|-------------------|------------------------------|
| Namn (1000)       | Familj Namn (1000)           |
| Adress (1000)     | Stadsdel eller tätort (1000) |
| Postnummer (1000) | Postort (1000)               |
| Land (1000)       | Land (1000)                  |
| E-post (1000)     | E-post (1000)                |
| Telefon (1000)    |                              |
| Fax (1000)        |                              |

### Norwegian

Teksten i grønt bak hvert spørsmål angir korrespondierende standard UPOV referanse slik den er definert i TDP's Section 2: UPOV Model Form for the Application for Plant Breeder's Rights

Seknadskjema

|                   |                              |
|-------------------|------------------------------|
| Namn (1000)       | Familj Namn (1000)           |
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| Land (1000)       | Land (1000)                  |
| E-post (1000)     | E-post (1000)                |
| Telefon (1000)    |                              |
| Fax (1000)        |                              |

## Status on the use of the EAF as of October 20, 2017

- 10 entities registered in the EAF
- 8 applications submitted:
  - by 3 entities
  - for lettuce, apple and potato
  - in Australia, Netherlands, New Zealand and Switzerland



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## Next developments

### PBR Tool- PRISMA Version 2.0 (January 2018)

- Expansion
  - **members**
  - **Languages**
    - Navigation languages
    - Output form languages
  - **crops/species**
- New functionalities
  - **Automatic translation of UPOV characteristics and states of expression (for UPOV Test Guidelines crops/species)**
  - **Translation alert**
  - **Integration with CPVO system (machine-to-machine)**
  - **Addition of PVP office disclaimer (if requested)**
  - **Addition of logo for PVP Office (if requested)**



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## Anticipated new participating authorities in test campaigns for V 2.0

- Bolivia (Plurinational State of)
- Canada
- European Union
- Georgia
- (Japan) : Japanese as navigation language
- Mexico
- Paraguay

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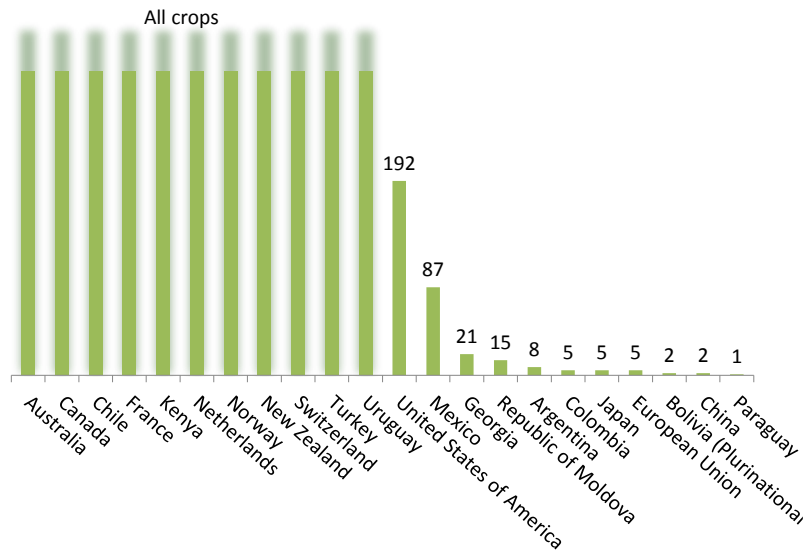
Coverage of the EAF: July 2017



Anticipated coverage of the PRISMA (EAF): January 2018



Anticipated Coverage of crops/ species in PRISMA\_EAF Version 2.0



## New languages

- Navigation language
  - Japanese
- Output form language
  - Georgian

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## PRISMA (EAF) Coverage All crops/species

- Search by:
  - Botanical name
  - UPOV Code
  - Common name (in 5 languages)

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The screenshot shows the 'New Application Setting' form in the UPOV EAS. The form includes a search bar at the top right with a 'Search' button and a 'Close' button. Below the search bar, there are several input fields and dropdown menus. The 'System Authority' field is set to 'UPOV/EAF/10/3'. The 'Country's Classification' field is empty. The 'Country's Code (ISO)' field is set to 'FR'. The 'Plant Kingdom for Systems' field is empty. The 'Application Type' dropdown menu is set to 'Varietal'. The 'Technical Questionnaire' dropdown menu is set to 'Standard'. At the bottom of the form, there are 'Save' and 'Cancel' buttons. The UPOV logo is visible in the bottom left corner of the screenshot.

