

Colocasia
Simplified standard protocol: SSP/COL/2

Examination office	Naktuinbouw	
Reference of the protocol	SSP/COL/1	
Date of preparation of the protocol	01/03/2022	
Date of entry into force of the protocol	01/03/2022	
Botanical taxon:	Colocasia esculenta (L.) Schott Colocasia Schott	
Common Name (when known):	Cocoyam Taro	
Way of propagation of the plants to be examined	Self or cross pollinated seed propagated <input type="checkbox"/> Vegetatively propagated <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
Number of growing cycles:	1 <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 2 <input type="checkbox"/> Other <input type="checkbox"/> specify Click or tap here to enter text.	
List of grouping characteristics	Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> if yes put as annex No <input type="checkbox"/>	
Minimum number of plants in trial	Vegetative:20	Seed: -
Minimum number of plants observed by measuring or counting:	Vegetative:1	Seed: -
Give description of when observations should take place	Observation on the leaf should take place: after 9 month growing in the test facility. Other observations should take place: after 9 month growing in the test facility.	

<p>Uniformity:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - For the assessment of uniformity of vegetatively propagated, self-pollinated seed propagated varieties or F1-hybrids, a population standard of 1 % and an acceptance probability of at least 95% should be applied. In the case of a sample size of 20 plants, 1 off-types are allowed. - For the assessment of uniformity for cross-pollinated varieties, the recommendations for cross-pollinated varieties in the General introduction of UPOV should be applied. The variability within the variety should not exceed the variability of comparable varieties already known. 	
Table of characteristics	Present <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Not available <input type="checkbox"/>
Literature (when present, please annex to this document)	Present <input type="checkbox"/> Absent <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>

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1. Plant: height
2. Plant: diameter
3. Sheath: length
4. Sheath: length
5. Sheath: colour
6. Petiole: length
7. Petiole: diameter
8. Petiole: number of colour
9. Petiole: main colour
10. Petiole: secondary colour
11. Petiole: type of pattern
12. Leaf blade: attitude
13. Leaf blade: length
14. Leaf blade: width
15. Leaf blade: shape
16. Leaf blade: length of lobed
17. Leaf blade: number of colours of upper side
18. Leaf blade: main colour of upper side RHS Colour Chart (indicate reference number)
19. Leaf blade: secondary colour of upper side RHS Colour Chart (indicate reference number)
20. Leaf blade: pattern of secondary colour
21. Leaf blade: main colour of lower side RHS Colour Chart (indicate reference number)
22. Leaf blade: colour of main vein on lower side RHS Colour Chart (indicate reference number)
23. Leaf blade: glossiness
24. Leaf blade: undulation of margin
25. Leaf blade: shape of cross section
26. Leaf blade: shape of apex
Literature: