

## Committee on Sanitary and Phytosanitary Measures

### SPS TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE AND TRAINING ACTIVITIES (1 SEPTEMBER 1994 TO 31 AUGUST 2004)

#### Note by the Secretariat<sup>1</sup>

1. This document lists all SPS technical assistance (TA) and training activities undertaken by the Secretariat from 1 September 1994 to 31 August 2004.
2. For each activity the attached table identifies the type of activity; the region, venue and dates; participating countries; the language used; as well as whether representatives from the Codex Alimentarius (Codex), the World Organization for Animal Health (OIE), and the International Plant Protection Convention (IPPC) participated in the activity. A regional workshop refers to an activity organized by the WTO in which a region or sub-region was invited to participate. A national seminar refers to an activity undertaken at the national level only. The "other" category refers to all other SPS TA and training activities that do not fall under either of the first two categories. This includes other types of activities organized by the WTO Secretariat as well as activities organized by Members or other bodies in which the WTO Secretariat participated. The information is organized on an annual basis and in alphabetical order based on the region where the activity was undertaken. The Secretariat will update this document annually with the most recent activities listed first.
3. The main objective of SPS technical assistance and training activities undertaken by the Secretariat is to increase participants' awareness about their rights and obligations under the SPS Agreement and its implications for national policymaking. The programme and presentations are adapted to take into account the level of familiarity with the Agreement of the participants, the level of development of the countries, and any specific concerns relating to the implementation of the Agreement in order to meet and respond to individual national/regional needs. SPS technical assistance and training activities typically include presentations on the basic provisions of the SPS Agreement, including the transparency provisions on implementation problems and specific trade concerns, as well as on WTO dispute settlement. There may also be specific focus on issues such as risk analysis and equivalence. Regional training activities also include presentations of the work undertaken by the three standard-setting organizations referenced in the SPS Agreement (Codex, OIE and IPPC).
4. Altogether, 104 SPS TA and training activities have been undertaken for the period 1 September 1994 to 31 August 2004. Figure 1 shows the number of activities per year. It is clear that the number of SPS technical assistance activities has increased significantly over time. Since 2002, over 20 technical assistance activities have been undertaken per year. In this context, it should be noted that the figures for 2004 are for the period until 31 August. In the past five years, technical assistance delivered by the WTO has become more structured. Detailed information is not available for all technical assistance activities undertaken prior to 1999.

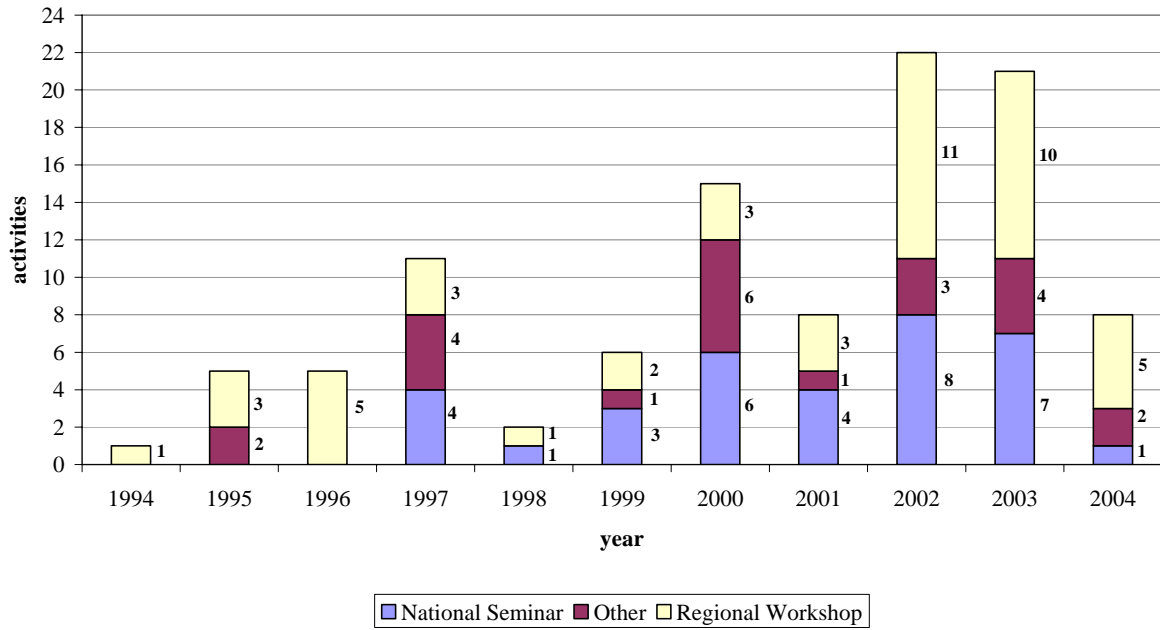
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5. Figure 2 presents a breakdown of the type of activity undertaken (47 regional or sub-regional workshops, 34 national seminars and 23 "other" activities).

