

Plant Protection Research and Development Office, Plant Quarantine Research Group

Plant Health Regulation in Thailand and formalities: Pest Risk Analysis (PRA)







Waranya Malee

Seminar on Import of Plants and Plant Products into Thailand 24th March 2021 Carlton Hotel, Bangkok, Thailand



Plant Protection Research and Development Office, Plant Quarantine Research Group

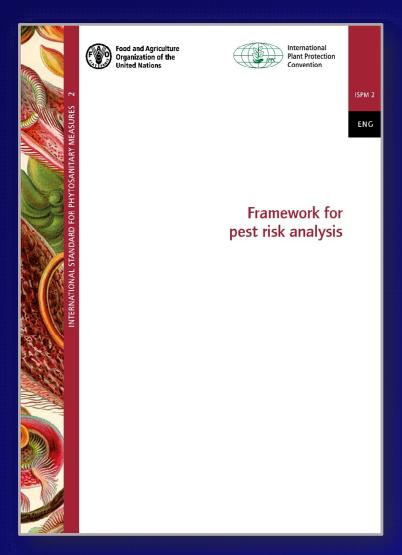
Topics

- Pest Risk Analysis
- The Legislation Relevant

Pest Risk Analysis Standards (including risk management):

- ISPM 2
- ISPM 11
- **ISPM 14**
- ISPM 21

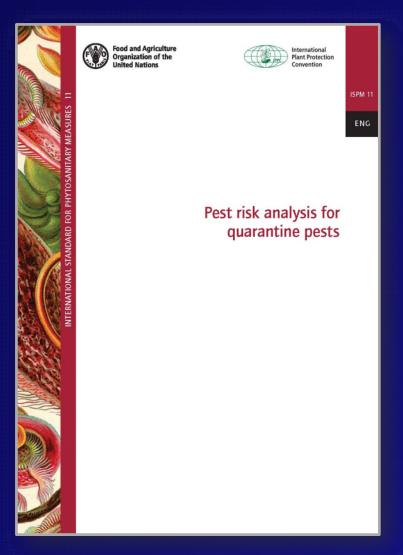




INTERNATIONAL STANDARDS FOR PHYTOSANITARY MEASURES (ISPMs)

ISPM 2 Framework for pest risk analysis (FAO, 2007)





INTERNATIONAL STANDARDS FOR PHYTOSANITARY MEASURES (ISPMs)

ISPM 11
Pest risk analysis
for quarantine pests
(FAO, 2017)



ENG







The use of integrated measures in a systems approach for pest risk management

INTERNATIONAL STANDARDS FOR PHYTOSANITARY MEASURES (ISPMs)

ISPM 14
The use of integrated measures in a systems approach for pest risk management (FAO, 2017)



ENG







Pest risk analysis for regulated non-quarantine pests

INTERNATIONAL STANDARDS FOR PHYTOSANITARY MEASURES (ISPMs)

ISPM 21
Pest risk analysis
for regulated nonquarantine pests
(FAO, 2004)

Pest Risk Analysis (PRA)

The process of evaluating biological or other scientific and economic evidence to determine whether an organism is a pest, whether it should be regulated, and the strength of any phytosanitary measures to be taken against it.

[ISPM 2, 1995; revised IPPC, 1997; ISPM 2, 2007]

Pest Risk Analysis (PRA)

- Science-based process that provides rationale for determining appropriate phytosanitary measures for a specified area
- It evaluates scientific evidence to determine whether an organism is a pest. If so, how it should be managed

Objective of PRA

- 1. To identify Pest and/or pathway of quarantine concern and evaluate their risk
- 2. To identify endangered areas, and if appropriate
- 3. To identify risk management options.

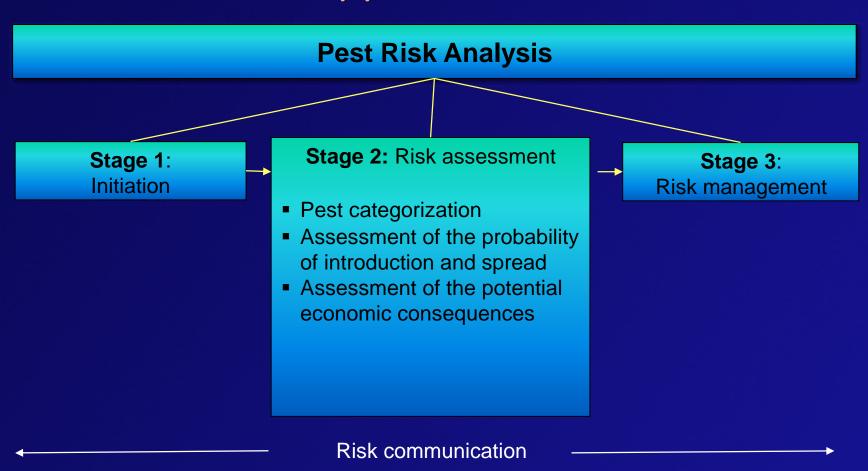
How is PRA done?

