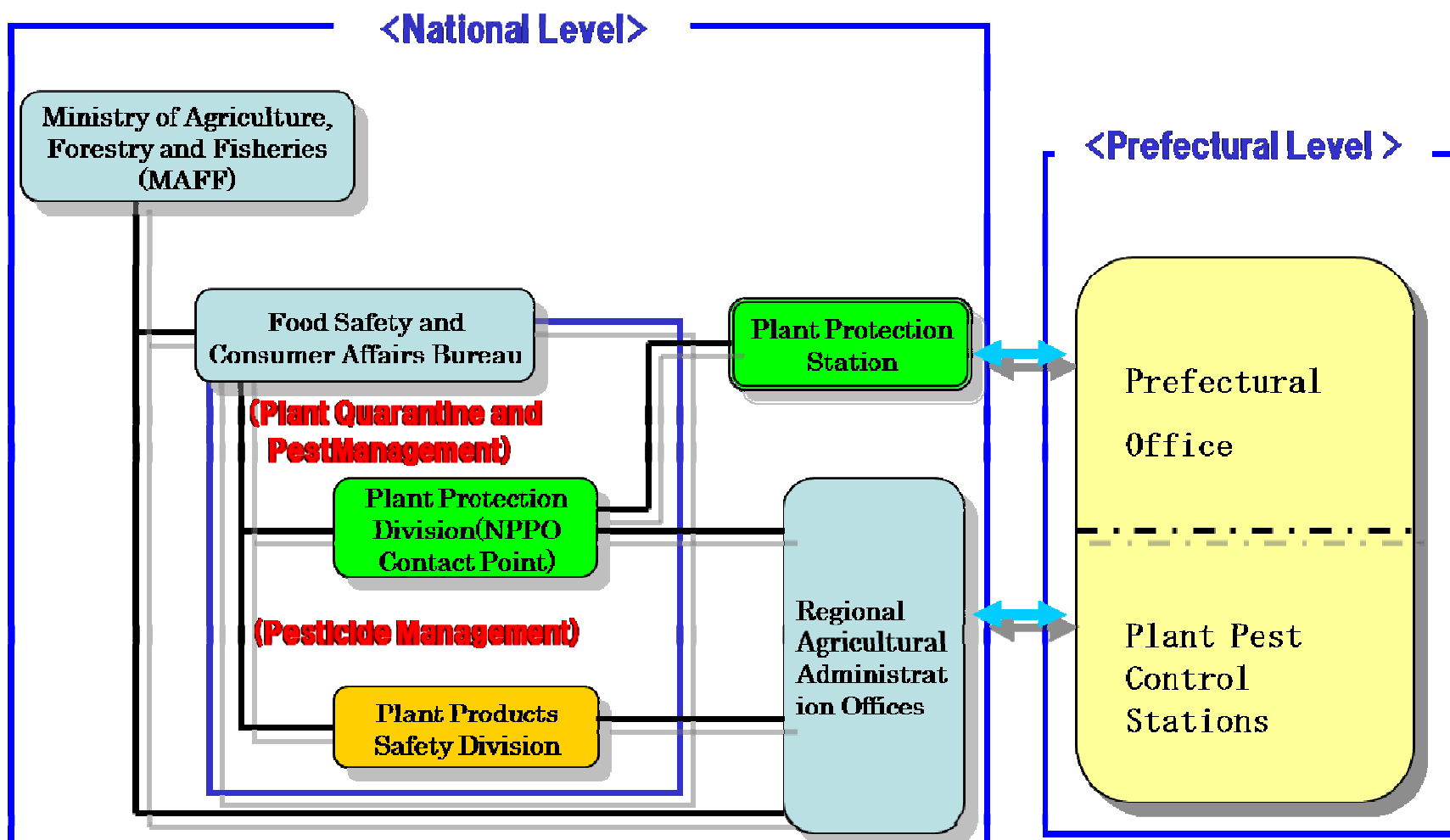


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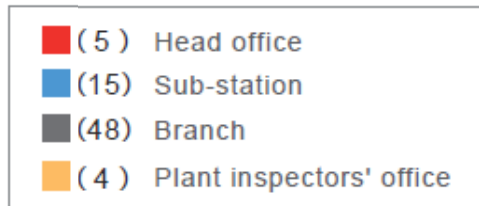
