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- 2015/173 - New data on quarantine pests and pests of the EPP0 Alert List

Dominican Republic

- 2015/050 - First report of *Ceratitidis capitata* in the Dominican Republic

Dothistroma pini

- 2015/035 - New data on quarantine pests and pests of the EPP0 Alert List
- 2015/054 - *Dothistroma pini* and *D. septosporum* occur in Switzerland

Dothistroma septorum

- 2015/054 - *Dothistroma pini* and *D. septosporum* occur in Switzerland

Drosophila suzukii

- 2015/005 - First report of *Drosophila suzukii* in Brazil
- 2015/006 - First report of *Drosophila suzukii* in Bulgaria
- 2015/007 - First report of *Drosophila suzukii* in Crete (Greece)
- 2015/008 - First report of *Drosophila suzukii* in Poland
- 2015/101 - New data on quarantine pests and pests of the EPP0 Alert List
- 2015/119 - New data on quarantine pests and pests of the EPP0 Alert List
- 2015/137 - New data on quarantine pests and pests of the EPP0 Alert List
- 2015/207 - First report of *Drosophila suzukii* in Ireland

Dryocosmus kuriphilus

- 2015/108 - First report of *Dryocosmus kuriphilus* in the United Kingdom
- 2015/128 - *Dryocosmus kuriphilus* found again in the Netherlands
- 2015/173 - New data on quarantine pests and pests of the EPP0 Alert List

Echinothrips americanus

- 2015/072 - Situation of several thrips species in Guadeloupe and Martinique

Egypt

- 2015/130 - First report of *Clavibacter michiganensis* subsp. *sepedonicus* in Egypt
- 2015/162 - *Clavibacter michiganensis* subsp. *sepedonicus* does not occur in Egypt

Ehrharta calycina

2015/179 - EU study on horizon scanning for invasive alien species

Eichhornia crassipes

2015/081 - Plant invaders in European and Mediterranean inland waters
 2015/121 - Status of invasive alien plants in Turkey
 2015/216 - The suitability of *Neochetina bruchi* and *Neochetina eichhorniae* as biocontrol agents for *Eichhornia crassipes* in Ethiopia

Elodea canadensis

2015/088 - Distribution and morphological variation of invasive *Elodea nuttallii* and *E. canadensis* in Croatia

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2015/088 - Distribution and morphological variation of invasive *Elodea nuttallii* and *E. canadensis* in Croatia
 2015/142 - Ecological impacts of the aquatic invasive *Elodea nuttallii* in Northern Ireland
 2015/158 - Invasive plant species in Sweden

Epidemiology

2015/035 - New data on quarantine pests and pests of the EPP0 Alert List
 2015/079 - New data on quarantine pests and pests of the EPP0 Alert List
 2015/097 - Studies on potential vectors of ‘*Candidatus Phytoplasma phoenicium*’ in Lebanon
 2015/101 - New data on quarantine pests and pests of the EPP0 Alert List

Epilobium adenocaulon

2015/158 - Invasive plant species in Sweden

Epilobium ciliatum

2015/158 - Invasive plant species in Sweden

Epitrix similaris

2015/203 - *Epitrix papa*: a newly described species previously misidentified as *E. similaris* in the EPP0 region

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EPP0

2015/013 - Appointment of a new EPP0 Scientific Officer on invasive alien plants
 2015/014 - EPP0 Standards on efficacy evaluation of plant protection products: update of the web-based database
 2015/015 - EPP0 study on pest risks associated with the import of tomato fruit
 2015/021 - PQR - the EPP0 database on quarantine pests: new update
 2015/065 - Recruitment of the Co-ordinator for the EU Minor Uses Co-ordination Facility
 2015/156 - Online questionnaire on the EPP0 Reporting Service
 2015/175 - PQR - the EPP0 database on quarantine pests: new update
 2015/214 - The EU Minor Uses Coordination Facility has started
 2015/221 - Index of the EPP0 Reporting Service

EPP0 A1/A2 Lists

2015/174 - New additions to the EPP0 A1 and A2 Lists

Eradication

2015/003 - First report of *Diaporthe vaccinii* in Poland and its subsequent eradication
 2015/028 - Eradication of *Ralstonia solanacearum* from Austria
 2015/035 - New data on quarantine pests and pests of the EPP0 Alert List
 2015/115 - Incursions of ‘*Candidatus Liberibacter asiaticus*’ in Argentina
 2015/135 - *Diaporthe vaccinii* is absent from the Netherlands
 2015/150 - Incursion of *Platynota rostrana* in the Netherlands
 2015/173 - New data on quarantine pests and pests of the EPP0 Alert List
 2015/186 - *Anoplophora chinensis* eradicated from Denmark

Erigeron annuus

2015/139 - Invasive alien plants in Transylvania (RO)

Erwinia amylovora

2015/089 - First report of *Erwinia amylovora* in the Republic of Korea

Erythrina lysistemon

2015/160 - Alien flora of Rhodes island (Greece)

Ethiopia

2015/216 - The suitability of *Neochetina bruchi* and *Neochetina eichhorniae* as biocontrol agents for *Eichhornia crassipes* in Ethiopia

EU

2015/036 - New EU regulation on invasive alien species comes into force
 2015/065 - Recruitment of the Co-ordinator for the EU Minor Uses Co-ordination Facility
 2015/145 - Publication of the EU measures against *Xylella fastidiosa*
 2015/179 - EU study on horizon scanning for invasive alien species
 2015/214 - The EU Minor Uses Coordination Facility has started

Euonymus fortunei

2015/179 - EU study on horizon scanning for invasive alien species

Euonymus japonicus

2015/179 - EU study on horizon scanning for invasive alien species

Euphorbia davidii

2015/062 - *Euphorbia davidii* exhibiting invasive characteristics in Serbia

Eutypella parasitica

2015/210 - First report of *Eutypella parasitica* in the Czech Republic

Fallopia japonica

2015/139 - Invasive alien plants in Transylvania (RO)
 2015/196 - How environmental managers perceive invasive species issues

Fallopia sachalinensis

2015/196 - How environmental managers perceive invasive species issues

Fallopia x bohémica

2015/196 - How environmental managers perceive invasive species issues

Ficus microcarpa

2015/160 - Alien flora of Rhodes island (Greece)

Finland

2015/016 - Finnish study on 'Pathways for introduction of invasive pests to Finland and the value of production at risk in the different sectors of plant production in Finland'
 2015/113 - First report of *Groundnut ringspot virus* in Finland
 2015/136 - First report of *Plum pox virus* in Finland
 2015/184 - First report of *Anoplophora glabripennis* in Finland

France

2015/035 - New data on quarantine pests and pests of the EPP0 Alert List
 2015/055 - First report of Grapevine pinot gris virus in France
 2015/057 - New data on quarantine pests and pests of the EPP0 Alert List
 2015/098 - *Orientus ishidae*: a potential phytoplasma vector spreading in the EPP0 region
 2015/144 - First report of *Xylella fastidiosa* in France
 2015/161 - Update on the situation of *Xylella fastidiosa* in Corsica (FR)
 2015/180 - *Xylella fastidiosa* detected in Alpes-Maritimes, mainland France
 2015/196 - How environmental managers perceive invasive species issues
 2015/215 - Economic analysis of invasive alien species costs to the French economy

Frankliniella occidentalis

2015/057 - New data on quarantine pests and pests of the EPP0 Alert List
 2015/072 - Situation of several thrips species in Guadeloupe and Martinique
 2015/079 - New data on quarantine pests and pests of the EPP0 Alert List
 2015/119 - New data on quarantine pests and pests of the EPP0 Alert List
 2015/173 - New data on quarantine pests and pests of the EPP0 Alert List

Freesia leichtlinii* subsp. *alba

2015/160 - Alien flora of Rhodes island (Greece)

French Polynesia

2015/137 - New data on quarantine pests and pests of the EPPO Alert List

Galenia pubescens

2015/106 - *Galenia pubescens* in the EPPO region: addition to the EPPO Alert List

Gamochaeta pensylvanica

2015/060 - First reports of *Gamochaeta pensylvanica* and *Verbesina encelioides* in the United Arab Emirates

