

Draft programme

Problem formulation for the environmental risk assessment of gene drive modified insects | Brussels, 15 May 2019

08:15- 09:00	Registration and welcome coffee		
SESSION 1 Plenary session Chair: Barbara Gallani, European Food Safety Authority (IT)			
09:00- 09:15	Welcome and introduction to the workshop		Barbara Gallani, European Food Safety Authority (IT) and Leslie G Firbank, University of Leeds (UK)
09:15- 10:00	Keynote: Gene drive modified insects – Hopes, fears, gene drive systems/strategies and problem formulation concepts Questions		Fred Gould, North Carolina State University (US)
10:00- 10:30	Problem formulation for the environmental risk assessment of gene drive modified mosquitoes Questions		Stephanie James, Foundation for the National Institutes of Health (US)
10:30- 10:45	Coffee/Tea break		
10:45- 11:15	Problem formulation for the environmental risk assessment of gene drive modified fruit flies Questions		Jörg Romeis, Agroscope (CH)
11:15- 11:55	Experiences with gene drives and risk assessment implications: Opinion of the Netherlands Commission on Genetic Modification (COGEM) Questions		Marjan Bovers, The Netherlands Commission on Genetic Modification (NL) and Patrick Rüdelsheim, Perseus (BE)
11:55- 12:15	Discussion		
12:15- 13:00	Lunch break		
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12:45- 15:30	Discussion		
15:30- 15:45	Coffee/Tea break		
SESSION 3 Plenary session Chair: Barbara Gallani, European Food Safety Authority (IT)			
15:45- 15:55	Reporting – Discussion group 2A		John D Mumford, Imperial College London (UK)
15:55- 16:05	Reporting – Discussion group 2B		Michael Bonsall, University of Oxford (UK)
16:05- 16:30	Discussion		
16:30- 16:45	Concluding remarks and closing of the workshop		Barbara Gallani, European Food Safety Authority (IT)





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