



Coordination between Marcogaz Standing Committees

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There are different **Projects related to Hydrogen in the SCS:**

- ✓ The **Health & Labour Safety** WorkGroup is working in 4 projects:
 - Hydrogen detection and measuring (Finished)
 - Impact of hydrogen on existing Atex equipment and zones (Finished)
 - Impact of hydrogen on work in confined spaces (On going)
 - Health aspects of hydrogen compared to NG (On going)

- ✓ During the last SCS a new project related to **H₂ Global Warming Potential (GWP)** was approved: A group of experts will explore GWP of the Hydrogen.

As the main Task Force in Marcogaz related to Hydrogen is under the SCGI, the proposal is to set **coordination mechanisms between the SCGI & SCS** in order to obtain synergies and avoid posible duplicities. (2-3 meetings/year).

Although the initial proposal is coordination of Hydrogen initiatives, **the scope of the coordination could include also the SCGU and in the future the scope could be extended** to other areas of Common Interest. (To be analysed with marcogaz President & Secretary General). – *Some detail in next pages*

Objectives of the Coordination Meetings

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- ✓ Identify and review periodically areas of Common Interest. The initial proposed area is Hydrogen.
- ✓ Share Projects or initiatives that are being developed in areas of common interest. Each Committee will describe this type of initiatives in order to coordinate efforts, avoid duplicities, or identify additional initiatives to be done.
- ✓ Prepare in advance the content of each Board meeting: Explain to the Secretariat and the President the content that each Committee is planning to include in next Board meeting in order to receive feedback and prioritise what is considered as "critical".
- ✓ Report to the Secretariat and the President about the content and advance of each Committee. Receive feedback.
- ✓ Align the activity of each SC with the new strategic criteria of Margogaz (Communication, Networking, EU Policy Participation..). Common activities to be developed by the Committees.

The proposed frequency is 2-3 meetings / year.

Attendants:

- ✓ President (Thea Larsen)
- ✓ Secretary General (Manuel Coxe)
- ✓ Technical Advisor Snr. (Benjamin de Ville)
- ✓ SCS Chairman (J. Tudela), SCS Vice-chairwoman (Eva Hennig), SCGI Chairwoman (AS. Decaux), SCGI vice-chairman (C. Badura), *SCGU Chairman (J.Soto)*
- ✓ WG Chairman & TF Chairman if required (depending on the projects and the issues to be explained). –Initially Hydrogen Initiatives:
 - ✓ P. Hogewoning: H&LS Hydrogen Projects
 - ✓ G. Müller-Syring: TF Hydrogen



Thank you !

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