



What do we want the DSM Task be/do for participants?

- Decide on and tell our DSM story in a selling way (need time to discuss what our story is). One slide.
- Contribute to the transition to a sustainable energy system and the global goals.
- Transdisciplinary approaches and co-learning = practical and policy relevant (EE and RE directive and market design directive under review)
- Applied research and experimental development/innovation
- Eco-system based research – one level higher and combining tasks (cross-cutting)

and...

- How to prove that the international collaboration has a value. Need specific section in each Task proposal that addresses this point and shows value-add.
- Need to show the broader picture better. Multi-stakeholder and sector involvement is crucial, especially dealing with conflicting mandates and technologies.
- Using social networks more and get more people/countries/actors/organisations joining
- Our Programme needs to be more dynamic.



The setting of new Tasks - roles

- ExCos need to discuss what they like to see in the tasks and be more active on and in between meetings.
- Time for dialogue between the meetings. Experiences from Concerted Action. A platform for dialogue.
- We need to know about the priorities of the countries. ExCos prepare and present a country scanning and we need to be updated on what is going on globally as well.
- It should be the ExCo-members that comes up with the ideas, and discuss who from the willing/interested participating countries (and money spent).
- Look at systemic and societal issues and provide thoughts on transitions and top runners for 2020-25?
- Experts role depends on how they are funded.
- Stakeholders need to be included in the tasks.

Some ideas on new funding models

- Entrepreneurial OA with baseline funding
- Apply for funding in Horizon 2020 May need seed funding for writing proposals (take usually around 3 months).
- Task sharing with institutional partners:
- A common research 'bucket' /fond were ExCo collectively decides how it is spent.
- Common calls among interested participants in DSM
- Address the free-rider problems



Work on capacity building as the global arena for DSM

- Global dissemination under the IEA DSM brand
- Need to grow our brand (ExCo members telling stories better)
- IEA Secretariat needs to tell our story better
- Task 0/DSMU and capacity building but not run projects
- Collaborate with relevant TCPs
- Work/include experts from other institutions, including IPEEC, EU Commission, ERA-net, need partners outside Europe...
- Share our international expert networks
- Can we waive fee for developing countries?
- How can we include them to create DSM TCP value-add?

Action plan

- we need to prioritise and turn some of these ideas into an Action Plan!
- Make formal decision at next ExCo on this Plan
- ExCo slide kit for different audiences/lengths
- Copper Alliance can help with LT work programme for DSM



DSM activities besides Tasks that create value for the participants

- ExCo meetings- organization and disposition
- Collaboration with other actors & organisations
- Capacity building/dissemination

- **What do we do that we want to continue doing?**
- **What do we want to start doing?**
- **What do we need to stop doing?**