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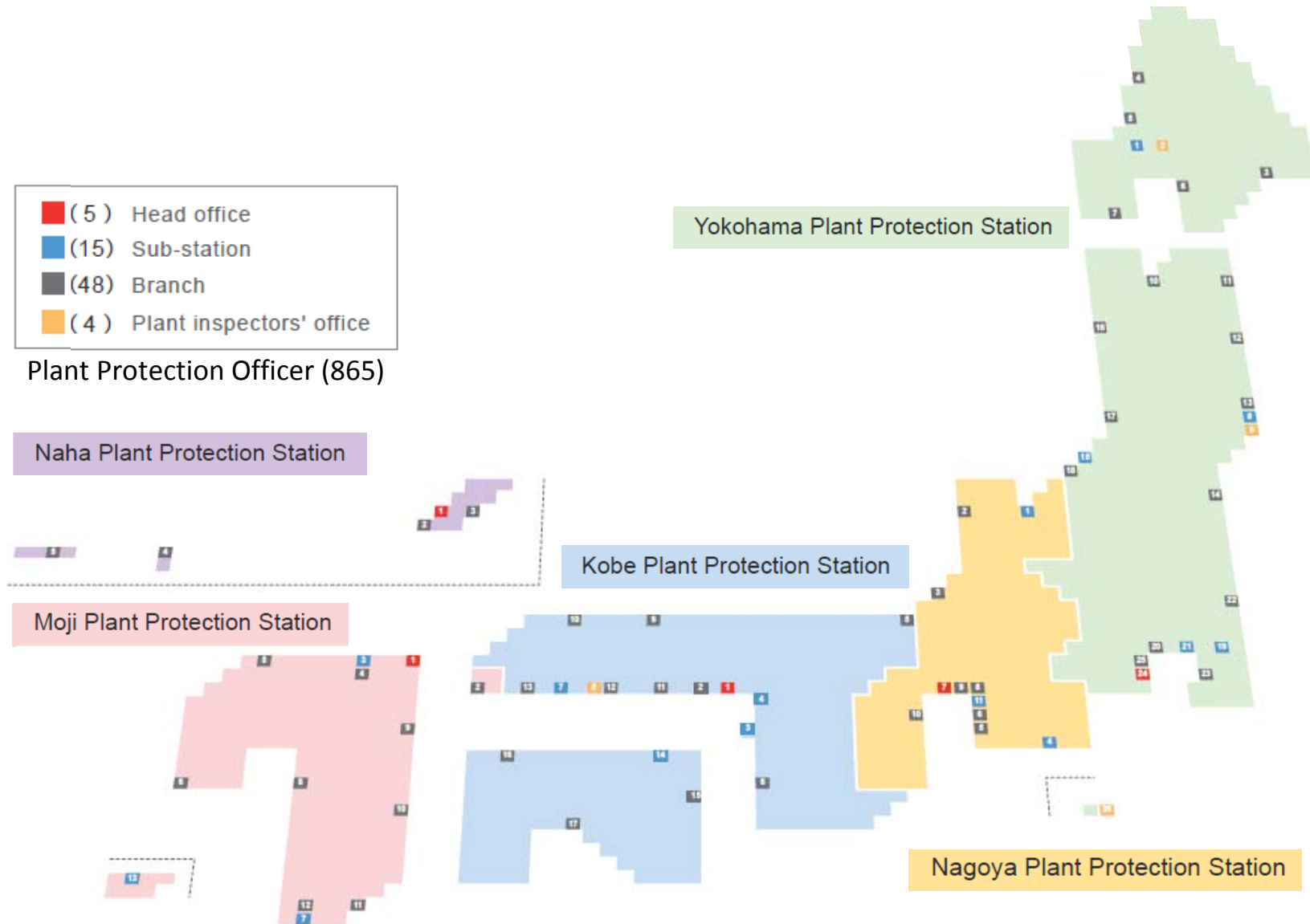
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