

Welcome to the 19<sup>th</sup> Euroblight workshop  
13-16 May  
Lunteren the Netherlands





A potato late blight network for Europe



19<sup>th</sup> EuroBlight workshop 13-16 May, 2024 at de Werelt, the Netherlands

Welcome to all participants

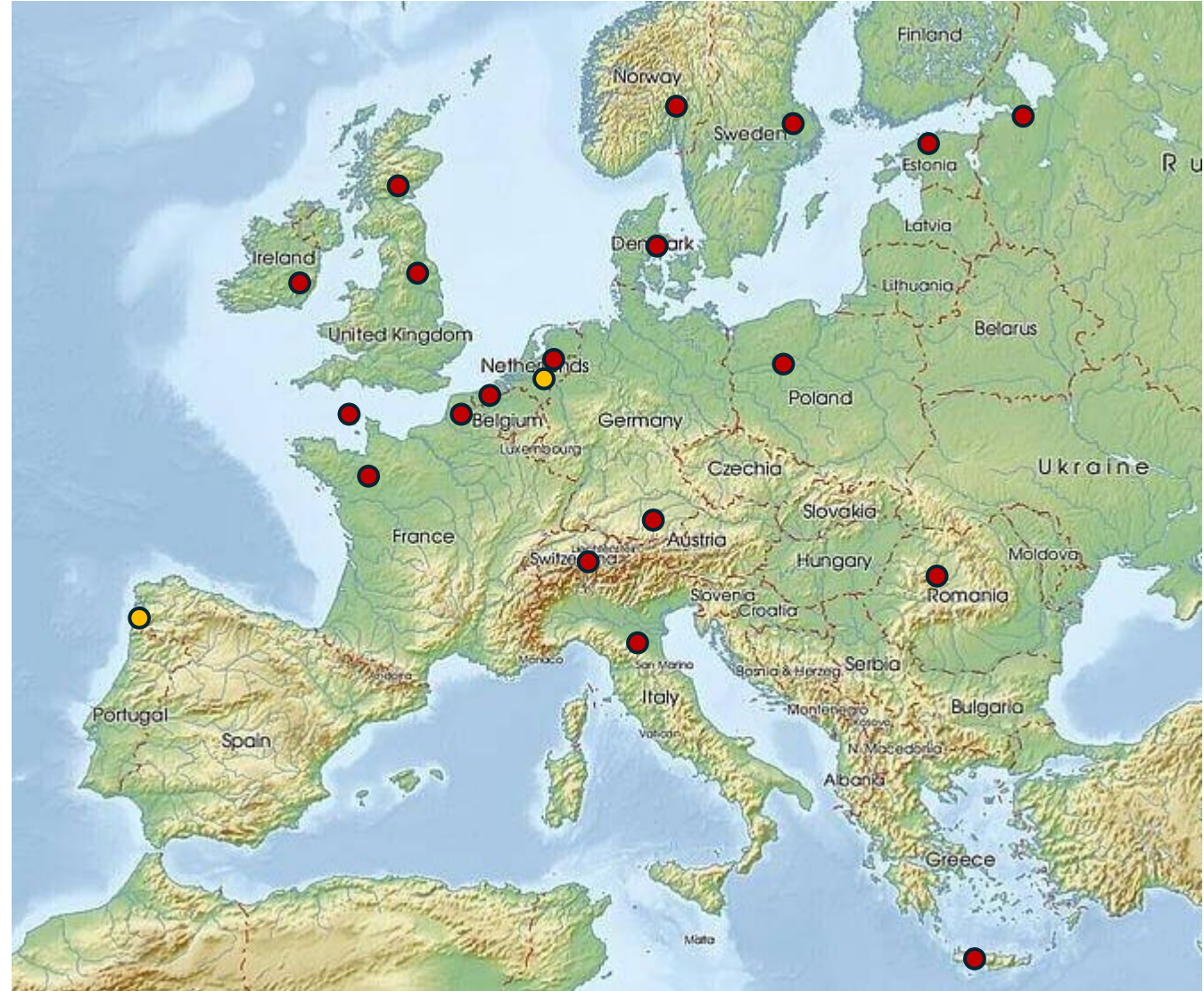
111 attendees from 18 countries





# Past, present and future EuroBlight workshops

1	Lelystad	1996
2	Carlow	1997
3	Uppsala	1998
4	Oostende	1999
5	Munich	2000
6	Edinburgh	2001
7	Poznan	2002
8	Jersey	2004
9	Tallinn	2005
10	Bologna	2007
11	Hamar	2008
12	Arras	2010
13	St Petersburg	2011
14	Limassol	2013
15	Brasov	2015
16	Aarhus	2017
17	York	2019
19	Ascona	2022
20	De Werelt	2024
21	Vigo	2026



## **Scope of the workshop**

Recommendations resulting from the 2022 Euroblight workshop in Ascona were:

1. Continue and renew efforts to develop and expand IPM components
2. Progressively shift perspectives from disease control to Crop Health Management (ICM)
3. Foster cooperation, capacity building, and shared infrastructure
4. Strengthen communication, dissemination and outreach of EuroBlight goals, activities and achievements.

## **Themes for the workshop:**

1. Integrated (IPM/ICM) control strategies exploiting knowledge of the host, the pathogens, and their interactions, for improved control strategies meeting the F2F requirements.
2. Breeding for host resistance: status, goals, current and future possibilities, obstacles and outlook.
3. Fungicide efficacy: resistance avoidance strategies and use of alternative products to sustainably control late blight and early blight.
4. Precision agriculture, monitoring and decision support - success stories, available tools, outlook, obstacles and how to tackle them.



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