## PRISMA (EAF) Coverage All crops/species

- Crops/Species with UPOV Test Guidelines
  - Breeding scheme
    - Crop independent structure in Version 2.0
    - Crop dependent structure in Version 2.1 if necessary
  - Variety characteristics
  - Variety comparison

## Breeding Scheme

In Version 2.0 the breeding scheme will be generic, containing all options  
(Crop independent structure)

### Information on the breeding scheme and propagation of the variety

#### Variety resulting from crossing 4.1

Controlled cross 4.1.1 (a)

(please state parent varieties) \*

\*

Partially known cross 4.1.1 (b)

Unknown cross 4.1.1 (c)

Variety resulting from mutation 4.1.2

Variety resulting from discovery and development 4.1.3

Variety resulting from other 4.1.4

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## Breeding Scheme

### Method of propagating the variety

Seed propagated varieties

Self-pollination 4.2

Cross-pollination 4.2

Population 4.2

Systematic variety 4.2

Hybrid 4.2

Apomictic variety 4.2

Non-apomictic variety 4.2

Other 4.2

Vegetatively propagated varieties 4.2

Other 4.2

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## Breeding Scheme

Method of propagating the variety

Seed-propagated varieties

Vegetatively-propagated varieties = 2

tuber 4.2

grafting 4.2

cuttings 4.2

in vitro propagation 4.2

by microtubers 4.2

other 4.2

Other [] 4.2

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## Variety characteristics

- Retrieve TQ characteristics and states of expression from TG Template database
- All TQ characteristics and corresponding states of expression are translated automatically into the supported languages (navigation and output form languages).

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## Variety characteristics

### Characteristics of the variety to be indicated

(the number in brackets refers to the corresponding characteristic in Test Guidelines; please mark the note which best corresponds)

(4) Lightness: proportion of blue in anthocyanin coloration of base 1 :

- 1\_ absent or low
- 2\_ medium
- 3\_ high

(20) Plant frequency of flowers 5.2 :

- 1\_ absent or very low
- 2\_ very low to low
- 3\_ low
- 4\_ low to medium
- 5\_ medium
- 6\_ medium to high
- 7\_ high
- 8\_ high to very high
- 9\_ very high

## Variety comparison

- EAF allows users to select characteristics and states of expression from a list of adopted characteristics and corresponding states of expression as defined in chapter 8.
- All characteristics and corresponding states of expression are translated automatically into the supported languages (navigation and output form languages).



## Variety comparison

**Similar varieties and differences from these varieties**

Please use the table, and space provided for comments, below to provide information on how your candidate variety differs from the variety (or varieties) which, to the best of your knowledge, is (or are) most similar. This information may help the examination authority to conduct its examination of distinctness in a more efficient way.

| Demonstration(s) of variety(ies) similar to your candidate variety (s) | Characteristics in which your candidate variety differs from the similar variety(ies)   |
|--|---|
|  | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>UPOV 01: Lightproof: size</li> <li>UPOV 02: Lightproof: shape</li> <li>UPOV 03: Lightproof: intensity of anthocyanin coloration of base</li> <li>UPOV 04: Lightproof: proportion of blue in anthocyanin coloration of base</li> <li>UPOV 05: Lightproof: pubescence of base</li> <li>UPOV 06: Lightproof: size of lip in relation to base</li> <li>UPOV 07: Lightproof: shape of lip</li> <li>UPOV 08: Lightproof: anthocyanin coloration of lip</li> <li>UPOV 09: Lightproof: pubescence of lip</li> <li>UPOV 10: Lightproof: number of root tips</li> <li>UPOV 11: Lightproof: length of lateral shoots</li> <li>UPOV 12: Plant: foliage structure</li> <li>UPOV 13: Plant: growth habit</li> <li>UPOV 14: Stem: anthocyanin coloration</li> </ul> |

Comments:

## PRISMA (EAF) Coverage All crops/species

- Crops/species without UPOV Test Guidelines
  - Generic breeding scheme
  - Free text characteristics

**Similar varieties and differences from these varieties**

Please use the following table and box for comments to provide information on how your candidate variety differs from the variety (or varieties) which, to the best of your knowledge, is (or are) most similar. This information may help the examination authority to conduct its examination of distinctness in a more efficient way.

| Demonstration(s) of variety(ies) similar to your candidate variety (s) | Characteristics in which your candidate variety differs from the similar variety(ies) | Describe the expression of the characteristic(s) for the similar variety(ies) | Describe the expression of the characteristic(s) for your candidate variety |
|--|---|---|---|
|  |   |   |   |

Comments:

## Translation Alert



- This functionality allows to:

- Highlight which section should be translated.
- Follow up translation process
  - Check/Uncheck translation per chapter

The screenshot shows a web-based application form with a table of sections. Each section has a red arrow icon and a checkbox. A tooltip is visible over the 'ADDITIONAL INFORMATION' section, showing 'Check translation' (checked) and 'Uncheck translation' (unchecked). At the bottom, there are buttons for 'Export', 'Save', 'Submit', and 'Cancel'.

| Section                    | Translation Status                  |
|----------------------------|-------------------------------------|
| APPLICANTS                 | <input type="checkbox"/>            |
| INVENTOR'S IDENTIFICATION  | <input type="checkbox"/>            |
| BREEDING                   | <input type="checkbox"/>            |
| CORRESPONDENCE ADDRESS     | <input type="checkbox"/>            |
| DESCRIPTION                | <input type="checkbox"/>            |
| OTHER APPLICATIONS         | <input type="checkbox"/>            |
| PRIORITY CLAIM             | <input type="checkbox"/>            |
| NOVELTY                    | <input type="checkbox"/>            |
| TECHNICAL EXAMINATION      | <input type="checkbox"/>            |
| Technical Questionnaire    | <input type="checkbox"/>            |
| BREEDING SCHEME            | <input type="checkbox"/>            |
| VARIETY CHARACTERISTICS    | <input type="checkbox"/>            |
| VARIETY COMPARISON         | <input type="checkbox"/>            |
| PLANT MATERIAL INFORMATION | <input type="checkbox"/>            |
| ADDITIONAL INFORMATION     | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> |
| Declaration And Signature  | <input type="checkbox"/>            |
| DECLARATION AND SIGNATURE  | <input type="checkbox"/>            |
| ATTACHMENTS                | <input type="checkbox"/>            |

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## System to System communication

### Reasons

- Your PVP office has already an online system
- Need to process automatically received applications
- Breeder's need to import data from your system to PRISMA (EAF).

