

DRAFT Work plan for UPOV Technical Working Party for Agricultural Crops (TWA), Forty-Eighth Session, Montevideo, Uruguay (TWA/48)

	Monday, September 16 Start 9.00	Tuesday, September 17 Start 8.30	Wednesday, September 18 Start 8.30	Thursday, September 19 Start 8.30	Friday, September 20 Start 9.00
08.30	<p>1. Opening</p> <p>2. Adoption of Agenda (TWA/48/1 Rev.)</p> <p>14. Date and place of next session</p> <p>3 (a) Reports from members and observers (TWA/48/3 Prov.)</p> <p>3 (b) Report UPOV (TWA/48/2)</p>	<p>5. TGP documents (cont'd)</p> <p>TGP/15: - Characteristic-specific marker with incomplete information on state of expression (TWP/3/12)</p> <p>4. Molecular Techniques (TWP/3/7)</p> <p>- European Union (TWA/48/5)</p> <p>- Italy (TWA/48/8)</p> <p>- Discussion groups: cooperation on BMTs</p>	<p>12. Cooperation in Examination (TWP/3/14)</p> <p>- Discussion groups: cooperation in examination</p> <p>- Presentation of outcomes from discussion groups</p>	<p>7. Information and databases (d) UPOV PRISMA (TWP/3/3)</p> <p>(a) UPOV information DB (TWP/3/4, TWP/3/4 ADD.)</p> <p>(b) Variety description DB (TWP/3/2)</p> <p>(c) Exchange/use software/equipment (TWP/3/5)</p>	<p>11. Recommendations on draft TGs - New proposals for Test Guidelines</p> <p>15. Future program</p>
10.30	10.30 – 11.00 COFFEE	10.30 – 11.00 COFFEE	10.30 – 11.00 COFFEE	10.30 – 11.00 COFFEE	10.30 – 11.00 COFFEE
11.00	<p>5. TGP documents (TWP/3/1 Rev. and TWA/48/4)</p> <p>TGP/7: -Characteristics which only apply to certain varieties (TWP/3/9)</p> <p>TGP/14: - UPOV color groups (TWP/3/11)</p> <p>9. Guidance for drafters of Test Guidelines (TWP/3/8)</p>	<p>- Presentation of outcomes from discussion groups</p> <p>-New proposals for Test Guidelines</p>	<p>5. TGP documents (cont'd)</p> <p>TGP/8: -Data processing for distinctness and producing descriptions (TWP/3/10 and TWA/48/7)</p> <p>13. Differences in notes for the assessment of distinctness (TWP/3/13)</p>	<p>6. Variety denominations (TWP/3/6)</p> <p>8. Experiences with new types and species</p> <p>- General approaches to new species (TWA/48/6)</p>	<p>16. Adoption of report</p> <p>17. Closing of the session</p>
	12.30 – 14.00 LUNCH	12.30 – 14.00 LUNCH	12.30 – 14.00 LUNCH	12.30 – 14.00 LUNCH	Closing: 12.30
14.00	*Red Clover	Rice	Triticale	Tea	<p>Optional Technical Visit <u>Departure from Hotel: 14.00</u> <u>Return to Hotel: 19:00</u></p>
15.45	15.45 – 16.00 COFFEE	15.45 – 16.00 COFFEE	15.45 – 16.00 COFFEE	15.45 – 16.00 COFFEE	
17.45	Soya Bean	Ginseng	Rye	Timothy	
		19:00-22:00 <u>Official Reception</u>			