

# Facts and figures Fascination of Plants Day 2015

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<http://plantday.org>

250.000 plant species

**126.888 unique visitors online**

28.000 plant researchers and staff belong to EPSO membership

3.100 personal EPSO members

**3.227 tweets, 1.636 followers** on twitter, **1.605 likes, 1.213 own postings on facebook** on FoPD

**933 events** held on FoPD

**567 institutions** signed up for FoP Day

226 research institutes and universities represented by EPSO

201 Events announced in Poland, 127 in Ukraine and 72 in Italy for the FoPD – top in **Europe**

**55 countries** signed up for FoPD: Angola, RG, AUS, AT, BE, Bolivia, Bosnia, BRA, BG, CAN, Chile, CHI, Croatia, CY, CZ, DK, EE, FI, FR, DE, GR, HU, IND, IE, IT, JAP, Lebanon, LT, Nepal, NL, NZ, NIG, NO, MEX, Mozambique, Philippines, PL, PT, RO, RUS, Saudi-Arabia, SK, SV, S-Afr, S-Korea, ES, SE, CH, Tanzania, Thailand, TR, UK, UKR, Uruguay, USA, Zambia

39 Japanese events organized and 6 in Lebanon on FoPD – most active in **Australasia**

29 European, 11 Australo-asian , 7 African, and 8 American countries join FoP Day

15 events held in the USA and 14 in Mexico for the FoPD – best in **America**

**4 National patronages:** Czech Minister for Agriculture Marian Jurecka; Austria's First Lady Mrs Margit Fischer; Prof. Dr. Johanna Wanka, German Federal Minister of Education and Research and Christian Schmidt, German Federal Minister of Food and Agriculture

1 institution each organizing an event in Angola, Mozambique, Saudi-Arabia and South-Africa on the FoPD – top in **Africa**

54 Countries confirmed	567 Institutions	933 Events	Countries confirmed	Institutions	Events
<b>Angola</b>	1		<b>Mexico</b>	14	14
<b>Argentina</b>	7	7	<b>Mozambique</b>	1	1
<b>Australia</b>	1	1	<b>Nepal</b>		
<b>Austria</b>	15	18	<b>Netherlands</b>		
<b>Belgium</b>	3	4	<b>New Zealand</b>	2	2
<b>Bolivia</b>	2	3	<b>Nigeria</b>		
<b>Bosnia</b>	3	3	<b>Norway</b>	6	14
<b>Brazil</b>	1	7	<b>Philippines</b>	1	1
<b>Bulgaria</b>	5	5	<b>Poland</b>	48	201
<b>Canada</b>	1	1	<b>Portugal</b>	42	46
<b>Chile</b>			<b>Romania</b>	3	4
<b>China</b>			<b>Russia</b>	7	9
<b>Croatia</b>	2	2	<b>Saudi-Arabia</b>	1	1
<b>Cyprus</b>	1	1	<b>Slovakia</b>	11	11
<b>Czech Republic</b>	32	31	<b>Slovenia</b>	22	41
<b>Denmark</b>			<b>South-Africa</b>	1	1
<b>Finland</b>	3	19	<b>South-Korea</b>		
<b>France</b>	12	13	<b>Spain</b>	41	58
<b>Germany</b>	13	17	<b>Sweden</b>	7	5
<b>Greece</b>	3	4	<b>Switzerland</b>	9	9
<b>Hungary</b>	28	36	<b>Tanzania</b>		
<b>India</b>	3	3	<b>Thailand</b>		
<b>Ireland</b>	15	24	<b>Turkey</b>		
<b>Italy</b>	50	72	<b>UK</b>	35	35
<b>Japan</b>	35	39	<b>Ukraine</b>	38	127
<b>Lebanon</b>	3	6	<b>Uruguay</b>	4	
<b>Lithuania</b>	18	18	<b>USA</b>	12	15
			<b>Zambia</b>		