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PHYTOBASE USER GUIDE



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A. Interface d'accueil

La base de données régionale Phytobase est outil développé par le Centre Régional AGRHYMET pour le suivi des ennemis des cultures au Sahel et en Afrique de l'Ouest. Au démarrage de l'application, l'interface d'accueil cidessous permet d'accéder aux différents modules du système (Administration, saisie des données, extraction des données, etc).

A. Home Interface

The regional database **Phytobase** is a tool developed by the **AGRHYMET Regional Centre** for data management and monitoring of crop pests in the Sahel and West Africa. When the application is started, the home interface below gives access to the system's various modules (Administration, data entry, data extraction, etc.).



Figure 1 - PHYTOBASE platform main interface

B. Entering data on pests, diseases or parasitic plants and weeds

NB. To proceed with the data entry, click on one of the three modules (pests, diseases, parasitic plants and weeds) in which you want to work

1- Data entry in "Pests" window



Figure 2 - User login panel

a. Choose the area of interest

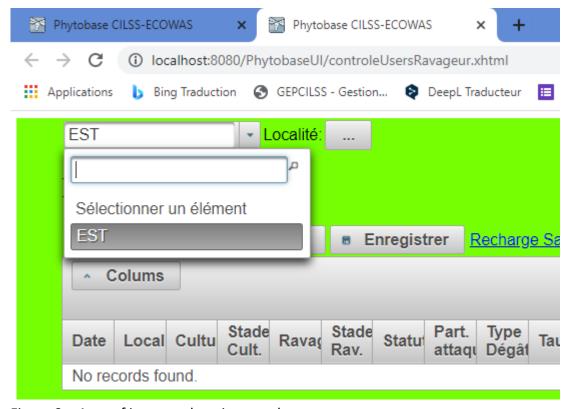


Figure 3 – Area of interest choosing panel

b. Click on the "locations" button

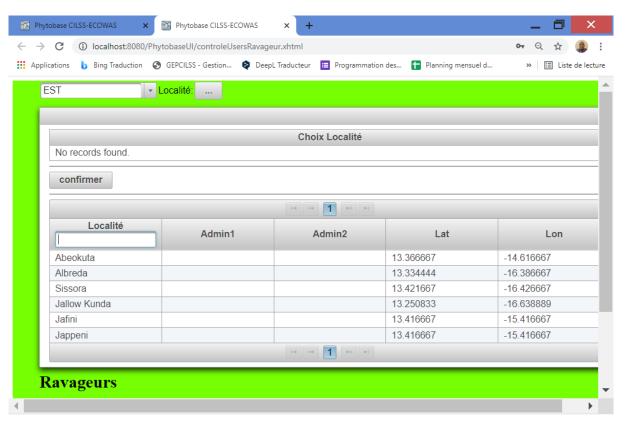


Figure 4 to 6 – Location selection panels

c. Select the locations by double-clicking on the name of each location for which data is to be entered

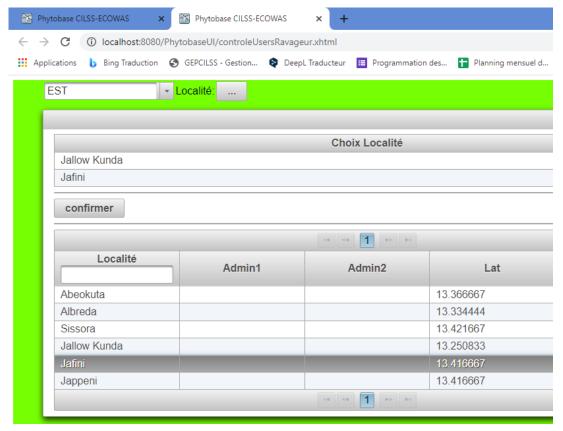


Figure 5

d. Click on the "confirm" button to validate the list of selected locations



Figure 6

e. Fill in the fields



Figure 7 – Pests data entry panel

- f. To delete a row in the table, select the row and click on "Delete"
- g. To save your entry, click on the "Save" button
- h. To recall saved entries, click on "Reload Entry" and specify the entry period to be reloaded

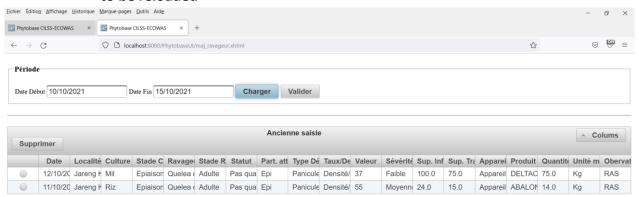


Figure 8 – re-loading saved data panel

Data entry on diseases, weeds and pests follows exactly the same procedure.