Genetics

2015/099 - New data on *Agrilus auroguttatus*

Georgia

2015/058 - Present and future threats by invasive alien plants in Georgia

Geosmithia morbida

2015/174 - New additions to the EPPO A1 and A2 Lists

Germany

2015/032 - *Phytophthora ramorum* found in Bayern, Germany

2015/076 - First report of *Sirococcus tsugae* in Germany: addition to the EPPO Alert List

2015/098 - *Orientus ishidae*: a potential phytoplasma vector spreading in the EPPO region

2015/165 - First report of '*Candidatus Liberibacter solanacearum*' on carrots in Germany

Globodera ellingtonae

2015/100 - *Globodera ellingtonae*: a new potato cyst nematode

Globodera rostochiensis

2015/129 - First report of *Globodera rostochiensis* in Kenya

Glycaspis brimblecombei

2015/079 - New data on quarantine pests and pests of the EPPO Alert List

2015/137 - New data on quarantine pests and pests of the EPPO Alert List

Glyceria grandis

2015/158 - Invasive plant species in Sweden

Glyceria striata

2015/158 - Invasive plant species in Sweden

Grapevine fanleaf virus

2015/137 - New data on quarantine pests and pests of the EPPO Alert List

Grapevine Pinot gris virus

2015/055 - First report of Grapevine pinot gris virus in France

2015/095 - Situation of Grapevine Pinot gris virus in Italy

2015/096 - First report of Grapevine Pinot gris in Greece

2015/211 - First report of Grapevine Pinot gris virus in the USA

2015/212 - First report of Grapevine Pinot gris virus in Turkey

Grapevine red blotch-associated virus

2015/093 - Grapevine red blotch-associated virus: addition to the EPPO Alert List

Grapevine vein clearing virus

2015/094 - *Grapevine vein clearing virus*: a new virus of grapevine

Greece

2015/007 - First report of *Drosophila suzukii* in Crete (Greece)

2015/057 - New data on quarantine pests and pests of the EPPO Alert List

2015/079 - New data on quarantine pests and pests of the EPPO Alert List

2015/090 - First report of *Pseudomonas syringae* pv. *actinidiae* in Greece

2015/092 - Situation of *Ceratocystis platani* in Greece

- 2015/096 - First report of Grapevine Pinot gris in Greece
- 2015/160 - Alien flora of Rhodes island (Greece)
- 2015/173 - New data on quarantine pests and pests of the EPPO Alert List

Groundnut ringspot virus

- 2015/113 - First report of *Groundnut ringspot virus* in Finland

Growth stage keys

- 2015/102 - New BBCH growth stage keys

Guadeloupe

- 2015/072 - Situation of several thrips species in Guadeloupe and Martinique

Guyana

- 2015/137 - New data on quarantine pests and pests of the EPPO Alert List

Gymnocroronis spilanthoides

- 2015/179 - EU study on horizon scanning for invasive alien species

Habitats

- 2015/081 - Plant invaders in European and Mediterranean inland waters

Helicoverpa armigera

- 2015/035 - New data on quarantine pests and pests of the EPPO Alert List
- 2015/101 - New data on quarantine pests and pests of the EPPO Alert List
- 2015/126 - First report of *Helicoverpa armigera* in the USA

Hercinothrips dimidiatus

- 2015/025 - First report of *Hercinothrips dimidiatus* in Portugal

Heterobasidion irregulare

- 2015/149 - *Heterobasidion irregulare* detected for the first time in Minnesota (US)
- 2015/174 - New additions to the EPPO A1 and A2 Lists

Hibiscus rosa-sinensis

- 2015/160 - Alien flora of Rhodes island (Greece)

Hop stunt viroid

- 2015/111 - Surveys on *Hop stunt viroid* on hops in Slovenia and detection of an unexpected pathogen: *Citrus bark cracking viroid*

Hungary

- 2015/002 - *Clavibacter michiganensis* subsp. *sepedonicus* found in Hungary
- 2015/035 - New data on quarantine pests and pests of the EPPO Alert List
- 2015/098 - *Orientus ishidae*: a potential phytoplasma vector spreading in the EPPO region

Hydrilla verticillata

- 2015/059 - Suitability of the leaf-mining fly, *Hydrellia* sp., for the biocontrol of *Hydrilla verticillata* in South Africa

Hymenoscyphus fraxineus

- 2015/079 - New data on quarantine pests and pests of the EPPO Alert List
- 2015/137 - New data on quarantine pests and pests of the EPPO Alert List
- 2015/191 - *Hymenoscyphus fraxineus* found for the first time in Emilia-Romagna region (IT)

Impacts

- 2015/105 - Negative impacts of *Solidago canadensis* on native plant and pollinator communities
- 2015/140 - Yield losses in maize due to parthenium weed
- 2015/142 - Ecological impacts of the aquatic invasive *Elodea nuttallii* in Northern Ireland
- 2015/217 - Nectar of the invasive *Rhododendron ponticum* can have negative impacts on native bee health

Impatiens edgeworthii

- 2015/103 - *Impatiens edgeworthii* in the EPPO region: addition to the EPPO Alert List

Impatiens glandulifera

- 2015/082 - First release of a fungal classical biological control agent against an invasive alien weed in Europe
- 2015/158 - Invasive plant species in Sweden

Incursions

- 2015/115 - Incursions of '*Candidatus Liberibacter asiaticus*' in Argentina
- 2015/150 - Incursion of *Platynota rostrana* in the Netherlands
- 2015/181 - *Xylella fastidiosa* detected in *Coffea* spp. plants imported into Switzerland

India

- 2015/024 - First report of *Tuta absoluta* in India
- 2015/053 - Surveys on '*Candidatus Liberibacter asiaticus*' in India
- 2015/219 - Hotspots for invasive alien plants in India

Interceptions

- 2015/012 - EPPO report on notifications of non-compliance
- 2015/080 - EPPO report on notifications of non-compliance
- 2015/138 - EPPO report on notifications of non-compliance
- 2015/195 - EPPO report on notifications of non-compliance

Invasive alien plants

- 2015/013 - Appointment of a new EPPO Scientific Officer on invasive alien plants
- 2015/036 - New EU regulation on invasive alien species comes into force
- 2015/037 - Current situation of *Solanum elaeagnifolium* invasion in Jordan, Iraq, Lebanon and Syria
- 2015/038 - GB non-native species secretariat launches free online training in biosecurity
- 2015/039 - C-S-R strategies of invasive plants in Croatia
- 2015/040 - COST Action FA1203 Sustainable management of *Ambrosia artemisiifolia* in Europe (SMARTER)
- 2015/041 - National Invasive Species Awareness Week (USA) provides webinar presentations on invasive species topics
- 2015/042 - Are native-range habitats of invasive plants similar to invaded-range habitats?
- 2015/043 - 17th European Weed Research Society (EWRS) Symposium (Montpellier, FR, 2015-06-23/26)
- 2015/044 - 13th International EMAPi Conference (Hawai'i Island, USA, 2015-09-20/24)
- 2015/058 - Present and future threats by invasive alien plants in Georgia
- 2015/059 - Suitability of the leaf-mining fly, *Hydrellia* sp., for the biocontrol of *Hydrilla verticillata* in South Africa
- 2015/060 - First reports of *Gamochaeta pennsylvanica* and *Verbesina encelioides* in the United Arab Emirates
- 2015/061 - First reports of *Parthenium hysterophorus* and *Bidens pilosa* in the United Arab Emirates
- 2015/062 - *Euphorbia davidii* exhibiting invasive characteristics in Serbia
- 2015/063 - Interactions between soil and exotic plant species
- 2015/064 - Free download of the book 'Invasive alien plants and their management in Africa'
- 2015/081 - Plant invaders in European and Mediterranean inland waters
- 2015/082 - First release of a fungal classical biological control agent against an invasive alien weed in Europe
- 2015/083 - Distance-dependent effects of the invasive *Lupinus polyphyllus* on native plants
- 2015/084 - The performance of native and invasive *Myriophyllum* species under different abiotic conditions
- 2015/085 - Status and management of *Parthenium hysterophorus* in Nepal
- 2015/086 - Direct and indirect effects of the alien tree *Ailanthus altissima*
- 2015/087 - A catalogue of biological control agents against weeds
- 2015/088 - Distribution and morphological variation of invasive *Elodea nuttallii* and *E. canadensis* in Croatia
- 2015/103 - *Impatiens edgeworthii* in the EPPO region: addition to the EPPO Alert List
- 2015/104 - Invasive potential of *Miscanthus sacchariflorus* and *Miscanthus sinensis*
- 2015/105 - Negative impacts of *Solidago canadensis* on native plant and pollinator communities
- 2015/106 - *Galenia pubescens* in the EPPO region: addition to the EPPO Alert List
- 2015/107 - Waterbirds as pathways for the movement of aquatic alien invasive species
- 2015/120 - *Cenchrus longispinus* in the EPPO region: addition to the EPPO Alert List
- 2015/121 - Status of invasive alien plants in Turkey
- 2015/122 - *Landoltia punctata*: a new documented species
- 2015/123 - *Pontederia cordata*: a new documented species
- 2015/124 - International ragweed day (2015-06-27)
- 2015/125 - 14th International Symposium on Aquatic Plants (Edinburgh, GB, 2015-09-14/18)
- 2015/139 - Invasive alien plants in Transylvania (RO)
- 2015/140 - Yield losses in maize due to parthenium weed
- 2015/141 - Smartphone apps for recording invasive alien species in Europe
- 2015/142 - Ecological impacts of the aquatic invasive *Elodea nuttallii* in Northern Ireland
- 2015/143 - 7th International Weed Science Congress (Prague, CZ, 2016-06-19/25)
- 2015/157 - *Azolla filiculoides* invasion in the Doñana marshland (Spain)