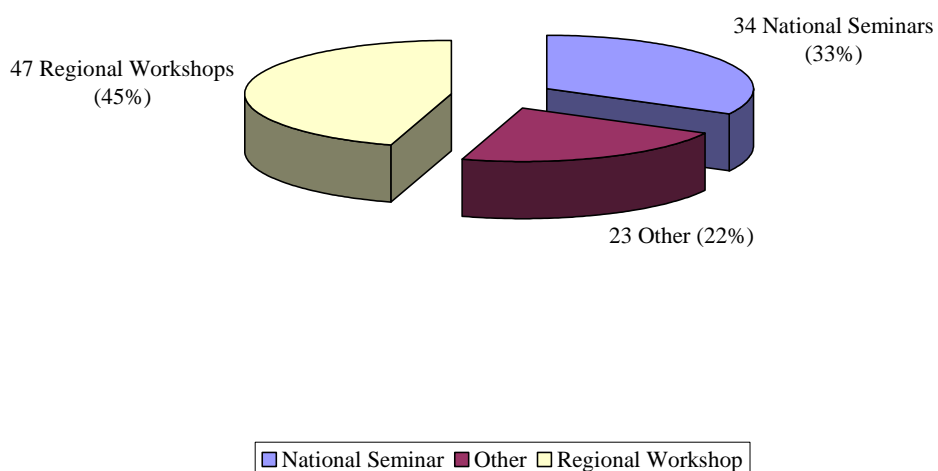
**Figure 1.**

**SPS TA activities per year\***



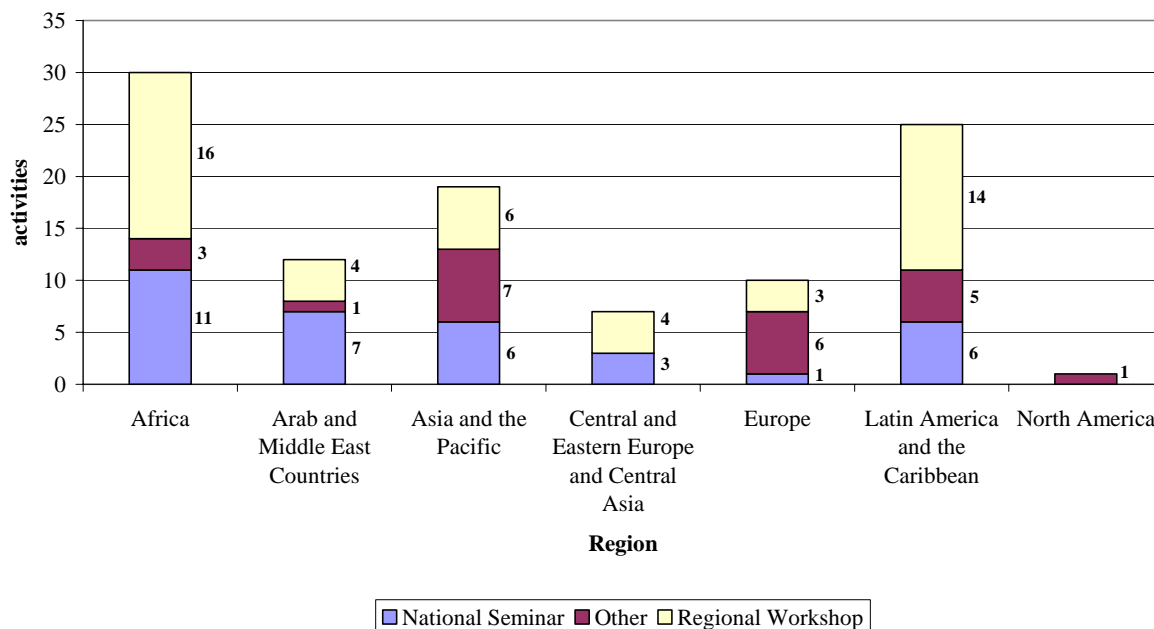
**Figure 2.**

**Types of SPS TA activities 1994-2004\***



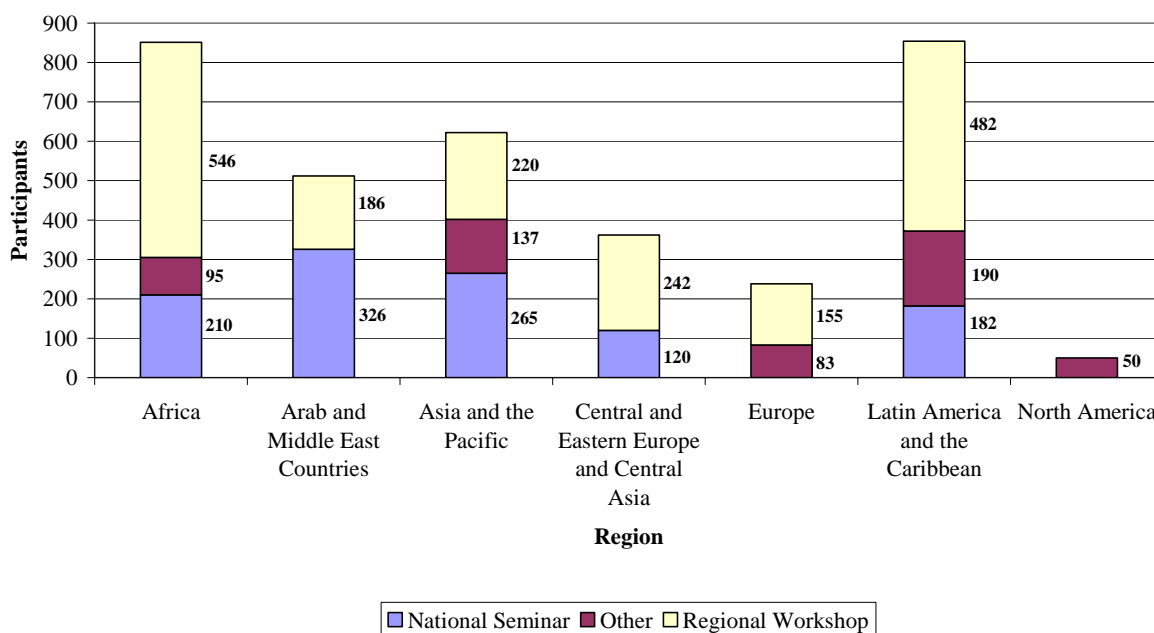
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**Figure 3.**  
**SPS TA activities per region\***