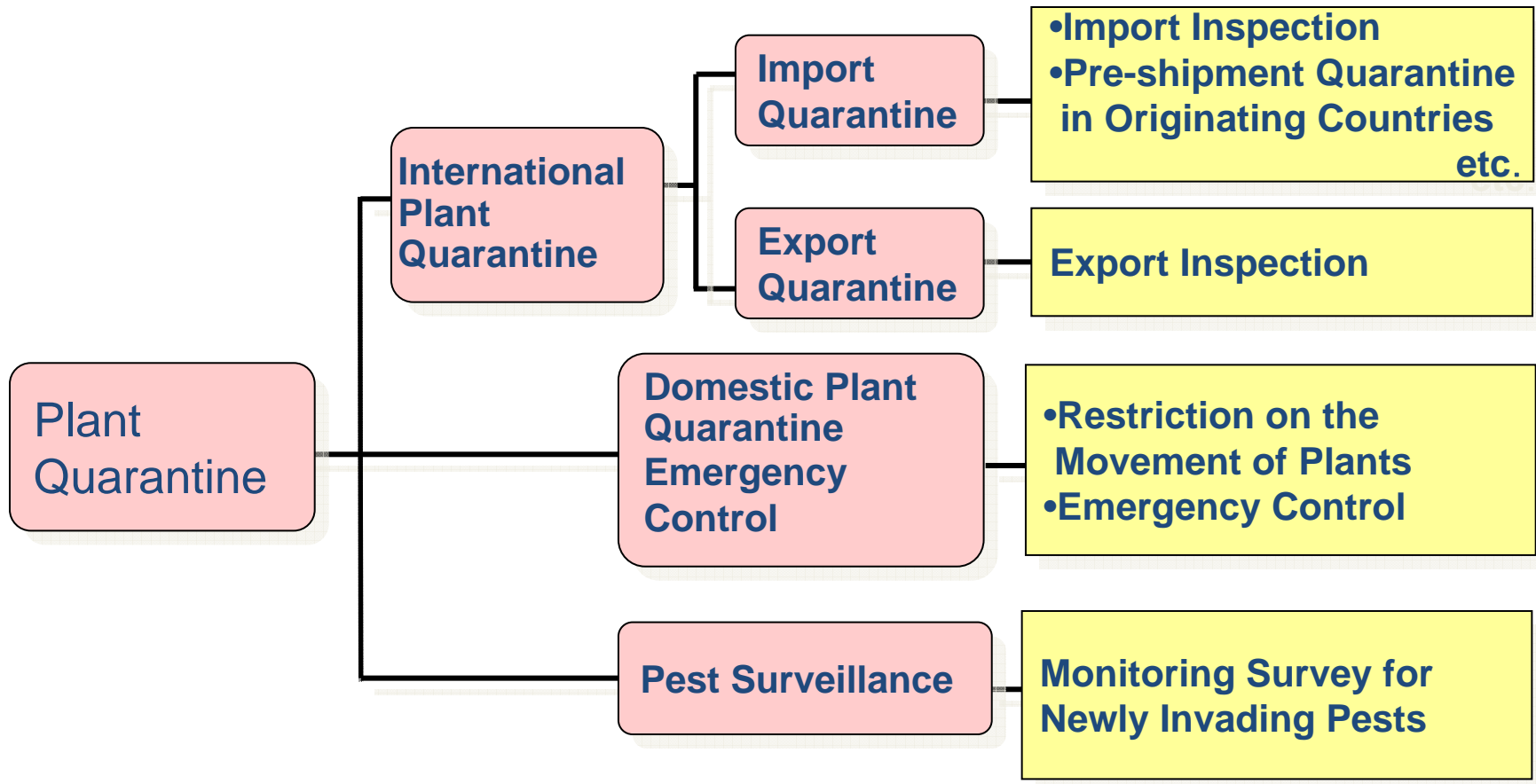
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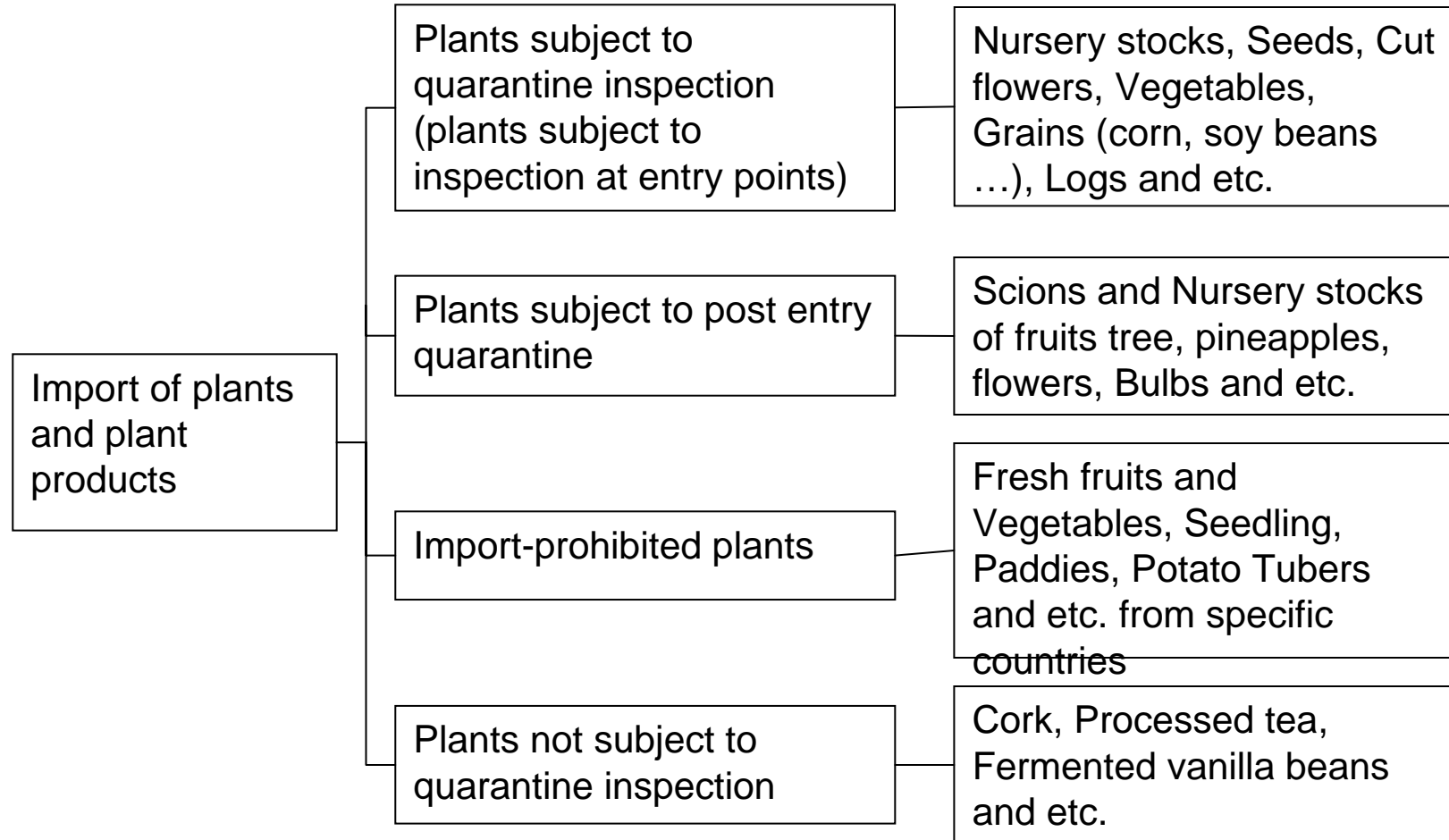
