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# PLANTS WG @ IETF 125

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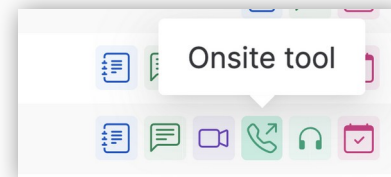
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- Make sure your audio and video are off unless you are chairing or presenting during a session.
- Use of a headset is strongly recommended.

## All participants

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- Agenda & Slides:
  - <https://datatracker.ietf.org/meeting/125/session/plants/>
- Notepad:
  - <https://notes.ietf.org/notes-ietf-125-plants>
- Zulip Room:
  - <https://zulip.ietf.org/#narrow/stream/plants>
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# First meeting of the PLANTS WG

**PLANTS is officially seeded and work is underway**

- **PLANTS charter approved by IESG**

- <https://datatracker.ietf.org/doc/charter-ietf-plants/>

- **Adopted Merkle Tree Certificates Internet-Draft**

- <https://datatracker.ietf.org/doc/draft-ietf-plants-merkle-tree-certs/>

# Agenda Bashing

- 1.Introduction (Chairs)
- 2.Working Group Github policy (Chairs)
- 3.Document update: draft-ietf-plants-merkle-tree-certs  
(David Benjamin)
- 4.External monitoring (Brandon McMillion)
- 5.Early results from the Chrome  $\Leftrightarrow$  Cloudflare MTC experiments  
(Luke Valenta)
- 6.Scaling MTC down (and back up) (Filippo Valsorda)
- 7.AOB