

PLH UNIT

Scientific Panel on Plant Health

Minutes of the 9th meeting of the Working Group on *Phytophthora fragariae* pest risk assessment

Held on 3-4 09 2013, Parma

(Agreed on 04 09 2013)¹

Participants

- **Working Group Experts²:**
 - Mike Jeger
 - Imre Holb
 - Jim Duncan
 - Arild Sletten
- **EFSA:**
 - PLH Unit: Gabor Hollo

1. Welcome and apologies for absence

The Chair welcomed the participants.

2. Adoption of agenda and minutes

The agenda was adopted without changes.

3. Declarations of interest

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4. Scientific topic(s) for discussion ([EFSA-Q-2012-00808](#))

The draft scientific opinion on the risk to plant health of *P. fragariae* for the EU territory was reviewed and further updated. The conclusions of both the assessment and the risk reduction options sections were revised and discussed.

The draft opinion will be circulated to the Plant Health Panel for possible adoption at the November Plenary meeting.

5. Next meeting(s)

No more meetings are foreseen.

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Minutes of the 8th meeting of the Working Group on *Phytophthora fragariae* pest risk assessment

Held on 4-5 07 2013, Parma

(Agreed on 04 09 2013)¹

Participants

- **Working Group Experts²:**
 - Mike Jeger
 - Jim Duncan
 - Arild Sletten
- **EFSA:**
 - PLH Unit: Gabor Hollo

1. Welcome and apologies for absence

The Chair welcomed the participants. Apologies received from Imre Holb.

2. Adoption of agenda and minutes

The agenda was adopted without changes.

3. Declarations of interest

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4. Scientific topic(s) for discussion ([EFSA-Q-2012-00808](#))

The risk reduction options section of the draft scientific opinion on the risk to plant health of *P. fragariae* for the EU territory was drafted. The section on identification and evaluation of possible measures was discussed.

5. Next meeting(s)

3-4 09 2013, Parma

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Minutes of the 7th meeting of the Working Group on *Phytophthora fragariae* pest risk assessment

Held on 18 06 2013, Amsterdam

(Agreed on 04 09 2013)¹

Participants

- **Working Group Experts²:**
 - Mike Jeger
 - Imre Holb
 - Jim Duncan
 - Arild Sletten
- **Hearing experts**
 - Eric van de Weg
 - Peter Bonants
- **EFSA:**
 - PLH Unit: Gabor Hollo

1. Welcome and apologies for absence

The Chair welcomed the participants.

2. Adoption of agenda and minutes

The agenda was adopted without changes.

3. Declarations of interest

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Declarations of Interests⁴, EFSA screened the Annual Declaration of interest and the Specific Declaration of interest) filled in by the experts invited for the present meeting. No conflicts of interests related to the issues discussed in this meeting have been identified during the screening process or at the Oral Declaration of interest at the beginning of this meeting.

4. Scientific topic(s) for discussion ([EFSA-Q-2012-00808](#))

The risk assessment and its conclusions were reviewed and updated based on the information received from the hearing experts and from the technical hearing which involved experts of the strawberry and raspberry industry, held on 22 May 2013.

5. Next meeting(s)

4-5 07 2013, Parma

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Minutes of the 6th meeting of the Working Group on *Phytophthora fragariae* pest risk assessment

Held on 21-22 05 2013, Parma

(Agreed on 18 06 2013)¹

Participants

- **Working Group Experts²:**
 - Mike Jeger
 - Imre Holb
 - Jim Duncan
 - Arild Sletten
- **EFSA:**
 - PLH Unit: Gabor Hollo

1. Welcome and apologies for absence

The Chair welcomed the participants.

2. Adoption of agenda and minutes

The agenda was adopted without changes.

3. Declarations of interest

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4. Scientific topic(s) for discussion ([EFSA-Q-2012-00808](#))

Preliminary conclusions (rating and uncertainty) for the different sections of the pest risk assessment of the scientific opinion were reached. The technical hearing with experts to provide information on the commercial production and trade of cultivated strawberry and raspberry fruit species has been organised.

