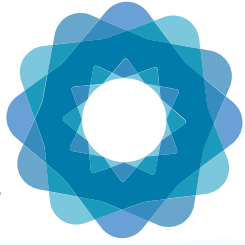


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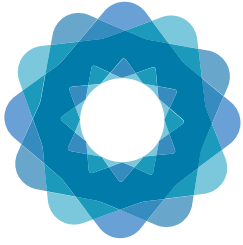
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Welcome

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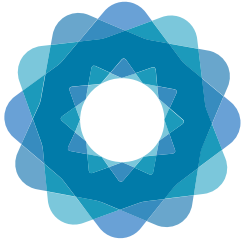
Why London Group?

It is probably impossible to overestimate the importance of the LG for the development of the society and the profession of environmental-economic accounting.

(Ole Gravgård Pedersen, Senior Adviser at Statistics Denmark)

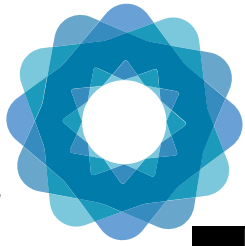
Without the London Group there never would have been a SEEA.

(Sjoerd Schenau, CBS, attended all LG Meetings since 2003)



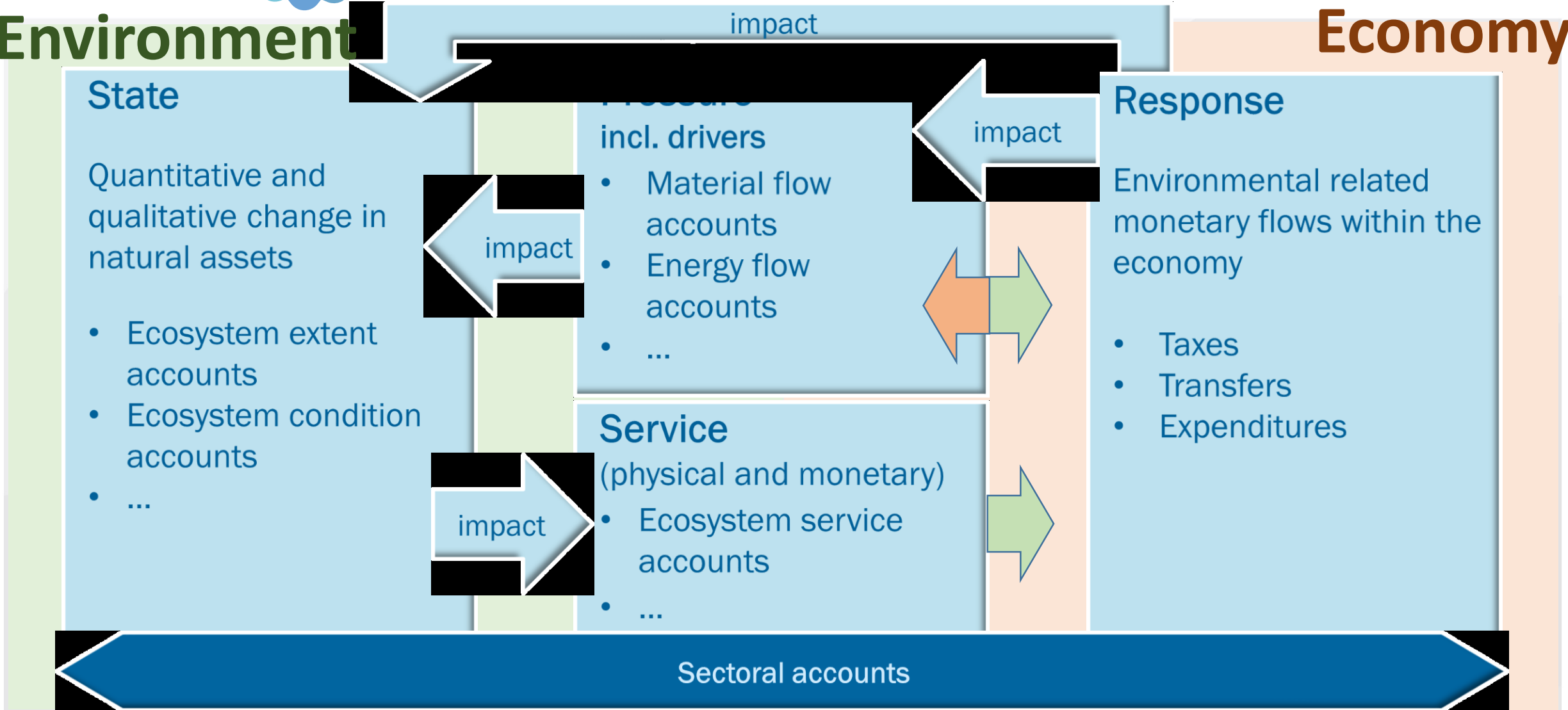
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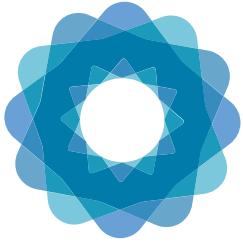
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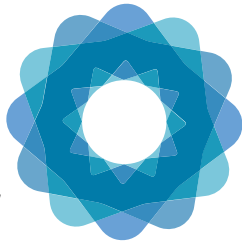
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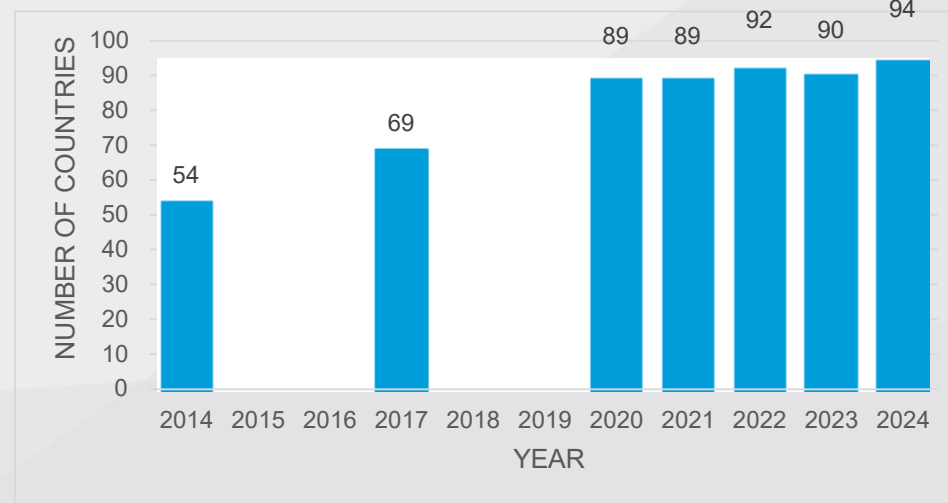
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- ✿ Relevant for biodiversity assessment, as input to welfare measurement ...



~~Is SEEA a success?~~ SEEA is a success!

Countries implementing the SEEA over time

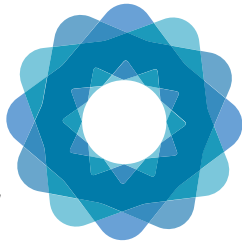


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Source: 2024 Global Assessment of Environmental-Economic Accounting

