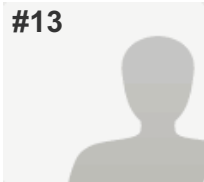


Testing of the Guidance on Risk Assessment of Living Modified Organisms

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Q1: Type of submission:

Party

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Q2: Name of the Party:

Denmark

Q3: Person submitting this questionnaire:

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Q4: Institution(s) or organization(s) that participated in the testing:

Government authority(ies)

Q5: Context in which the testing was conducted

Group event(s) (e.g., workshop, training course, meeting)

Q6: Actual case(s) of risk assessment used in the testing: Note: Please enter the hyperlinks of BCH Risk Assessment Records (e.g. <http://bch.cbd.int/database/record.shtml?documentid=104904> and <http://bch.cbd.int/database/record.shtml?documentid=104905>) or other publicly accessible web pages containing the technical and scientific data of the actual cases of risk assessment used in the testing.

Risk Assessment 1:

<http://bch.cbd.int/database/record.shtml?documentid=104904>

Q7: In what language was the Guidance tested?

English

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Q8: Name of the other Government:

Respondent skipped this question

Q9: Person submitting this questionnaire:

Respondent skipped this question

Q10: Institution(s) or organization(s) that participated in the testing:

Respondent skipped this question

Q11: Context in which the testing was conducted

Respondent skipped this question

Q12: Actual case(s) of risk assessment used in the testing: Note: Please enter the hyperlinks of BCH Risk Assessment Records (e.g. <http://bch.cbd.int/database/record.shtml?documentid=104904> and <http://bch.cbd.int/database/record.shtml?documentid=104905>) or other publicly accessible web pages containing the technical and scientific data of the actual cases of risk assessment used in the testing.

Respondent skipped this question

Q13: In what language was the Guidance tested?

Respondent skipped this question

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Q14: Name of the organization:	<i>Respondent skipped this question</i>
Q15: Person submitting this questionnaire:	<i>Respondent skipped this question</i>
Q16: Institution(s) or organization(s) that participated in the testing:	<i>Respondent skipped this question</i>
Q17: Context in which the testing was conducted	<i>Respondent skipped this question</i>
Q18: Actual case(s) of risk assessment used in the testing: Note: Please enter the hyperlinks of BCH Risk Assessment Records (e.g. http://bch.cbd.int/database/record.shtml?documentid=104904 and http://bch.cbd.int/database/record.shtml?documentid=104905) or other publicly accessible web pages containing the technical and scientific data of the actual cases of risk assessment used in the testing.	<i>Respondent skipped this question</i>
Q19: In what language was the Guidance tested?	<i>Respondent skipped this question</i>

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Q20: Would you like to submit an evaluation of the following section of the Guidance: Part I: The Roadmap for Risk Assessment	Yes
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Q21: This section of the Guidance is practical.1 (no label)	Agree
Q22: Would you like to suggest improvements to this section to increase its practicality? If so, please indicate the line numbers and explain which improvements could be made: No suggests for improvement	
Q23: This section of the Guidance is useful or has utility.2 (no label)	Agree
Q24: Would you like to suggest improvements to this section to increase its usefulness/utility? If so, please indicate the line numbers and explain which improvements could be made: No supplementary text necessary	
Q25: This section of the Guidance is consistent with the Cartagena Protocol on Biosafety.3 (no label)	Neutral
Q26: Would you like to suggest improvements to this section to increase its consistency with the Protocol? If so, please indicate the line numbers and explain which improvements could be made: This represents a step forward relative to the Cartagena protocol, because of its more precise descriptions and definitions of what is needed for the risk assessment	

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Q27: This section of the Guidance takes into account past and present experiences with LMOs.4

(no label)

Agree

Q28: Would you like to suggest improvements to this section in order to better take into account past and present experiences with LMOs? If so, please indicate the line numbers and explain which improvements could be made:

The text is sufficient

Q29: Here you may provide further details to explain your answers in evaluating this section of the Guidance:

