



International Task Force  
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## INTERNATIONAL TASK FORCE FOR SUSTAINABLE PRODUCTS

### ACTION PLANNING MAP

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#### Key Issues

- Are the most important products listed?
- Are all the active governments shown?
- Are enough governments actively developing and applying policy in each area?
- Where many actors are shown, is there scope for more cooperation (wrt the ITFSP Aims)?
- What is the nature of the co-operation needed (e.g. harmonisation, convergence or synchrony of policy instruments)?
- What is the action for the Task Force?

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#### Country Key

Australia (Au)

Brazil (B)

Canada (C)

China (Ch)

EU (EU) – may need to be broken down into Member States

Ghana (G)

India (I)

Japan (J)

Philippines (P)

USA (U) – may need to be broken down into States



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Product	Impact	Sustainability Issue	Policy activity	Issues (wrt Task Force Aims) and Actions <b>Bold=Priority</b>
<b>WHITE GOODS</b>				<b>Action:</b> 1. Invite Au, B, C, Ch, EU, I, J, P, U or other to Lead? 2. <b>Endorse</b> UNGEF project to enable participation by developing countries and seek gov. support [ITFSP + Sec]
<b>Domestic cold products</b>	●	Energy	Au, B, C, Ch, EU, I, J, P, U	I: maps incomplete [A: <b>update</b> – IEA?] I: no global network? [A: establish – Lead]
		Water		
		Waste		
		Haz Waste		
		Materials		
		Other		
<b>Washing machines</b>	●	Energy	Au, B, C, Ch, EU, J, U	I: maps incomplete [A: <b>update</b> – IEA?] I: no global network? [A: establish – Lead]
		Water		
		Waste		
		Haz Waste		
		Materials		
		Other		
<b>Tumble dryers</b>	●	Energy	Au, C, EU, J, U	I: maps incomplete [A: <b>update</b> – IEA?] I: no global network? [A: establish – Lead]
		Water		
		Waste		
		Haz Waste		
		Materials		
		Other		
<b>Dishwashers</b>	●	Energy	Au, C, EU, U, B	I: maps incomplete [A: <b>update</b> – IEA?]



