

Council

C/59/8

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CALENDAR OF MEETINGS IN 2026

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1. The proposed dates for UPOV meetings in 2026 are presented in Annex I (in order of the organs) and Annex II (in chronological order) to this document.
2. Tentative dates of meetings in 2027, 2028, 2029 and 2030 are presented in Annex III to this document.
3. The proposal of the said dates is without prejudice to the decision of the appropriate bodies of UPOV concerning either the holding of the meetings referred to or their dates.

4. The Council is invited to approve the calendar of meetings in 2026, and to consider the tentative dates of meetings in 2027, 2028, 2029 and 2030.

[Annexes follow]

ANNEX I

DATES OF MEETINGS IN 2026
presented in order of the organs

Council

C/60 October 23 (hybrid meeting)

Consultative Committee

CC/104 October 22 (hybrid meeting)

Administrative and Legal Committee

CAJ/83 October 21 (morning) (hybrid meeting)

Meeting on Electronic Applications (EAM)

EAM/7 March 16 (virtual meeting)

EAM/8 October 20 (evening) (hybrid meeting)

Working group on harvested material and unauthorized use of propagating material (WG-HRV)

WG-HRV/9 March 19 (virtual meeting) [to be confirmed]

Technical Committee

TC/62 October 19 and 20

Enlarged Editorial Committee (TC-EDC)

January 13 and 15 (virtual meeting)

October 13 and 14, 2026 (virtual meeting)

October 18 [to be confirmed] and October 19 (evening) (hybrid meetings)

Technical Working Party for Agricultural Crops (TWA)

TWA/55 June 15 to 18 [dates to be confirmed], [city to be confirmed], Republic of Korea
(hybrid meeting)

Technical Working Party for Fruit Crops (TWF)

TWF/57 September 7 to 10, Leipzig, Germany (hybrid meeting)

Technical Working Party on Testing Methods and Techniques (TWM)

TWM/4 June 1 to 4, Cambridge, United Kingdom (hybrid meeting)

Technical Working Party for Ornamental Plants and Forest Trees (TWO)

TWO/58 July 6 to 9 (virtual meeting)

Technical Working Party for Vegetables (TWV)

TWV/60 May 18 to 21, Pacific Grove, California, United States of America (hybrid meeting)

Seminar [title to be decided]

October 21 (afternoon) (hybrid meeting)

[Annex II follows]

ANNEX II

DATES OF MEETINGS IN 2026
presented in chronological order

JANUARY 2026

Tuesday, 13 and Thursday, 15 TC-EDC (virtual meeting)

MARCH 2026

Monday, 16 EAM/7 (virtual meeting)
 Thursday, 19 WG-HRV/9 (virtual meeting) [to be confirmed]

MAY 2026

Monday, 18 to Thursday, 21 TWW/60 (Pacific Grove, California, United States of America)
 (hybrid meeting)

JUNE 2026

Monday, 1 to Thursday, 4 TWM/4 (Cambridge, United Kingdom) (hybrid meeting)
 Monday, 15 to Thursday, 18 TWA/55 ([city to be confirmed], Republic of Korea) (hybrid meeting)
 [dates to be confirmed]

JULY 2026

Monday, 6 to Thursday, 9 TWO/58 (virtual meeting)

SEPTEMBER 2026

Monday, 7 to Thursday, 10 TWF/57 (Leipzig, Germany) (hybrid meeting)

OCTOBER 2026

Tuesday, 13 and Wednesday 14	TC-EDC (virtual meeting)
Sunday, 18 [to be confirmed]	TC-EDC (hybrid meeting)
Monday, 19	TC/62 (hybrid meeting)
Monday, 19 (evening)	TC-EDC (hybrid meeting)
Tuesday, 20	TC/62 (hybrid meeting)
Tuesday, 20 (evening)	EAM/8 (hybrid meeting)
Wednesday, 21 (morning)	CAJ/83 (hybrid meeting)
Wednesday, 21 (afternoon)	Seminar [title to be decided] (hybrid meeting)
Thursday, 22	CC/104 (hybrid meeting)
Friday, 23	C/60 (hybrid meeting)

[Annex III follows]

ANNEX III

A. TENTATIVE DATES OF MEETINGS IN 2027JANUARY 2027 (week 2)

Tuesday, 12 and Wednesday, 13	TC-EDC (virtual meeting)
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MARCH 2027 (week 11)

Tuesday, 16 and Wednesday, 17	TC-EDC (virtual meeting)
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OCTOBER 2027 (weeks 42 and 43)

Tuesday, 18 and Wednesday 19	TC-EDC (virtual meeting)
Sunday, 24 [to be confirmed]	TC-EDC (hybrid meeting)
Monday, 25	TC/63 (hybrid meeting)
Monday, 25 (evening)	TC-EDC (hybrid meeting)
Tuesday, 26	TC/63 (hybrid meeting)
Wednesday, 27	CAJ/84 (hybrid meeting)
Thursday, 28	CC/105 (hybrid meeting)
Friday, 29	C/61 (hybrid meeting)

TECHNICAL WORKING PARTIES IN 2027

TWA/56	No venue proposal
TWF/58	Expression of interest received
TWM/5	Venue confirmed (United States of America)
TWO/59	Expression of interest received
TWV/61	No venue proposal

B. TENTATIVE DATES OF MEETINGS IN 2028JANUARY 2028 (week 2)

Tuesday, 11 and Wednesday, 12	TC-EDC (virtual meeting)
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MARCH 2028 (week 11)

Tuesday, 14 and Wednesday, 15	TC-EDC (virtual meeting)
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OCTOBER 2028 (weeks 42 and 43)

Tuesday, 17 and Wednesday 18	TC-EDC (virtual meeting)
Sunday, 22 [to be confirmed]	TC-EDC (hybrid meeting)
Monday, 23	TC/64 (hybrid meeting)
Monday, 23 (evening)	TC-EDC (hybrid meeting)
Tuesday, 24	TC/64 (hybrid meeting)
Wednesday, 25	CAJ/85 (hybrid meeting)
Thursday, 26	CC/106 (hybrid meeting)
Friday, 27	C/62 (hybrid meeting)

TECHNICAL WORKING PARTIES IN 2028

TWA/57	No venue proposal
TWF/59	No venue proposal
TWM/6	Venue confirmed (Republic of Korea)
TWO/60	No venue proposal
TWV/62	No venue proposal

C. TENTATIVE WEEKS OF MEETINGS IN 2029 AND 2030

OCTOBER 2029 (week 43) October 22 to 26, 2029

OCTOBER 2030 (week 43) October 21 to 25, 2030

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