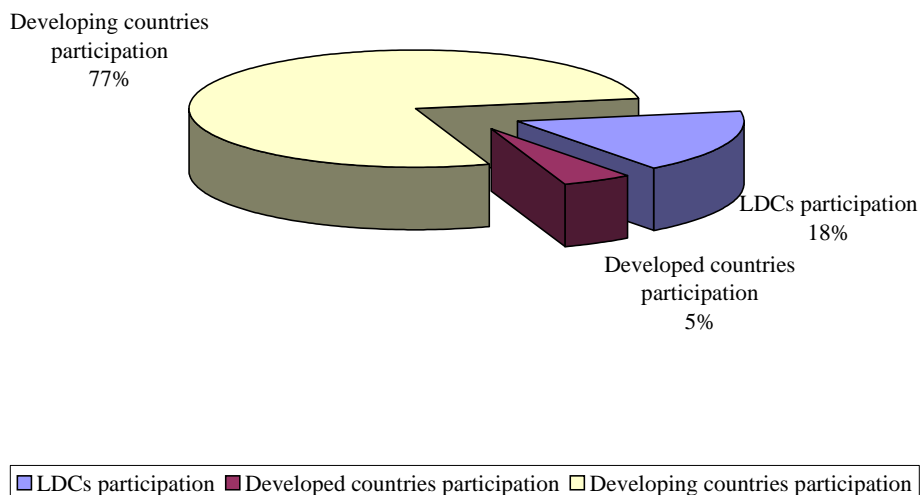
6. Figure 3 shows the number and type of TA activity per region and Figure 4 presents the total number of participants that have attended SPS TA and training activities per region and per type of activity.

**Figure 4.**  
**Participants per Region 1994-2004\***



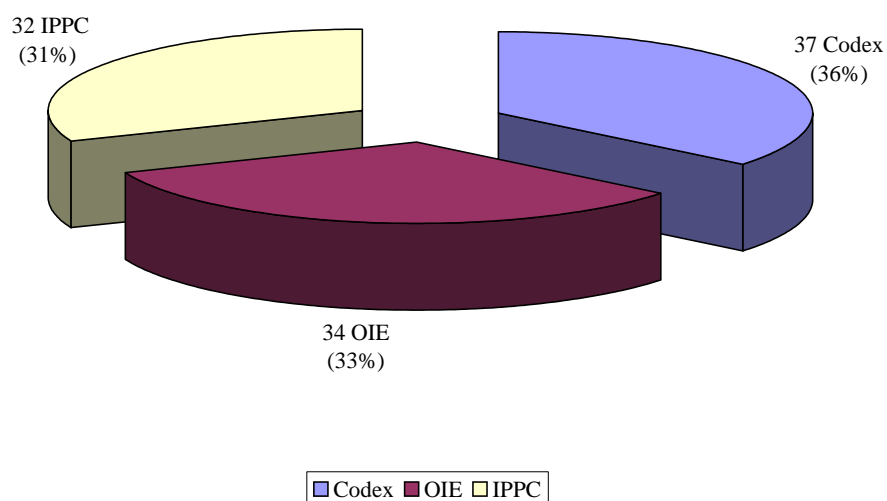
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**Figure 5.**  
**Breakdown of country participation from 1994 to 2004\***



7. As shown in Figure 5, 18 per cent of the beneficiaries of all SPS TA and training activities undertaken by the Secretariat have been from least-developed countries (LDCs), 77 per cent from developing countries, and 5 per cent from developed countries.