- 2015/158 - Invasive plant species in Sweden
- 2015/159 - Evidence for recent evolution in *Microstegium vimineum* in North America
- I2015/160 - Alien flora of Rhodes island (Greece)
- 2015/176 - *Microstegium vimineum* recommended for regulation in the EPPO region
- 2015/177 - *Alternanthera philoxeroides* recommended for regulation in the EPPO region
- 2015/178 - *Myriophyllum heterophyllum* recommended for regulation in the EPPO region
- 2015/179 - EU study on horizon scanning for invasive alien species
- 2015/196 - How environmental managers perceive invasive species issues
- 2015/197 - Plant invasions and the microbial community
- 2015/198 - Internet trade in invasive plants
- 2015/199 - Two alien species of *Bidens* (Asteraceae) new to the flora of Serbia
- 2015/200 - *Agastache rugosa* (Lamiaceae), a new casual alien in the flora of Poland
- 2015/201 - 9th Neobiota Conference on Biological Invasions (Vianden, LU, 2016-09-14/17)
- 2015/215 - Economic analysis of invasive alien species costs to the French economy
- 2015/216 - The suitability of *Neochetina bruchi* and *Neochetina eichhorniae* as biocontrol agents for *Eichhornia crassipes* in Ethiopia
- 2015/217 - Nectar of the invasive *Rhododendron ponticum* can have negative impacts on native bee health
- 2015/218 - Defra report: assessing the achievements of local action groups in tackling invasive non-native species
- 2015/219 - Hotspots for invasive alien plants in India
- 2015/220 - Freshwater Invasives – Networking for Strategy (FINS-II) conference (Zagreb, HR, 2016-07-11/14)

IPPC

- 2015/017 - IPPC photo contest: Pests without borders!
- I2015/020 - A new IPPC Secretary has been named

Iran

- 2015/079 - New data on quarantine pests and pests of the EPPO Alert List
- 2015/119 - New data on quarantine pests and pests of the EPPO Alert List

Iraq

- 2015/037 - Current situation of *Solanum elaeagnifolium* invasion in Jordan, Iraq, Lebanon and Syria
- 2015/206 - *Rhynchophorus ferrugineus* found in Basra governorate, Iraq

Ireland

- 2015/151 - First report of the eucalyptus leaf beetle *Paropsisterna selmani* in the United Kingdom and in Ireland
- 2015/207 - First report of *Drosophila suzukii* in Ireland

Iris versicolor

- 2015/158 - Invasive plant species in Sweden

Israel

- 2015/137 - New data on quarantine pests and pests of the EPPO Alert List

Italy

- 2015/004 - *Pityophthorus juglandis* detected in Lombardia region, Italy
- 2015/035 - New data on quarantine pests and pests of the EPPO Alert List
- 2015/051 - First reports of *Corythauma ayyari* in Sicilia (IT), Spain, Tunisia and the United Arab Emirates
- 2015/057 - New data on quarantine pests and pests of the EPPO Alert List
- 2015/073 - Situation of *Lissorhoptrus oryzophilus* in Italy
- 2015/079 - New data on quarantine pests and pests of the EPPO Alert List
- 2015/095 - Situation of Grapevine Pinot gris virus in Italy
- 2015/098 - *Orientus ishidae*: a potential phytoplasma vector spreading in the EPPO region
- 2015/101 - New data on quarantine pests and pests of the EPPO Alert List
- 2015/171 - *Aponychus corpuzae* found in Slovenia and Italy: first records in the EPPO region
- 2015/172 - *Ricania speculum* found in Italy: first record in the EPPO region
- 2015/191 - *Hymenoscyphus fraxineus* found for the first time in Emilia-Romagna region (IT)
- 2015/194 - *Tomato ringspot virus* detected in *Punica granatum* in Italy

Jacaranda mimosifolia

- 2015/160 - Alien flora of Rhodes island (Greece)

Jordan

- 2015/037 - Current situation of *Solanum elaeagnifolium* invasion in Jordan, Iraq, Lebanon and Syria

Justicia adhatoda

2015/160 - Alien flora of Rhodes island (Greece)

Kabatiella microsticta

2015/078 - First report of *Kabatiella microsticta* on hemerocallis in Norway

Kenya

2015/129 - First report of *Globodera rostochiensis* in Kenya

Korea, Republic of

2015/079 - New data on quarantine pests and pests of the EPP0 Alert List

2015/089 - First report of *Erwinia amylovora* in the Republic of Korea

Lamiastrum galeobdolon

2015/158 - Invasive plant species in Sweden

Landoltia punctata

2015/122 - *Landoltia punctata*: a new documented species

Lantana camara

2015/160 - Alien flora of Rhodes island (Greece)

Latvia

2015/116 - Results of the 2014 surveys on *Ralstonia solanacearum* and *Clavibacter michiganensis* subsp. *sepedonicus* in Latvia

Lebanon

2015/037 - Current situation of *Solanum elaeagnifolium* invasion in Jordan, Iraq, Lebanon and Syria

2015/097 - Studies on potential vectors of 'Candidatus Phytoplasma phoenicium' in Lebanon

Lecanosticta acicola

2015/192 - Outbreak of *Lecanosticta acicola* in Tyrol, Austria

Lespedeza juncea

2015/179 - EU study on horizon scanning for invasive alien species

Leucinodes africensis

2015/153 - Taxonomic studies suggest that *Leucinodes orbonalis* does not occur in Africa and that other new *Leucinodes* species are present

2015/174 - New additions to the EPP0 A1 and A2 Lists

Leucinodes ethiopica

2015/153 - Taxonomic studies suggest that *Leucinodes orbonalis* does not occur in Africa and that other new *Leucinodes* species are present

Leucinodes kenyensis

2015/153 - Taxonomic studies suggest that *Leucinodes orbonalis* does not occur in Africa and that other new *Leucinodes* species are present

Leucinodes laisalis

2015/153 - Taxonomic studies suggest that *Leucinodes orbonalis* does not occur in Africa and that other new *Leucinodes* species are present

Leucinodes malawiensis

2015/153 - Taxonomic studies suggest that *Leucinodes orbonalis* does not occur in Africa and that other new *Leucinodes* species are present

Leucinodes orbonalis

2015/153 - Taxonomic studies suggest that *Leucinodes orbonalis* does not occur in Africa and that other new *Leucinodes* species are present

Leucinodes pseudorbonalis

2015/153 - Taxonomic studies suggest that *Leucinodes orbonalis* does not occur in Africa and that other new *Leucinodes* species are present