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## PRISMA Web services

### Export Web service

- From PRISMA (EAF) to PVP office system
- Authorization
  - PVP office admin
  - PVP officer
- Available at:
  - <https://webaccess.wipo.int/EAFWebService/ExportWS>

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## Input Message

```
<soapenv:Envelope xmlns:soapenv="http://schemas.xmlsoap.org/soap/envelope/"
  <soapenv:Header>
  <soapenv:Body>
    <ws:exportPVPApplications>
      <!--Optional-->
      <arg0>
        <!--Optional-->
        <authority>QZ</authority>
        <!--Optional-->
        <docType>XML</docType>
      </arg0>
    </ws:exportPVPApplications>
  </soapenv:Body>
</soapenv:Envelope>
```

XML, PDF or both

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## PRISMA Web services Import Web Service

- Called by PVP offices
- Authorization:
  - PVP office
  - PVP office Admin
- Available at:
  - <https://webaccess.wipo.int/EAFWebService/ImportWS>

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## Input message

```
<?xml version='1.0' encoding='UTF-8'>
<soapenv:Envelope xmlns:soapenv="http://schemas.xmlsoap.org/soap/envelope/">
  <soapenv:Header/>
  <soapenv:Body>
    <ws:importPVPApplication>
      <!--Optional-->
      <arg0>
        <!--Optional-->
        <importZipFile>cid:CI_Glyc_test.zip</importZipFile>
        <!--Optional-->
        <languageAnswerAF>es</languageAnswerAF>
        <!--Optional-->
        <languageAnswerTQ>es</languageAnswerTQ>
        <!--Optional-->
        <wipoAccount>MADHOUR</wipoAccount>
        <zipFileName>CI_Glyc_test.zip</zipFileName>
      </arg0>
    </ws:importPVPApplication>
  </soapenv:Body>
</soapenv:Envelope>
```

Binary  
attachement

Breeder account:  
Application data owner

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## Some considerations

- Breeder reference should not be used twice for the same authority
  - A same variety for the same authority could not be imported twice
- An International Reference Number (IRN) is assigned to the application data if the data is successfully transferred.
- Application data should be valid against the office-specific schema profile
- Attachments should be declared correctly.

## Output message

```
<soap:Envelope xmlns:soap="http://schemas.xmlsoap.org/soap/envelope/">
  <soap:Body>
    <ns2:importPVPApplicationResponse xmlns:ns2="http://ws.service.eas.upov"
      <return>
        <status>
          <statusCode>0</statusCode>
          <statusMessage>Success- Data received and processed.</statusMe
        </status>
      </return>
    </ns2:importPVPApplicationResponse>
  </soap:Body>
</soap:Envelope>
```

## Imported application data

- It can be copied and reused to draft applications for the same variety in other authorities.

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## Integration with CPVO system

### From CPVO to EAF

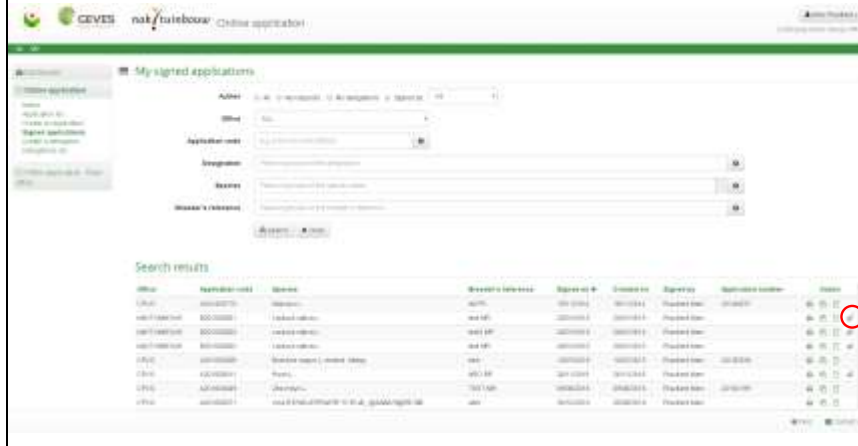
- The data will be available for copy and reuse in other applications using the EAF.
- An International Reference Number (IRN) is assigned to the imported data and can be used to submit other applications for the same variety.

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## Integration with CPVO system

### From CPVO to EAF

- The authorized EAF user (linked with CPVO user) can choose to import data submitted to the CPVO system into EAF system.



