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INFORMATION SYSTEM (IS) USED FOR TEST AND PROTECTION OF PLANT VARIETIES IN THE RUSSIAN FEDERATION

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Background

- 1. Section 4 of document UPOV/INF/16/1 "Exchangeable Software", adopted by the Council of UPOV at its forty-fourth ordinary session, provides the following:
 - "4. Information on use by members of the Union
 - 4.1 A circular is issued to members of the Union on an annual basis, inviting them to provide information on their use of the software included in document UPOV/INF/16.
 - 4.2 The information on software use by members of the Union is indicated in the columns "Member(s) of the Union using the software" and "Application by user(s)". With regard to the indication of "Application by user(s)", members of the Union can indicate, for example, crops or types of crop for which the software is used."

Discussion in the TWC

- 2. The Technical Working Party on Automation and Computer Programs (TWC), at its twenty-ninth session held in Geneva from June 7 to 10, 2011, noted the proposals made by the Russian Federation provided in Annex II to document TWC/29/7 and looked forward to receiving a presentation by experts from the Russian Federation at a future session (see document TWC/29/31 "Report", paragraph 52).
- 3. The Annex to this document contains a presentation on the exchangeable software from the Russian Federation prepared for inclusion in document UPOV/INF/16/2 "Exchangeable Software".

[Annex follows]

ANNEX

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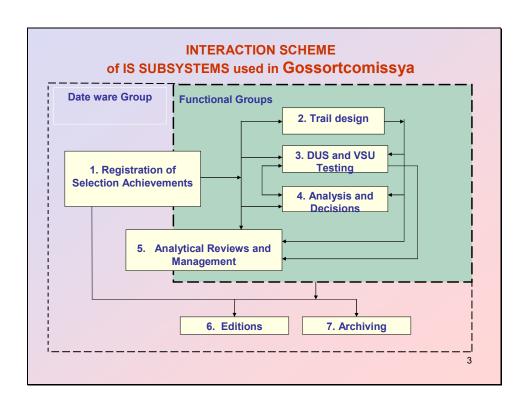
Information System (IS) used for Test and Protection of Plant Varieties in the Russian Federation

State Commission of the Russian Federation for Selection Achievements Test and Protection (Gossortcomissiya)

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Information System (IS) exploited in the Russian Federation has been developed by IT Specialists of Gossortcomissiya. IS is used for Data Acquisition, Accumulation, Storage and Information Processing in Relational Database «SqlBase» and includes the following Functional Subsystems (IS Subsystems):

- w Trail Design
- w DUS Testing
- w VCU Testing
- w Analysis and Decisions
- w Analytical Reviews
- w Management
- w Editions
- w Archiving etc.
- w Registration



Subsystem "REGISTRATION"

is Base of IS in which framework all Operations for Data Acquisition and Accumulation in respect of Selection Achievement contained in Materials of Application and concerning Decision-Making are Performed Practically

Objects of the Subsystem are:

- § Crop (genus)
- § Variety
- § Application
- § Entity

Datasheets of Database «SqlBase» contain the following columns corresponding to Objects specified above

Table № 1. Crop (Genus)

Code of Crop Name of Crop

Block of Register (List) Block of Varieties Testing

Crop Number in Varieties Testing

Block of Class

Serial number of Crop in the Register Block Breeder,s Reference

Latin Name of Crop VCU Trails Marking Start Date of Protection

Sign of Small Extended Crop Number of Years of Protection

Sign of Crop for Expert Assessment

UPOV Code of Crop

Table. № 2. Variety

Code of a Variety

Comprehensive Variety Denomination

Code of Crop

Variety Denomination for Testing

Latin Variety Name Breeder,s Reference

Category Breeding Country

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Datasheets of Database «SqlBase» contain the following columns corresponding to Objects specified above (continuation)

Table № 3. Application

Application Number (Code) Variety Code

Application Type

Date of Registration of the Application

Rejection Date
Rejection Reason
Publishing Sign

Number (Code) of Entity Examination End Date

DUS Testing Sign

VCU Testing Sign

Start Test Year (Application Filing Year)