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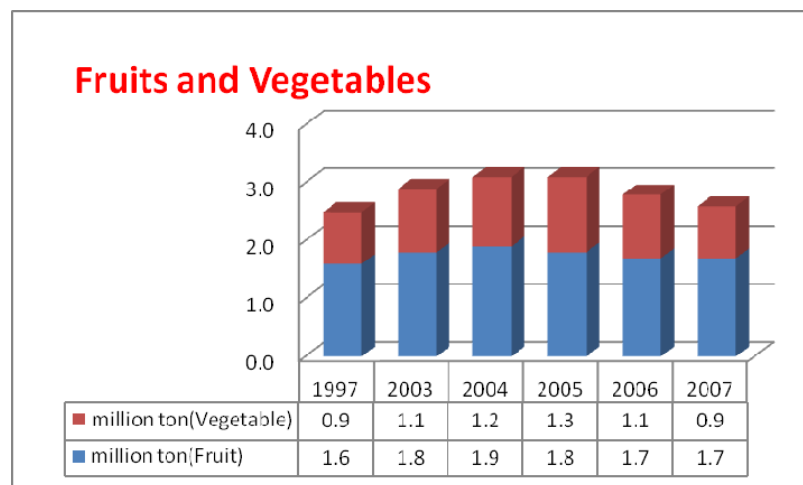
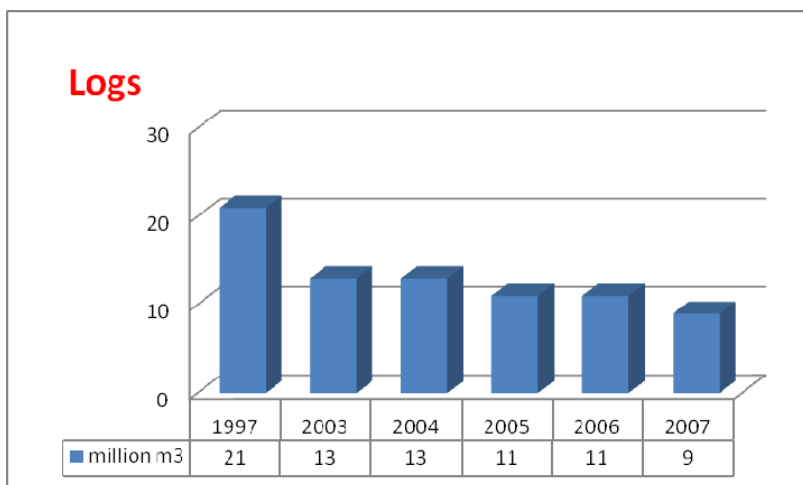