2015/174 - New additions to the EPPO A1 and A2 Lists

Leucinodes rimavallis

2015/153 - Taxonomic studies suggest that *Leucinodes orbonalis* does not occur in Africa and that other new *Leucinodes* species are present

2015/174 - New additions to the EPPO A1 and A2 Lists

Leucinodes ugandensis

2015/153 - Taxonomic studies suggest that *Leucinodes orbonalis* does not occur in Africa and that other new *Leucinodes* species are present

Liberibacter crescens

2015/052 - *Liberibacter crescens*: the first cultured member of the genus *Liberibacter*

Ligustrum sinense

2015/179 - EU study on horizon scanning for invasive alien species

Lissorhoptus oryzophilus

2015/073 - Situation of *Lissorhoptus oryzophilus* in Italy

Lithuania

2015/117 - Results of the 2014 survey on *Ralstonia solanacearum* and *Clavibacter michiganensis* subsp. *sepedonicus* in Lithuania

Little cherry virus-1

2015/173 - New data on quarantine pests and pests of the EPPO Alert List

Lonicera maackii

2015/179 - EU study on horizon scanning for invasive alien species

Lonicera morrowii

2015/179 - EU study on horizon scanning for invasive alien species

Lonsdalea quercina subsp. *populi*

2015/057 - New data on quarantine pests and pests of the EPPO Alert List

Ludwigia grandiflora

2015/121 - Status of invasive alien plants in Turkey

Lupinus polyphyllus

2015/083 - Distance-dependent effects of the invasive *Lupinus polyphyllus* on native plants

Lycorma delicatula

2015/023 - First report of *Lycorma delicatula* in the USA: addition to the EPPO Alert List

Lygodium japonicum

2015/179 - EU study on horizon scanning for invasive alien species

Lysichiton americanus

2015/158 - Invasive plant species in Sweden

Maconellicoccus hirsutus

2015/035 - New data on quarantine pests and pests of the EPPO Alert List

2015/070 - First reports of *Maconellicoccus hirsutus* and *Phenacoccus peruvianus* in Tunisia

2015/101 - New data on quarantine pests and pests of the EPPO Alert List

Maize chlorotic mottle virus

2015/079 - New data on quarantine pests and pests of the EPPO Alert List

Maize lethal necrosis disease

2015/147 - Maize lethal necrosis: an emerging disease in Africa

Malacosoma americanum

2015/069 - Unconfirmed report of *Malacosoma americanum* in Turkey

Management

- 2015/085 - Status and management of *Parthenium hysterophorus* in Nepal
- 2015/196 - How environmental managers perceive invasive species issues
- 2015/215 - Economic analysis of invasive alien species costs to the French economy
- 2015/218 - Defra report: assessing the achievements of local action groups in tackling invasive non-native species

Marchalina hellenica

- 2015/101 - New data on quarantine pests and pests of the EPPO Alert List

Martinique

- 2015/072 - Situation of several thrips species in Guadeloupe and Martinique

Massicus raddei

- 2015/046 - *Massicus raddei* (Coleoptera: Cerambycidae - oak longhorn beetle): addition to the EPPO Alert List

Melampsora ferrinii

- 2015/079 - New data on quarantine pests and pests of the EPPO Alert List

Melampsora medusa

- 2015/035 - New data on quarantine pests and pests of the EPPO Alert List

Meloidogyne naasi

- 2015/168 - First report of *Meloidogyne naasi* in the Czech Republic

Meloidogyne enterolobii

- 2015/035 - New data on quarantine pests and pests of the EPPO Alert List
- 2015/057 - New data on quarantine pests and pests of the EPPO Alert List
- 2015/119 - New data on quarantine pests and pests of the EPPO Alert List
- 2015/173 - New data on quarantine pests and pests of the EPPO Alert List

Meloidogyne fallax

- 2015/035 - New data on quarantine pests and pests of the EPPO Alert List
- 2015/190 - *Meloidogyne fallax* detected in sports turf in the United Kingdom

Mexico

- 2015/035 - New data on quarantine pests and pests of the EPPO Alert List

Microcephalothrips abdominalis

- 2015/072 - Situation of several thrips species in Guadeloupe and Martinique

Microstegium vimineum

- 2015/159 - Evidence for recent evolution in *Microstegium vimineum* in North America
- 2015/174 - New additions to the EPPO A1 and A2 Lists
- 2015/176 - *Microstegium vimineum* recommended for regulation in the EPPO region
- 2015/179 - EU study on horizon scanning for invasive alien species
- 2015/197 - Plant invasions and the microbial community

Minor uses

- 2015/065 - Recruitment of the Co-ordinator for the EU Minor Uses Co-ordination Facility
- 2015/214 - The EU Minor Uses Coordination Facility has started

Miscanthus sacchariflorus

- 2015/104 - Invasive potential of *Miscanthus sacchariflorus* and *Miscanthus sinensis*

Miscanthus sinensis

- 2015/058 - Present and future threats by invasive alien plants in Georgia
- 2015/104 - Invasive potential of *Miscanthus sacchariflorus* and *Miscanthus sinensis*
- 2015/121 - Status of invasive alien plants in Turkey

Modelling

- 2015/058 - Present and future threats by invasive alien plants in Georgia
- 2015/139 - Invasive alien plants in Transylvania (RO)

Monilina polystroma

2015/035 - New data on quarantine pests and pests of the EPPO Alert List

Montenegro

2015/048 - First report of *Aleurocanthus spiniferus* in Montenegro

Myoporum tenuifolium

2015/160 - Alien flora of Rhodes island (Greece)

Myriophyllum heterophyllum

2015/084 - The performance of native and invasive *Myriophyllum* species under different abiotic conditions

2015/174 - New additions to the EPPO A1 and A2 Lists

2015/178 - *Myriophyllum heterophyllum* recommended for regulation in the EPPO region

NAPPO

2015/045 - New NAPPO Executive Director

Narcissus papyraceus

2015/160 - Alien flora of Rhodes island (Greece)

Neochetina bruchi* and *N. eichhorniae

2015/216 - The suitability of *Neochetina bruchi* and *Neochetina eichhorniae* as biocontrol agents for *Eichhornia crassipes* in Ethiopia

Neophyllaphis podocarpi

2015/188 - First report of *Neophyllaphis podocarpi* in Spain

Nepal

2015/085 - Status and management of *Parthenium hysterophorus* in Nepal

Netherlands

2015/109 - Updated situation of *Thrips setosus* in the Netherlands

2015/128 - *Dryocosmus kuriphilus* found again in the Netherlands

2015/135 - *Diaporthe vaccinii* is absent from the Netherlands

2015/150 - Incursion of *Platynota rostrana* in the Netherlands

2015/164 - *Ralstonia solanacearum* (probably race 1) detected in ornamental *Anthurium* plants in the Netherlands

2015/182 - *Ralstonia solanacearum* (race 1) detected in *Rosa* in the Netherlands

New Caledonia

2015/146 - *Ralstonia solanacearum* race 3 biovar 2 detected in New Caledonia.