Year of Variety Entering in a List Year of Variety Removal from the List / Testing Removal

Reason of End of Protection / Admission

Application Type

Table 4. Subject

Entity's Code Entity's Name

Entity's Address

Entity's Country Code

Entity's Area Code

Phone: Fax: E-MAIL: Entity's Type

To maintain Operation of any Subsystem Relations between the Tables have been specified and Directories System assuring Database «SqlBase» Integrity has been developed

For example:

Crops List (currently 922 taxons) tabl 01 rod.xls;

Classes Blocks List (522 names) tabl 07 kls.xls;

Expression of Characteristics (188 indexes) tabl 09 znx.xls;

Application Types (2 types: Protection and Admittance for Usage) tabl 11 tiz.xls;

DUS Testing Regalement (4 types) tabl 12 ooc.xls;

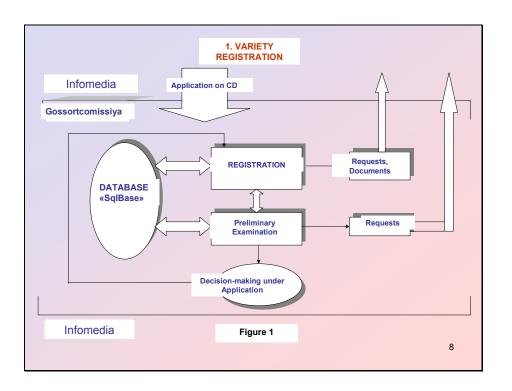
VCU Testing Regalement (7 types) tabl 13 xp.xls;

Application Refusal Reasons (8 reasons) tabl 14 pro.xls;

Reasons for End of Protection / Admittance (11 reasons) tabl 15 kod.xls;

Entity Type (legal body, physical person) tabl 16 yfl.xls;

List of the Countries (243 names) tabl 18 str.xls.

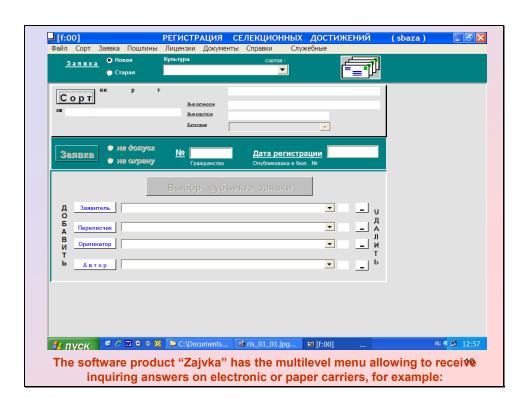


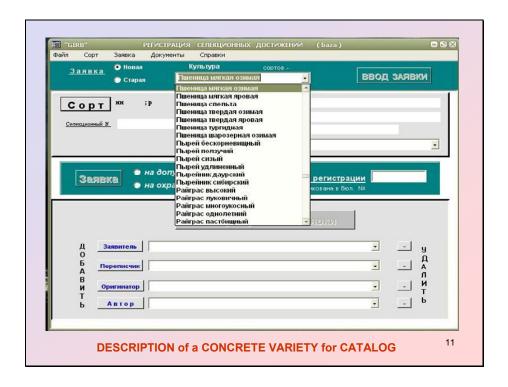
Subsystem "**REGISTRATION**" in the Form of Bundled Software "**Zajvka**" Operates in Two Parallel Variants:

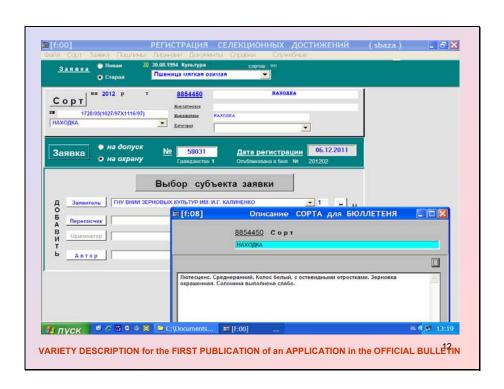
- 1. «SBAZA» (Button "New") is accessible **only to a group of persons** of the registration maintenance, carrying out input of the official information on a variety on the basis of the application and corresponding decisions accepted
- 2. «REPL» (Button "Old") is accessible to groups of personsspecialists on certain gene and species of plants with the right to input an additional information by test results.

