

Call for presentation of technologies for the Market of Agricultural Innovations and Technologies (MITA) 2024 under the theme: «*Management of bio-aggressors*»

The West and Central African Council for Agricultural Research and Development (CORAF) is launching a call for presentation of technologies and innovations for the next **Market of Agricultural Innovations and Technologies (MITA)**, which will take place from 21 to 25 October 2024 in Lomé under the theme “Management of Bio-aggressors”.

MITA is a key CORAF event designed to showcase technological advances and innovations in agricultural research in West and Central Africa. CORAF's ambition is to consolidate the technologies and innovations developed in recent years in the integrated management of pests and diseases in the agricultural value chains of West and Central Africa.

The MITA 2024 call for presentation of technologies invites **generators of know-how, technologies and innovations for the integrated management of pests and diseases in West and Central African agricultural value chains** from national, regional and international agricultural research institutions and centers to submit their available technologies and innovations meeting the maximum of the following conditions:

- Already approved.
- Climate-smart technology because it helps to increase productivity, adaptation and mitigate greenhouse effects.
- Nutrition sensitive T&I because it preserves the nutritional quality of agricultural products.
- Gender Sensitive T&I because usable by all categories of society
- Socially acceptable because it conforms to the socio-cultural norms and practices of the target communities.
- Physically and economically accessible because available at affordable cost.

Please submit your technology or innovation that will be presented during MITA 2024 by entering the platform with the access link is : <https://ee.coraf.org/x/ex6RgFYA>

The selected technologies and innovations will be presented at the MITA in Lomé in October 2024.

Calendar

Technology submission deadline: August 28, 2024

Committee selection deadline: September 9, 2024

Notification of technology acceptance: Applicants whose technologies have been selected for MITA will be notified by email by September 13, 2024

MITA date: 21 to 25 October 2024, Lomé, Togo.

Any questions regarding this call should be sent to: a.nadinga@coraf.org