New host plants

2015/035 - New data on quarantine pests and pests of the EPPO Alert List

2015/079 - New data on quarantine pests and pests of the EPPO Alert List

2015/101 - New data on quarantine pests and pests of the EPPO Alert List

2015/111 - Surveys on *Hop stunt viroid* on hops in Slovenia and detection of an unexpected pathogen: *Citrus bark cracking viroid*

2015/119 - New data on quarantine pests and pests of the EPPO Alert List

2015/137 - New data on quarantine pests and pests of the EPPO Alert List

2015/173 - New data on quarantine pests and pests of the EPPO Alert List

2015/182 - *Ralstonia solanacearum* (race 1) detected in *Rosa* in the Netherlands

2015/194 - *Tomato ringspot virus* detected in *Punica granatum* in Italy

New pests

2015/056 - Characterization of a new virus infecting potatoes in China

2015/057 - New data on quarantine pests and pests of the EPPO Alert List

2015/079 - New data on quarantine pests and pests of the EPPO Alert List

2015/094 - *Grapevine vein clearing virus*: a new virus of grapevine

2015/100 - *Globodera ellingtonae*: a new potato cyst nematode

2015/137 - New data on quarantine pests and pests of the EPPO Alert List

2015/147 - Maize lethal necrosis: an emerging disease in Africa

2015/151 - First report of the eucalyptus leaf beetle *Paropsisterna selmani* in the United Kingdom and in Ireland

2015/154 - *Dendroctonus mesoamericanus*: a new species of bark beetle

- 2015/170 - Agapanthus gall midge: a new and undescribed species found for the first time in the United Kingdom
 2015/173 - New data on quarantine pests and pests of the EPP0 Alert List

New records

- 2015/001 - First report of *Ralstonia solanacearum* on potatoes in Poland
 2015/003 - First report of *Diaporthe vaccinii* in Poland and its subsequent eradication
 2015/005 - First report of *Drosophila suzukii* in Brazil
 2015/006 - First report of *Drosophila suzukii* in Bulgaria
 2015/007 - First report of *Drosophila suzukii* in Crete (Greece)
 2015/008 - First report of *Drosophila suzukii* in Poland
 2015/009 - First report of *Cydalima perspectalis* in Bulgaria
 2015/010 - First report of *Pseudacysta perseae* in Madeira (PT): addition to the EPP0 Alert List
 2015/022 - First report of *Trioza erytreae* in mainland Spain
 2015/023 - First report of *Lycorma delicatula* in the USA: addition to the EPP0 Alert List
 2015/024 - First report of *Tuta absoluta* in India
 2015/025 - First report of *Hercinothrips dimidiatus* in Portugal
 2015/026 - First report of *Phenacoccus peruvianus* in Austria
 2015/027 - First report of *Acizzia jamatonica* in Austria
 2015/029 - First report of 'Candidatus Liberibacter solanacearum' in Austria
 2015/030 - First report of *Pseudomonas syringae* pv. *aesculi* in Austria
 2015/031 - First report of 'Candidatus Phytoplasma fragariae' in the United Kingdom
 2015/035 - New data on quarantine pests and pests of the EPP0 Alert List
 2015/047 - First report of *Aleurocanthus spiniferus* in Croatia
 2015/050 - First report of *Ceratitidis capitata* in the Dominican Republic
 2015/051 - First reports of *Corythauma ayyari* in Sicilia (IT), Spain, Tunisia and the United Arab Emirates
 2015/054 - *Dothistroma pini* and *D. septosporum* occur in Switzerland
 2015/055 - First report of Grapevine pinot gris virus in France
 2015/057 - New data on quarantine pests and pests of the EPP0 Alert List
 2015/060 - First reports of *Gamochaeta pennsylvanica* and *Verbessina encelioides* in the United Arab Emirates
 2015/061 - First reports of *Parthenium hysterophorus* and *Bidens pilosa* in the United Arab Emirates
 2015/067 - First report of *Anoplophora chinensis* in Turkey
 2015/070 - First reports of *Maconellicoccus hirsutus* and *Phenacoccus peruvianus* in Tunisia
 2015/072 - Situation of several thrips species in Guadeloupe and Martinique
 2015/075 - Situation of *Vespa velutina* in the Iberian Peninsula
 2015/076 - First report of *Sirococcus tsugae* in Germany: addition to the EPP0 Alert List
 2015/077 - First report of *Acidovorax citrulli* in Serbia
 2015/078 - First report of *Kabatiella microsticta* on hemerocallis in Norway
 2015/079 - New data on quarantine pests and pests of the EPP0 Alert List
 2015/089 - First report of *Erwinia amylovora* in the Republic of Korea
 2015/090 - First report of *Pseudomonas syringae* pv. *actinidiae* in Greece
 2015/101 - New data on quarantine pests and pests of the EPP0 Alert List
 2015/108 - First report of *Dryocosmus kuriphilus* in the United Kingdom
 2015/111 - Surveys on *Hop stunt viroid* on hops in Slovenia and detection of an unexpected pathogen: *Citrus bark cracking viroid*
 2015/113 - First report of *Groundnut ringspot virus* in Finland
 2015/119 - New data on quarantine pests and pests of the EPP0 Alert List
 2015/126 - First report of *Helicoverpa armigera* in the USA
 2015/129 - First report of *Globodera rostochiensis* in Kenya
 2015/130 - First report of *Clavibacter michiganensis* subsp. *sepedonicus* in Egypt
 2015/134 - First detection of 'Candidatus Phytoplasma solani' on strawberry in the United Kingdom
 2015/136 - First report of *Plum pox virus* in Finland
 2015/137 - New data on quarantine pests and pests of the EPP0 Alert List
 2015/144 - First report of *Xylella fastidiosa* in France
 2015/150 - Incursion of *Platynota rostrana* in the Netherlands
 2015/151 - First report of the eucalyptus leaf beetle *Paropsisterna selmani* in the United Kingdom and in Ireland
 2015/160 - Alien flora of Rhodes island (Greece)
 2015/163 - First report of *Pseudomonas syringae* pv. *tomato* in Slovenia
 2015/165 - First report of 'Candidatus Liberibacter solanacearum' on carrots in Germany
 2015/167 - First report of *Ceratocystis platani* in Albania
 2015/168 - First report of *Meloidogyne naasi* in the Czech Republic
 2015/171 - *Aponychus corpuzae* found in Slovenia and Italy: first records in the EPP0 region
 2015/172 - *Ricania speculum* found in Italy: first record in the EPP0 region
 2015/173 - New data on quarantine pests and pests of the EPP0 Alert List

- 2015/184 - First report of *Anoplophora glabripennis* in Finland
- 2015/188 - First report of *Neophyllaphis podocarp* in Spain
- 2015/189 - First report of *Sipha flava* in Spain
- 2015/193 - First report of *Sirococcus tsugae* in the United Kingdom
- 2015/202 - First report of *Tecia solanivora* in mainland Spain
- 2015/203 - *Epitrix papa*: a newly described species previously misidentified as *E. similis* in the EPPO region
- 2015/206 - *Rhynchophorus ferrugineus* found in Basra governorate, Iraq
- 2015/207 - First report of *Drosophila suzukii* in Ireland
- 2015/210 - First report of *Eutypella parasitica* in the Czech Republic
- 2015/211 - First report of Grapevine Pinot gris virus in the USA
- 2015/212 - First report of Grapevine Pinot gris virus in Turkey

New Zealand

- 2015/137 - New data on quarantine pests and pests of the EPPO Alert List

Norfolk Island

- 2015/079 - New data on quarantine pests and pests of the EPPO Alert List

Norway

- 2015/078 - First report of *Kabatiella microsticta* on hemerocallis in Norway
- 2015/091 - Survey of 'Candidatus Liberibacter solanacearum' in carrot crops in Norway

Nothoscordum gracile

- 2015/160 - Alien flora of Rhodes island (Greece)

Opuntia humifusa

- 2015/058 - Present and future threats by invasive alien plants in Georgia

Opuntia phaeacantha

- 2015/058 - Present and future threats by invasive alien plants in Georgia

Orientus ishidae

- 2015/098 - *Orientus ishidae*: a potential phytoplasma vector spreading in the EPPO region

Orthodontium lineare

- 2015/158 - Invasive plant species in Sweden

Oxalis pes-caprae

- 2015/121 - Status of invasive alien plants in Turkey

Pakistan

- 2015/140 - Yield losses in maize due to parthenium weed

Paropsisterna selmani

- 2015/151 - First report of the eucalyptus leaf beetle *Paropsisterna selmani* in the United Kingdom and in Ireland

Parthenium hysterophorus

- 2015/061 - First reports of *Parthenium hysterophorus* and *Bidens pilosa* in the United Arab Emirates
- 2015/085 - Status and management of *Parthenium hysterophorus* in Nepal
- 2015/140 - Yield losses in maize due to parthenium weed

Paspalum distichum

- 2015/121 - Status of invasive alien plants in Turkey

Pathways

- 2015/015 - EPPO study on pest risks associated with the import of tomato fruit
- 2015/016 - Finnish study on 'Pathways for introduction of invasive pests to Finland and the value of production at risk in the different sectors of plant production in Finland'
- 2015/107 - Waterbirds as pathways for the movement of aquatic alien invasive species