The screenshot shows the EAF system interface. At the top, there are logos for CEVES and nak/naisbow. The main area is titled 'My signed applications' and contains a search form with fields for 'Address', 'Application code', 'Organization', and 'Status'. Below the search form is a table of search results. The table has columns for 'ID', 'Application code', 'Status', 'Creation reference', 'Signer ID', 'Creation date', 'Signature', 'Application number', and 'Action'. A red circle highlights the first row of the table.

| ID   | Application code | Status   | Creation reference | Signer ID | Creation date | Signature | Application number | Action |
|------|------------------|----------|--------------------|-----------|---------------|-----------|--------------------|--------|
| 1340 | 00000000         | Approved | 000000             | 000000    | 2000-01-01    | 000000    | 000000             | ...    |
| 1341 | 00000001         | Approved | 000000             | 000000    | 2000-01-01    | 000000    | 000000             | ...    |
| 1342 | 00000002         | Approved | 000000             | 000000    | 2000-01-01    | 000000    | 000000             | ...    |
| 1343 | 00000003         | Approved | 000000             | 000000    | 2000-01-01    | 000000    | 000000             | ...    |
| 1344 | 00000004         | Approved | 000000             | 000000    | 2000-01-01    | 000000    | 000000             | ...    |
| 1345 | 00000005         | Approved | 000000             | 000000    | 2000-01-01    | 000000    | 000000             | ...    |
| 1346 | 00000006         | Approved | 000000             | 000000    | 2000-01-01    | 000000    | 000000             | ...    |
| 1347 | 00000007         | Approved | 000000             | 000000    | 2000-01-01    | 000000    | 000000             | ...    |
| 1348 | 00000008         | Approved | 000000             | 000000    | 2000-01-01    | 000000    | 000000             | ...    |
| 1349 | 00000009         | Approved | 000000             | 000000    | 2000-01-01    | 000000    | 000000             | ...    |
| 1350 | 00000010         | Approved | 000000             | 000000    | 2000-01-01    | 000000    | 000000             | ...    |

## User Authorization

- Only users authorized by the PVP office can submit application data
  - Authorized signatory, representative, agent
- Synchronize user accounts at EAF level and PVP office level

## Integration with CPVO system

### From EAF to CPVO

- The breeder needs to link their WIPO account with their CPVO account
- Only authorized clients of the CPVO system can submit application data to CPVO using EAF.
- The link is established at «Edit Profile» page

NOTE: It will not be possible to select CPVO as authority if the link is not established by the breeder.

## Other new functionalities

- Add PVP Office disclaimer
  - France
  - United States of America
  - Georgia
- Add logo
  - Chile
  - France
  - (Argentina)

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## Request for information Novelty requirements per crop



- All participating authorities should indicate, if appropriate, which one(s) of the supported crops are considered as vine or tree in terms of novelty.  
– 4/6 years



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- Circular to be sent to all participating members in V1.1 and V2.0
- Deadline: End of November 2017

## Request for information on Scope of «plants»



- Scope of «plants» (e.g. in relation to fungi, algae, bacteria etc) in EAF will reflect the scope in GENIE Database on the basis of the information provided in Document C/51/6



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- To note and agree



## Tentative Timetable for EAF Version 2.0



| Authority | From/To                     | Milestone Release (MR) Contents/<br>Functionalities                                   |
|-----------|-----------------------------|---|
| CPVO      | 19/10/2017 to<br>08/11/2017 | Integration with CPVO: from CPVO to EAF<br>• IMPORT web service                       |
| CPVO      | 09/11/2017 to<br>08/12/2017 | Integration with CPVO: from EAF to CPVO<br>• Customer validation<br>• Form generation |
| JP        | 09/11/2017 to<br>08/12/2017 | Add Japanese as navigation language   |
| ALL       | 11/12/2017 to<br>22/12/2017 | TEST Final Release  |

### Launch EAF Version 2.0:

- 15/01/2018 for PVP offices
- 22/01/2018 for breeders



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## EAF Version 2.1



- New crops:
  - Avocado (TG 97)
  - Apple Ornamental (TG 163)
- New functionalities
  - information in relation procedure and/or payment to be followed in the UPOV member concerned (e.g. by legal representatives) will be added to each notification when submitting an application

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## EAF Version 2.1



Circular of invitation to be sent (after EAF/10) to all UPOV members



Forms and information to be provided to the Office beginning of 2018

Details will be provided at EAF/11 (March 2018)

Estimated Launch V2.1: mid 2018

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## EAF Version 2.1

- New authorities which could be included in EAF Version 2.1 (information already provided):
  - Brazil
  - (Japan)
  - (Ecuador)
  - Republic of Korea
  - Viet Nam
  - OAPI
  - South Africa