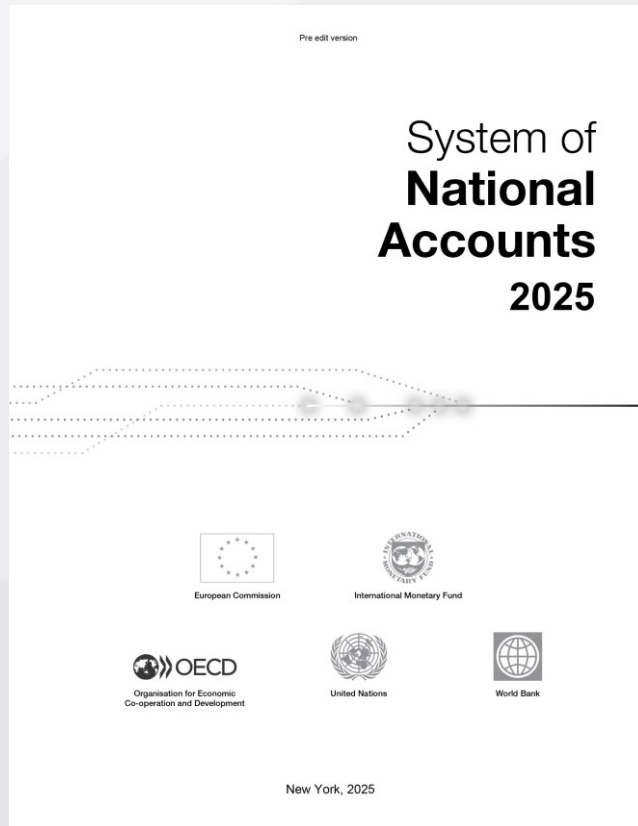
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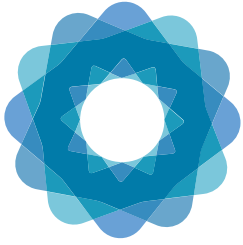
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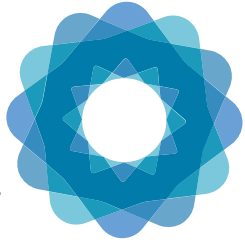


Agenda

- Session 1: Physical Flow Accounts – SEEA CF Update (Chair: Marko Javorsek)
- Session 2: Asset Accounts – SEEA CF Update (Chair: Silvia Ferrini)
- Session 3: Environmental Activity Accounts – SEEA CF Update (Chair: Nina Hiltunen)
- Session 4: Overarching Topics – SEEA CF Update (Chair: Michael Nagy)
- Session 5: Poster Session
- Session 6: SEEA EA and the Global Biodiversity Framework (Chair: Raul Figueroa)
- Session 7: (Monetary) Ecosystem Services Accounts – SEEA EA (Chair: Alec Jacobs)
- Open/Closing Session: London Group Mandate -> ToR

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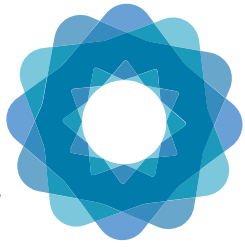
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This year's Location



Thursday, 09 October 2025

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Meetings until now

31st 2025 (Sept.) Tallinn – Europe

30th 2024 (Sept.) Washington DC – North America

29th 2023 (Sept.) Pretoria – Africa

28th 2022 (Sept.) Siegburg – Europe

27th 2021 (Oct.) online

26th 2020 (Nov.) online

25th 2019 (Oct.) Melbourne – Australia

24th 2018 (Oct.) Dublin – Europe

23rd 2017 (Oct.) Escazú – North (Central) America

22nd 2016 (Sept.) Oslo – Europe

21st 2015 (Nov.) The Hague – Europe

20th 2014 (Oct.) New Delhi – Asia

19th 2013 (Nov.) London – Europe

18th 2012 (Oct.) Ottawa – North America

17th 2011 (Sept.) Stockholm – Europe

16th 2010 (Oct.) Santiago – South America

15th 2009 (Nov.) Wiesbaden – Europe

14th 2009 (Apr.) Canberra – Australia

13th 2008 (Oct.) Brussels – Europe

12th 2007 (Dec.) Rom – Europe

11th 2007 (Mar.) Johannesburg – Africa

10th 2006 (June) New York – North America

9th 2004 (Sept.) Copenhagen – Europe

8th 2003 (Nov.) Rom – Europe

7th 2001 (May) Voorburg – Europe

6th 1999 (Nov.) Canberra – Australia

5th 1998 (May) Fontevraud – Europe

4th 1997 (June) Ottawa – North America

3rd 1996 (May) Stockholm – Europe

2nd 1995 (Mar.) Washington D.C. – North America

1st 1994 (Mar.) London – Europe



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