**Figure 6.**  
**Participation of standard setting organizations in SPS regional workshops**



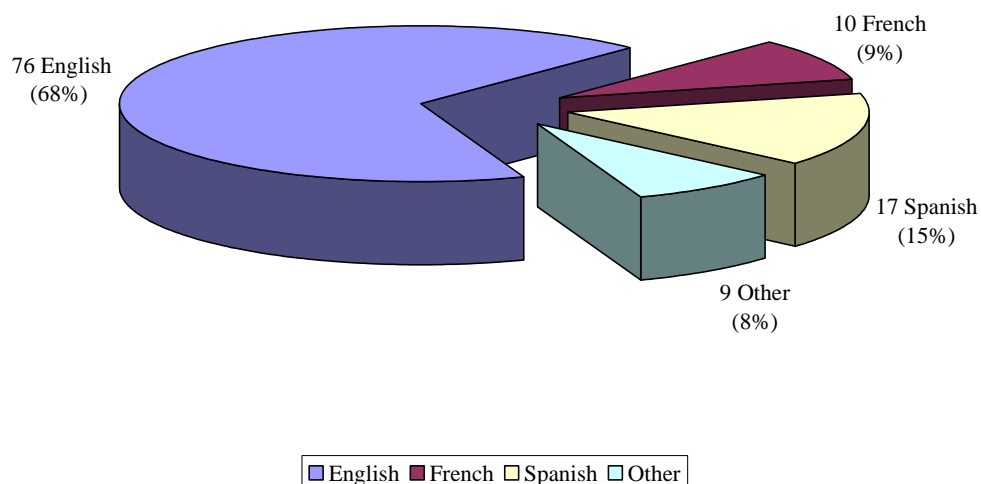
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8. Since 1994, representatives from the international standard setting organizations have actively participated in the delivery of SPS regional workshops undertaken by the Secretariat. As Figure 6 shows, Codex has participated in 37, OIE in 34 and the IPPC in 32 regional workshops.

9. Figure 7 presents the language breakdown of all SPS TA and training activities that have been undertaken. Overall, 92 per cent of the activities have been conducted in one of the three official WTO languages (68 per cent English, 15 per cent Spanish, and 9 per cent French). The remaining 8 per cent have been undertaken in "other" languages than the ones mentioned above, including Russian, Arabic and Portuguese.

**Figure 7.**

**Language breakdown of SPS TA activities\***



\* until 31 August 2004

**Annex**

**SPS TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE AND TRAINING ACTIVITIES UNDERTAKEN BY THE SECRETARIAT  
FOR THE PERIOD 1 SEPTEMBER 1994 TO 31 AUGUST 2004**

Year	Region	SPS TA Activity	Host Country	Location	To	From	Participating Countries			Participants	Participation of representatives from the standard-setting organizations			Language
							LDCs	Developing	Developed		Codex	OIE	IPPC	
2004	Africa	Regional Workshop	Madagascar	Antananarivo	18/08/2004	20/08/2004	Burundi, Central African Republic, Democratic Republic of the Congo, Djibouti, Madagascar, Rwanda	Congo		50	Yes	Yes	No	French
2004	Africa	Regional Workshop	Mozambique	Maputo	10/02/2004	12/02/2004	Angola, Lesotho, Malawi, Mozambique, Zambia	Botswana, Namibia, Nigeria, South Africa, Swaziland, Zimbabwe		37	Yes	Yes	Yes	English
2004	Arab and Middle East Countries	Regional Workshop	Lebanese Republic	Beirut	04/05/2004	06/05/2004	Yemen	Bahrain, Jordan, Lebanese Republic, Oman, Saudi Arabia, Syria, United Arab Emirates		70	Yes	Yes	Yes	English/Arabic
2004	Asia and the Pacific	Other	Thailand	Chiang Mai	12/07/2004	16/07/2004	Bangladesh, Bhutan, Cambodia, Lao, Myanmar	Brunei Darussalam, India, Indonesia, Iran, Malaysia, Nepal, Papua New Guinea, Philippines, Singapore, Sri Lanka, Thailand, Viet Nam		40	Yes	Yes	No	English
2004	Central and Eastern Europe and Central Asia	Regional Workshop	Austria	Vienna	27/07/2004	29/07/2004		Armenia, Azerbaijan, Belarus, Kazakhstan, Russia, Ukraine, Uzbekistan		29	Yes	Yes	Yes	English
2004	Central and Eastern Europe and Central Asia	National Seminar	Moldova	Chisinau	28/04/2004	30/04/2004		Moldova		60	No	No	No	English