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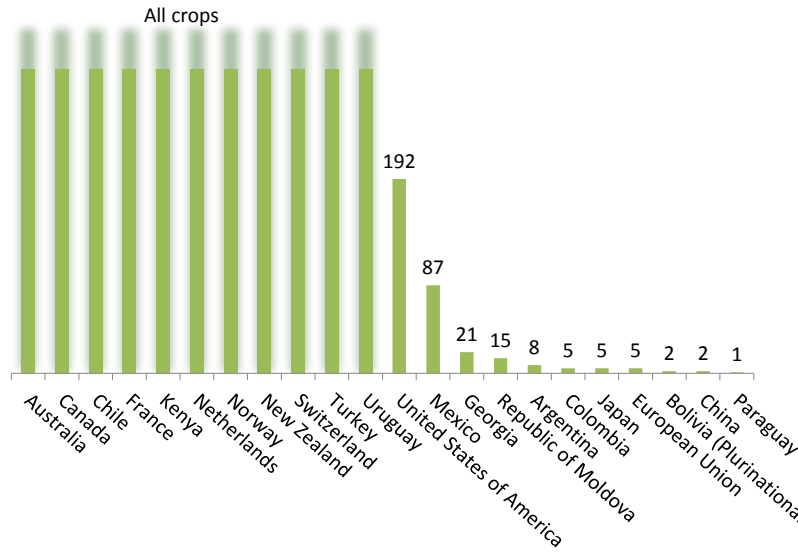
New authorities which could be included in EAF Version 2.1



Dark purple: participating authorities in PRISMA Version 2.0  
 Light purple: Anticipated new participating authorities in PRISMA Version 2.1



Anticipated Coverage of crops/ species in PRISMA\_EAF Version 2.0



## Which approach do you follow?

- Approach 1: UPOV TG
- Approach 2: Crop independent TQ
  - Reference to UPOV TG Characteristics
  - Reference to National characteristics
  - Reference to Both
- Approach 3: Crop dependent TQ.

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## Approach 1

- Easy and quick support for all crops/species
- It is possible to restrict the supported crops.
- If the output form language is different from the UPOV languages, it will be requested to provide translations of all characteristics and states of expression of the supported crops.

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## Approach 2

- TG characteristics: same effort as approach 1
- [National characteristics](#)
  - For each crops, the office is requested to provide list of characteristics and states of expression in a defined format.

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## Approach 3

- Customized TQ
- More ressources needed to add new crops.

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### Projection for the income from the EAF presented to the Consultative Committee in March 2016

| Year | No. of crops | Number of participating Offices | Number of applications covered by EAF | Percentage of applications expected via EAF | Number of applications expected via EAF | UPOV charge (CHF) | Income (CHF) |
|------|--------------|---------------------------------|---------------------------------------|---|---|-------------------|--------------|
| 2017 | 5 ✓          | 26 16                           | 1827                                  | 10  | 183 ?                                   | 150               | 27'405       |
| 2018 | 10           | 30                              | 4676                                  | 15  | 701                                     | 150               | 105'216      |
| 2019 | 15           | 35                              | 6786                                  | 15  | 1018                                    | 250               | 254'475      |
| 2020 | 30           | 40                              | 8841                                  | 15  | 1326                                    | 250               | 331'524      |
| 2021 | 40           | 50                              | 10272                                 | 15  | 1541                                    | 250               | 385'193      |
| 2022 | 50           | 50                              | 11296                                 | 15  | 1694                                    | 250               | 423'581      |

Coverage of the EAF: July 2017



Budget 2018-2019

| Year | No. of crops | Number of participating Offices | Number of applications covered by EAF | Percentage of applications expected via EAF | Number of applications expected via EAF | UPOV Charge (CHF) | Income (CHF) |
|------|--------------|---------------------------------|---------------------------------------|---|---|-------------------|--------------|
| 2018 |              |                                 |                                       |   |   | Free              | 25,000       |
| 2019 |              |                                 |                                       |   |   | 50                | 65,000       |
| 2020 |              |                                 |                                       |   |   |                   |              |
| 2021 |              |                                 |                                       |   |   |                   |              |
| 2022 |              |                                 |                                       |   |   |                   |              |

When sufficient coverage?

PVP Office "subscription" model

Free

Breeder / UPOV member fund

ISF CHF 20,000





## Financing of the EAF (Council Report C/51/22)

The UPOV Council

(d) approved the UPOV charge for the **EAF at CHF150 per application for the 2018-2019** biennium, but agreed that **the EAF could be made free of charge for an introductory period** if the budgeted costs of the EAF were funded by means other than the regular budget. In that regard, the Council noted that the Office of the Union had received a letter from the Secretary General of the International Seed Federation (ISF) offering to contribute CHF20,000 in order to increase the use of the EAF during the launch period and to extend the system to a larger number of crops and UPOV members. It further noted that Canada and Australia would be interested to explore the possibility of funding the EAF in the form of an annual subscription;

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## COMMUNICATION

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- How you can help promote PRISMA

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**WEBSITE & SOCIAL MEDIA**

## Where to find EAF

The screenshot shows the UPOV website interface. A navigation bar at the top includes links for ABOUT UPOV, MEMBERSHIP, UPOV SYSTEM, PARTNERS & STATISTICS, HISTORY, and NEWS. The main content area features a banner for a new member, Bosnia and Herzegovina, with a sunflower image. Two callout boxes with red arrows point to specific links: 'FBI Application Tool (EAF)' and 'Information about FBI Application Tool (EAF)'. A 'Stakeholder features' sidebar on the right lists links for 'Introduction to UPOV', 'Members and Offices', 'Publications', and 'External Links'. A 'Quick Links' sidebar at the bottom right lists 'Introduction to UPOV', 'Members of UPOV', 'UPOV Collection', 'FBI Application Tool (EAF)', 'Tool Guidelines', 'Children Learning Modules', 'Inquiries & Support', and 'FAQs'.