5. Next meeting(s)

18 06 2013, Amsterdam

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Minutes of the 5th meeting of the Working Group on *Phytophthora fragariae* pest risk assessment

Held on 02 05 2013, Amsterdam

(Agreed on 18 06 2013)¹

Participants

- **Working Group Experts²:**
 - Mike Jeger
 - Imre Holb
 - Jim Duncan
 - Arild Sletten
- **EFSA:**
 - PLH Unit: Gabor Hollo

1. Welcome and apologies for absence

The Chair welcomed the participants.

2. Adoption of agenda

The agenda was adopted without changes.

3. Declarations of interest

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4. Scientific topic(s) for discussion ([EFSA-Q-2012-00808](#))

Further upgrade of the scientific opinion on the risk to plant health posed by *Phytophthora fragariae* in the EU territory were written with the entry, establishment spread and impact sections elaborated. Within risk assessment ratings and uncertainties have been discussed.

5. Next meeting(s)

21-22 05 2013, Parma

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Minutes of the 4th meeting of the Working Group on *Phytophthora fragariae* pest risk assessment

Held on 09-10 04 2013, Parma

(Agreed on 18 06 2013)¹

Participants

- **Working Group Experts²:**
 - Mike Jeger
 - Imre Holb
 - Jim Duncan
 - Arild Sletten
- **EFSA:**
 - PLH Unit: Gabor Hollo

1. Welcome and apologies for absence

The Chair welcomed the participants.

2. Adoption of agenda

The agenda was adopted without changes.

3. Declarations of interest

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4. Scientific topic(s) for discussion ([EFSA-Q-2012-00808](#))

The scientific opinion on the risk to plant health posed by *Phytophthora fragariae* in the EU territory has been further updated. Issues to be clarified with the strawberry industry have been discussed.

5. Next meeting(s)

02 05 2013, Amsterdam

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Minutes of the 3rd meeting of the Working Group on *Phytophthora fragariae* pest risk assessment

Held on 19 03 2013, web-meeting

(Agreed on 18 06 2013)¹

Participants

- **Working Group Experts²:**
 - Mike Jeger
 - Imre Holb
 - Jim Duncan
 - Arild Sletten
- **EFSA:**
 - PLH Unit: Gabor Hollo

1. Welcome and apologies for absence

The Chair welcomed the participants.

2. Adoption of agenda

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4. Scientific topic(s) for discussion ([EFSA-Q-2012-00808](#))

The sections on pest categorisation, entry, establishment and spread within the scientific opinion on the risk to plant health posed by *Phytophthora fragariae* in the EU territory have been revised and further edited.

5. Next meeting(s)

9-10 04 2013

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Minutes of the 2nd meeting of the Working Group on *Phytophthora fragariae* pest risk assessment

Held on 26-27 02 2013, Parma

(Agreed on 21 05 2013)¹

Participants

- **Working Group Experts²:**
 - Mike Jeger
 - Imre Holb
 - Jim Duncan
 - Arild Sletten
- **EFSA:**
 - PLH Unit: Gabor Hollo

1. Welcome and apologies for absence

The Chair welcomed the participants.

2. Adoption of agenda

The agenda was adopted without changes.

3. Declarations of interest

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4. Scientific topic(s) for discussion ([EFSA-Q-2012-00808](#))

The WG discussed and started drafting the pest categorisation and entry sections of the scientific opinion on the risk to plant health posed by *Phytophthora fragariae* in the EU territory. The relevant literature, data and EU legislation have been reviewed. Further meeting dates were agreed.

5. Next meeting(s)

19 03 2013

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Scientific Panel on Plant Health

Minutes of the 1st meeting of the Working Group on *Phytophthora fragariae* pest risk assessment

WEB/TELE-conference, 14 02 2013

(Agreed on 21 05 2013)¹

Participants

- **Working Group Experts²:**
 - Mike Jeger
 - Imre Holb
 - Jim Duncan
 - Arild Sletten
- **EFSA:**
 - PLH Unit: Gabor Hollo

1. Welcome and apologies for absence

The Chair welcomed the participants.

2. Adoption of agenda

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3. Declarations of interest

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4. Scientific topic(s) for discussion ([EFSA-Q-2012-00808](#))

The scientific opinion on the risk to plant health posed by *Phytophthora fragariae* in the EU territory and the structure and composition of the Working Group have been discussed. A preliminary work plan was outlined and agreed. Details on the conduct of literature search and data collection were discussed.

5. Next meeting(s)

26-27 02 2013