



## 1. General information

Since the last SIM General Assembly in the Autumn 2022, the most relevant developments in EURAMET have been:

- The organisation of the **17<sup>th</sup> General Assembly (GA)**, that took place as a hybrid meeting from 30<sup>th</sup> May to 2<sup>nd</sup> June, 2023 in Tallinn, Estonia. It gathered 117 people involved in metrology activities: EURAMET Delegates, TC and EMN Chairs, BIPM, OIML, RMOs (including SIM), WELMEC, EUROLAB as well as industrial and research stakeholders.

The most relevant **EURAMET matters and changes related to the CIPM MRA** were:

- The acceptance of **Ukraine (ME) and Georgia (GEOSTM) applications for membership in EURAMET on 4<sup>th</sup> November 2022**. Both countries got the associate status of Corresponding Applicant until they fulfil the criteria of full members, and **transferred their CIPM MRA related activities to EURAMET as of 1<sup>st</sup> February 2023**.
- The acceptance of the National Institute of Airborne Acoustic Metrology NIAAM (United Kingdom) as the 77<sup>th</sup> **Designated Institute** in EURAMET.
- The name change on 19<sup>th</sup> April 2023 of the National Metrology Institute of Slovenia changed name on 19<sup>th</sup> April 2023 from *Ministry of Economic Development and Technology - Metrology Institute of the Republic of Slovenia* to ***“Ministry of the Economy, Tourism and Sport - Metrology Institute of the Republic of Slovenia”***.

### Additionally:

- Dolores del Campo (CEM, Spain) was elected as **Chairperson elect**, to succeed Jörn Stenger as EURAMET Chairperson after GA 2024.
- EURAMET Delegates elected 3 additional **members of the Board of Directors**, Hanspeter Andres (METAS, Switzerland), Maroš Kamenský, (SMU, Slovakia) and Michela Segà (INRIM, Italy) (please see also the 2<sup>nd</sup> Chapter for further details of the BoD members).
- EURAMET publishes guidelines to improve harmonization practices. All guidelines are available for download as PDF version (<https://www.euramet.org/publications-media-centre>). **Guidelines n. 26 on the Calibration of Automatic Weighing Instruments (TC-M)** and **EURAMET Guide 3 on the Procedures and Review Criteria for CMCs** were the latest documents published.

Dr. Jörn Stenger will represent **EURAMET** at the **SIM General Assembly 2023**. His details are given in the table below:

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## 2. Governance & Secretariat

The governance of EURAMET is led by the **Board of Directors**. Its current members of are listed in the table below.

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EURAMET maintains a Management Support Unit (MSU) located in Teddington, UK, which is responsible for the management of the joint research programmes (EMPIR & European Partnership on Metrology).

Both teams are led by the General Secretary, Mikko Merimaa ([mikko.merimaa@euramet.org](mailto:mikko.merimaa@euramet.org)).

### 3. Technical Committee Chairs

The list of current **Technical Committee Chairs** is given in the table below. For more details, please see the EURAMET website.

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### 4. Membership update

The actual number of **Members and Associates in EURAMET** is as follows:

- 39 Members (NMIs), with ME (Ukraine) and GEOSTM (Georgia) as Corresponding Applicants
- 78 Associates – 77 Designated Institutes (A-DIs) & JRC

### 5. Status of NMI quality systems and review process

The last EURAMET TC-Q meeting was held as a hybrid meeting on 27<sup>th</sup> – 30<sup>th</sup> March 2023 (METAS, Switzerland). It was preceded by a EURAMET TC-Q Steering Committee Meeting on 26<sup>th</sup> March 2023.

All invited institutes who made presentations about Quality Management Systems fulfilling requirements of ISO/IEC 17025:2017 and ISO 17034 (if applicable) were accepted.

The EURAMET TC-Q steering Committee reviewed 106 annual reports from 35 countries and one international organisations, including those with a QMS to be re-evaluated during the meeting.

TC-Q agreed on a second TC-Q meeting (online extraordinary) to be organised in the 4th quarter of 2023 would GEOSTM successfully pass the on-site visit by peers coordinated by INRIM (Italy).