



# Recommended Readings and Online Resources

## Description

Recommended readings for unit 3 of the [Course on Genomics, Ethics, and Society](#).

## Body

### Recommended Readings:

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## Online Resources:

- The International Maize and Wheat Improvement Centre (CIMMYT): <http://www.cimmyt.org/en/>
- European Commission on GM Crops: [http://ec.europa.eu/food/food/biotechnology/index\\_en.htm](http://ec.europa.eu/food/food/biotechnology/index_en.htm)
- Organisation for Economic Co-operation and Development, Biotechnology Policies: <http://www.oecd.org/sti/biotech/>
- International Service for the Acquisition of Agri-Biotech Applications: <http://www.isaaa.org>
- Food and Agriculture Organization of the United Nations: <http://www.fao.org/home/en/>
- USDA field tests of GM crops: <http://nbiap.biochem.vt.edu/search-release-data.aspx>

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