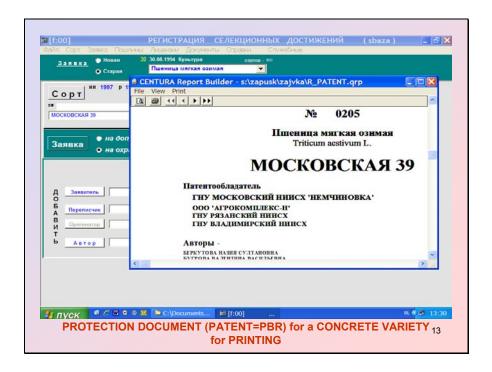
Replication of the Databases is performed regularly or when necessary.

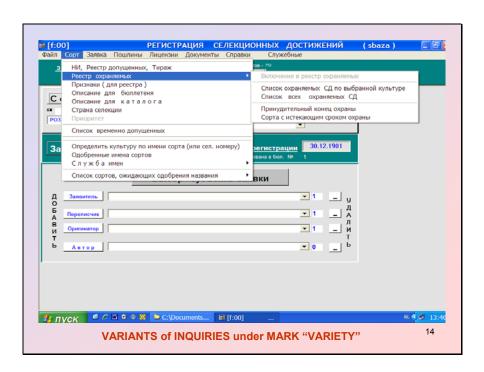
Some of its functionality is presented on the following slides below.

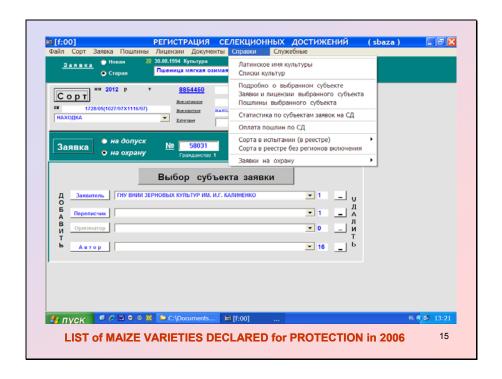


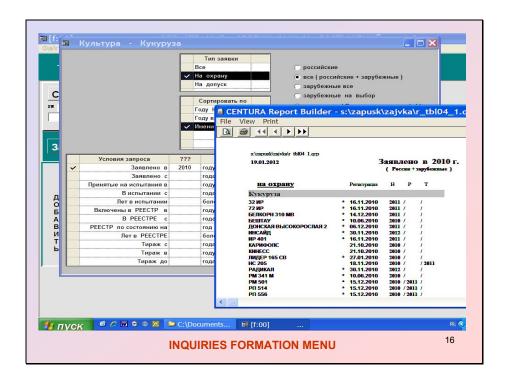












Electronic Database "REGISTRATION" contains Information on Plant Varieties / Animal Breeds for the Period from 1926 / 1993 up to Date and it is Consistently Enlarged.

Subsystems listed below operate collaterally with Subsystem "REGISTRATION" to perform specific targets:

- § Trail Design
- § DUS Testing
- § VCU Testing
- § Analysis and Decisions
- § Analytical Reviews
- § Management
- § Editions

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Along with Inquiring Answers for the Staff of Gossorcomissiya the Information System (IS) Allows to Prepare in Automatic Mode Different Information for Publishing in Printing Office the Following Editions:

- § State List of Protected Selection Achievements
- § State List of Selection Achievements Admitted for Usage
- § Descriptions of the Varieties Entered Firstly in the State List of Selection Achievements Admitted for Usage
- § Official Bulletin (10 releases annually)
- § Lists of the Varieties for the Set Categories

Additionally, every two months Information for Plant Variety Database UPOV-ROM (currently PLUTO) is prepared.

Thank You for Your Attention

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