

POMS Terms and conditions

As part of the provision of advice to farmers, the Plantwise Knowledge Bank offers the facility for partner organisations to enter, collate and analyse information collected at plant clinics. CABI recognises the value of scientific data, but also the potential sensitivity of some of this information and so has created two sections of the Knowledge Bank; one that is access-controlled and one that is open-access. Use of data from the plant clinics in both the access-controlled and open-access areas is governed by signed data sharing agreements with partners and governments.

The access-controlled section is called the Plantwise Online Management System (POMS), and only selected employees from partner organisations, relevant in-country government bodies and CABI will be able to view the material deposited. The relevant partners, for example the National Coordinator or National Data Manager, will be able to correct, analyse and use the data for their own internal purposes and CABI would delete and remove the data at their request. CABI will ensure that all reasonable administrative, technical and physical safeguards are taken to protect the supplied data from misuse, loss or any unauthorised access, use, modification or disclosure.

Access to POMS is provided on the understanding that end-users have read and are willing to abide by a set of Terms and Conditions. These Terms and Conditions are designed to make it clear to users of POMS what they may and may not do with the content provided to them as part of their user account. Our aim has been to make the Terms and Conditions unambiguous and fair to all parties, but if further explanation is required, please email plantwise@cabi.org with your query.

Licence

These are the terms on which CABI provides access to users of the POMS. CAB International, trading as CABI, is an international, not-for-profit organisation with its headquarters located at Nosworthy Way, Wallingford, Oxfordshire, OX10 8DE, UK.

Key Definitions

Authorized Users	Selected employees from partner organisations, and relevant in-country government bodies, who have been identified by the relevant authority in their country, for example the National Coordinator or National Data Manager, as requiring access to the POMS (hereafter referred to as 'Licensed Materials'). Individuals will have been verified by CABI and issued with a username and password to access the Licensed Materials.
Commercial Use	Use for the purposes of monetary reward (whether by or for the Authorized User) by means of sale, resale, loan, transfer, hire or other form of exploitation of the Licensed Materials.
Licensed Materials	Information contained in the POMS.
Plantwise	An initiative, led by CABI, to improve food security and the lives of the rural poor by reducing crop losses.
Plantwise Online Management system (POMS)	The access-controlled section of the Plantwise Knowledge Bank, created and run by CABI.
Secure Network	A network, whether a standalone network or a virtual network within the Internet, which is only accessible to Authorized Users approved by the National Data Manager and CABI, whose identity is authenticated at the time of log-in and periodically thereafter consistent with current best practice, and whose conduct is subject to regulation by CABI.
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Agreement

1. CABI agrees to grant to the Authorized User access to POMS via a secure login, subject to the conditions of their access rights.
2. This Licence shall commence once the User has been authorized by CABI and subsequently sent details of how to access the POMS.
3. Access will be provided to the POMS only.
4. CABI and staff associated with the Plantwise programme accept no responsibility for the accuracy of the data within the POMS.
5. CABI complies with the GDPR and Data Protection Act 2018 and carries out the necessary technical and organisational measures to keep personal data secure. CABI may need to contact authorised users for operational reasons such as account activation, password changes, the entry of invalid records, successful data uploaded to POMS and data saved for a later session. Please see CABI's privacy notice for further information regarding the use of personal information: <https://www.cabi.org/privacy-policy/>.

Usage Rights

Authorized Users may:

1. Access the POMS via the CABI's Server on a secured network;
2. Display, download or print materials from the POMS for internal use;
3. Edit, view and search information in the POMS subject to the terms of their access rights;
4. Download and electronically save clinic data for individual use;
5. Distribute a copy of analyses in print or electronic form to other in-country Plantwise collaborators, subject to the express permission of the relevant authority in their country, for example the National Coordinator or National Data Manager.

Prohibited Use

Authorized Users may not:

1. Alter data entered into the POMS unless for the purposes of legitimately editing;
2. Falsify any data entered into the POMS;
3. Share personal username and login details with anyone;
4. Share data contained in the POMS without the express permission of the relevant authority in their country, for example the National Coordinator or National Data Manager;
5. Publish, distribute or make available the Licensed Materials, works based on the Licensed Materials or works which combine them with any other material, other than as permitted in this Licence, without the express permission of the relevant authority in their country, for example the National Coordinator or National Data Manager;
6. Use the Licensed Materials for the purposes of monetary reward by means of sale, resale, loan, transfer, hire or other form of Commercial Use;
7. Publish clinic data or analyses based on clinic data which appear to indicate the presence of a new pest. Such data should be reported immediately to the National Plant Protection Organisation (NPPO).