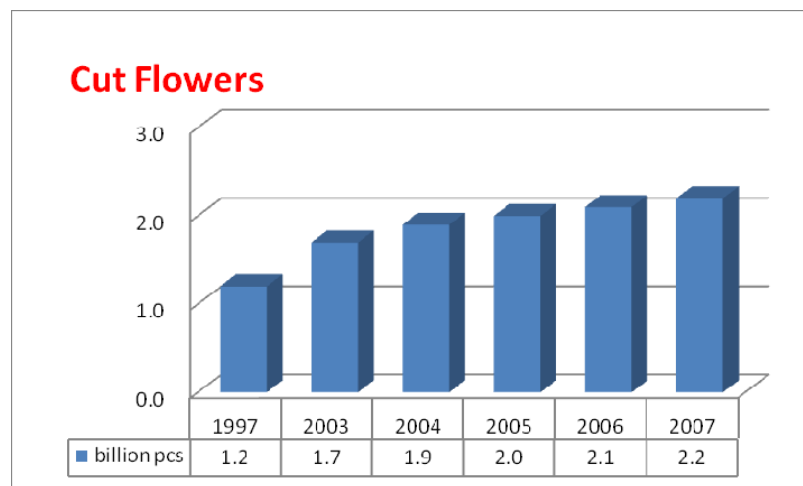
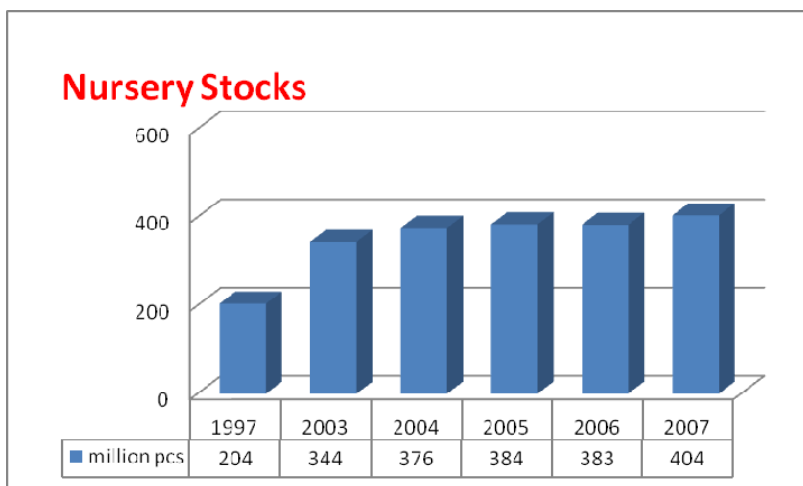
Categories of import plants and plant products