2- Data entering in the "diseases" window

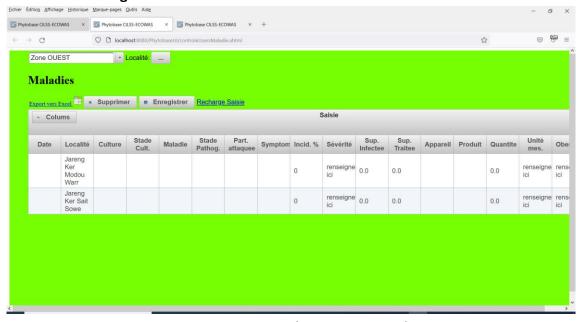


Figure 9 – Diseases data entering panel

3- Data entering in the "parasitic plants and weeds" window

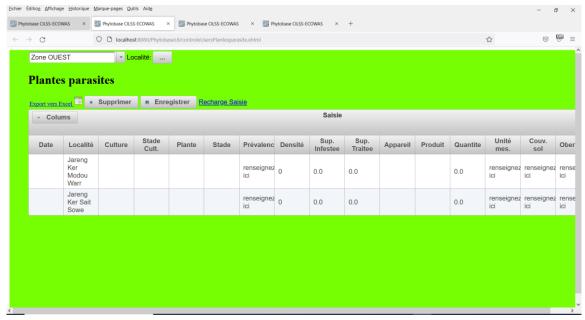
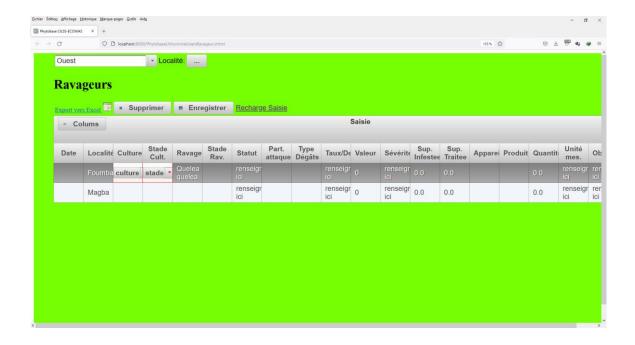


Figure 10 – Parasitic plants and weeds data entering panel

Caution !!! The filling in of some fields is absolutely mandatory. When these fields are incorrectly filled in, the system cannot handle the registration and the incorrectly filled-in mandatory fields are marked in red as shown below.



C. Data extraction

1- Click on the menu

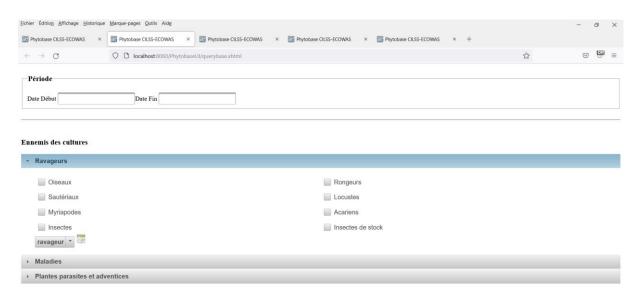


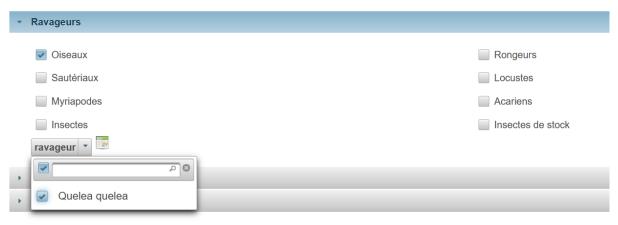
Figure 11 – Data extraction panel

2- Enter the period on which you want to extract data (Starting date - Ending date)



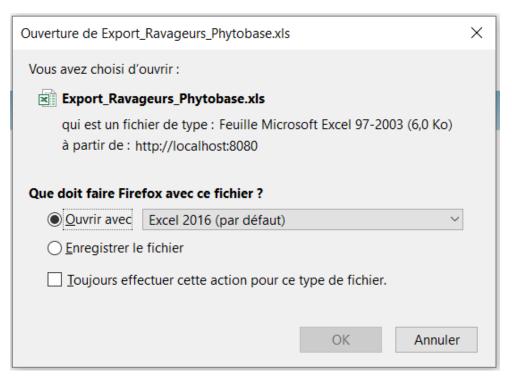
3- Tick the type(s) of enemies to extract

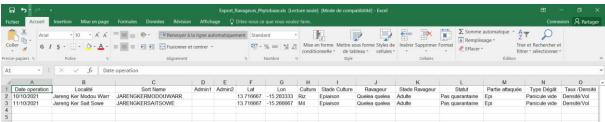
Ennemis des cultures



NOTE: This window allows a multiple choice of several pests whose data will be exported in Excel format.







5- The extracted file can be used for data analysis in Excel or in a GIS software (e.g. QGIS) to spatialize the data and draw up maps for the production of phytosanitary information (this aspect is described in the guide to the GIS module for the exploitation of Phytobase data)