

## Annex 1: Helpful tools and links

### Tools to use:

- On-line tools such as the CABI Horizon Scanning tool ([www.cabi.org/horizonscanningtool](http://www.cabi.org/horizonscanningtool)), the CABI PRA tool (<https://www.cabi.org/PRA-Tool/login>), the CABI Crop Protection Compendium and Invasive Species Compendium, Global Invasive Species Database, etc.
- Consultation with local experts (e.g. from governmental institutions, NGOs etc.)
- Consultation with international experts (e.g. Aliens, PestNet, JNCC, Fera Science Ltd. UK)
- Paid consultancy with consultant (e.g. Fera Science Ltd. UK, CABI and others)

### Information resources

This list of online resources may help the applicant to gather information about the organism being assessed. The resources provide information on the invasiveness, description, distribution, and habitat of the species. It is recommended to check additional resources that give information about the species from within its native range (e.g. local floras).

#### Global

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#### Asia

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<http://botany.si.edu/pacificislandbiodiversity/micronesia/index.htm>

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