Phenacoccus madeirensis

- 2015/079 - New data on quarantine pests and pests of the EPPO Alert List

Phenacoccus peruvianus

- 2015/026 - First report of *Phenacoccus peruvianus* in Austria
 2015/070 - First reports of *Maconellicoccus hirsutus* and *Phenacoccus peruvianus* in Tunisia
 2015/079 - New data on quarantine pests and pests of the EPPO Alert List

Phymosia umbellata

- 2015/160 - Alien flora of Rhodes island (Greece)

Phytophthora acerina

- 2015/169 - New *Phytophthora* species

Phytophthora agathidicida

- 2015/169 - New *Phytophthora* species

Phytophthora arenaria

- 2015/169 - New *Phytophthora* species

Phytophthora asiatica

- 2015/169 - New *Phytophthora* species

Phytophthora bilorbang

- 2015/169 - New *Phytophthora* species

Phytophthora borealis

- 2015/169 - New *Phytophthora* species

Phytophthora chlamydospora

- 2015/169 - New *Phytophthora* species

Phytophthora chrysanthemi

- 2015/169 - New *Phytophthora* species

Phytophthora cichorii

- 2015/169 - New *Phytophthora* species

Phytophthora cocois

- 2015/169 - New *Phytophthora* species

Phytophthora constricta

- 2015/169 - New *Phytophthora* species

Phytophthora dauci

- 2015/169 - New *Phytophthora* species

Phytophthora gibbosa

- 2015/169 - New *Phytophthora* species

Phytophthora glovera

- 2015/169 - New *Phytophthora* species

Phytophthora gregata

- 2015/169 - New *Phytophthora* species

Phytophthora himalsilva

- 2015/169 - New *Phytophthora* species

Phytophthora hydropathica

- 2015/169 - New *Phytophthora* species

Phytophthora lactucae

- 2015/169 - New *Phytophthora* species

Phytophthora lacustris

- 2015/169 - New *Phytophthora* species

Phytophthora litoralis

2015/169 - New *Phytophthora* species

Phytophthora macilentosa

2015/169 - New *Phytophthora* species

Phytophthora obscura

2015/169 - New *Phytophthora* species

Phytophthora pachypleura

2015/169 - New *Phytophthora* species

Phytophthora pisi

2015/169 - New *Phytophthora* species

Phytophthora plurivora

2015/169 - New *Phytophthora* species

Phytophthora pluvialis

2015/169 - New *Phytophthora* species

Phytophthora ramorum

2015/032 - *Phytophthora ramorum* found in Bayern, Germany

Phytophthora riparia

2015/169 - New *Phytophthora* species

Phytophthora stricta

2015/169 - New *Phytophthora* species

Phytophthora thermophila

2015/169 - New *Phytophthora* species

Pittosporum tobira

2015/160 - Alien flora of Rhodes island (Greece)

Pityophthorus juglandis

2015/004 - *Pityophthorus juglandis* detected in Lombardia region, Italy

2015/174 - New additions to the EPPO A1 and A2 Lists

Plasmopara obducens

2015/173 - New data on quarantine pests and pests of the EPPO Alert List

Platynota rostrana

2015/150 - Incursion of *Platynota rostrana* in the Netherlands

Plum pox virus

2015/057 - New data on quarantine pests and pests of the EPPO Alert List

2015/119 - New data on quarantine pests and pests of the EPPO Alert List

2015/136 - First report of *Plum pox virus* in Finland

Poland

2015/001 - First report of *Ralstonia solanacearum* on potatoes in Poland

2015/003 - First report of *Diaporthe vaccinii* in Poland and its subsequent eradication

2015/008 - First report of *Drosophila suzukii* in Poland

2015/200 - *Agastache rugosa* (Lamiaceae), a new casual alien in the flora of Poland

Polygonum perfoliatum

2015/121 - Status of invasive alien plants in Turkey

Pontederia cordata

2015/123 - *Pontederia cordata*: a new documented species

Portugal

2015/010 - First report of *Pseudacysta perseae* in Madeira (PT): addition to the EPPO Alert List

- 2015/025 - First report of *Hercinothrips dimidiatus* in Portugal
- 2015/075 - Situation of *Vespa velutina* in the Iberian Peninsula
- 2015/203 - *Epitrix papa*: a newly described species previously misidentified as *E. similaris* in the EPP0 region
- 2015/204 - *Trioza erytreae* occurs in mainland Portugal

Pospiviroids

- 2015/057 - New data on quarantine pests and pests of the EPP0 Alert List

Potato spindle tuber viroid

- 2015/137 - New data on quarantine pests and pests of the EPP0 Alert List

Potato virus H

- 2015/056 - Characterization of a new virus infecting potatoes in China

PRA

- 2015/176 - *Microstegium vimineum* recommended for regulation in the EPP0 region
- 2015/177 - *Alternanthera philoxeroides* recommended for regulation in the EPP0 region
- 2015/178 - *Myriophyllum heterophyllum* recommended for regulation in the EPP0 region

Prodiplosis longifila

- 2015/209 - *Prodiplosis longifila* (Diptera: Cecidomyiidae): addition to the EPP0 Alert List

Prosopis juliflora

- 2015/179 - EU study on horizon scanning for invasive alien species

Prunus campanulata

- 2015/179 - EU study on horizon scanning for invasive alien species

Prunus pensylvanica

- 2015/158 - Invasive plant species in Sweden

Prunus serotina

- 2015/158 - Invasive plant species in Sweden

Prunus virginiana

- 2015/158 - Invasive plant species in Sweden

Prunus virus T

- 2015/079 - New data on quarantine pests and pests of the EPP0 Alert List

Pseudacysta perseae

- 2015/010 - First report of *Pseudacysta perseae* in Madeira (PT): addition to the EPP0 Alert List

Pseudomonas syringae pv. actinidiae

- 2015/090 - First report of *Pseudomonas syringae* pv. *actinidiae* in Greece
- 2015/101 - New data on quarantine pests and pests of the EPP0 Alert List
- 2015/132 - Update on the situation of *Pseudomonas syringae* pv. *actinidiae* in Switzerland

Pseudomonas syringae pv. aesculi

- 2015/030 - First report of *Pseudomonas syringae* pv. *aesculi* in Austria

Pseudomonas syringae pv. tomato

- 2015/163 - First report of *Pseudomonas syringae* pv. *tomato* in Slovenia

Publications

- 2015/015 - EPP0 study on pest risks associated with the import of tomato fruit
- 2015/016 - Finnish study on 'Pathways for introduction of invasive pests to Finland and the value of production at risk in the different sectors of plant production in Finland'
- 2015/064 - Free download of the book 'Invasive alien plants and their management in Africa'
- 2015/102 - New BBCH growth stage keys
- 2015/122 - *Landoltia punctata*: a new documented species
- 2015/123 - *Pontederia cordata*: a new documented species

Puccinia horiana

- 2015/119 - New data on quarantine pests and pests of the EPP0 Alert List

Puccinia komarovii* var. *glanduliferae

2015/082 - First release of a fungal classical biological control agent against an invasive alien weed in Europe

Puerto Rico

2015/035 - New data on quarantine pests and pests of the EPP0 Alert List
 2015/071 - *Ceratitis capitata* found in Puerto Rico
 2015/173 - New data on quarantine pests and pests of the EPP0 Alert List

Pyracantha coccinea

2015/160 - Alien flora of Rhodes island (Greece)

Quarantine list

2015/011 - New quarantine lists of Russia

Ralstonia solanacearum

2015/001 - First report of *Ralstonia solanacearum* on potatoes in Poland
 2015/028 - Eradication of *Ralstonia solanacearum* from Austria
 2015/116 - Results of the 2014 surveys on *Ralstonia solanacearum* and *Clavibacter michiganensis* subsp. *sepedonicus* in Latvia
 2015/117 - Results of the 2014 survey on *Ralstonia solanacearum* and *Clavibacter michiganensis* subsp. *sepedonicus* in Lithuania
 2015/131 - *Ralstonia solanacearum* detected in ware potatoes in Belgium
 2015/146 - *Ralstonia solanacearum* race 3 biovar 2 detected in New Caledonia.
 2015/164 - *Ralstonia solanacearum* (probably race 1) detected in ornamental *Anthurium* plants in the Netherlands
 2015/182 - *Ralstonia solanacearum* (race 1) detected in *Rosa* in the Netherlands
 2015/183 - Surveys on potato bacteria in Karelia and Arkangelsk, Northern Russia

