

Appendix I. Safety-duplication capacities

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Country	Institute / storage conditions / comments
Belgium	DvP, -10°C and -20°C
Bulgaria	Space is available to host safety-duplicates but the buildings need technical reconstruction
Croatia	Capacity to host safety-duplicates at -18°C; modalities to be determined
Czech Republic	-18°C, limited capacity
Estonia	-20°C, limited capacity
France	GEVES, -18°C, limited capacity (1000 samples)
Germany	IPK, Gatersleben -15°C/ Malchow -20°C
Greece	No space available at present, but possibly after new storage facilities are built, according to a new national programme awaiting final approval
Israel	Israeli Gene Bank, Volcani Centre will have space at -20°C within a year
Lithuania	-18°C, limited capacity
Netherlands	CGN can host samples under a black box agreement (-20°C)
Poland	IHAR, -18°C
Portugal	BPGV, -20°C (contact Ana Maria Barata at bpgv@draedm.min-agricultura.pt)
Russian Federation	+4°C; -10°C, unlimited capacity
Slovakia	Only -18°C, in limited capacity
Spain	-18°C at Centro de Recursos Fitogenéticos, Madrid (contact Celia de la Cuadra at cuadra@inia.es)
Switzerland	RAC, Changins -20°C, limited capacity (contact Gert Kleijer at geert.kleijer@rac.admin.ch)
Turkey	AARI, -18°C, limited capacity
Ukraine	NCPGRU, Institute of Plant Production, -20°C, limited capacity
United Kingdom	IGER, only -25°C - depends on the volume of seed