

Close-out December 2024 Pest Report

(6th follow-up pest report of November 2019)

1.1 Tomato brown rugose fruit virus (ToBRFV) present in the Netherlands

1.2 Executive summary

This pest report concerns a change of pest status for the Netherlands. In view of a change of EU regulation for ToBRFV as regulated non quarantine pest as of 1 January 2025, the NPPO of the Netherlands will no longer aim at eradicating ToBRFV as part of fruit production sites. At the same time official phytosanitary safeguards will remain in place for ensuring pest freedom of seeds and young plants.

Since 2019 in total 82 fruit production locations were confirmed positive for ToBRFV. Eradication has been fully successful at 39 locations. At 4 locations the virus has been eradicated but was again detected. Measures will be stopped for all fruit productions sites.

Identity of the pest (scientific name): Tomato brown rugose fruit virus Categorization of the pest: change of EU regulation to RNQP status Location: Fruit production sites throughout the Netherlands Reason of the notification: Update report

How the pest was found (1) pest related official survey; Information on the infested area, severity and source of the outbreak

1.3 Type of notification

Close-out report. Change of pest status.

2.1 Single Authority

Notification from the National Plant Protection Organization of the Netherlands Netherlands Food and Consumer Product Safety Authority.

4. Reason of the notification and pest status

Change of pest status.

4.3 Previous Pest status

Transient: actionable, under eradication.

4.4 Current Pest status

Present.

9. Links to relevant websites, other sources of information.

Pest reports website english.nvwa.nl