PRA for quarantine pests follows a process that is defined by three stages

- Stage 1: Initiation
- Stage 2: Pest Risk Assessment
- Stage 3: Pest Risk Management

Plant Protection Research and Development Office, Plant Quarantine Research Group

IPPC approach to PRA





Plant Protection Research and Development Office, Plant Quarantine Research Group

Stage 1: Initiation

to identify the pest(s) and pathway(s) which are of quarantine concern and should be considered for risk analysis in relation to the identified PRA area.

Stage 2: Pest risk assessment

- Pest categorization
- Assessment of the probability of introduction and spread
- Assessment of potential economic consequences

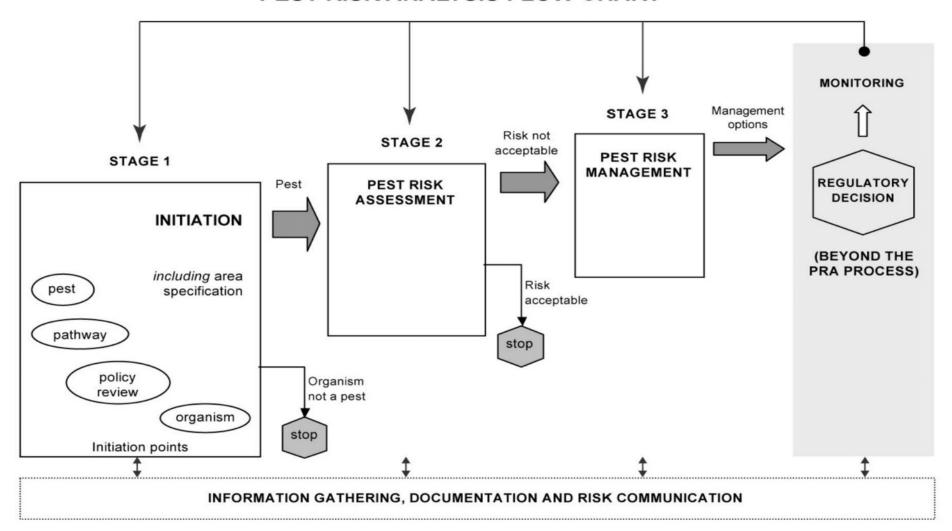


Plant Protection Research and Development Office, Plant Quarantine Research Group

Stage 3: Pest risk management

- Defined as: the evaluation and selection of options to reduce the risk of introduction and spread of a pest. [ISPM No. 11]
- To achieve an appropriate level of protection

PEST RISK ANALYSIS FLOW CHART



The Legislation Relevant



Plant Protection Research and Development Office, Plant Quarantine Research Group

Plant Quarantine Act (



Plant Quarantine Act B.E. 2507 amended by Plant Quarantine Act (No. 2) B.E. 2542 and Plant Quarantine Act (No. 3) B.E. 2551

ฉบับพิเศษ หน้า ๓ เล่ม ๘๑ ตอนที่ ๒๑๖ ราชกิจจานุเบกษา ๒๑ มีนาคม ๒๕๐๗

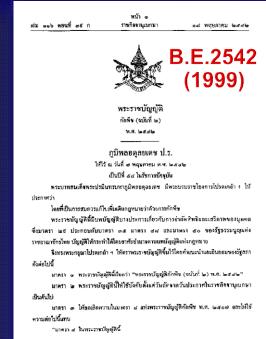
> B.E.2507 (1964)

