

**DRAFT SPECIFICATION FOR IPPC GUIDES AND TRAINING MATERIALS****I. General information**

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2. Standard information

Title	Guidance material for ISPM 26 (Establishment of pest free areas for fruit flies (Tephritidae))
Type of implementation resource	New implementation resource
New implementation resource	Guide
Convention articles, ISPMs and CPM recommendations to be addressed by the proposed implementation resource	Based on: ISPM 26 Establishment of pest free areas for fruit flies (Tephritidae) Related to: ISPM 4 Requirements for the establishment of pest free areas ISPM 8 Determination of pest status in an area ISPM 11 Pest risk analysis for quarantine pests ISPM 2 Framework for pest risk analysis
Scope	ISPM 26 provides guidance for the establishment and maintenance of pest free areas for fruit flies (Tephritidae). The implementation material will replace, and update material, removed from ISPM 26 during the current review (2021-010) of the standard to provide a resource to assist NPPOs in the implementation of pest free areas for fruit fly. Specifically, this guidance material will address the following sections removed from ISPM 26: -Annex 3 Phytosanitary procedures for fruit fly management -Appendix 1 Fruit fly trapping -Appendix 2 Fruit sampling
Purpose	This guidance material is relevant for countries to understand and implement ISPM 26. The material supports implementation of ISPM 26 and may also be used by countries for trade and market access purposes, for example when reviewing the protocol for the maintenance of a fruit fly PFA of a trading partner. The guidance material will outline fruit fly trapping systems, fruit fly host sampling procedures and fruit fly control

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	measures used in the maintenance of a PFA for Tephritidae fruit fly.
Content for the IPPC Guide or training material	<p>The Guidance material should address, expand and update, where relevant, material removed from ISPM 26 during the current review (2021-010) of the standard. Content to be repurposed within a guide from ISPM 26 include; Annex 3 (Phytosanitary procedures for fruit fly management), Appendix 1 (Fruit fly trapping) and Appendix 2 (fruit sampling), as well as additional information to support the implementation of ISPM 26. Content of implementation material should be updated to align with the updated text of ISPM 26. Information that is considered irrelevant or that may be misinterpreted should be removed or updated. The text of the guidance material should be updated to be non-prescriptive. Specific changes to Appendix 1 for inclusion include:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • removal or updating of Table 3: List of attractants and field longevity. The information in this table is affected by other factors such as temperature and humidity which can affect lure longevity such as evaporating faster depending on the location. • Removal or updating Trap density Tables 4 a-f. The information is not portrayed on real examples that are modelled based on risk. A note that a surveillance effort should be proportionate to the risk with considerations of other risk mitigation measures should be considered. The use of case studies for different scenarios may also be useful. <p>Additional content that may be included:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Details on new technologies, such as trapping methodologies. • A framework on how to approach surveillance. Differentiate surveillance required for areas that are at higher risk of incursion and other areas where trapping is not required.
References and supporting materials (optional)	ISPM 26 and EWG updated standard including actions for material to be repurposed as implementation material.
Selection criteria for working group experts (optional)	Seven to nine experts with an intimate knowledge of the management of pest free areas, ISPM 26 and/or fruit fly. A member of the Implementation and Capacity Development Committee (IC) should be invited to attend. This may be as either an invited expert or an IC representative.