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Second meeting of the Working Group 1 - Harmonization of SOP's

International Network on Fertilizer Analysis-INFA
Tuesday 30 May 2023 | 14:00 – 16:00 CEST



14:00-14:10 | OPENING REMARKS

Endorsement of the agenda and group picture

Ms Vinisa Saynes, INFA Coordinator, Global Soil Partnership

14:10–14:25 | Item 1. Introduction to the meeting and Recap of the first WG1 meeting

Mr Gerardo Ojeda, INFA Vice-Chair

14:25–15:00 | Item 2. Harmonization of the total nitrogen Kjeldahl methodology

- * Report of the information shared by the participating laboratories
- * Presentation of the grouped database
- * Presentation of the harmonization process (standardizing the method)
- * Presentation of the template excel sheet to collate data and the template to report the harmonized SOP

Mr Wesley Feldmann, INFA Chair

15:00–15:20 | Item 3. Presentation of the guidelines for the SOPs authorships, leadership, and governance

Ms Vinisa Saynes, INFA Coordinator, Global Soil Partnership

15:20–15:50 | Item 4. Discussion session

- * Review of the SOP for the Kjeldahl method
- * Harmonization process of other protocols (total nitrogen-combustion, total phosphorus-acid digestion, and total potassium-water soluble).
- * Identification of leaders for the harmonization process of other protocols
- * Timeline and commitments

Moderated by Mr Wesley Feldmann, INFA Chair

15:50–16:00 | Item 5. Agreements and closure of the meeting