

Discussion and clarification of the respective roles of CIAM/TFIAM/NIAM/EPCAC

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Purpose and objectives of the respective bodies

The Task Force on Integrated Assessment Modelling

- guides the work of the Centre on Integrated Assessment Modelling (CIAM), reviews its modelling results, exchanges modelling experiences by the parties and reports its findings to EMEP/WGE and the Working Group on Strategies and Review (WGSR).
- CIAM and TFIAM integrate information of the various scientific bodies under EMEP and WGE, assess future scenarios and the cost-effectiveness of abatement strategies requested by the WGSR.
- This includes multi-scale multi-objective assessment modelling aimed at cost-effective policy strategies that combine international, national and local actions
- as well as the links between air quality policy and other policy processes, such as the implementation of the United Nations Sustainable Development Goals

EPCAC mandate

- multi-scale & multi-objective assessment modelling aimed at cost-effective policy strategies that combine international, national and local actions

Aim of NIAM

- We want to share experience on technical aspects of modelling,
- Share experience on the tools and data we use, and
- exchange information about the analysis of national measures and policies.
- Moreover, NIAM aims at building cooperation between the scientific community and policy makers.

Are further clarifications needed?