



PHYTO-BiH

“NEW ACTIONS TO SUPPORT THE PHYTOSANITARY SECTOR IN BOSNIA AND HERZEGOVINA FOR THE HARMONIZATION WITH EU STANDARDS”

General objective	To contribute to the strengthening of the phytosanitary system of Bosnia and Herzegovina and its progressive alignment with the <i>acquis communautaire</i> .
Specific objective	To align to EU standards the technical and organizational skills and competences of the bodies responsible for the phytosanitary diagnosis and/or phytosanitary controls and inspections (laboratories and inspection services).
Funding agency	Ministry of Foreign Affairs and International Cooperation of Italian Government, Italian Agency for Development Cooperation
Executing agency	<i>Centre International de Hautes Etudes Agronomiques Méditerranéennes</i> – Mediterranean Agronomic Institute of Bari (CIHEAM Bari)
Counterpart	Ministry of Foreign Trade and Economic Relations (MoFTER)–Plant Health Protection Administration (PHPA)
Total project budget [€]	1,198,400.00
Type of Funding	100% grant of Italian Government
Project duration	36 months (June 2019 – May 2022)

<p>Expected results</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> •The technical-regulatory framework on the control of quarantine organisms harmonized with the EU standards. •The Phytosanitary Inspection Service skilled to properly perform its roles in accordance with the acquis communautaire. •The laboratories responsible for the phytosanitary diagnosis and seed quality aligned to the international standards (EPPO, ISO 17025 and ISTA) in terms of equipment and certified and accredited methods and procedures. •The staff of the phytosanitary and seeds quality laboratories enhanced in their skills and competences to use diagnostic methodologies and protocols according to the International Standards.
<p>Partners</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> •Ministry of Foreign Trade and Economic Relations of Bosnia and Herzegovina (MoFTER) - Plant Health Protection Administration of BiH (PHPA) •Federal Agricultural Institute, Sarajevo •Federal Agro-Mediterranean Institute, Mostar •Agricultural Institute of Republika Srpska, Banja Luka •Faculty of Agriculture, Phytosanitary Laboratory, Banja Luka •Administration for Inspection Affairs of Republika Srpska, Banja Luka •Federal Administration for Inspection Affairs, Sarajevo •Department for Inspection of Brčko District •Federal Ministry of Agriculture, Water management and Forestry •Ministry of Agriculture, Forestry and Water management of Republika Srpska •Department for Agriculture, Water management and Forestry of Brčko District

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