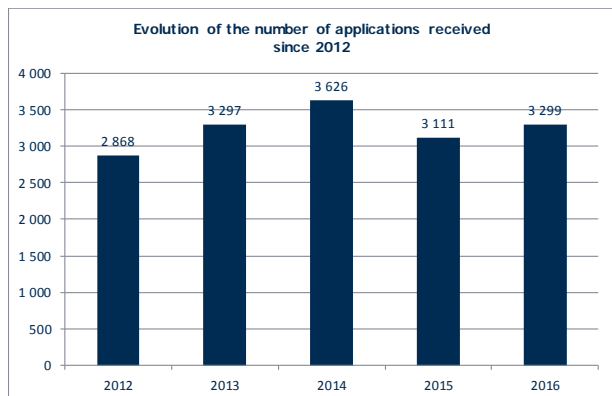


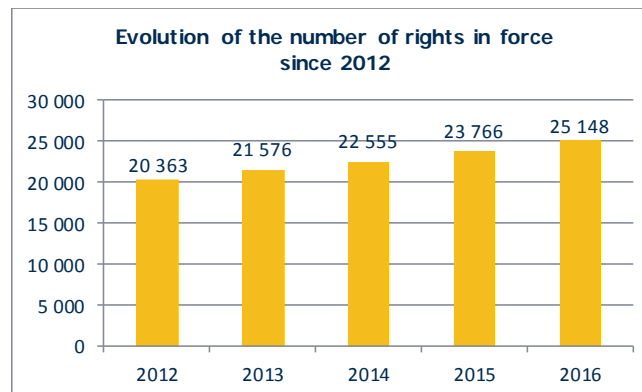
Number of community plant variety applications received

Total number of applications received since 1995	58 091
Ornamental crop sector	32 390
Agricultural crop sector	14 288
Vegetable crop sector	7 772
Fruit crop sector	3 641



Number of community plant variety rights granted

Total number of rights granted since 1996.....	44 773
Ornamental crop sector	24 498
Agricultural crop sector.....	12 485
Fruit crop sector.....	2 105
Vegetable crop sector.....	5 685
Number of grants still in force.....	25 148*



The CPVO **online application system** exists since March 2010 on the CPVO website: www.cpvo.europa.eu
 Number of online applications received13 173

Network of Examination Offices in the E.U.



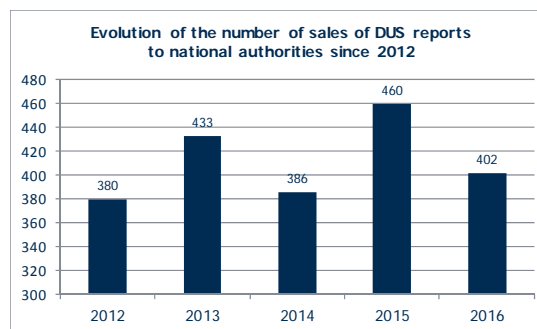
Places where D.U.S. examinations are carried out in the E.U.

International cooperation in variety testing

Number of requests for D.U.S. reports received	8 208
Number of sales of D.U.S. reports since 1998	5 731

Top 5 countries for sales:

Brazil.....	635
Israel.....	577
Colombia	552
Ecuador	488
Switzerland.....	402



Main species represented per crop sector and number of applications received for said species since 1995

Top 5 Agricultural species:

<i>Zea mays</i> L.....	4 342
<i>Triticum aestivum</i> L. emend. Fiori et Paol.	1 748
<i>Solanum tuberosum</i> L.....	1 510
<i>Brassica napus</i> L. emend Metzg.	1 363
<i>Hordeum vulgare</i> L. sensu lato.....	1 201

Top 5 Ornamental species:

<i>Rosa</i> L.....	4 042
<i>Chrysanthemum</i> L.	3 336
<i>Pelargonium</i> L.....	1 544
<i>Calibrachoa</i> and <i>Petunia</i>	1 323
<i>Lilium</i> L.	1 229

Top 5 Vegetable species:

<i>Lactuca sativa</i> L.....	2 083
<i>Solanum lycopersicum</i> L.....	1 069
<i>Capsicum annuum</i> L.	480
<i>Phaseolus vulgaris</i> L.....	470
<i>Pisum sativum</i> L.	418

Top 5 Fruit species:

<i>Prunus persica</i> (L.) Batsch.....	889
<i>Fragaria x ananassa</i> Duchesne ex Rozier	561
<i>Malus domestica</i> Borkh.	487
<i>Prunus armeniaca</i> L.	280
<i>Vitis</i> L.....	221

Number of denominations recorded in the **Variety Finder** database: more than 1 026 790 records corresponding to plant breeder rights, national listings or commercial registers. This database is available on the CPVO website : cpvo.europa.eu - Follow us on Twitter: [@CPVOTweets](https://twitter.com/CPVOTweets)