

Nematology Laboratory

In the Nematology Laboratory, diagnostic tests are carried out on domestic or imported plant material, in order to detect and identify those nematodes of quarantine interest or economic importance.

For identification purposes, morphological and morphometric characteristics are taken into account, as well as databases (FAO, EPPO, and CAB), magazines, monographs, original descriptions, and the analysis of genetic material using molecular techniques.

The laboratory also receives support and advice of specialists from different domestic and foreign institutions to stay updated and at the forefront in the study of Nematology.