

The Sixteenth Session of the Scientific Advisory Committee
on the Acid Deposition Monitoring Network in East Asia
24-26 October 2016, Pathumthani, Thailand

Annotated Agenda

1. Opening of the Session

The Session will be opened by the Secretariat. The Network Center (NC) will deliver an Introductory Remarks.

2. Election of Officers

The Session will be invited to elect a Chairperson, two Vice-chairpersons and a Rapporteur of the Session.

3. Adoption of the Agenda

The Session will be invited to consider and adopt the Agenda of the Session (EANET/SAC 16/3/1), Annotated Provisional Agenda (EANET/SAC 16/3/2) as well as the Draft Program (EANET/SAC 16/3/3) of the Session.

4. Review on the Draft Report on the Progress of the EANET since the Fifteenth Session of the Scientific Advisory Committee (SAC15) and the Draft Financial Report in 2015

The Secretariat and the NC will present the Draft Report on the Progress of the EANET since the Fifteenth Session of the Scientific Advisory Committee (SAC15) held on 29 September - 1 October 2015 in Da Nang, Vietnam including the Secretariat and the NC's Draft Financial Report for 2015. The presentation will also include the outcomes of the Seventeenth Session of the Intergovernmental Meeting (IG17) held in Bangkok, Thailand on 24-25 November 2015 and the Working Group on Framework (WGF) between UNEP and the EANET held in Bangkok, Thailand on 15-16 June 2016. The Session will be invited to make comments on the reports from the scientific and technical viewpoints.

5. Adoption of the EANET Data Report 2015

The NC will make presentations on the Draft EANET Data Report 2015. The Session will be invited to review the monitoring data of the Participating Countries in 2015 for consideration and adoption at the Session.

6. Adoption of the Report on the Inter-laboratory Comparison Projects 2015

The NC will present the Draft Report on the Inter-laboratory Comparison Projects 2015 which includes the results of the wet deposition, dry deposition (filter pack method), soil and vegetation, and inland aquatic environment Inter-laboratory Comparison Projects carried out in 2015 including a comparison of the results from 1998-2015. The Session will be invited to review, make comments and provide guidance for consideration and adoption at the Session.

7. Overview of the Updated National Monitoring Plans of the Participating Countries

The NC will present an Overview of the National Monitoring Plans of the Participating Countries based on the latest information submitted from the Participating Countries. The Session will be invited to discuss the National Monitoring Plans of the Participating Countries and provide necessary comments and guidance as appropriate.

8. Consideration of the Reports from the Chairperson of the Task Forces of the Scientific Advisory Committee (SAC)

The Chairperson or the Secretariat of the Task Force on Monitoring for Dry Deposition (TFMDD), the Task Force on Soil and Vegetation Monitoring (TFSV) and the Task Force on Research Coordination (TFRC) will make presentations on their activities. The Session will be invited to make comments on the presentations and provide guidance to the Task Forces.

9. Consideration of the draft QA/QC Guideline

The NC will present the draft of the QA/QC Guideline. The Session will be invited to discuss, provide necessary comments and consideration and adoption at the Session.

10. Consideration of the Draft Third Periodic Report on the State of Acid Deposition in East Asia (PRSAD3)

The Chairpersons of the DC for the PRSAD3 will present the Draft of PRSAD3. The Session will be invited to review, make comments and provide guidance for consideration and adoption at the Session.

11. Consideration of the EANET Science Bulletin (Vol.4)

The NC will present the Draft EANET Science Bulletin (Vol.4). The Session will be invited to make comments, suggestions/recommendations from scientific and technical viewpoints and endorsement at the Session.

12. Consideration on the Draft Final Report on the Review of the Implementation of the Medium Term Plan for the EANET (2011-2015)

The Secretariat and the NC will make presentations on the Draft Final Report of the Implementation of the Medium Term Plan (MTP) for the EANET (2011-2015). The Session will be invited to discuss, make comments and provide guidance from scientific and technical viewpoints for consideration and adoption at the Eighteenth Session of the Intergovernmental Meeting (IG18) on the EANET.

13. Consideration of the cooperation with WMO/GAW

The NC will make presentations on the Consideration of the cooperation with WMO/GAW. The Session will be invited to discuss, make comments and provide guidance from scientific and technical viewpoints, for consideration at the IG18.

14. Consideration of the Relevant Scientific Activities

- Progress of the Joint Research Activities on Model Inter-comparison Study in Asia (MICS-Asia)

The NC will make presentations on the research activities on Model Inter-comparison Study in Asia (MICS-Asia) Phase III. The Session will be invited to discuss and provide guidance on this topic as appropriate.

- Progress of the Joint Research Project on Sulfur Dynamics in Forest Ecosystems in Thailand, Malaysia and Japan

The NC will make presentations on the joint research project on sulfur dynamics in forest ecosystems in Thailand, Malaysia and Japan, which is supported by the Asia Pacific Network for Global Change Research (APN). The Session will be invited to discuss and provide guidance on this topic as appropriate.

- Presentation of the related research activities, “Identification of the areas susceptible to acid deposition”

The research results of “Identification of the areas susceptible to acid deposition” will be introduced by the expert.

15. Consideration of the Draft Work Program and Budget of the EANET in 2017 from Scientific and Technical Viewpoints

The Secretariat and the NC will make presentations on the Draft Work Program and Budget of the EANET in 2017. The Session will be invited to make comments, suggestions and/or recommendations from scientific and technical viewpoints for consideration and approval at the IG18.

16. Other Issues

The Session will discuss and consider other issues to be raised by the participants, the Secretariat and/or the NC.

17. Consideration and Adoption of the Report of the Session

The Session will be invited to consider and adopt the Report of the Session.

18. Closing of the Session

The Chairperson will close the Session.