

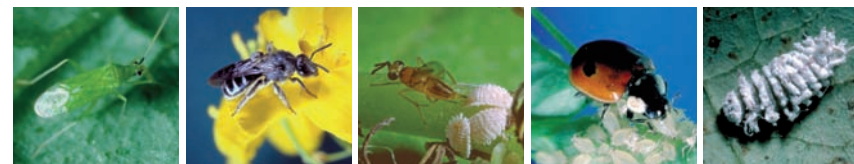
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Programme



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23rd of October 2006

Programme	
09.00 - 13.00 Congress Foyer Auditorium Foyer	Setting up stands and posters
13.00 - 13.30 Auditorium	Welcome (Chair: Lucius Tamm) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> > Michel Guillon (President IBMA): Objectives of IBMA and ABIM > Lucius Tamm (FiBL): Welcome on behalf of the organizing committee > Fabio Cerutti (BLW): New evidence on the contribution of Swiss agriculture to the viability of rural areas > Heinrich Hebeisen (Canton Lucerne): Biocontrol in a Swiss canton: the case of Lucerne
13.30 - 14.30 Auditorium	Plenary session 1 (Chair: Michel Guillon) New developments in regulation and policy development <ul style="list-style-type: none"> > Fabio Cerutti (BLW): Regulation of beneficial Insects and biocontrol agents in Switzerland > Wolfgang Reinert (DG SANCO). The new regulation on plant protection products in the EU. > Ulf Heilig (IBMA): Public relations in regulatory affairs for IBMA > Michael Braverman (Rudgers Univ.): IR-4 and international biopesticide registrations for speciality crop agriculture
Coffee break Congress Foyer	
15.00 - 16.00 Auditorium	Plenary session 2 (Chair: Bernard Blum) New market developments <ul style="list-style-type: none"> > Johann Züblin (Migros): EurepGAP and biocontrol > Simeon Chenev (DG Enterprise): The European Union Support programmes for SMEs > Thomas Jaekel (GTZ): The GTZ project «Commercialisation of Biopesticides» > Reinhard Behrens (SOFI): Instruments for facilitating investments > Stephane Delautre-Drouillon: Contribution and proposals for the promotion of the distribution of biopesticides
16.00 - 17.00 Auditorium	Plenary session 3 (Chair: Richard Great Rex) Macrobials <ul style="list-style-type: none"> > Arne Peters (e-nema): The position of entomopathogenic nematodes in the biological control market > Tiziana Irdani (CRA): Cryopreservation of nematode specimens avoiding liquid nitrogen > Karel Bolckmans (Koppert): Amblyseius swirskii > Firouz Kabiri (Biotop): Commercial development of beneficials for outdoor utilization in France: examples with Trichogramma, ladybirds > Milan Hluchy (Biocont): Effect of Trichoplus on the cotton bollworm (H. armigera)
17.30 - 19.30 Auditorium	Annual General Assembly Meeting of IBMA
Aperitif Congress Foyer	

24th of October 2006

Programme	
08.30 - 09.30 Auditorium	Plenary session 4 (Chair: Guido Sterk) Microbials <ul style="list-style-type: none"> > Daniel Zingg (Andermatt BIOCONTROL): Baculovirus products of Andermatt BIOCONTROL AG > Roberto Kron-Morelli (Agrifutur). MELOCONT and GRANMET, two new fungal pest control products produced by Agrifutur > Peter Lüth (Prophyta): The new biological nematocide BioAct, its production, application and efficacy > Stefan Kunz (Bio-Protect): Aureobasidium pullulans – an effective yeast for biocontrol > Don Edgecomb (AgraQuest): Serenade (Bacillus subtilis, strain QST 713): Use in integrated pest management
Coffee break Congress Foyer	
10.00 - 12.00 Auditorium	Plenary session 5 (Chair: Hubertus Kleeberg) Botanicals, natural substances and semiochemicals <ul style="list-style-type: none"> > Georges Magnier (AgriPlantes): Pyrethrum production in France: experience, status and perspectives > Richard Meadow (BIOFORSK): ECOguard: a garlic-based insecticide for the control of root flies in brassica > Olivier Klarzynski (Goëmar): Stimulation of natural defenses: a growing technique for plant protection against diseases > Hubertus Kleeberg (Trifolio-M): Successful marketing of NeemAzal-T/S for the biological control of insect pests > Hubertus Kleeberg (Trifolio-M): Quassia-extract-MD – a new botanical with interesting pest-control properties > Willem Ravensberg (Koppert): A novel, natural anti-microbial product for use as an agricultural bactericide and fungicide > Mac McCreless (ACM-Texas): Effectiveness of unique non-hazardous desiccant powder > Vittorio Veronelli (CBC): Pheromones present and future > Eric Doye (PheromonTest): A reliable field test for development and registration of mating disruption technics
Lunch Break	
13.30 - 15.00 Club Rooms 3-6	Parallel sessions: Meetings of national IBMA-organisations Club Room 4: > IBMA Italy (Chair: Roberto Kron-Morelli) Club Room 3: > IBMA UK (Chair: Melvyn Fidgett) Club Room 5: > IBMA France (Chair: Jean Parat) Club Room 6: > IVB Germany (Chair: Hubertus Kleeberg)
Auditorium	Sustaining the long term efficacy of <i>Cydia pomonella</i> granulovirus (CpGV) products: European research to overcome CpGV resistance (Chair: Annegret Schmitt)
15.30 - 18.30 Auditorium	Workshop REBECA (Chair Ulf Heilig) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> > Ralf-Udo Ehlers: The policy support action REBECA