

WP 5: Support to Technology Working Groups

Brief introduction and some thoughts

WP 5 Objectives

- Support Steering Committee (SC) and Technology Working Groups (TWGs) in developing a Strategic Research Agenda (SRA)
 - § overall aim: cost reduction
 - § detail and prioritise the Technology R&D tasks for this aim
- This will be based on analyses/discussions of:
 - § technology developments
 - § existing networks and frameworks
 - § ongoing initiatives (strengths and weaknesses)

WP 5 Tasks

q Task 5.1 Session Orientation Packages

- § Briefing of participants before Sessions
- § SWOT of ongoing R&D activities
- § Suggestions to priority areas and actions

q Task 5.2 Analysis of Findings

- § Structuring/facilitating WG meetings with analyses in mind
- § Designing Internet/web based review process (priority setting?)

q Task 5.3 Intellectual Support Working Groups

- § Ongoing

q Task 5.4 Report Production

- § Primarily by EWEA

WP 5 Approach - main contributions from Risø

- Input to SOPs through paper or web-based questionnaire at EWEC '07 and '08 (we have some experiences from EWEC '01) based on existing SRA from 2005
- Work Group facilitation (a one day or noon-to-noon meeting) with these main elements:
 - § Discussion of strategic R&D activities (gross lists)
 - § Discussion of criteria for priority setting (based on gross list)
 - § Priority setting! based on criteria
 - § Discussions and drafting of policy action (measures)