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REVISED CALENDAR OF MEETINGS IN 2026*Document prepared by the Office of the Union**Disclaimer: this document does not represent UPOV policies or guidance*

The purpose of this revision is to report that the dates of the fourth session of the Technical Working Party on Testing Methods and Techniques (TWM), which will be held in Cambridge, United Kingdom, in hybrid format, have been postponed by one day. The session will be held from June 2 to 5, 2026:

Technical Working Party on Testing Methods and Techniques (TWM)TWM/4 ~~June 1 to 4~~ June 2 to 5, Cambridge, United Kingdom (hybrid meeting)

[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)

Consultative Group on UPOV Resources Strategy (CG-URS)

CG-URS/2 March 18 (virtual meeting)

CG-URS/3 June 24 (virtual 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)

WG-HRV/10 October 21 (evening) (hybrid meeting)

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, Seoul, 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 2 to 5, 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

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)
 Wednesday, 18 (tentative date) CG-URS/2 (virtual meeting)
 Thursday, 19 WG-HRV/9 (virtual meeting)

MAY 2026

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

JUNE 2026

Tuesday, 2 to Friday, 5 TWM/4 (Cambridge, United Kingdom) (hybrid meeting)
 Monday, 15 to Thursday, 18 TWA/55 (Seoul, Republic of Korea) (hybrid meeting)
 Wednesday, 24 (tentative date) CG-URS/3 (virtual meeting)

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)
 Wednesday, 21 (evening) WG-HRV/10 (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)

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

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

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|------------------------------|--------------------------|
| 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

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| TWA/56 | Expression of interest received |
| TWF/58 | Expression of interest received |
| TWM/5 | Venue confirmed (United States of America) |
| TWO/59 | Expression of interest received |
| TWV/61 | Expression of interest received |

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

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

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

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|------------------------------|--------------------------|
| 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

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|--------|-------------------------------------|
| TWA/57 | No venue proposal |
| TWF/59 | No venue proposal |
| TWM/6 | Venue confirmed (Republic of Korea) |
| TWO/60 | Expression of interest received |
| 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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