



Tapping crop diversity to provide new tools and improved germplasm for breeders

GCP's objectives

In line with its mission, by 2013 Generation is expected to have contributed to the following objectives:

- Provide access to and promote the use of genetic diversity in plant improvement programmes.
- Develop a public platform of genetic and genomic resources and tools, and support a global community that can use them.
- Generate and apply knowledge across crops, and demonstrate the potential of comparative genomics to impact plant improvement programmes.
- Use genetic diversity and advanced science to develop products for plant breeding programmes to improve the livelihoods of resource-poor farmers in marginal, drought-prone environments.