

Food and Agriculture Organization of the United Nations



International Plant Protection Convention



# INTERNATIONAL YEAR OF

2020

PROTECTING PLANTS, PROTECTING LIFE

# **KEEPING OUR WORLD GREEN**

Legacy of the IYPH 2020

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Presentation at the

## 3<sup>rd</sup> Phytosanitary Conference Virtual Edition

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Ralf LOPIAN @RalfLopian - 1. kesäk. Climate change and plant pests and diseases affect negatively food security. A food secure world is a more peaceful world! #IYPH2020 #PlantHealth

6 FAO Climate Change 2 @FAOclimate - 1. kesäk. RT @FAO: Climate change is a major threat to our #PlantHealth.

It reduces plants' resistance and resilience to pests and diseases.

We need to protect our plants to protect our food security!

Check out our new report -bit.ly/3fXoyXz







Legacy: Highlighting the Importance of Plant Healer to Food Systems







- Initializing Cooperation between CFS and IPPC
- Webinar on Food Systems and Plant Health
- Contributing to Food Systems Summit



Legacy: Initiating work on plant health and climate change







- Scientific Review Study of the Impact of Climate Change on Plant Health
- Two Webinars on Climate Change and Plant Health
- Item on the IPPC Strategic Development Agenda
- Ambitious Work-programme Adopted by IPPC Commission



Legacy: Promoting Plant Health Impacts on Biodiversity Preservation

Courtesy of: British Columbia Ministry of Forests, Lands, Natural Resource Operations and Rural



### Focusing Public Awareness

### **Activities on Biodiversity**

Preservation





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Legacy: International Day of Plant Health







- Zambia proposes 12 May as IDPH
- FAO Conference adopted resolution
- UN-GA to adopt in November 2021



Legacy: A New Dawn for Plant Health



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Thank You all Professionals for Making the International Year of Plant Health a Success

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