

Steps to Sharing

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Project Options

Four potential shared projects

1. **Pre-disposal A:** common characterisation methods for legacy wastes: link to development of a common WAC approach and a set of generic disposability assessments. Advance discussions of what information is already available or 'discoverable' prior to, and to help bound the project.
 - Denmark, Italy, Norway, Netherlands, Greece and Austria
 - IAEA interest and no significant ongoing work at present that would overlap
2. **Pre-disposal B:** survey of available and potentially available waste treatment, processing and storage facilities for sharing (both Europe and globally)
 - interested countries?
3. **Borehole disposal:** using country-specific data, assess strategic and cost implications of incorporating BD into national disposal planning: what design and operating concept of BD facility would suit national inventories?
 - interested countries: SLO, N, GR, NL, DK, CRO, CZ, SK, A
 - interface with IAEA CRP
4. **Costing and financing:** Collect and review national cost and financing data; review cost estimates of MNA storage and disposal; assess specific savings by sharing facilities of all kinds; formulate specific organisational proposals for co-funded implementation projects in any agreed areas
 - interested countries: SLO, NL, SK, A, GR, CZ, DK.

Points for discussion

- The appropriate management framework: simple models for joint projects
- The most suitable time schedules
- The practical deliverables
- How to develop the project specifications
- The resources that will be needed and where they will come from
- How projects will be financed
- Ensuring effective interface with ongoing work in IAEA and/or EURAD