Amount of Import Inspection(2007)

Cut flowers	2.2	B pcs
Flower bulbs	519	M pcs
Nursery Stocks	405	M pcs
Grains	26	M ton
Legumes	4.5	M ton
Fruits	1.7	M ton
Vegetables	850	T ton
Seeds	23	T ton
Logs	9	M m³

Fluctuation of the amount of Import Inspection

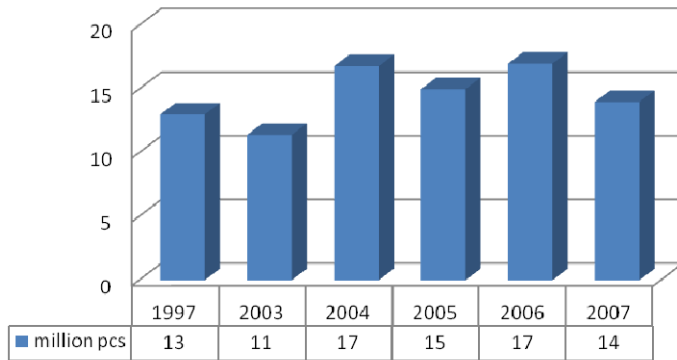


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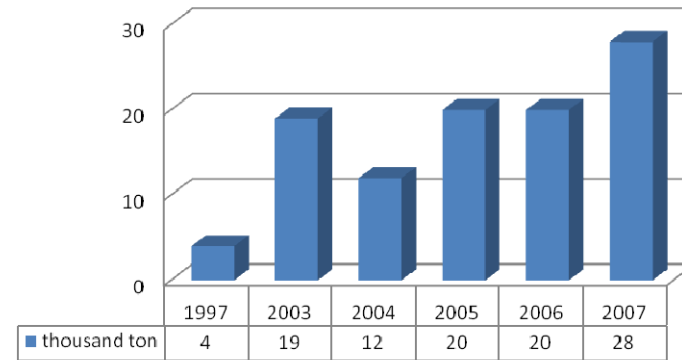
Grains	184 T ton
Fruits	28 T ton
Legumes	12 T ton
Vegetables	14 T ton
Seeds	2.6 T ton
Nursery Stocks	14 M pcs
Flower bulbs	1.3 M pcs
Cut flowers	346 T pcs
Logs	107 T m ³

Fluctuation of the amount of Export Inspection

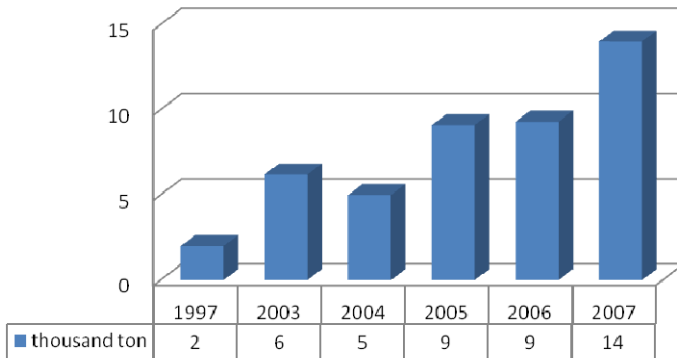
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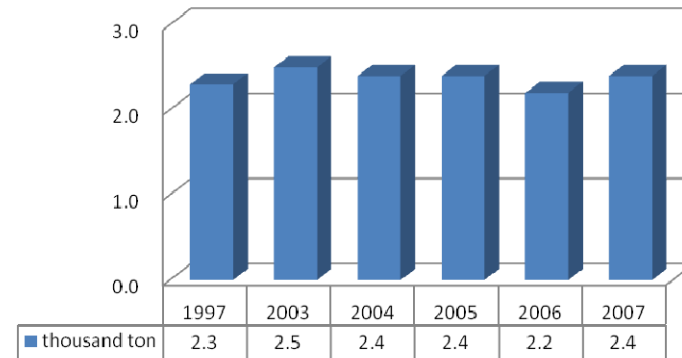
Fruits



Vegetables



Seeds



Cooperation for the improvement of phytosanitary capacity in Asian countries through capacity building

Total Budget: US\$ 1,256,781

Starting date: 1 January 2007



Issues related to APPPC

ARTICLE IV: Measures to Exclude South American Leaf Blight of Hevea from the Region

...the Contracting Governments shall take the measures specified in Appendix B to this Agreement. Appendix B to this Agreement may be modified by a decision of the Commission taken unanimously.

APPENDIX B

Each Contracting Government shall prohibit by law the importation into its territory or territories of **any plant or plants of the genus Hevea from outside the Region** ...

Development of compliance with SPS Agreement

- 1999: 21st session of APPPC adopted the Amendments to delete Article XIV and APPENDIX B and circulation after adoption of satisfactory RSPM related to SALB.
- 2007: 25th session of APPPC adopted Pest risk analysis for SALB.
- 2008: Draft RSPM “Guidelines for protection against South American Leaf Blight of rubber” was sent for member consultation.