

PLANT PEST SURVEILLANCE NETWORK

7th meeting



17-18 June 2026

09:00-18:00 / 09:00-16:45

AGENDA

Location: EFSA - Parma (Board Room; workshop day 1 in 00/B07, 00/M01, 00/M02, 00/M015; workshop day 2 in 00/M01, 00/M02, 00/M06b, 00/M015, 00/M17) and Webconference (for EFSA staff)

Chair: Agnès Rortais

Day 1 – 17 June

Time	No.	Item	Presenter
09:00	1	Welcome	Guilhem de Seze (EFSA)
09:05	2	Adoption of Agenda and Apologies for absence	Chair
Session 1: workshop on survey design for <i>Popillia japonica</i>			
09:15	3	Risk-based survey of <i>Popillia japonica</i> in Austria	Jasmin Wilhelm (Austria)
09:30	4	Risk-based survey of <i>P. japonica</i> in Belgium	Wim Jennes (Belgium)
09:45	5	Detection survey of <i>P. japonica</i> - demo on RiPEST	Hans-Hermann Thulke (WG methods)
10:00	6	Delimiting survey - concept and demo	Martijn Schenk (WG methods)
10:45		<i>Coffee break</i>	
11:10	7	Scenarios for group exercise	Juan Navas-Cortes and Elena Lazaro (WG methods)
11:25	8	Introduction to the breakout group discussions	Efterpi Adamou (EFSA)
11:30	9	Group exercise	5 groups
12:15		<i>Lunch break</i>	
13:30		Group exercise (agenda item 9 continued)	5 groups
14:00	10	Report to plenary & final discussion	All
Session 2: Input from Member States			
15:00	11	Surveillance and outbreak of <i>Anoplophora chinensis</i> in Croatia: Identification of risk locations and potential sources of infestation related to the import, trade and storage of host plants for planting	Tomislav Krcivoj (Croatia)
15:15	12	Survey plan of <i>A. glabripennis</i> into practice in Finland: Identification of risk locations with focus on wood packaging material, storage sites and the wood industry	Aino-Maija Mustalahti (Finland)

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15:30	13	Survey Planning for <i>Agrilus planipennis</i> in Poland: Identification of risk locations with focus on high-risk areas related to neighbouring outbreaks and border regions	Agata Olejniczak (Poland)
15:45	14	Discussion and Q&A	All
16:00		<i>Coffee break</i>	
16:25	15	Pest surveillance activities in Serbia with emphasis on <i>Phytophthora ramorum</i> and <i>Fusarium circinatum</i>	Aleksandra Bulajić (Serbia)
16:55	16	Preliminary results from using multi-lure traps in QP surveys 2025	Adrian Vallin (Sweden)
17:25	17	DISQS Database for surveys	Fabian Schuppan (Germany)
17:55	18	Instructions for reaching the restaurant for the Network dinner and group photo	Efterpi Adamou (EFSA)
18:00		<i>End of the first day</i>	
18:45		<i>Departure to restaurant</i>	



Day 2 – 18 June

Time	No.	Item	Presenter
09:00	19	Welcome & Apologies for absence	Chair
Session 3: Workshop on synergies between Horizon Europe Projects and EFSA Network on Plant Pest Surveillance			
09:05	20	Introduction by EFSA	Tobin Robinson (EFSA)
09:10	21	Introduction by DG AGRI	Gisela Quaglia (DG AGRI)
09:20	22	Showcase tools and technologies for pest surveillance (45') with Q&A (15')	Davide Rassati (FORSAID) 15', Fernando Pinacho (EUFAWReady) 5', Heiner Denzer (IPM-Popillia) 10', Marc Schetelig/Francesca Solari (REACT) 5', Juan A. Navas-Cortés (Bexyl) 10'
10:20	23	Demo on integration of technologies for multi-source pest surveillance (20') & Q&A (10')	Gabriele Valentini (Cerberus) 15' & Spyros Fountas (STELLA) 5'
10:50	24	Introduction to the breakout group discussions	Efterpi Adamou (EFSA)
10:55		<i>Coffee break</i>	
11:20	25	Breakout group discussions	5 groups
12:20		<i>Lunch break</i>	
14:00	26	Report to plenary & final discussion	Rapporteurs from the 5 groups
14:30	27	Closing	Gisela Quaglia (DG AGRI), Maria Mirazchiyska (DG SANTE) & Sybren Vos (EFSA)
Session 4: Updates from EPPO and EFSA			
14:45	28	Developing regional standards to mitigate risks of plant pests in the EPPO region	Rob Tanner (EPPO)
15:15	29	Pest survey cards	Francesca Salinari (EFSA)
15:30	30	Survey parameters	Alexandre Nougadère (EFSA)
15:45	31	Statistical tools & webinars	Etienne Babin, Paula Calusinska, Tomasz Kaluski & Beatriz Winter (EFSA)
16:05	32	Horizon scanning	Florian Kuntze & Sara Tramontini (EFSA)
16:20	33	AOB & Conclusions	All & Chair
16:45		<i>Closure of the meeting</i>	