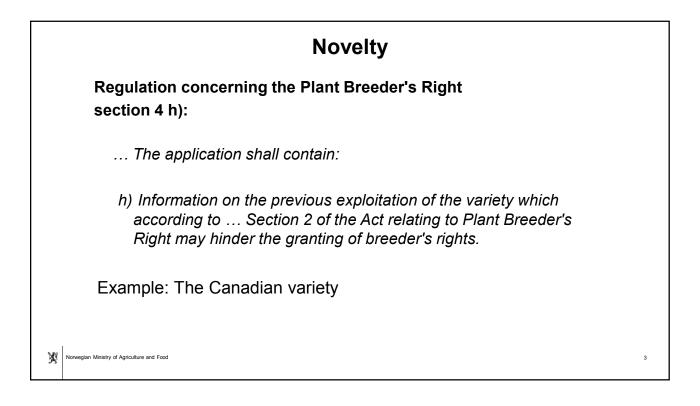


Novelty		
UPOV -78 article 6(1)(b)		
Norwegian Act relating to the Plant Breeder's Right section 2: The Plant Breeder's right may only be granted in respect of varieties which have not been sold or offered for sale with the consent of the variety owner,		
 in this Realm before the date of application, or abroad more than six years before the date of application in the case of vines, trees and their rootstock or more than four years before the date of application in the case of other plants. 		
Norwegian Act relating to the Plant Breeder's Right section 4:		
The application must disclose such prior exploitation of the variety as may be an obstacle to the granting of the Plant Breeder's Right or state that the variety has not been so exploited.		
V Norwegian Ministry of Agriculture and Food	2	





	Priority	
	UPOV -78 article 12	
	Norwegian Act relating to the Plant Breeder's Right section 2:	
	If the variety owner has applied for a breeder's right or a patent for a variety in one or more other UPOV-member States, and applies within twelve months from the date of filing of the first application for a plant breeder's right in respect of the variety in this Realm, the application in this Realm shall be deemed, [], if the variety owner so requests, as having been filed on the same date as the first application.	
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