

ABOUT INNOVATION

RAGT research began in 1951. In 1963 the maize breeding program started at the Druelle research station in Aveyron, France. Today, it reaches all Europe and 22 species are concerned by seeds breeding programs.

The RAGT internal research programs have been enriched by many partnerships to provide:

- **Access to rich and high-performing genetic resources**
- **Acceleration of knowledge of 22 species genetics**
Access to powerful and ultra-high performance tools: molecular markers, identification of genes expressing different characteristics.
Acceleration of the selection of lines and varieties, particularly through conversion
- **The ability to use transgenic techniques**
Use of the latest genes Market launch of transgenic varieties
- **RAGT maize Innovation: an average of 50 new varieties in 13 countries every year**