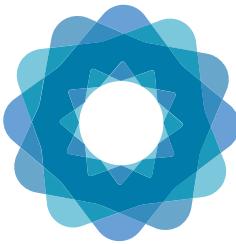


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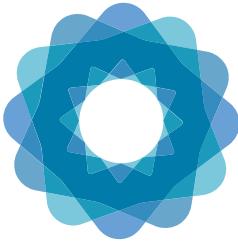
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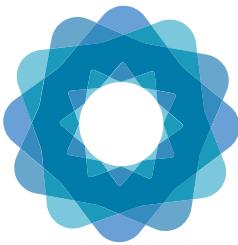
Current mandate on the Work Programme

„The Chair, in cooperation with the Bureau, will develop the programme of work and related time schedule for the London Group...”



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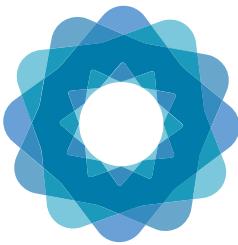
This paper outlines a work programme for the term 2022-2025. This work programme was developed on the basis of the discussions on the future of the London Group during its 27th Meeting (27-30 September and 4 October 2021) and input of the London Group Bureau members including the Chair of the SEEA CF Technical Committee. The work programme takes into account the recent adoption of the SEEA EA, the ongoing update of the SNA and the international statistical classifications and a possible revision of the SEEA CF. The work programme of the London Group complements the work programme of other groups that are involved in the further development of the SEEA methodology and environmental-economic accounting in general. Wherever there is an overlap with these, cooperation should be sought. The strength of the London Group lies in the technical capabilities of the experts which attend the meetings and thus contribute to enabling, among other things, statistically sound measures integrated in the framework on environmental accounting which relies on scientific measurements organized according to the accounting rules and principles.



2022-25 Way of working together and dealing with issues

The London Group has recently adopted a multiyear approach which involves identifying the issues to be addressed develop issue paper and develop a solution. These papers do not have to be prepared by one person or institution but may be prepared by a group of several London Group members. As before, the London Group will meet physically (as possible) once a year. The meeting will regularly take place in autumn (September/October). In-between meetings, the London Group Bureau will generally meet once a month to coordinate the work and prepare for next meeting.

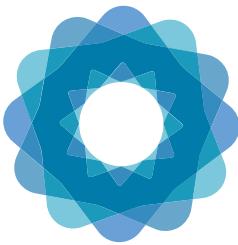
The London Group Bureau will communicate the focus of the work to the members at the beginning of the period of the three-year cycle of the work programme (see below). If additional issues emerge or some issues need to be prioritized during the three-year cycle, the Bureau will decide whether to include those issues on the agenda for the next meeting.



2022-25 Multi Annual Work Programme

Topics to be covered during the 2022- 2025 period

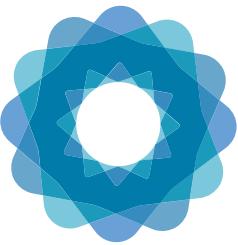
The programme of work of the London Group is determined by the research agenda in the SEEA EA, the SEEA CF, the SNA update and update of international classifications (e.g. ISIC, CPC, COFOG, SIEC, etc.) and a possible revision of the SEEA CF in which an integration of SEEA EA could also be taken into consideration. The work programme covers topics for the further methodological development, implementation as well as sharing country experiences and lessons learned from implementation.



2022-25 Multi Annual Work Programme (cont.)

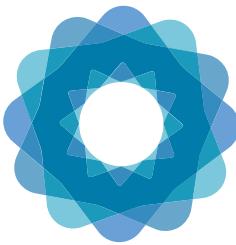
The London Group will support the research agendas of the SEEA CF and SEEA EA, which are led by the respective Technical Committees. They include topics such as

- ❖ better integration of monetary and physical accounts,
- ❖ classification and delimitation issues,
- ❖ input-output calculations for consumption/footprint information,
- ❖ implementation issues for ecosystem condition and services accounts and
- ❖ monetary valuation of ecosystem services.



(draft) LG's ToR on MYWP

The concrete work objectives are formulated in the group's multiyear work programme, typically set for a period of three to four years. The multiyear work programme is developed by the London Group, with the guidance of the Chair and the Bureau, considering priorities identified at the London Group meetings and the priorities of the UNCEEA and its technical committees.



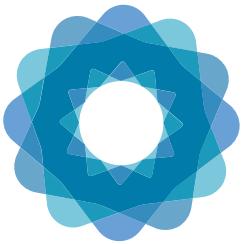
General

The basis for collaboration is set out in the ToR of the London Group.

The work programme covers topics for the further methodological development, implementation as well as sharing country experiences and lessons learned from implementation.

The London Group is identifying topics to be addressed, may develop based on this issue papers and develops a solution or position paper as outcome of its work. These papers do not have to be prepared by one person or institution but may be prepared by a group of several London Group members.

If additional issues emerge or some issues need to be prioritized throw-out the MYWP's term, the Bureau will decide whether or not to include those issues on the agenda for the next meeting.



Topics to be covered during the 2026 - 2028 period

In contrast to other periods, the MYWP of the London Group for the years 2026 to 2028 is mainly determined by the ongoing revision of the SEEA CF. This will include discussing and testing the recommendation of the Guidance Notes developed under the auspices of the SEEA CF TC and testing the implementation of the SEEA CF 2028.

In addition the London Group will continue to work on methods and definitions for a better integration and harmonization of the different accounts covered by the SEEA CF, aim at a better integration of SEEA CF and SEEA EA and will work on remaining issues on ecosystem accounting, its application and promoting the use of accounts based on SEEA CF and SEEA EA for different reporting systems.