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# EAF WEBSITE



The screenshot displays the UPOV EAF website interface. The main content area features the "PBR Application Tool (EAF)" section, which includes a list of supported languages and a table of UPOV members and crops currently covered by EAF. A yellow arrow points to the language selection menu in the top right corner, which lists English, French, German, Spanish, and Chinese.

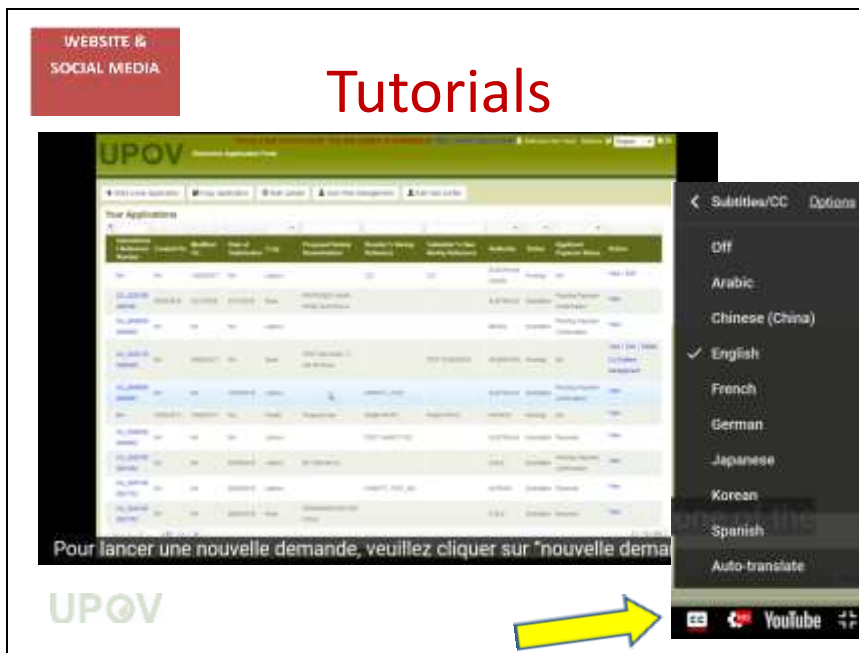
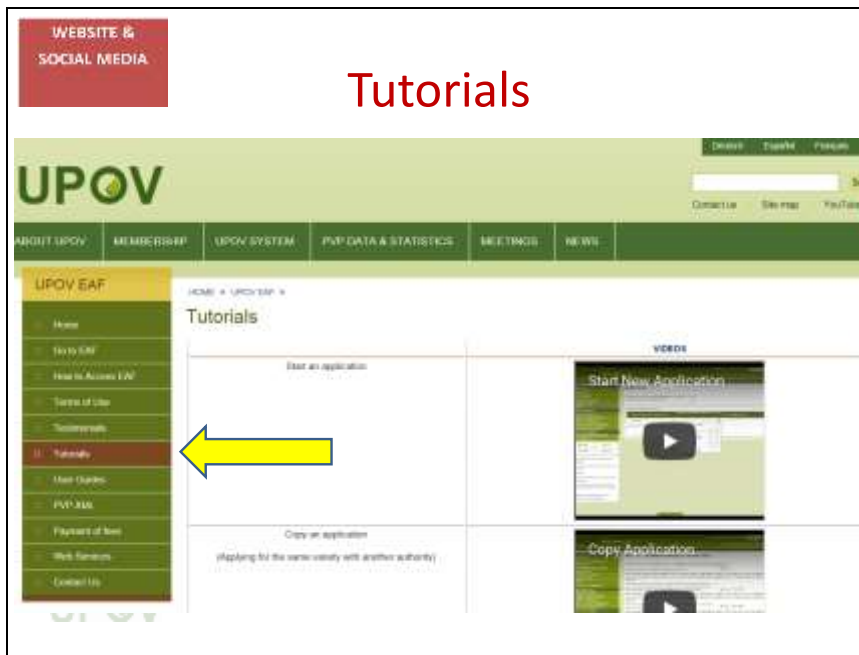
| MEMBER      | APPLICABLE CROPS | LETUCE | RENCOL | ORZO | GRANATA |
|-------------|------------------|--------|--------|------|---------|
| Argentina   | ✓                |        | ✓      | ✓    | ✓       |
| Australia   | ✓                | ✓      | ✓      | ✓    | ✓       |
| Canada      | ✓                | ✓      | ✓      | ✓    | ✓       |
| China       |                  | ✓      |        | ✓    |         |
| Costa Rica  |                  |        |        |      |         |
| France      | ✓                | ✓      | ✓      | ✓    | ✓       |
| Germany     | ✓                | ✓      | ✓      | ✓    | ✓       |
| India       |                  |        |        |      |         |
| Italy       | ✓                | ✓      | ✓      | ✓    | ✓       |
| Japan       | ✓                | ✓      | ✓      | ✓    | ✓       |
| South Korea | ✓                | ✓      | ✓      | ✓    | ✓       |
| USA/Canada  | ✓                | ✓      | ✓      | ✓    | ✓       |