Respondent skipped this question

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Q30: Would you like to submit an evaluation of the following section of the Guidance: Part II: Specific types of LMOs or Traits - Risk assessment of LMOs with stacked genes or traits

Yes

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Q31: This section of the Guidance is practical.1

(no label)

Strongly Agree

Q32: Would you like to suggest improvements to this section to increase its practicality? If so, please indicate the line numbers and explain which improvements could be made:

Appear to cover relevant aspects

Q33: This section of the Guidance is useful or has utility.2

(no label)

Agree

Q34: Would you like to suggest improvements to this section to increase its usefulness/utility? If so, please indicate the line numbers and explain which improvements could be made:

Respondent skipped this question

Q35: This section of the Guidance is consistent with the Cartagena Protocol on Biosafety.3

(no label)

Neutral

Q36: Would you like to suggest improvements to this section to increase its consistency with the Protocol? If so, please indicate the line numbers and explain which improvements could be made:

Respondent skipped this question

Q37: This section of the Guidance takes into account past and present experiences with LMOs.4

(no label)

Agree

Q38: Would you like to suggest improvements to this section in order to better take into account past and present experiences with LMOs? If so, please indicate the line numbers and explain which improvements could be made:

No improvements necessary

Q39: Here you may provide further details to explain your answers in evaluating this section of the Guidance:

Respondent skipped this question

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Q40: Would you like to submit an evaluation of the following section of the Guidance: Part II: Specific types of LMOs or Traits - Risk assessment of LM crops with tolerance to abiotic stress

Yes

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Q41: This section of the Guidance is practical.1

(no label)

Agree

Q42: Would you like to suggest improvements to this section to increase its practicality? If so, please indicate the line numbers and explain which improvements could be made:

Respondent skipped this question

Q43: This section of the Guidance is useful or has utility.2

(no label)

Agree

Q44: Would you like to suggest improvements to this section to increase its usefulness/utility? If so, please indicate the line numbers and explain which improvements could be made:

Respondent skipped this question

Q45: This section of the Guidance is consistent with the Cartagena Protocol on Biosafety.3

(no label)

Agree

Q46: Would you like to suggest improvements to this section to increase its consistency with the Protocol? If so, please indicate the line numbers and explain which improvements could be made:

Respondent skipped this question

Q47: This section of the Guidance takes into account past and present experiences with LMOs.4

(no label)

Neutral

Q48: Would you like to suggest improvements to this section in order to better take into account past and present experiences with LMOs? If so, please indicate the line numbers and explain which improvements could be made:

Respondent skipped this question

Q49: Here you may provide further details to explain your answers in evaluating this section of the Guidance:

Respondent skipped this question

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Q50: Would you like to submit an evaluation of the following section of the Guidance: Part II: Specific types of LMOs or Traits - Risk assessment of LM mosquitoes

No

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Q51: This section of the Guidance is practical.1

Respondent skipped this question

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Q52: Would you like to suggest improvements to this section to increase its practicality? If so, please indicate the line numbers and explain which improvements could be made: *Respondent skipped this question*

Q53: This section of the Guidance is useful or has utility.² *Respondent skipped this question*

Q54: Would you like to suggest improvements to this section to increase its usefulness/utility? If so, please indicate the line numbers and explain which improvements could be made: *Respondent skipped this question*

Q55: This section of the Guidance is consistent with the Cartagena Protocol on Biosafety.³ *Respondent skipped this question*

Q56: Would you like to suggest improvements to this section to increase its consistency with the Protocol? If so, please indicate the line numbers and explain which improvements could be made: *Respondent skipped this question*

Q57: This section of the Guidance takes into account past and present experiences with LMOs.⁴ *Respondent skipped this question*

Q58: Would you like to suggest improvements to this section in order to better take into account past and present experiences with LMOs? If so, please indicate the line numbers and explain which improvements could be made: *Respondent skipped this question*

