

**Insecticide Resistance Action Committee** 

# SMART GOALS & OBJECTIVES 2017 - 2018











### **SMART Goals & Objectives**

Specific Measurable Achievable Realistic (Resourced) and Time Bound

#### **IRAC International**

The IRAC Network is made up of a series of inter-company Committees dedicated to prolonging the effectiveness of insecticides and acaricides by countering the development of resistance. The Committees operate at a global level (IRAC Executive) and at a regional or country level (IRAC Country Groups) and the whole network is termed IRAC International (abbreviated to IRAC).

The IRAC Executive Committee provides technical information, coordination and support for IRAC through a series of international Teams and Working Groups. Annual goals and SMART objectives for each of the teams are set in accordance with the overall IRAC Mission and should be reviewed periodically during the year within the teams to evaluate progress.

#### The IRAC International Mission

- Facilitate communication and education on insecticide and traits resistance
- Promote the development and facilitate the implementation of insecticide resistance management strategies to maintain efficacy and support sustainable agriculture and improved public health



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## **IRAC Lepidoptera WG Objectives 2017-18**

Goals	Objectives	Target Completion Date
1. Maintain currency of the global IRM guidelines based on new experiences, new active ingredients, and app methods.	Ensure that country teams incorporate IRM guidelines into IRM training items.	
2. Continue compliance process to align IRM recommendations among company product labels.	<ul> <li>Compare country labels of different companies to discuss learnings, experiences and challenges.</li> <li>Conduct joint session of IRAC International Lep WG and country team(s) to discuss label examples.</li> </ul>	
3. Improve Lepidopteran educational and communication tools	<ul> <li>Move country IRM recommendations to IRAC website.</li> <li>Complete a slide set using new insecticide IRM guidelines with examples and visuals.</li> </ul>	
4. Support country resistance action groups	<ul> <li>Choose new global liaisons to communicate to country teams.</li> <li>Lep team companies identify country reps to participate in mtgs.</li> <li>Identify initiatives to improve International IRAC interactions with country teams</li> <li>Standardize IRAC country group names</li> <li>Update country resistance action group membership and emails</li> </ul>	
5. Develop methods for gap species.	<ul> <li>Prioritize species</li> <li>Engage the Methods team to address the methods gap</li> </ul>	
6. Tuta task team	<ul> <li>Audit and foster interactions among countries</li> <li>Update IRAC Tuta booklet and poster</li> </ul>	

