

Draft Schedule of the UPOV Technical Working Party on Automation and Computer Programs (TWC), Thirty-Eighth Session and Working Group on Biochemical and Molecular Techniques, and DNA-profiling in particular (BMT), Nineteenth Session, hosted by the United States of America, organized by electronic means (TWC/38 – BMT/19)

	Monday, September 21 Start 9.00 a.m.	Tuesday, September 22 Start 5.00 a.m.	Wednesday, September 23 Start 7.00 a.m.	Thursday, September 24 Start 5.00 a.m.	Friday, September 25 Start 5.00 a.m.
5.00 a.m.	Time zone: EDT (Eastern Daylight Time) UTC/GMT -4 hours	<p>4. TGP and INF series documents (Cont'd)</p> <p>(a)(ii) COYU (TWP/4/11 and TWC/38/6)</p> <p>(b) Exchange and use of software and equipment (TWP/4/5)</p> <p>5. Tools and methods for DUS examination</p> <p>(a) The PATHOSTAT application (TWC/38/7)</p> <p>8. UPOV information databases (TWP/4/4)</p> <p>9. UPOV PRISMA (TWP/4/3)</p>	[Circulation of draft report to participants]	[Breeders' Day]	<p>14. Organization of work of the TWC and BMT(BMT/19/7)</p> <p>15. Date and place of next session</p> <p>16. Future program</p>
6:30 a.m.		PAUSE	PAUSE	PAUSE	PAUSE
7.00 a.m.		<p>5. Tools and methods for DUS examination (Cont'd)</p> <p>(c) Toward numerical practices in variety testing (TWC/38/10)</p> <p>(b) Comparison of results obtained for COYD and COYU procedures using different software (TWC/38/8 Rev)</p> <p>6. Statistical analysis software "DUS Excel" (TWC/38/9)</p> <p>7. Variety description databases (TWP/4/2)</p>	<p>15. Adoption of the Report</p> <p>16. Closing</p>	<p>Polls</p> <p>9. Mol. Techs. in examining essential derivation</p> <p>10. Molecular techniques in variety identification</p> <p>11. Confidentiality, ownership and access to molecular data</p> <p>(a) Access to reference material and molecular data from CPVO Examination Offices (BMT/19/5)</p> <p>(b) Survey on confidentiality and ownership of molecular information (BMT/19/8)</p>	<p>Breakout session A (According to result of poll from Item 12)</p> <p>Breakout session B (According to result of poll from Item 12)</p>
8.30 a.m.		PAUSE	PAUSE	PAUSE	PAUSE
9.00 a.m.	<p>TWC/38 + BMT/19</p> <p>1. Opening of the Sessions</p> <p>TWC/38</p> <p>2. Adoption of the agenda (TWC/38/1 Rev.)</p> <p>3. Short reports on developments in PVP (TWC/38/2 and TWC/38/3)</p> <p>4. TGP and INF series documents (TWP/4/1 and TWC/38/4)</p> <p>(a)(i) Data processing for variety descriptions (TWP/4/10; TWC/38/5)</p>	<p>10. Molecular Techniques and bioinformatics (TWP/4/7)</p> <p>11. Cooperation in DUS examination (TWP/4/9)</p> <p>12. Organization of work of the TWC and BMT (TWP/4/12)</p> <p>13. Date and place of the next session</p> <p>14. Future Program</p>	BMT/19	<p>12. Session to facilitate cooperation (BMT/19/10)</p> <p>- Report Polls</p> <p>13. Cooperation between international organizations (BMT/19/9)</p> <p>- ISTA (BMT/19/13)</p>	<p>17. Adoption of the Report</p> <p>18. Closing of the session</p>
10.30 a.m.	END	END	END	END	END