พระราชบัญญัติ กักพืช

พ.ศ. ๒๕๐๗

ภูมิพลอคุลยเทช ป.ร. ให้ไว้ ณ วันที่ ๑๓ มีนาคม พ.ศ. ๒๕๑๘ เป็นปีที่ ๑๘ ในวัชกาลบัจจุบัน พระบาทสมเด็จพระปรมินทรมหาภูมิพลอดุลยเดช มี พระบรมราชโองการไปรดเกล้า ๆ ให้ประกาศว่า โดยที่เป็นการสมควรมีกฎหมายว่าด้วยการกักพืช จึงทรงพระกรุณาโปรดเกล้า ๆ ให้ตราพระราชบัญญัติขึ้นไว้ โดยดำแนะนำและอินขอมของสภาร่างรัชธรรมนณในชานะ

รัฐสภา ดังต่อไปนี้







Plant Quarantine Act (No. 3) B.E. 2551

Section 4

Definition of "pest risk analysis"

Section 8(2)

Importation/bringing in transit of *prohibited articles* for commerce / other purposes:

- subjected to PRA
- complied with the criteria, procedures and conditions stipulated by the Director-General under the recommendation of the Committee and published in the Government Gazette.

Definition

Prohibited article: plants, plant pests and carriers declared by the Minister in the Government Gazette as prohibited article

"carrier" means planting materials, soil, sand, containers or other materials in which plants are packed, organic fertilizers or others which may serve as media for the plant pests



Plant Protection Research and Development Office, Plant Quarantine Research Group

plants and carriers from certain sources......

G/SPS/N/THA/152/Rev. 1/Add. 1



Notification of Ministry of Agriculture and Cooperatives Re: Specification of plants and carriers from certain sources as prohibited articles, of exceptions and conditions under the Plant Quarantine Act B.E. 2507 (No. 5) B.E. 2550

By virtue of Article 6 of the Plant Quarantie 17, revised by the Plant Quarantine Act (No. 2) B.E. 2542, the Min 18, and Cooperatives, through the recommendation of the Plant Qual vine 20, see, hereby issue the following notification.

Item 1. The for the grant of the state of th

Re: Specification of Ministry of Agriculture (No. 6) Re: Specification of Example 20 (See Exam

- 1.2 Notification of Ministry of Agriculture (No. 11) y: Specification of plants, plant pests or carriers from certain sources as prohibited articles, of exceptions and conditions under the Plant Quarantine Act B.E. 2507 dated 26 April B.E. 2514;
- Notification of Ministry of Agriculture and Cooperatives (No. 14) Re: Specification of plants, plant pests or carriers as prohibited articles under the Plant Quarantine Act B.E. 2507 dated 15 December B.E. 2521;
- 1.4 Notification of Ministry of Agriculture and Cooperatives Re: Specification of plants, plant pests or earniers from certain sources as prohibited articles, of exceptions and conditions under the Plant Quarantine Act B.E. 2507 (No. 1) B.E. 2533 dated 11 December B.E. 2533;
- 1.5 Notification of Ministry of Agriculture and Cooperatives Re: Specification of plants, plant pests or carriers from certain sources as prohibited articles, of exceptions and conditions under the Plant Quarantine Act B.E. 2507 (No. 3) B.E. 2538 dated 4 December 2538;
- 1.6 Notification of Ministry of Agriculture and Cooperatives Re: Specification of plants, plant pests or carriers from certain sources as prohibited articles, of exceptions and conditions under the Plant Quarantine Act B.E. 2507 (No. 4) B.E. 2539 dated 14 August 2539;
- 1.7 Notification of Ministry of Agriculture and Cooperatives Re: Specification of plants, plant pests or carriers from certain sources as prohibited articles,



Notification of Ministry of
Agriculture and Cooperatives
Re: Specification of plants
and carriers from certain sources
as prohibited articles, of
exceptions and conditions under
the Plant Quarantine Act
B.E. 2507 (No. 5) B.E. 2550

G/SPS/N/THA/152/Rev. 1



Plant Protection Research and Development Office, Plant Quarantine Research Group

Notification of Ministry of Agriculture and Cooperatives Re: Specification of plants and carriers from certain sources as prohibited articles, of exceptions and conditions under the Plant Quarantine Act B.E. 2507 (No. 5) B.E. 2550

G/SPS/N/THA/152/Rev. 1

Prohibited Article



plants

- fresh fruits (27species, 25 Genus, 2 Families)
- any plant part (8 species, 11 Genus, 1 Family)

Plant Protection Research and Development Office, Plant Quarantine Research Group

Prohibited article imported for commercial purpose

- subjected to PRA
- complied with the criteria, procedures and conditions stipulated by the DG









NPPO of exporting country request for market access & submit technical information for PRA

