

**Technical Working Party for Agricultural Crops****TWA/51/1 Rev.****Fifty-First Session  
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**REVISED DRAFT AGENDA***prepared by the Office of the Union**Disclaimer: this document does not represent UPOV policies or guidance*

1. Opening of the Session
2. Adoption of the agenda (document TWA/51/1 Rev.)
3. Short reports on developments in plant variety protection
  - (a) Reports from members and observers (written reports to be prepared by members and observers) (document TWA/51/3)
  - (b) Report on developments within UPOV (document TWA/51/2)
4. Cooperation in examination (document TWP/6/9)
5. Increasing participation in the work of the TC and the TWPs (document TWP/6/12)
6. Development of guidance and information materials (documents TWP/6/1 and TWA/51/9)
  - The Combined Over Years Uniformity Criterion (COYU) (document TWP/6/11)
7. Using the COYU-Splines method in DUS examination (document TWA/51/8)
8. New technologies in DUS examination (document TWA/51/6)
9. Big data platform for DUS examination (document TWA/51/7)
10. Examining hybrid varieties (oral report)
11. Experiences with new types and species (oral reports invited)
12. Molecular Techniques
  - (a) Developments in UPOV (document TWP/6/7)
  - (b) Presentation on the use of molecular techniques in DUS examination (documents TWA/51/4 and TWA/51/4 Add.)
13. Information and databases
  - (a) UPOV information databases (document TWP/6/4)
  - (b) Variety description databases (document TWP/6/2)
  - (c) Exchange and use of software and equipment (document TWP/6/5)
  - (d) UPOV PRISMA (document TWP/6/3)
14. Variety denominations (document TWP/6/6)
15. Revision of Test Guidelines (document TWP/6/10)

16. Discussion on draft Test Guidelines (Subgroups)

Full draft Test Guidelines

- Cocksfoot (*Dactylis glomerata* L.) (Revision) (document TG/31/9(proj.2))
- Hemp (*Cannabis sativa* L.) (Revision) (document TG/276/2(proj.1))
- \*Potato (*Solanum tuberosum* L.) (Revision) (document TG/23/7(proj.3))
- \*Rape Seed (*Brassica napus* L. *oleifera*) (Revision) (document TG/36/7(proj.3))
- \*Soya Bean (*Glycine max* (L.) Merrill) (Revision) (document TG/80/7(proj.8))
- \*Sugarcane (*Saccharum* L.) (Revision) (document TG/186/2(proj.3))
- \*Sunflower (*Helianthus annuus* L.) (Revision) (document TG/81/7(proj.4))
- \*Zoysia Grasses (*Zoysia* Willd.) (document TG/ZOYSI(proj.3))

Partial revisions

- Maize (*Zea mays* L.) (Partial revision: Technical Questionnaire) (documents TG/2/7 and TWP/6/10)
- Rye (*Secale cereale* L.) (Partial revision: Paragraph 4.2.4; and Chars. 1 - 6: to be observed in special test) (documents TG/58/7 and TWA/51/5)
- Wheat (*Triticum aestivum* L. emend. Fiori et Paol) (Partial revision: Technical Questionnaire) (documents TG/3/12 and TWP/6/10)

17. Guidance for drafters of Test Guidelines (document TWP/6/8)

18. Recommendations on draft Test Guidelines

19. Date and place of the next session

20. Future program

21. Adoption of the Report on the session (if time permits)

22. Closing of the session

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