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							LDCs	Developing	Developed		Codex	OIE	IPPC	
2004	Europe	Other	Switzerland	Lausanne and Geneva	14/06/2004	18/06/2004	Maldives, Nepal, Rwanda	Egypt, Guatemala, Malaysia, Mongolia, Nigeria, Viet Nam	Switzerland	28	No	No	No	English
2004	Latin America and the Caribbean	Regional Workshop	Chile	Santiago	09/03/2004	11/03/2004		Argentina, Brazil, Chile, Colombia, Paraguay, Peru, Uruguay, Venezuela		52	Yes	Yes	Yes	Spanish
2003	Africa	Regional Workshop	Benin	Cotonou	14/05/2003	16/05/2003	Benin, Burkina Faso, Mali, Mauritania, Senegal, Togo	Côte d'Ivoire		45	Yes	No	No	French
2003	Africa	Regional Workshop	Uganda	Kampala	11/11/2003	13/11/2003	Eritrea, Ethiopia, Sudan, Tanzania, Uganda	Kenya		35	Yes	Yes	Yes	English
2003	Africa	National Seminar	Gambia	Banjul	01/10/2003	02/10/2003	Gambia			20	No	No	No	English
2003	Africa	National Seminar	Nigeria	Abuja	08/10/2003	09/10/2003		Nigeria		30	No	No	No	English
2003	Arab and Middle East Countries	Regional Workshop	Cyprus	Nicosia	02/06/2003	04/06/2003		Cyprus, Egypt, Jordan, Lebanese Republic, Syria		36	Yes	Yes	No	English
2003	Arab and Middle East Countries	National Seminar	Bahrain	Manama	14/10/2003	15/10/2003		Bahrain		26	No	No	No	English
2003	Arab and Middle East Countries	National Seminar	Lebanese Republic	Beirut	04/09/2003	04/09/2003		Lebanese Republic		40	No	No	No	English/Arabic
2003	Asia and the Pacific	Other	Australia	Brisbane	02/12/2003	02/12/2003	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	No	No	No	English
2003	Asia and the Pacific	Regional Workshop	Indonesia	Jakarta	05/03/2003	07/03/2003	Cambodia	Indonesia, Malaysia, Philippines, Thailand, Viet Nam		18	Yes	Yes	Yes	English
2003	Asia and the Pacific	Regional Workshop	Sri Lanka	Colombo	09/12/2003	10/12/2003	Bangladesh, Cambodia, Lao, Myanmar	India, Pakistan, Sri Lanka, Viet Nam		n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	English

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2003	Central and Eastern Europe and Central Asia	Regional Workshop	Albania	Tirana	20/10/2003	23/10/2003		Albania, Bulgaria, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Croatia, FYR of Macedonia, Romania, Serbia and Montenegro		32	n/a	Yes	Yes	English
2003	Central and Eastern Europe and Central Asia	National Seminar	Georgia	Tblisis	15/08/2003	17/08/2003		Georgia		30	No	No	No	English/Russian
2003	Central and Eastern Europe and Central Asia	National Seminar	Kyrgyz Republic	Bishkek	30/08/2003	01/09/2003		Kyrgyz Republic		30	No	No	No	English/Russian
2003	Europe	Other	Sweden	Stockholm	30/04/2003	01/05/2003		Albania, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Bulgaria, Croatia, FYR of Macedonia, Moldova, Romania, Serbia and Montenegro		26	No	No	No	English
2003	Europe	Other	Sweden	Stockholm	28/09/2003	24/10/2003	Burkina Faso, Ethiopia, Malawi, Mali, Rwanda, Senegal, Uganda	Cameroon, Côte d'Ivoire, Ghana, Kenya, FYR of Macedonia, Nigeria		29	No	No	No	English
2003	Latin America and the Caribbean	Regional Workshop	Dominican Republic	Santo Domingo	24/03/2003	26/03/2003		Cuba, Dominican Republic, El Salvador, Guatemala, Honduras, Nicaragua, Venezuela		48	Yes	Yes	Yes	Spanish
2003	Latin America and the Caribbean	Regional Workshop	Ecuador	Quito	28/04/2003	30/04/2003		Bolivia, Chile, Colombia, Ecuador, Paraguay, Peru, Venezuela		41	Yes	No	Yes	Spanish
2003	Latin America and the Caribbean	Regional Workshop	Uruguay	Montevideo	21/07/2003	23/07/2003		Argentina, Bolivia, Brazil, Chile, Paraguay, Uruguay		50	Yes	Yes	Yes	Spanish



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2003	Latin America and the Caribbean	Regional Workshop	Saint Kitts and Nevis	Basseterre	22/07/2003	24/07/2003		Antigua and Barbuda, Dominica, Grenada, Saint Kitts and Nevis, Saint Lucia, Saint Vincent and the Grenadines		15	No	No	No	English
2003	Latin America and the Caribbean	National Seminar	Bolivia	La Paz	05/05/2003	07/05/2003		Bolivia		n/a	No	No	No	Spanish
2003	North America	Other	United States	Washington, DC	08/03/2003	09/03/2003			United States	50	No	No	No	English
2002	Africa	Regional Workshop	Zambia	Lusaka	03/06/2002	05/06/2002	Ethiopia, Malawi, Sudan, Uganda, Tanzania, Zambia	Kenya, Seychelles		46	Yes	Yes	Yes	English
2002	Africa	Regional Workshop	Lesotho	Maseru	02/12/2002	05/12/2002	Lesotho	Botswana, Namibia, South Africa, Zimbabwe		26	Yes	Yes	Yes	English
2002	Africa	Regional Workshop	Angola	Luanda	09/12/2002	11/12/2002	Angola, Cape Verde, Guinea-Bissau, Mozambique, Sao Tome and Principe			60	Yes	Yes	Yes	English/Portuguese
2002	Africa	Regional Workshop	Tunisia	Tunis	30/09/2002	01/10/2002		Algeria, Cyprus, Egypt, Jordan, Lebanese Republic, Malta, Morocco, Tunisia, Turkey		60	Yes	Yes	Yes	English/French
2002	Africa	National Seminar	Mauritius	Port Louis	31/05/2002	31/05/2002		Mauritius		40	No	No	No	English
2002	Arab and Middle East Countries	Regional Workshop	United Arab Emirates	Dubai	03/02/2002	05/02/2002		Bahrain, Kuwait, Oman, Qatar, Saudi Arabia, United Arab Emirates		40	Yes	Yes	Yes	English
2002	Arab and Middle East Countries	National Seminar	Oman	Muscat	08/04/2002	09/04/2002		Oman		30	No	No	No	English
2002	Asia and the Pacific	National Seminar	China	Xiamen	22/01/2002	23/01/2002		China		150	No	No	No	English
2002	Asia and the Pacific	National Seminar	China	Beijing	25/01/2002	25/01/2002		China		20	No	No	No	English
2002	Asia and the Pacific	National Seminar	China	Beijing	28/01/2002	30/01/2002		China		40	No	No	No	English