Enclosure 3 G/SPS/N/THA/158



Notification of Department of Agriculture Re: Specifications, methods and conditions of pest risk analysis for the importation of prohibited articles

According to Notification of Ministry of Agriculture and Cooperatives Re: Specification of plants and carriers from certain sources as prohibited articles, of exceptions and conditions under the Plant Quarantine Act B.E. 2507 (No. 5) B.E. 2550 dated 26 April B.E. 2550, it specifies exceptions or conditions for permission to import prohibited articles after the completion of pest risk analysis (PRA) in accordance with specifications, methods and conditions issued by Director-General of the Department of Agriculture. Therefore, Director-General of the Department of Agriculture, hereby, issues the following

Item 1. National Plant Protection Organization (NPPO) of exporting country must submit a request in writing for import permission of prohibited articles to Director-General of the Department of Agriculture at the following address:

> Director-General Department of Agriculture 50 Phaholyothin Road, Chatuchak Bangkok 10900, THAILAND Telephone: - 66 2 940 5412 Facsimile: 66 2 940 5528

Item 2. NPPO of exporting country must provide all information in English for PRA as follows:

- 2.1 Complete address of NPPO with telephone, facsimile and email contact information
- 2.2 Information about proposed export commodity to Thailand
 - scientific name, including author (s)
 - taxonomic classification
 - synonyms
 - 2.2.4 common name
 - variety/cultivar
 - plant part to be exported (e.g. fruit, seed etc.)



Notification of Department of Agriculture Re: Specifications, methods and conditions of pest risk analysis for the importation of prohibited articles

National Plant Protection Organization (NPPO) of exporting country must submit a request in writing for import permission of prohibited articles to Director-General of the Department of Agriculture

Notification of Department of Agriculture Re: Specifications, methods and conditions of pest risk analysis for the importation of prohibited articles

G/SPS/N/THA/158

- Export commodities name
- Information of production area, production, cultivation
- Information about pests and vectors
- Post-harvest management



Plant Protection Research and Development Office, Plant Quarantine Research Group

- Current phytosanitary measures
- Results of PRA which have been carried out in other countries
- Phytosanitary certification procedures
- Result of PRA in other countries

The completion of PRA may involve the visit of plant quarantine officials to exporting country to evaluate pest managements in production area, export certification schemes, post-harvest disinfestation/disinfection treatments.

Process of PRA & Regulation

NPPO of exporting country request for market access
 & submit technical information for PRA

2. PRA process

- Stage 1 Initiation
- Stage 2 Pest Risk Assessment
- Stage 3 Pest Risk Management
- Draft import conditions
- Submit draft import conditions to the Technical Plant Quarantine Subcommittee for consideration & approval
- Audit export procedures in the exporting country



Plant Protection Research and Development Office, Plant Quarantine Research Group

Process of PRA & Regulation

3. Regulation process

- Submit draft import conditions to Plant Quarantine Committee for approval
- Approved final draft is sent to DOA for legal and signatory process
- Publish the import conditions in the Government Gazette





Notification of Department of Agriculture
Re: Conditions for Import of Apple Fruit from the Republic of Poland
B.E. 2562 (2019)

The Department of Agriculture has completed pest risk analysis for commercial importation of fresh apple fruit from the Republic of Poland.

By virtue of the provisions of Section 8 (2) and Section 10 of the Plant Quarantine Act B.E. 2507 (1964) amended by the Plant Quarantine Act (No. 3) B.E. 2551 (2008), the Director-General of Department of Agriculture through the recommendation of the Plant Quarantine Committee hereby announces phytosanitary import requirements of fresh apple fruit from the Republic of Poland as follows:

- This notification shall be called "Notification of Department of Agriculture, Re: Conditions for Import of Apple Fruit from the Republic of Poland B.E. 2562 (2019)."
- This notification shall enter into force a day after the date of its proclamation in the Government Gazette.
- 3. Permitted Plant Species

Fresh apple (Mahus domestica) fruit.

4. Quarantine Pests of Concern

A list of quarantine pests of concern to the Kingdom of Thail Republic of Poland is given in the Annex.

5. Responsible Organizati

5.2 Jouble of the start The state Place Health of the aspection Service chartery. The Red Dehreny Rostine (1997) is designated as an official National and Protection assort of the Republic of Poland (hereinafter referred to

Conditions for Import of Apple Fruit from the Republic of Poland B.E. 2562 (2019)

Page 1 of 7