Raoiella indica

2015/137 - New data on quarantine pests and pests of the EPP0 Alert List

Regulations

2015/036 - New EU regulation on invasive alien species comes into force
 2015/145 - Publication of the EU measures against *Xylella fastidiosa*

Rhamnus davurica

2015/197 - Plant invasions and the microbial community

Rhododendron ponticum

2015/121 - Status of invasive alien plants in Turkey
 2015/217 - Nectar of the invasive *Rhododendron ponticum* can have negative impacts on native bee health

Rhynchophorus ferrugineus

2015/057 - New data on quarantine pests and pests of the EPP0 Alert List
 2015/206 - *Rhynchophorus ferrugineus* found in Basra governorate, Iraq

Rhynchophorus palmarum

2015/137 - New data on quarantine pests and pests of the EPP0 Alert List

Ricania speculum

2015/172 - *Ricania speculum* found in Italy: first record in the EPP0 region

Robinia pseudacacia

2015/058 - Present and future threats by invasive alien plants in Georgia
 2015/139 - Invasive alien plants in Transylvania (RO)

Romania

2015/139 - Invasive alien plants in Transylvania (RO)

Rosa rugosa

2015/158 - Invasive plant species in Sweden

Rubus armeniacus

2015/158 - Invasive plant species in Sweden

Rubus montanus

2015/158 - Invasive plant species in Sweden

Rubus rosifolius

2015/179 - EU study on horizon scanning for invasive alien species

Rubus spectabilis

2015/158 - Invasive plant species in Sweden

Russia

2015/011 - New quarantine lists of Russia

2015/119 - New data on quarantine pests and pests of the EPPO Alert List

2015/173 - New data on quarantine pests and pests of the EPPO Alert List

2015/183 - Surveys on potato bacteria in Karelia and Arkangelsk, Northern Russia

Saudi Arabia

2015/057 - New data on quarantine pests and pests of the EPPO Alert List

2015/119 - New data on quarantine pests and pests of the EPPO Alert List

Scaphoideus titanus

2015/101 - New data on quarantine pests and pests of the EPPO Alert List

2015/152 - *Scaphoideus titanus* occurs in Slovakia

Scirtothrips dorsalis

2015/057 - New data on quarantine pests and pests of the EPPO Alert List

2015/072 - Situation of several thrips species in Guadeloupe and Martinique

Senecio angulatus

2015/160 - Alien flora of Rhodes island (Greece)

Senecio inaequidens

2015/158 - Invasive plant species in Sweden

Serbia

2015/062 - *Euphorbia davidii* exhibiting invasive characteristics in Serbia

2015/077 - First report of *Acidovorax citrulli* in Serbia

2015/199 - Two alien species of *Bidens* (Asteraceae) new to the flora of Serbia

Sicyos angulatus

2015/121 - Status of invasive alien plants in Turkey

Sipha flava

2015/189 - First report of *Sipha flava* in Spain

Sirococcus tsugae

2015/076 - First report of *Sirococcus tsugae* in Germany: addition to the EPPO Alert List

2015/193 - First report of *Sirococcus tsugae* in the United Kingdom

Slovakia

2015/101 - New data on quarantine pests and pests of the EPPO Alert List

2015/152 - *Scaphoideus titanus* occurs in Slovakia

2015/173 - New data on quarantine pests and pests of the EPPO Alert List

Slovenia

2015/098 - *Orientus ishidae*: a potential phytoplasma vector spreading in the EPPO region

2015/111 - Surveys on *Hop stunt viroid* on hops in Slovenia and detection of an unexpected pathogen: *Citrus bark cracking viroid*

2015/112 - *Citrus bark cracking viroid* is causing 'severe hop stunt disease' in Slovenia: addition to the EPPO Alert List

2015/163 - First report of *Pseudomonas syringae* pv. *tomato* in Slovenia

2015/171 - *Aponychus corpuzae* found in Slovenia and Italy: first records in the EPPO region

Solanum elaeagnifolium

- 2015/037 - Current situation of *Solanum elaeagnifolium* invasion in Jordan, Iraq, Lebanon and Syria
 2015/121 - Status of invasive alien plants in Turkey

Solidago canadensis

- 2015/105 - Negative impacts of *Solidago canadensis* on native plant and pollinator communities
 2015/139 - Invasive alien plants in Transylvania (RO)
 2015/158 - Invasive plant species in Sweden

Solidago gigantea

- 2015/158 - Invasive plant species in Sweden

Sorbus graeca

- 2015/158 - Invasive plant species in Sweden

South Africa

- 2015/059 - Suitability of the leaf-mining fly, *Hydrellia* sp., for the biocontrol of *Hydrilla verticillata* in South Africa

Spain

- 2015/022 - First report of *Trioza erytreae* in mainland Spain
 2015/051 - First reports of *Corythauma ayyari* in Sicilia (IT), Spain, Tunisia and the United Arab Emirates
 2015/075 - Situation of *Vespa velutina* in the Iberian Peninsula
 2015/086 - Direct and indirect effects of the alien tree *Ailanthus altissima*
 2015/157 - *Azolla filiculoides* invasion in the Doñana marshland (Spain)
 2015/173 - New data on quarantine pests and pests of the EPP0 Alert List
 2015/188 - First report of *Neophyllaphis podocarpis* in Spain
 2015/189 - First report of *Sipha flava* in Spain
 2015/202 - First report of *Tecia solanivora* in mainland Spain
 2015/203 - *Epitrix papa*: a newly described species previously misidentified as *E. similis* in the EPP0 region
 2015/205 - Updated situation of *Trioza erytreae* in Spain

Sphagneticola trilobata

- 2015/179 - EU study on horizon scanning for invasive alien species

Spiraea japonica

- 2015/058 - Present and future threats by invasive alien plants in Georgia

Spiraea latifolia

- 2015/158 - Invasive plant species in Sweden

Spiroplasma citri

- 2015/057 - New data on quarantine pests and pests of the EPP0 Alert List

Strawberry latent ringspot virus

- 2015/079 - New data on quarantine pests and pests of the EPP0 Alert List

Sudan

- 2015/057 - New data on quarantine pests and pests of the EPP0 Alert List

Sweden

- 2015/158 - Invasive plant species in Sweden

Switzerland

- 2015/054 - *Dothistroma pini* and *D. septosporum* occur in Switzerland
 2015/098 - *Orientus ishidae*: a potential phytoplasma vector spreading in the EPP0 region
 2015/132 - Update on the situation of *Pseudomonas syringae* pv. *actinidiae* in Switzerland
 2015/181 - *Xylella fastidiosa* detected in *Coffea* spp. plants imported into Switzerland
 2015/185 - *Anoplophora glabripennis* found in the canton of Aargau, Switzerland

Syria

- 2015/037 - Current situation of *Solanum elaeagnifolium* invasion in Jordan, Iraq, Lebanon and Syria

Taxonomy

- 2015/052 - *Liberibacter crescens*: the first cultured member of the genus *Liberibacter*
- 2015/079 - New data on quarantine pests and pests of the EPPO Alert List
- 2015/110 - *Apriona germari* and *Apriona rugicollis* are two distinct species
- 2015/118 - Phytoplasma classification
- 2015/148 - *Andean potato latent virus* (APLV) split into *Andean potato latent virus* (APLV) and Andean potato mild mosaic virus (APMMV)
- 2015/153 - Taxonomic studies suggest that *Leucinodes orbonalis* does not occur in Africa and that other new *Leucinodes* species are present
- 2015/154 - *Dendroctonus mesoamericanus*: a new species of bark beetle
- 2015/169 - New *Phytophthora* species

Tecia solanivora

- 2015/202 - First report of *Tecia solanivora* in mainland Spain

Thevetia peruviana

- 2015/160 - Alien flora of Rhodes island (Greece)

Thrips palmi

- 2015/057 - New data on quarantine pests and pests of the EPPO Alert List
- 2015/072 - Situation of several thrips species in Guadeloupe and Martinique
- 2015/173 - New data on quarantine pests and pests of the EPPO Alert List