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2002	Asia and the Pacific	National Seminar	China	Beijing	01/02/2002	01/02/2002		China		40	No	No	No	English
2002	Asia and the Pacific	Other	China	Beijing	11/12/2002	12/12/2002		China, Korea, Malaysia, Thailand,	New Zealand, United States	57	No	Yes	Yes	English
2002	Central and Eastern Europe and Central Asia	Regional Workshop	Russia	Moscow	03/09/2002	05/09/2002		Albania, Armenia, Azerbaijan, Belarus, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Croatia, FYR of Macedonia, Georgia, Kazakhstan, Kyrgyz Republic, Moldova, Russia, Tajikistan, Turkmenistan, Ukraine, Uzbekistan		51	Yes	Yes	Yes	English/ Russian
2002	Europe	Regional Workshop	Estonia	Tallinn	05/03/2002	07/03/2002			Estonia, Latvia, Lithuania	35	Yes	Yes	Yes	English
2002	Latin America and the Caribbean	Regional Workshop	Mexico	Merida	16/05/2002	17/05/2002		China, Indonesia, Japan, Korea, Malaysia, Mexico, Papua New Guinea, Peru, Philippines, Chinese Taipei, Thailand, Viet Nam	Australia, New Zealand, United States	50	No	No	No	English
2002	Latin America and the Caribbean	Regional Workshop	Peru	Lima	22/05/2002	24/05/2002		Brazil, Chile, El Salvador, Jamaica, Mexico, Paraguay, Peru	Canada, New Zealand, United States	30	n/a	n/a	n/a	English
2002	Latin America and the Caribbean	Regional Workshop	Panama	Panama City	03/06/2002	05/06/2002		Belize, Costa Rica, Cuba, Dominican Republic, El Salvador, Guatemala, Honduras, Nicaragua, Panama		53	Yes	No	No	Spanish

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							LDCs	Developing	Developed		Codex	OIE	IPPC	
2002	Latin America and the Caribbean	Regional Workshop	Barbados	Bridgetown	11/09/2002	13/09/2002		Antigua and Barbuda, Dominica, Dominican Republic, Grenada, Jamaica, Saint Kitts and Nevis, Saint Lucia, Saint Vincent and the Grenadines, Trinidad and Tobago		37	Yes	Yes	Yes	English
2002	Latin America and the Caribbean	National Seminar	Peru	Lima	27/05/2002	28/05/2002		Peru		60	No	No	No	Spanish
2002	Latin America and the Caribbean	National Seminar	Paraguay	Asuncion	21/10/2002	22/10/2002		Paraguay		72	No	No	No	Spanish
2002	Asia and the Pacific	Other	Australia	Brisbane	25/02/2002	01/03/2002		China, India, Indonesia, Korea, Malaysia, Philippines, Singapore, Thailand, Viet Nam	Australia, Japan, New Zealand,	n/a	No	No	No	English
2002	Latin America and the Caribbean	Other	Dominican Republic	n/a	14/09/2002	20/09/2002	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	No	Yes	No	Spanish
2001	Africa	Regional Workshop	Egypt	Cairo	31/01/2001	31/01/2001	Mauritania, Sudan	Bahrain, Egypt, Iran, Jordan, Kuwait, Libya, Oman, Pakistan, Saudi Arabia, Tunisia, United Arab Emirates		n/a	No	No	No	English
2001	Africa	Regional Workshop	Cameroon	Yaoundé	05/06/2001	07/06/2001	Central African Republic, Chad, Democratic Republic of the Congo, Equatorial Guinea	Cameroon, Gabon		45	Yes	Yes	Yes	French
2001	Africa	National Seminar	Democratic Republic of the Congo	Kinshasa	15/01/2001	19/01/2001	Democratic Republic of the Congo			40	No	No	No	English
2001	Africa	National Seminar	Egypt	Cairo	05/02/2001	05/02/2001		Egypt		40	No	No	No	English
2001	Africa	National Seminar	Kenya	Nairobi	28/08/2001	29/08/2001		Kenya		n/a	Yes	Yes	Yes	English

