2nd meeting of the International Network on Fertilizer Analysis (INFA)

Virtual meeting
29-30 June 2021 - 02:00 PM CEST
29 June 2021

14:00 – 14:10 CEST  | Opening, endorsement of the agenda.
Ms. Rosa Poch, ITPS Chair
Ms. Nopmanee Suvannang, GLOSOLAN Chair

14:10 – 14:25 CEST  | Item 1: Why do we need an International Network on Fertilizers Analysis (INFA)? recap and commitments.
Mr. Ronald Vargas, GSP Secretary

14:25 - 14:45 CEST  | Item 2: Current scenario of INFA and work plan
Ms. Vinisa Saynes Santillán, INFA Coordinator.

14:45 - 15:00 CEST  | Item 3: Experience from GLOSOLAN and articulation with INFA
Mr. Filippo Benedetti, GSP Secretariat.

15:00 – 15:45 CEST  | Item 4: Governance of INFA.
• Endorsement of objectives, goals, and indicators of performance.
• Endorsement of TOR’s for INFA Chair and vice-Chair
• Election of Chair and vice-Chair.

Moderator: Ms. Natalia Rodríguez, GSP Secretariat.

15:45 – 16:30 CEST  | Item 5: Plenary Discussion

16:30 CEST  | Closure of the day
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14:00 – 14:30 CEST | Item 6: Standardization of methods and protocols for the analysis of fertilizers and harmonization of fertilizer quality data.

- **Context**
  Ms. Vinisa Saynes Santillán, INFA Coordinator.

- **Activities of the IFA Method Harmonization Working Group**
  Mr. Vossie Wilsnach, Convenor of the IFA Method Harmonizing Working Group.
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- **Group discussion and working groups definition.**
  Moderator: Mr. Filippo Benedetti, GSP Secretariat.

14:30 – 15:00 CEST | Item 7: Harmonization of fertilizer quality standards.

- **Context**
  Ms. Vinisa Saynes Santillán, INFA Coordinator.

- **Assessing the quality of fertilizers for FAO fertilizer procurement across the world.**
  Ms. Aleksandra Bereza-Stachowiak, Baltic Control A/S.

- **Group discussion and working groups definition.**
  Moderator: Mr. Yuxin Tong, GSP Secretariat.

15:00 – 15:30 CEST | Item 8: Strengthening the performance of fertilizer laboratories using standardized methods and protocols.

- **Context**
  Ms. Vinisa Saynes Santillán, INFA Coordinator

- **Proficiency Tests and Interlaboratory Comparisons.**
  Ms. Nopmanee, GLOSOLAN Chair.

- **Group discussion and working groups definition.**
  Moderator: Ms. Rosa Cuevas, GSP Secretariat.

15:30 – 16:30 CEST | Item 9: Plenary Discussion and Decision Making

Moderator: Ms. Carolina Olivera, GSP Secretariat.

16:30 CEST | Closure of the meeting