

London Group Meeting

Copenhagen, Denmark 22-24 September 2004

Wednesday 22 September

Welcome and country updates (Chair: Ole Gravgård)

- 9.15-9.30 Bent Thage, Director, Statistics Denmark : *Welcome*
- 9.30-10.00 Alessandra Alfieri and Robert Smith: *Summary of the report of the London Group to the UN Statistical Commission and information on the UN Task Force on Environmental-Economic Accounting*
- 10.00-10.20 Alessandra Alfieri: *Status of the publishing of SEEA – glossary and index*
- 10.20-10.50 Break
- 10.50-12.00 Participants: *Country updates* - short presentations by countries/organisations (maximum 5 minutes each)
- 12.00-13.00 Lunch
- 13.00-14:15 Participants: *Country updates* - short presentations by countries/organisations (maximum 5 minutes each)

Subsoil asset accounting (Chair: Martin Lemire – rapporteur: Thomas Olsen)

- 14:15-14:20 Ole Gravgård: *Introduction to the session*
- 14.20-14.45 Aneme Malan: *South Africa 's experience in the compilation of mineral (physical and monetary) accounts*
- 14.45-15.15 Break
- 15.15-15.40 Kristine Erlandsen: *Overview of the Norwegian Asset Accounts for Oil and Gas, 1991-2000 (presentation by Julie Hass)*
- 15.40-15.55 Christian Ravets: Eurostat's work on oil and gas assets
- 15.55-16.15 Alessandra Alfieri: Mineral exploration: current discussion in the *Canberra II Group on non-financial assets*
- 16.15-17.00 Ole Gravgård: *Presentation of the results of a questionnaire concerning subsoil asset accounting*

Participants: *Discussion of the future work on subsoil assets*

Thursday 23 September

Water Accounting (Chair: Alessandra Alfieri – rapporteur: to be determined)

- 9.00-9.30 Ilaria DiMatteo: *Overview of water subgroup work*
- 9.30-10.00 Sjoerd Schenau: *NAMWA, the Dutch System of Water Accounts*
- 10.00-10.30 Viveka Palm: *Swedish water accounts by water district*
- 10.30-11.00 Break
- 11.00-11.30 Michael Vardon and Stuart Peavor: *Water Accounting in Australia*
- 11:30-12.00 Jana Tafi: *Water accounts in the Republic of Moldova : pilot study, results and advantages*
- 12:00-13.00 Lunch
- 13.00-13.30 Ilaria DiMatteo and participants: *Discussion of further work on water accounting*

Social dimension in environmental accounts (Chair: Robert Smith – rapporteur: to be determined)

- 13.30-13.35 Viveka Palm: *Introduction to the session*
- 13.35-14.05 Norbert Schwarz, Alexander Opitz: *Income and Expenditure of Private Households in the Context of a SAM*
- 14.05-14.35 Anders Wadeskog: *Households in the environmental accounts*

- 14.35-15.00 Break
- 15.00-15.30 Ismir Mulalic: *[Embedding social dimensions into economic and environmental accounting and indicator systems \(pdf\)](#)*
- 15.30-16.00 Rocky Harris: *Monitoring the relationship between household consumption and environmental impact*
- 16.00-16.30 Maja Larsson: *New Socio-economic dimensions in the environmental accounts*
- 16.30-17.00 Viveka Palm and participants: *Discussion of further work on social dimensions in environmental accounts*
- 18.00 Visit to Christiania – an alternative community in Copenhagen
- 19.30 Informal dinner

Friday 24 September

Material Flow Accounting (Chair: Ole Gravgård – rapporteur: Thomas Olsen)

- 9.00-9.30 Stefan Schweinert: *[German primary material flow accounts: Conceptual framework, sources, methods of compilation, results and analytical applications \(pdf\)](#)*

Policy uses of environmental accounts (Chair: Alessandra Alfieri – rapporteur: to be determined)

- 9.30-9.35 Jean Louis Weber: *Introduction to policy use session*
- 9.35-10.05 Maja Larsson: *Swedish economic instruments - Environmental taxes and subsidies in the environmental accounts*
- 10.05-10.35 Viveka Palm: *[Policy uses in the Swedish SEEA](#)*
- 10.35-11.00 Break
- 11.00-11.30 Jean Louis Weber: *Indicators for Water and Land Issues*
- 11.30-12.00 Glenn Marie Lange: *Policy uses and application of water accounts*
- 12:00-13.00 Lunch
- 13.00-13.45 Jean Louis Weber and participants: *Presentation and discussion of some ideas for future work*

Summary of meeting and discussion of future work (Chair: Robert Smith – rapporteur: to be determined)

- 13.45-14.15 *Summary of the sessions, discussion and conclusions for further work*
- 14.15-14.30 Break
- 14.30-15.15 *Summary of the sessions, discussion and conclusions for further work*
- 15.15-15.30 Alessandra Alfieri: *Suggestions concerning the relation between the UN task force and the London Group, discussion and conclusions*
- 15.30-16.00 Robert Smith and next host: *Other issues and discussion points (other issues for the London Group, next meeting, etc.)*