Thrips setosus

- 2015/109 - Updated situation of *Thrips setosus* in the Netherlands

Tomato chlorosis virus

- 2015/035 - New data on quarantine pests and pests of the EPPO Alert List
- 2015/057 - New data on quarantine pests and pests of the EPPO Alert List

Tomato leaf curl New Delhi virus

- 2015/114 - *Tomato leaf curl New Delhi virus*: addition to the EPPO Alert List

Tomato mottle wrinkle virus

- 2015/137 - New data on quarantine pests and pests of the EPPO Alert List

Tomato ringspot virus

- 2015/194 - *Tomato ringspot virus* detected in *Punica granatum* in Italy

Tomato spotted wilt virus

- 2015/034 - *Tomato spotted wilt virus* found again in Austria

Tomato yellow leaf curl virus

- 2015/137 - New data on quarantine pests and pests of the EPPO Alert List

Toxoptera citricidus

- 2015/074 - *Toxoptera citricidus* does not occur in Chile

Training

- 2015/038 - GB non-native species secretariat launches free online training in biosecurity
- 2015/041 - National Invasive Species Awareness Week (USA) provides webinar presentations on invasive species topics

Triadica sebifera

- 2015/179 - EU study on horizon scanning for invasive alien species

Trifolium pratense var. *sativum*

- 2015/158 - Invasive plant species in Sweden

Trioza apicalis

- 2015/091 - Survey of '*Candidatus Liberibacter solanacearum*' in carrot crops in Norway

Trioza erythrae

- 2015/022 - First report of *Trioza erythrae* in mainland Spain
- 2015/204 - *Trioza erythrae* occurs in mainland Portugal

2015/205 - Updated situation of *Trioza erytreae* in Spain

Tropaeolum majus

2015/160 - Alien flora of Rhodes island (Greece)

Tunisia

2015/051 - First reports of *Corythauma ayyari* in Sicilia (IT), Spain, Tunisia and the United Arab Emirates
 2015/057 - New data on quarantine pests and pests of the EPP0 Alert List
 2015/070 - First reports of *Maconellicoccus hirsutus* and *Phenacoccus peruvianus* in Tunisia
 2015/137 - New data on quarantine pests and pests of the EPP0 Alert List

Turkey

2015/067 - First report of *Anoplophora chinensis* in Turkey
 2015/068 - Unconfirmed report of *Anoplophora glabripennis* in Turkey
 2015/069 - Unconfirmed report of *Malacosoma americanum* in Turkey
 2015/079 - New data on quarantine pests and pests of the EPP0 Alert List
 2015/101 - New data on quarantine pests and pests of the EPP0 Alert List
 2015/121 - Status of invasive alien plants in Turkey
 2015/212 - First report of Grapevine Pinot gris virus in Turkey

Tuta absoluta

2015/024 - First report of *Tuta absoluta* in India
 2015/035 - New data on quarantine pests and pests of the EPP0 Alert List

Uganda

2015/057 - New data on quarantine pests and pests of the EPP0 Alert List

Unconfirmed records

2015/068 - Unconfirmed report of *Anoplophora glabripennis* in Turkey
 2015/069 - Unconfirmed report of *Malacosoma americanum* in Turkey

United Arab Emirates

2015/051 - First reports of *Corythauma ayyari* in Sicilia (IT), Spain, Tunisia and the United Arab Emirates
 2015/060 - First reports of *Gamochoaeta pensylvanica* and *Verbesina encelioides* in the United Arab Emirates
 2015/061 - First reports of *Parthenium hysterophorus* and *Bidens pilosa* in the United Arab Emirates

United Kingdom

2015/031 - First report of '*Candidatus* Phytoplasma fragariae' in the United Kingdom
 2015/038 - GB non-native species secretariat launches free online training in biosecurity
 2015/098 - *Orientus ishidae*: a potential phytoplasma vector spreading in the EPP0 region
 2015/108 - First report of *Dryocosmus kuriphilus* in the United Kingdom
 2015/134 - First detection of '*Candidatus* Phytoplasma solani' on strawberry in the United Kingdom
 2015/142 - Ecological impacts of the aquatic invasive *Elodea nuttallii* in Northern Ireland
 2015/151 - First report of the eucalyptus leaf beetle *Paropsisterna selmani* in the United Kingdom and in Ireland
 2015/170 - Agapanthus gall midge: a new and undescribed species found for the first time in the United Kingdom
 2015/190 - *Meloidogyne fallax* detected in sports turf in the United Kingdom
 2015/193 - First report of *Sirococcus tsugae* in the United Kingdom
 2015/218 - Defra report: assessing the achievements of local action groups in tackling invasive non-native species

Uruguay

2015/035 - New data on quarantine pests and pests of the EPP0 Alert List

USA

2015/023 - First report of *Lycorma delicatula* in the USA: addition to the EPP0 Alert List
 2015/035 - New data on quarantine pests and pests of the EPP0 Alert List
 2015/041 - National Invasive Species Awareness Week (USA) provides webinar presentations on invasive species topics
 2015/057 - New data on quarantine pests and pests of the EPP0 Alert List
 2015/079 - New data on quarantine pests and pests of the EPP0 Alert List
 2015/099 - New data on *Agrius auroguttatus*
 2015/100 - *Globodera ellingtonae*: a new potato cyst nematode
 2015/101 - New data on quarantine pests and pests of the EPP0 Alert List

- 2015/119 - New data on quarantine pests and pests of the EPPO Alert List
- 2015/126 - First report of *Helicoverpa armigera* in the USA
- 2015/133 - Huanglongbing detected again in California (US)
- 2015/137 - New data on quarantine pests and pests of the EPPO Alert List
- 2015/149 - *Heterobasidion irregulare* detected for the first time in Minnesota (US)
- 2015/173 - New data on quarantine pests and pests of the EPPO Alert List
- 2015/197 - Plant invasions and the microbial community
- 2015/211 - First report of Grapevine Pinot gris virus in the USA

Venezuela

- 2015/079 - New data on quarantine pests and pests of the EPPO Alert List

Verbesina encelioides

- 2015/060 - First reports of *Gamochaeta pennsylvanica* and *Verbesina encelioides* in the United Arab Emirates

Vespa velutina

- 2015/075 - Situation of *Vespa velutina* in the Iberian Peninsula

Vitex rotundifolia

- 2015/058 - Present and future threats by invasive alien plants in Georgia

Washingtonia filifera

- 2015/160 - Alien flora of Rhodes island (Greece)

Watermelon silver mottle virus

- 2015/079 - New data on quarantine pests and pests of the EPPO Alert List

Xanthium strumarium

- 2015/139 - Invasive alien plants in Transylvania (RO)

Xanthomonas axonopodis* pv. *vesicatoria

- 2015/174 - New additions to the EPPO A1 and A2 Lists

Xanthomonas euvesicatoria

- 2015/174 - New additions to the EPPO A1 and A2 Lists

Xanthomonas gardneri

- 2015/174 - New additions to the EPPO A1 and A2 Lists

Xanthomonas oryzae* pv. *oryzae

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Xanthomonas oryzae* pv. *oryzicola

- 2015/035 - New data on quarantine pests and pests of the EPPO Alert List
- 2015/057 - New data on quarantine pests and pests of the EPPO Alert List

Xanthomonas perforans

- 2015/174 - New additions to the EPPO A1 and A2 Lists

Xiphinema rivesi

- 2015/057 - New data on quarantine pests and pests of the EPPO Alert List

Xylella fastidiosa

- 2015/144 - First report of *Xylella fastidiosa* in France
- 2015/145 - Publication of the EU measures against *Xylella fastidiosa*
- 2015/161 - Update on the situation of *Xylella fastidiosa* in Corsica (FR)
- 2015/180 - *Xylella fastidiosa* detected in Alpes-Maritimes, mainland France
- 2015/181 - *Xylella fastidiosa* detected in *Coffea* spp. plants imported into Switzerland

Yucca gloriosa

- 2015/160 - Alien flora of Rhodes island (Greece)

Zantedeschia aethiopica

- 2015/160 - Alien flora of Rhodes island (Greece)