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	•	Water		I: no global network? [A: establish – Lead]
		Waste		
		Haz Waste		
		Materials		
		Other		
<b>HOUSEHOLD HEATING APPLIANCES</b>				<u>Action:</u> 1. Invite Au, B, C, U or other to be TF Leader? 2. Develop UNGEF project to enable participation by developing countries [UNGEF]?
<b>Electric water heaters</b>	•	Energy	Au, B, C, U	I: maps incomplete [A: <b>update</b> – IEA?] I: no global network? [A: establish – Lead]
		Water		
		Waste		
		Haz Waste		
		Materials		
		Other		
<b>PCs</b>	•	Energy	U (several others use this)	I: maps incomplete [A: <b>update</b> – IEA?] I: no global network? [A: establish – Lead]
		Water		
		Waste		
	•	Haz Waste		
		Materials		
		Other		
<b>Copiers</b>	•	Energy	Au, C, U	I: maps incomplete [A: <b>update</b> – IEA?] I: no global network? [A: establish – Lead]
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<b>CONSUMER ELECTRONICS</b>				<u>Action:</u> 1. <b>Approve</b> UK proposal to lead [ITFSP members]
<b>TVs (all technologies)</b>	•	Energy	C, Ch, EU, J, U	Traded globally in large volumes; Energy the main sustainability issue; good potential for improvement; networks forming; No common test methodology for 'on' mode. No common requirements. Actions: 1. <b>Establish</b> global network (UK Lead) 2. <b>Promote</b> and seek gov support for GN (UK Lead + Sec) 3. Update Maps, apply TF Aims to form action plan (Lead). 4. <b>Deliver</b> common on-mode test methodology and requirements (GN); 5. Develop strategy to address Waste issues (GN/UK Lead)
		Water		
	•	Waste		
	•	Haz Waste		
		Materials		
		Other		
<b>Set top boxes</b>	•	Energy		Becoming traded globally in large volumes due to analogue to digital switchover worldwide. Good opportunity to reduce potential energy demand by acting quickly. 1. <b>Establish</b> global network (UK Lead) 2. <b>Promote</b> and seek gov support for GN (UK Lead + Sec) 3. Update Maps, apply TF Aims to form action plan (Lead). 4. <b>Deliver</b> common s/b test methodology and requirements for simple terrestrial stbs(GN);
		Water		
	•	Waste		
	•	Haz Waste		
		Materials		
		Other		
<b>External power supplies</b>	•	Energy	Included in code of practice in EU	l: maps incomplete [A: <b>update</b> – IEA?] l: no global network? [A: establish – Lead]
		Water		
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<b>LIGHTING</b>				<u>Action:</u> 1. <b>Approve</b> Au Proposal to lead [ITFSP Membership] 2. <b>Endorse</b> UNGEF project to enable participation by developing countries and seek gov. support [ITFSP Membership + Sec]
<b>Domestic lighting</b>	•	Energy	C, Ch, EU, I, J, P, U	Traded globally in large volumes; Energy the main sustainability issue; good potential for improvement; 'CFLs harmonisation initiative' has potential to develop into wider GN; priority is to harmonise wide range of range of test methodologies and requirements.  <u>Actions:</u> 1. <b>Establish</b> global network (Au Lead) 2. <b>Promote</b> and seek gov support for GN (Au Lead + Sec) 3. Update Maps, apply TF Aims to form action plan (Au Lead). 4. <b>Develop and establish</b> global energy performance test methodology and standards to reduce energy consumption (e.g. by removing incandescents and bringing forward LEDs (GN); 5. Develop and establish common standards to reduce mercury content.
		Water		
		Waste		
	•	Haz Waste		
		Materials		
		Other		
<b>Fluorescent Lighting ballasts</b>	•	Energy	Au, B, C, Ch, EU, P, U	<u>Actions:</u> 1. <b>Establish</b> global network (Au? Lead) 2. <b>Promote</b> and seek gov support for GN (Au Lead + Sec) 3. Update Maps, apply TF Aims to form action plan (Au Lead). 4. <b>Develop and establish</b> global energy performance test methodology and standards to reduce energy consumption (e.g. by removing incandescents and bringing forward LEDs (GN);
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Street Lighting?				
<b>NON-DOMESTIC HVAC</b>				<u>Action:</u> 1. Invite Au, B, C, Ch, EU, J, P, U or other to lead? 2. Develop UNGEF project to enable participation by developing countries [UNGEF]?
Unit air conditioners		Energy	Au, B, C, Ch, EU, J, P, U	I: maps incomplete [A: <b>update</b> – IEA?] I: no global network? [A: establish – Lead]
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		Waste		
		Haz Waste		
		Materials		
		Other		
<b>MOTORS</b>				Invite Au, B, C, Ch, EU, U, other to lead?
Motors	●	Energy	Au, B, C, Ch, EU, U	I: maps incomplete [A: <b>update</b> – IEA?] I: no global network? [A: establish – Lead]
		Water		
		Waste		
		Haz Waste		
		Materials		
		Other		
<b>PAPER AND BOARD</b>				Develop initial activity maps and invite ??? to lead [Sec]
Paper	●	Energy		I: maps incomplete [A: <b>update</b> – IEA?] I: no global network? [A: establish – Lead]
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<b>Wood products</b>	●	Energy		I: maps incomplete [A: <b>update</b> – IEA?] I: no global network? [A: establish – Lead]
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		Waste		
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		Other		
<b>PAINTS &amp; VARNISHES</b>				<u>Action:</u> 1. Develop initial activity maps and invite ??? to lead [Sec] 2. Develop UNGEF project to enable participation by developing countries [UNGEF]?
<b>Paints and varnishes</b>	●	Energy		I: maps incomplete [A: <b>update</b> – IEA?] I: no global network? [A: establish – Lead]
		Water		
		Waste		
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<b>SOIL PRODUCTS</b>				<u>Action:</u> 1. Develop initial activity maps and invite ??? to lead [Sec] 2. Develop UNGEF project to enable participation by developing countries [UNGEF]?
<b>Soil products</b>	●	Energy		I: maps incomplete [A: <b>update</b> – ???] I: no global network? [A: establish – Lead]
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<b>TEXTILES</b>				<u>Action:</u> 1. Develop initial activity maps and invite ??? to lead [Sec] 2. Develop UNGEF project to enable participation by developing countries [UNGEF]?
<b>Textiles</b>	•	Energy		I: maps incomplete [A: <b>update</b> – IEA?] I: no global network? [A: establish – Lead]
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<b>DETERGENTS</b>				<u>Action:</u> 1. Develop initial activity maps and invite ??? to lead [Sec] 2. Develop UNGEF project to enable participation by developing countries [UNGEF]?
<b>Detergents</b>	•	Energy		I: maps incomplete [A: <b>update</b> – IEA?] I: no global network? [A: establish – Lead]
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<b>HYDRAULIC FLUIDS</b>				<u>Action:</u> 1. Develop initial activity maps and invite ??? to lead [Sec] 2. Develop UNGEF project to enable participation by developing countries [UNGEF]?
<b>Hydraulic fluids</b>		Energy		I: maps incomplete [A: <b>update</b> – IEA?] I: no global network? [A: establish – Lead]
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<b>WATER USING PRODUCTS</b>				<u>Action:</u> 1. Develop initial activity maps and invite ??? to lead [Sec] 2. Develop UNGEF project to enable participation by developing countries [UNGEF]?
<b>Toilets</b>		Energy		I: maps incomplete [A: <b>update</b> – IEA?] I: no global network? [A: establish – Lead]
	•	Water		
		Waste		
		Haz Waste		
		Materials		
		Other		
<b>Shower and tap fittings</b>		Energy		I: maps incomplete [A: <b>update</b> – IEA?] I: no global network? [A: establish – Lead]
	•	Water		
		Waste		
		Haz Waste		
		Materials		
		Other		
<b>BATTERIES</b>				<u>Action:</u> 1. Develop initial activity maps and invite ??? to lead [Sec] 2. Develop UNGEF project to enable participation by developing countries [UNGEF]?
<b>Batteries</b>	•	Energy		I: maps incomplete [A: <b>update</b> – IEA?] I: no global network? [A: establish – Lead]
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OTHERS??????