Q59: Here you may provide further details to explain your answers in evaluating this section of the Guidance: *Respondent skipped this question*

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Q60: Would you like to submit an evaluation of the following section of the Guidance: Part II: Specific types of LMOs or Traits - Risk assessment of LM trees No

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Q61: This section of the Guidance is practical.¹ *Respondent skipped this question*

Q62: Would you like to suggest improvements to this section to increase its practicality? If so, please indicate the line numbers and explain which improvements could be made: *Respondent skipped this question*

Q63: This section of the Guidance is useful or has utility.² *Respondent skipped this question*

Q64: Would you like to suggest improvements to this section to increase its usefulness/utility? If so, please indicate the line numbers and explain which improvements could be made: *Respondent skipped this question*

Q65: This section of the Guidance is consistent with the Cartagena Protocol on Biosafety.³ *Respondent skipped this question*

Q66: Would you like to suggest improvements to this section to increase its consistency with the Protocol? If so, please indicate the line numbers and explain which improvements could be made: *Respondent skipped this question*

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Q67: This section of the Guidance takes into account past and present experiences with LMOs.4

Respondent skipped this question

Q68: Would you like to suggest improvements to this section in order to better take into account past and present experiences with LMOs? If so, please indicate the line numbers and explain which improvements could be made:

Respondent skipped this question

Q69: Here you may provide further details to explain your answers in evaluating this section of the Guidance:

Respondent skipped this question

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Q70: Would you like to submit an evaluation of the following section of the Guidance: Part III: Monitoring of LMOs Released into the Environment

Yes

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Q71: This section of the Guidance is practical.1

(no label)

Neutral

Q72: Would you like to suggest improvements to this section to increase its practicality? If so, please indicate the line numbers and explain which improvements could be made:

Respondent skipped this question

Q73: This section of the Guidance is useful or has utility.2

(no label)

Agree

Q74: Would you like to suggest improvements to this section to increase its usefulness/utility? If so, please indicate the line numbers and explain which improvements could be made:

Respondent skipped this question

Q75: This section of the Guidance is consistent with the Cartagena Protocol on Biosafety.3

(no label)

Neutral

Q76: Would you like to suggest improvements to this section to increase its consistency with the Protocol? If so, please indicate the line numbers and explain which improvements could be made:

Respondent skipped this question

Q77: This section of the Guidance takes into account past and present experiences with LMOs.4

(no label)

Agree

Q78: Would you like to suggest improvements to this section in order to better take into account past and present experiences with LMOs? If so, please indicate the line numbers and explain which improvements could be made:

Respondent skipped this question

Q79: Here you may provide further details to explain your answers in evaluating this section of the Guidance:

We suggest that a minimum required power is considered for evaluation of hypotheses

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Q80: Would you like to submit an evaluation of the following section of the Guidance: Background Documents Yes

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Q81: This section of the Guidance is practical.1

(no label) Neutral

Q82: This section of the Guidance is useful or has utility.2

(no label) Neutral

Q83: This section of the Guidance is consistent with the Cartagena Protocol on Biosafety.3

(no label) Neutral

Q84: This section of the Guidance takes into account past and present experiences with LMOs.4

(no label) Neutral

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Q85: Please use the space below if you wish to provide additional feedback regarding the testing of the Guidance on Risk Assessment of Living Modified Organisms:

Our general impression is quite positive – the Guidance document directs the reader to consider aspects of LMOs in relevant contexts. The document could be improved by supplementing the text with overview tables and/ or figures showing the elements to consider in the risk assessment.

Specific guidance on how to investigate and quantify the effect of transgenes on biotic interactions is needed. A possible method has previously been suggested (Damgaard and Kjær, 2009). Rosemary Hails recommended in an earlier guidance document the adoption of the method of Damgaard & Kjær (2009)

Damgaard & Kjær 2009. Competitive interactions and the effect of herbivory on Bt-Brassica napus, Brassica rapa and Lolium perenne. Journal of Applied Ecology, 46, 1073–1079