



Sweetpotato for Profit and Health Initiative
Regional Technical Support Platform for East, Central and Southern Africa
Sweetpotato Seed Systems Community of Practice: Tenth Consultation- Sustainable Pre-basic Seed Production –
Progress Review. Pride Inn, Rhapsa Rd Nairobi
12-15th November 2018 AGENDA

TIME	SESSION	Responsible
	ARRIVALS: Sunday 11th November: BioCrops; NaCCRI; TARI-Tz; IIAM; NRCRI	Bernice Wairimu and Chris Kioko
MONDAY 12TH NOVEMBER – Individual review of and business plan and final narrative technical report		
8.30 -12.30	Review of business plans and final narrative technical report	BioCrops; NaCCRI; TARI-Tz; IIAM; NRCRI Rosemary Kihui, Srini Rajendran, Margaret McEwan,
Lunch		
14.30 – 16.30	Review of business plans and final narrative technical report	BioCrops; NaCCRI; TARI-Tz; IIAM; NRCRI Rosemary Kihui, Srini Rajendran, Margaret McEwan,
	ARRIVALS: Monday 12th November RAB; DARS; CRI; INERA; ZARI; TARI-ET; SARI-ET	Bernice Wairimu and Chris Kioko
MAIN MEETING: Tuesday 13th November 2018. Moderator: Jude Njoku & Benard Yada Rapporteur: Faith Njunge		
7.45 – 8.00	Registration	Bernice Wairimu
8.00 – 8.15	Introductions and objectives of meeting	Margaret McEwan (CIP-SSA)
8.15 – 8.30	Opening remarks and update on SPHI	Regional Director and Jan Low (SPHI Co-Leader and Principal Scientist)
Session 1: OUR JOURNEY – SUSTAINABLE EGS PRODUCTION		
8.30 – 10.30	Plenary session: Country/institution presentations (PI): SARI, NaCCRI, BioCrops, SRI, DARS, CRI,	Presentation of tables: 1a,1b,1c, and 2 with analysis & interpretation Presentation of outcome story: 15 minutes presentation 5 minutes questions per institution
10.30 – 11.00 Group photo and tea/coffee break		
11.00 – 13.00	Country/institution presentations (PI): TARI, KEPHIS, RAB, IIAM, NRCRI, ZARI,	Continued
13.00 – 14.00 Lunch		
Session 1: OUR JOURNEY – SUSTAINABLE EGS PRODUCTION		
14.00 – 14.20	Country/institution presentations (PI): INERA	Continued
14.20 – 14.45	Discussion and review of outcome stories	Rosemary Kihui
Session 2: Peer review of marketing strategy competition entries. Moderator: Srini Rajendran Rapporteur: Christine Okoye		
14.45– 16.30	Group work: peer review of marketing strategies	4 groups of 3-4 NARIs review each other's competition entry
16.10 – 16.30 Tea/Coffee break		
16.30 – 17.15	Group feedback:	10 minutes per group
End of day		

TIME	SESSION	Responsible
Wednesday 14th November 2018		
Session 3: EGS Business Continuity. Moderator: Rosemary Kihiu Rapporteur: Obed Mwenye		
8.00 – 8.15	Recap and housekeeping announcements	Participant and Bernice Wairimu
8.15 – 10.15	Country/institution presentations of business plan highlights (Agricultural Economist): TARI, RAB, IIAM, NRCRI, ZARI, INERA	a. Fact Sheet b. Progress with implementation of the strategies to strengthen implementation of business plan c. Next steps for continued implementation of EGS business; including “key message” from your head of institution
<i>10.15 – 10.30 Tea/coffee break</i>		
10.30 - 13.00	Country/Institution presentations business plan highlights (Agricultural Economist): SARI, NaCRRI, BioCrops, SRI, DARS, CRI, KEPHIS.	Continued
13.00 – 14.00 Lunch Break		
Session 4: Seed Regulatory Frameworks. Moderator: Margaret McEwan Rapporteur: Simon Zziwa		
14.00 – 16.00	Group work to review seed standards and implementation of inspections	4 country groups
16.00 – 16.15: Tea/coffee break		
16.15 – 16.45	Financial reports submission	Emily Ndoho
16.45 – 17.30	Group report back on seed standards	Plenary
17.30-17.45	Evaluation and wrap up	Srini Rajendran and Margaret McEwan
18.30 – 21.00	Evening dinner	Venue to be confirmed
THURSDAY 15th November 2016		
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FRIDAY 16TH NOVEMBER 2016		
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