ESIG European Solvents Industry Group

- Joint Activity of Oxygenated and Hydrocarbon Solvent Producers (28 Members) eg Shell, ExxonMobil, BASF
- Two Sector Groups of the European Chemical Industry Council (CEFIC)
- Promotes best practice in solvent usage including HSE protection
ESVOC-CG
CO-ORDINATION GROUP

• Based on Teamwork, we work together to protect our common interests and businesses regarding Solvent VOCs in Europe

• Over the past 10 years the challenges have been linked to the Improvement of European Air Quality

• Our approach has been to produce Position Papers based on good technical judgement
  • Solvent VOC Inventories
  • Indoor Air Quality
  • Proposed Directive on Decorative Paints

ESVOC-CG TEAM MEMBERS

• ACEA-Association of European Motor Manufacturers
• CEPE- European Paint Manufacturers
• Manufacturers of Printing Inks and Packaging
• AISE-Soaps, Detergents and Maintenance Products
• FEICA-European Adhesive Manufacturers
• Cosmetic Manufacturers
• European Chemical Manufacturers
• FEA-European Aerosol Association

Over 10 million European indirect employees involved in Solvents
• SOLVENT VOC EMISSIONS INVENTORIES
• Demonstrated that Solvent Emissions are overestimated by 35% for the EU 27 in 2008, 2009, and 2013
• Working with individual Member States to identify the reasons for this overestimate
• About to study Solvent VOC emissions for 2015

FUTURE CHALLENGES & OPPORTUNITIES

• INDOOR AIR QUALITY
• EC POLITICS-What about the Cost?
• IMPACT ON SOLVENTS BUSINESS FROM LEGISLATION IN CHINA & ASIA
• STS BREF ON COATINGS
• LIAISON WITH TFTEI, TFEIP & IIASA
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• Full co-operation with TFTEI on costs of implementation of emissions controls
• ACEA are liaising with TFTEI on VOC Abatement measures & cost in vehicle painting
• INTERGraf are liaising on Printing and Packaging Costs and ELVs
• New TFTEI website will be included as a link to ESIG website

ESIG and TFTEI

• WE work together – Industry and TFTEI
• Full presentation on Emissions Inventories available if time allows
• Position Papers available on the ESIG website
• Open Invitation to TFTEI co-ordinators to present TFTEI work at ESVOC-CG Meeting in December 2016