

**Name of Issue:** Genetic Erosion in Genebanks

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**Highlights from the discussion:**

Discussion of the interpretation/comparison of the different biomolecular methodologies results.

Value of morphological characterisation vs. molecular characterisation

Importance of standards

**Future/Next step:**

Development of "standard" methodologies to find and monitor genetic erosion at the European Region level.

Continuing developing morphological descriptors.