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2001	Africa	Other	Botswana	Gaborone	05/03/2001	09/03/2001	Angola, Democratic Republic of the Congo, Lesotho, Malawi, Mozambique, Tanzania, Zambia	Botswana, Mauritius, Namibia, Seychelles, South Africa, Swaziland, Zimbabwe		25	No	No	No	English
2001	Asia and the Pacific	National Seminar	Chinese Taipei		03/12/2001	06/12/2001		Chinese Taipei		n/a	No	No	No	English
2001	Central and Eastern Europe and Central Asia	Regional Workshop	Iran	Tehran	05/03/2001	08/03/2001		Albania, Armenia, Azerbaijan, Belarus, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Croatia, FYR of Macedonia, Georgia, Kazakhstan, Kyrgyz Republic, Moldova, Russia, Tajikistan, Turkmenistan, Ukraine, Uzbekistan		130	Yes	Yes	Yes	English
2000	Africa	Regional Workshop	Côte d'Ivoire	Abidjan	16/05/2000	17/05/2000	Burkina Faso, Mali	Côte d'Ivoire		8	Yes	Yes	Yes	French
2000	Africa	National Seminar	Mali	Bamako	03/04/2000	07/04/2000	Mali			n/a	No	No	No	French
2000	Africa	Other	Senegal	Dakar	24/01/2000	26/01/2000	Benin, Burkina Faso, Guinea, Mali, Niger, Senegal, Togo	Côte d'Ivoire, Ghana, Mauritius, Nigeria		70	Yes	Yes	Yes	French
2000	Africa	Other	Morocco	Casablanca	13/11/2000	13/11/2000		Morocco		n/a	No	No	No	French
2000	Arab and Middle East Countries	National Seminar	Jordan		05/06/2000	06/06/2000		Jordan		130	No	No	No	English
2000	Arab and Middle East Countries	National Seminar	Turkey	Ankara	21/09/2000	21/09/2000		Turkey		60	No	No	No	English/Turkish
2000	Arab and Middle East Countries	Other	United Arab Emirates	Dubai	28/03/2000	29/03/2000		Bahrain, Kuwait, Oman, Qatar, Saudi Arabia, United Arab Emirates		n/a	Yes	No	No	English

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2000	Asia and the Pacific	Regional Workshop	Australia	Adelaide	21/02/2000	25/02/2000		Argentina, Brazil, Chile, China, Cuba, Egypt, India, Korea, Malaysia, Morocco, Nigeria, Philippines, Singapore, Swaziland, Thailand, Uruguay, Viet Nam	Canada, European Communities	60	Yes	No	No	English
2000	Asia and the Pacific	Other	Philippines	Manila	20/11/2000	20/11/2000		Philippines		40	Yes	No	No	English
2000	Asia and the Pacific	Other	Belarus	Minsk	14/12/2000	14/12/2000		Armenia, Azerbaijan, Belarus, Georgia, Kazakhstan, Kyrgyz Republic, Moldova, Russia, Ukraine, Uzbekistan		n/a	No	No	No	English
2000	Europe	National Seminar	Portugal	Lisbon	n/a	n/a				n/a	No	No	No	Portuguese
2000	Latin America and the Caribbean	Regional Workshop	Uruguay	Montevideo	10/10/2000	11/10/2000		Argentina, Brazil, Panama, Uruguay		n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	Spanish
2000	Latin America and the Caribbean	National Seminar	Cuba	La Habana	29/05/2000	30/05/2000		Cuba		n/a	Yes	No	No	Spanish
2000	Latin America and the Caribbean	National Seminar	Panama	Panama City	17/10/2000	18/10/2000		Panama		50	Yes	No	No	Spanish
2000	Latin America and the Caribbean	Other	Brazil	Fortaleza	08/08/2000	10/08/2000	n/a	Brazil	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a
1999	Africa	Regional Workshop	Namibia	Windhoek	29/03/1999	01/04/1999	Angola, Democratic Republic of the Congo, Lesotho, Malawi, Mozambique, Tanzania, Zambia	Botswana, Mauritius, Namibia, Seychelles, South Africa, Swaziland, Zimbabwe		74	Yes	Yes	Yes	English
1999	Arab and Middle East Countries	National Seminar	Bahrain		22/11/1999	22/11/1999		Bahrain		20	No	No	No	English

