



National Conservatory of Perfume, Medicinal, Aromatic and Industrial Plants

Site internet : www.cnpmai.net

Structure backed by: ITEIPMAI

Key figures

Workforce

In 2020 : 9 of which 1 Engineer and Manager, 2 Engineers, 4 Technicians and 2 Administrators

Total budget

In 2020 : 500 K€

The Conservatoire National des Plantes à Parfum, Médicinales, Aromatiques et Industrielles (CNPMAI) is a tool created by producers and placed at the service of the players in the Plantes à Parfum, Aromatiques et Médicinales (PPAM) network.

This organization, the only one of its kind in France, has been able to combine agronomy, botany and pedagogy to meet the needs of the following activities:

- Conserve a wide genetic diversity of PPAM (France, Europe),
- To develop and make available to users an adapted, new, improved or simply clearly identified plant material,
- Participate in the protection of our natural heritage (especially endangered species),
- Raise awareness among all audiences about the richness of the Simples and the protection of biodiversity.

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Areas of expertise

● **Botanical and genetic resources :**

- Conservation of collections: specific and generic (priority plants for the ppam sectors, national collections).
- Acquisition of plant material, genetic variability by prospecting, monitoring of regulatory changes concerning access to plant genetic resources.

Pre-selection of productive populations or individuals according to criteria defined by the interprofessional committees and scientific councils of the ppam sectors.

- Assistance to companies in botany and ethnobotany.

● **Agronomy / production :**

- Production of seeds and seedlings used in the ppam (AB) sectors.
- Experiments to develop the cultivation of plants that are still not widely cultivated.
- Seed carriers, on demand for certain species of PPAM

● **Protecting biodiversity :**

- Accompaniment of the wild plant collection sector in its structuring, sensitization, monitoring of national regulations.
- Study of the possibilities of cultivation.
- Supply of plant material and technical information to professionals in the ppam sector.
- Participation in the development of a "local vegetal" sector in Ile-de-France.

● **Tourism / education :**

- Reception of visitors all year round (visit of the gardens and the museographic space dedicated to the ppam sectors).
- Reception of groups (schools and others) with specific ppam animations.



Information not available



Publications

- Annual technical report
- Technical documentation on MAP seeds and plants
- Awareness documentation on the collection of endangered plants
- Monthly Newsletter
- Technical files by plants (mint, basil)
- Seeds and seedlings catalog (700 MAP species) and Seminum index

Website :

www.cnpmai.fr



No CNPMAI training provision is currently listed in the ACTA training catalogue.