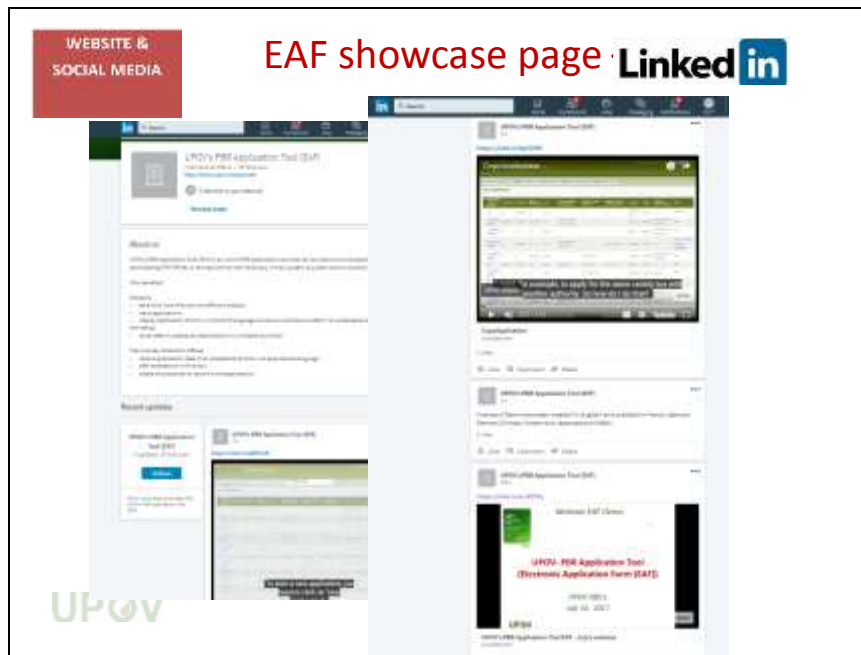
**WEBSITE & SOCIAL MEDIA**

# Breeder Testimony



The screenshot displays the UPOV EAF website interface. The main content area features the "Testimonials" section, which includes a video player titled "Breeder testimony" showing a woman speaking. A yellow arrow points to the "Testimonials" link in the left sidebar menu.





PROMOTIONAL  
ACTIVITIES

## On-site Promotion

- ISF Congress
- CIOPORA AGM
- AOHE
- ESA
- SAA
- AFSTA
- ASTA



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TRAINING

## On-site and On-line Sessions (Webinars)

- **Training sessions** (UPOV sessions)
- **Individual On-line training sessions** via webex/webinars for breeding companies (individuals, groups of applicants)

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## COMMUNICATION

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## Communication in 2018

### Communication around New Name

# PRISMA



The slide features a red 3D figure at a podium in the top left corner. The main title is "Communication in 2018" in green, followed by the subtitle "Communication around New Name" in black. The word "PRISMA" is displayed in large, multi-colored letters. Below this, there are three images: a cartoon man in a blue suit holding a red megaphone, the PRISMA logo (a colorful starburst), and a screenshot of a website menu. The menu includes sections for "Stakeholder features" (Breeds, Features and Genomes, Policy Issues, General Public), "Electronic Application Form (EAF)", "IPRED Database", "UPOV Logo", and "Plant Variety Database (PVD)". A "Quick Links" section at the bottom lists "Introduction to UPOV" and "Benefits of UPOV".





### Communication in 2018 – what's planned...

|   |   |
|---|---|
| <b>WEBSITE / SOCIAL MEDIA</b><br>Update website with PRISMA<br>LinkedIn to announce<br>New features (search / translate)<br>Regular Updates crops / authorities   | <b>PROMOTIONAL MATERIALS</b><br>update all with PRISMA<br>Flyers / Posters / roll-up banners<br>New Testimonials – PVP offices<br>Press articles (Cultivar, WorldSeed, etc.)<br>Communication package for potential users (agents, representatives, breeders, associations) |
| <b>PROMOTIONAL ACTIVITIES</b><br>PRISMA team on-site (ISF, AICHE CIOFORA, ASTA, ...)<br>(breeders' association meetings)<br>PVP Offices to promote PRISMA<br>– link on website / promote tool to applicants | <b>TRAINING</b><br>On-line and in-situ sessions (individuals / groups of applicants)<br>Develop package for PRISMA awareness raising (include in breeding academy, PVP Office training, UPOV training programs)   |

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...to help us promote PRISMA   


**PVP Offices**

- add a link to your website
- Inform your applicants about PRISMA
- Follow us and share updates on **LinkedIn**
- Include the PRISMA module in your PVP Office training programs

**Breeders**

- Inform your colleagues or members about PRISMA
- Follow us and share updates on your social media networks