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1999	Arab and Middle East Countries	National Seminar	Jordan		24/11/1999	25/11/1999		Jordan		20	No	No	No	English
1999	Asia and the Pacific	National Seminar	Mongolia	Ulaanbaatar	16/09/1999	17/09/1999		Mongolia		15	No	No	No	English
1999	Asia and the Pacific	Other	Australia	Melbourne	25/02/1999	26/02/1999	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	No	No	No	English
1999	Latin America and the Caribbean	Regional Workshop	Costa Rica	San Jose	24/02/1999	25/02/1999		Costa Rica, Dominican Republic, El Salvador, Guatemala, Honduras, Mexico, Nicaragua, Panama		26	No	No	No	Spanish
1998	Africa	National Seminar	Uganda	Kampala	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	No	Yes	No	English
1998	Asia and the Pacific	Regional Workshop	Philippines	Manila	30/06/1998	03/07/1998	Cambodia, Myanmar, Samoa, Solomon Islands, Vanuatu	Fiji, Indonesia, Malaysia, Papua New Guinea, Chinese Taipei, Tonga, Viet Nam	New Zealand, United States	72	Yes	Yes	Yes	English
1997	Africa	National Seminar	Nigeria	Abuja	19/11/1997	20/11/1997		Nigeria		n/a	Yes	No	No	English
1997	Africa	National Seminar	Ghana	Accra	09/06/1997	09/06/1997		Ghana		40	No	No	No	English
1997	Africa	National Seminar	Kenya	Nairobi	24/06/1997	24/06/1997		Kenya		n/a	No	No	No	English
1997	Asia and the Pacific	Regional Workshop	India	New Delhi	30/09/1997	01/10/1997	Bangladesh, Maldives, Nepal	China, Pakistan, Sri Lanka		15	Yes	Yes	Yes	English
1997	Europe	Other	Switzerland	Geneva (WTO)	06/03/1997	06/03/1997		Chile, Czech Republic, Egypt, India, Mauritius, Morocco, Pakistan, Philippines, Slovenia, South Africa, Thailand	Canada, Spain, Norway	n/a	No	No	No	English
1997	Europe	Other	Switzerland	Geneva (WTO)	12/03/1997	12/03/1997		Argentina, Brazil, Chile, Colombia, Ecuador, Peru, Uruguay, Venezuela	Spain	n/a	No	No	No	Spanish
1997	Europe	Other	Switzerland	Geneva (WTO)	26/03/1997	26/03/1997	Haiti, Senegal	Côte d'Ivoire, Gabon, Morocco	France	n/a	No	No	No	French

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1997	Latin America and the Caribbean	Regional Workshop	Colombia	Bogota	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	No	Yes	No	Spanish
1997	Latin America and the Caribbean	Regional Workshop	Mexico	Mexico City	23/01/1997	23/01/1997	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	English
1997	Latin America and the Caribbean	National Seminar	Venezuela	Caracas	11/12/1997	11/12/1997		Venezuela		n/a	No	No	No	Spanish
1997	Latin America and the Caribbean	Other	Trinidad and Tobago	Port of Spain	09/12/1997	11/12/1997	Haiti	Antigua and Barbuda, Bahamas, Barbados, Cuba, Dominica, Dominican Republic, Grenada, Guyana, Jamaica, Netherlands Antilles, Saint Kitts and Nevis, Saint Lucia, Saint Vincent and the Grenadines, Suriname, Trinidad and Tobago		n/a	No	Yes	No	English
1996	Africa	Regional Workshop	Egypt	Cairo	18/12/1996	19/12/1996		Egypt, Israel, Jordan, Morocco, Tunisia		60	Yes	Yes	Yes	English
1996	Africa	Regional Workshop	Zimbabwe	Harare	18/11/1996	22/11/1996	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	Yes	No	No	English
1996	Arab and Middle East Countries	Regional Workshop	United Arab Emirates	Dubai	15/12/1996	16/12/1996	Yemen	Bahrain, Kuwait, Oman, Qatar, Saudi Arabia, United Arab Emirates		40	Yes	Yes	Yes	English
1996	Europe	Regional Workshop	Czech Republic	Prague	28/03/1996	29/03/1996		Albania, Bulgaria, Croatia, Czech Republic, Estonia, Hungary, Latvia, Lithuania, FYR of Macedonia, Poland, Romania, Slovak Republic, Slovenia	United States	40	Yes	Yes	Yes	English/Czech
1996	Europe	Regional Workshop	Russia	Moscow	09/07/1996	10/07/1996		Belarus, Kazakhstan, Moldova, Russia, Ukraine		80	Yes	Yes	Yes	English
1995	Africa	Regional Workshop	Senegal	Dakar	02/11/1995	03/11/1995	Burkina Faso, Mali, Senegal			n/a	Yes	Yes	Yes	French/English

Year	Region	SPS TA Activity	Host Country	Location	To	From	Participating Countries			Participants	Participation of representatives from the standard-setting organizations			Language
							LDCs	Developing	Developed		Codex	OIE	IPPC	
1995	Africa	Regional Workshop	Pretoria	South Africa	07/11/1995	08/11/1995	Lesotho, Zambia	Kenya, Mauritius, Namibia, South Africa, Swaziland, Zimbabwe	United States	n/a	Yes	Yes	Yes	English
1995	Latin America and the Caribbean	Regional Workshop	Mexico	Mexico City	01/05/1996	01/05/1996		Argentina, Barbados, Brazil, Chile, Colombia, Costa Rica, El Salvador, Honduras, Mexico, Nicaragua, Panama, Peru, Saint Lucia, Uruguay, Venezuela	Canada, United States	80	Yes	Yes	Yes	English/Spanish
1995	Latin America and the Caribbean	Other	Colombia	Bogota	19/07/1995	19/07/1995		Colombia		150	No	Yes	No	English
1995	Latin America and the Caribbean	Other	Honduras	Tegucigalpa	30/11/1995	01/12/1995		Honduras		40	n/a	n/a	n/a	Spanish
1994	Asia and the Pacific	Regional Workshop	Thailand	Bangkok	08/11/1994	09/11/1994		Indonesia, Malaysia, Philippines, South Korea, Thailand		55	Yes	Yes	Yes	English

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