

PART II: SPECIFIC TYPES OF LIVING MODIFIED ORGANISMS OR TRAITS

Risk assessment of living modified organisms with stacked genes or traits

Please answer each of the questions in the left column with “yes” or “no” and add comments if needed.

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| Q16. Does this section provide useful guidance when conducting risk assessments of LMOs with stacked genes or traits in accordance with the Protocol? | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes
<input type="checkbox"/> No | Comments: <Type here> |
| Q17. Is this section of the Guidance useful to risk assessors who have limited experience with risk assessments of LMOs with stacked genes or traits? | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes
<input type="checkbox"/> No | Comments: <Type here> |
| Q18. Is this section of the Guidance organized in a logic and structured manner? | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes
<input type="checkbox"/> No | Comments: <Type here> |
| Q19. Is this section of the Guidance user-friendly taking into account that risk assessment is a complex scientific and multidisciplinary activity? | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes
<input type="checkbox"/> No | Comments: <Type here> |
| Q20. Is there any other issue or concept that you would like to see included in this section of the Guidance? | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes
<input type="checkbox"/> No | Comments: <No history of safe use exists for any LMO. The use of an LMO as comparator should be discouraged.> |

Risk assessment of living modified crops with tolerance to abiotic stress

Please answer each of the questions in the left column with “yes” or “no” and add comments if needed.

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| Q21. Does this section provide useful guidance when conducting risk assessments of LM crops with tolerance to abiotic stress(es) in accordance with the Protocol? | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes
<input type="checkbox"/> No | Comments: <Type here> |
| Q22. Is this section of the Guidance useful to risk assessors who have limited experience with risk assessments of LM crops with tolerance to abiotic stress(es)? | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes
<input type="checkbox"/> No | Comments: <Type here> |
| Q23. Is this section of the Guidance organized in a logic and structured manner? | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes
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| Q24. Is this section of the Guidance user-friendly taking into account that risk assessment is a complex scientific and multidisciplinary activity? | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes
<input type="checkbox"/> No | Comments: <Type here> |
| Q25. Is there any other issue or concept that you would like to see included in this section of the Guidance? | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No | Comments: <Type here> |

Risk assessment of living modified mosquitoes

Please answer each of the questions in the left column with “yes” or “no” and add comments if needed.

Q26. Does this section provide useful guidance when conducting risk assessments of LM mosquitoes in accordance with the Protocol? Yes No Comments: <Type here>

Q27. Is this section of the Guidance useful to risk assessors who have limited experience with risk assessments of LM mosquitoes? Yes No Comments: <Type here>

Q28. Is this section of the Guidance organized in a logic and structured manner? Yes No Comments: <Type here>

Q29. Is this section of the Guidance user-friendly taking into account that risk assessment is a complex scientific and multidisciplinary activity? Yes No Comments: <Type here>

Q30. Is there any other issue or concept that you would like to see included in this section of the Guidance? Yes No Comments: <Type here>

ADDITIONAL COMMENTS

Please add any additional comment you may have regarding the “Guidance on Risk Assessment of Living Modified Organisms” below.

Q31. <A new view point should be considered, perhaps added, whether there were any previous release(s) into the same environment, and/or the individual organism being assessed had any prior exposure to the same, or similar LMO(s) (especially important in case of stacked events) which might influence the reliability of data collected during assessments.

The effects on the ecosystem services should be considered more during the assessment.

It should also be considered to assess the effect of abiotic stress in line 293.

Posttranslational effects should also be considered in line 332, point e) regarding the characterization of the LMO.>