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## FRANCE

<https://www.geves.fr/catalogue-protection/>

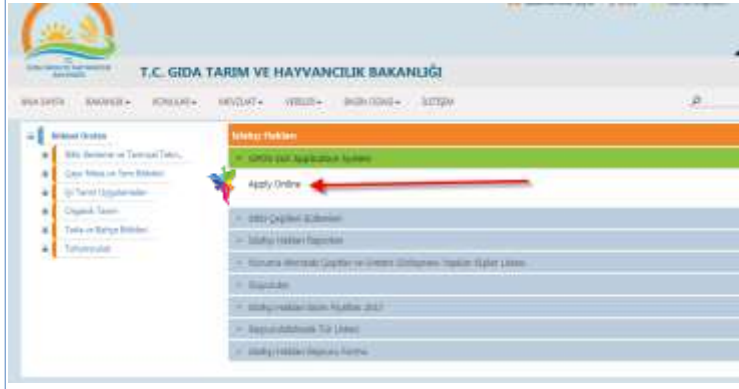
**2. Le dépôt papier ou numérique**

- **ou siège de l'INOV**  
Tout demandeur peut déposer sa demande de protection directement au secrétariat de l'INOV aux heures d'ouverture (voir plus bas).
- **par voie postale**  
Tout demandeur est invité à envoyer sa demande de protection en lettre recommandée avec accusé de réception au siège de l'INOV (voir plus bas).
- **\*NEW ! Le dépôt par messagerie électronique auprès de l'INOV**  
Les formulaires mentionnés ci-dessus peuvent être, une fois remplis, signés, datés et numérotés, envoyés par messagerie électronique au [secretariat.inov@geves.fr](mailto:secretariat.inov@geves.fr)
- **via l'UPOV**  
Depuis janvier 2017, tout déposant peut procéder au dépôt de sa demande via un dépôt semi-électronique en passant par le [système de l'UPOV](https://www.geves.fr/catalogue-protection/). Ce dépôt est opérationnel pour les espèces suivantes : maïs – pois – pomme de terre – soja – katus.

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## TURKEY

<http://www.tarim.gov.tr/Konular/Bitkisel-Uretim/Tohumculuk/Islahci-Haklari>



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## NETHERLANDS

<https://www.raadvoorplantenrassen.nl/nl/online-aanvragen/>

**Aanvragen voor kwekersrecht in één van de UPOV landen**

De UPOV heeft vanaf 16 januari ook een online module beschikbaar. Via deze module vraagt u online kwekersrecht aan in alle UPOV-landen. Aanvragen kunt u indienen in de gewassen sla, appel, sojaboon, roos en aardappel. Informatie over de UPOV-module kunt u vinden via:

 [ga naar online aanvragen](#)

Als u aanvraagt voor Nederlands kwekersrecht wordt uw aanvraag door de UPOV doorgestuurd. Uw aanvraag wordt door de Raad voor plantensoorten in behandeling genomen.

Naktuurbouw vergoedt gebruikerskosten UPOV module

Als u uw aanvraag online indient via de UPOV module worden gebruikerskosten in rekening gebracht. Voor iedere aanvraag waarvoor tevens een aanvraag voor Nederlands kwekersrecht en/of toelating wordt ingediend, vergoedt Naktuurbouw in 2017 de gebruikerskosten van € 150.

**Aanvragen voor toelating in Nederland via UPOV module**

Maakt u gebruik van de UPOV module en wilt u tevens voor toelating in Nederland aanvragen? De UPOV module is uitsluitend ingericht op het aanvragen van kwekersrecht. Als u naast Nederlands kwekersrecht ook toelating in Nederland wilt aanvragen vul dan dit [formulier](#) in en stuur dat svp aan [plantensoorten@naktuurbouw.nl](mailto:plantensoorten@naktuurbouw.nl)

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## REPUBLIC OF MOLDOVA

<http://www.agepi.gov.md/ro/news/republica-moldova-particip%C4%83-%C3%AEn-proiectul-upov-privind-formularul-de-cerere-electronic>



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- Test campaign
 

| Authority  | From/To                                 | Milestone Release (MR) Contents/<br>Functionalities                                   |
|------------|---|---|
| CPVO       | 19/10/2017 to<br>08/11/2017             | Integration with CPVO: from CPVO to EAF<br>• IMPORT web service                       |
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| <b>ALL</b> | <b>11/12/2017<br/>to<br/>22/12/2017</b> | <b>TEST Final Release</b>   |



- **Next meeting EAF/11:**
  - March 28, 2018 (morning)

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### FUTURE STEPS (2019 and +)

- Expansion
  - **members**
  - **crops/species**
- New functionalities
  - **Machine-to-machine communication with additional national systems**
  - **Addition of information on procedural representatives**
  - **Machine translation**

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## How to join EAF?

- **Applications forms and other application information requirements for PVP Offices;**
- **Technical Questionnaire information for supported crops if different from UPOV TQ;**
- **Payment procedures;**
- **Application authorization procedures;**
- **Security requirements for data transfer and receipt;**
- **Communication protocols for those PVP Offices that wish:**
  - to receive application data from the EAF system;
  - to enable breeders to retrieve data from their PVP Offices via the EAF system.

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**LinkedIn**

**UPOV's PBR Application Tool**

Quick and easy transmission of application data for Plant Breeders' Rights

[www.upov.int](http://www.upov.int)

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