# TC Chair Annual Report 2018 - 2019

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# 1. General Aspects

The EURAMET TC-PR had the annual meeting at the Instituto Português da Qualidade (IPQ) in Caparica, Portugal on January 30 to 31, 2019, with a Workshop prior to the meeting on January 29, 2019.

All activities on projects, comparisons and traceability are updated and can be found on the EURAMET project website <a href="http://www.euramet.org/technical-committees/search-tc-projects/">http://www.euramet.org/technical-committees/search-tc-projects/</a>.

# 2. Projects

Currently, there are 21 projects within the TC-PR with the status "in progress" or "ongoing". 7 are comparisons, 12 are traceability projects, 1 is a consultation project and 1 is a research project.

- The consultancy project PR1101 "<u>Strategic planning in Photometry and Radiometry</u>" is led by the TC chair. In 2019, the outcome of the 2018 workshop on coordination, collaboration and support was summarized and presented. The results were grouped in specific topics and actions were suggested. A further workshop was on the upcoming EMPIR Call. At this EMPIR workshop the proposed topics were discussed and suggestions for the TC-PR meeting concerning the support for specific PRTs were done. At the TC-meeting, a large issue was the discussion on ENMs. The TC is involved in the EMN on "Quantum Technologies" and "Climate and Ocean Observation" so far. The TC expressed their need for sustainable structures in other research fields of the TC and expressed concerns about the future role of the TC-PR.
- The research project PR1048 Cryogenic Solar Absolute Radiometer (CSAR) aim to
  develop an instrument that will be able to serve as a future primary standard for the groundbased measurement of Solar Irradiance. The long-term objective is to replace the current
  artefact-based standard (World Standard Group, WSG) with an instrument that is
  exclusively based on fundamental physical principles, and that can therefore operate as a
  true SI standard.
- The traceability projects have the aim to maintain traceability between participating NMIs within the TC-PR.
- For the "Comparison" projects, see next section.

## 3. Comparisons

The following comparisons are in progress or were completed/concluded since the last GA. Details can be found on the EURAMET project website.

REG. NO.	TITLE	PILOT	STATUS	KCDB
443	Comparison of Ultraviolet Power Meters	LNE	in progress	EURAMET.PR- S4
1116	Spectral responsivity in the range from 900 nm to 1600 nm	VSL	in progress	EURAMET.PR- K2.a
1226	Comparison of Reference Solar Cells	PTB	in progress	EURAMET.PR- S5
1339	Comparison on Total Solar Irradiance	PMOD/WRC	in progress	EURAMET.PR- S6



1412	Key Comparison on spectral regular transmittance	LNE-INM	in	<u>EURAMET.PR-</u>
1412	Ney Companson on spectral regular transmittance	LINL-IINIVI	progress	K6.2015
1456	Key comparison on spectral regular transmittance	LNE-INM	in	EURAMET.PR-
1430	<u>2018</u>	LINE-IINIVI	progress	K6.2015.1
1468	Pilot study on the detection effiency of single-photon	PTB	in	
	detectors - SI-SPAD		progress	

Completed/concluded since the last GA were:

REG. NO.	TITLE	PILOT	STATUS	KCDB
1307	Bilateral comparisons on transmittance and luminous flux	IO-CSIC	Com- pleted	EURAMET.PR -K6.3 EURAMET.PR -K4.3
1344	Bilateral comparison of luminous flux using lamps as transfer standards	LNE	Com- pleted	EURAMET.PR -K4.2
1359	Bilateral comparison of spectral transmittance using a set of filters as transfer standards	LNE	Con- cluded	EURAMET.PR -K6.3

Proposed, but not yet registered are the following comparisons:

- Bilateral comparison between UME and SASO:
  - o on diffuse reflectance: Link needed, probably KRISS; Wait for end of ongoing comparison.
  - o n luminous flux: Technical Protocol was reviewed.
- Supplementary comparison on Wavelength suggested by IO-CSIC.
- DFM and RiSE plan to propose a bilateral comparison on spectral responsivity.

### 4. CMCs

EURAMET.PR.13.2017 was not approved. From this batch, three follow-up batches were submitted, i.e. EURAMET.PR.14.2018, EURAMET.PR.15.2018 and EURAMET.PR.16.2019. All were approved in the intra- as well as in the inter-RMO review. In these three batches, 45 CMCs were submitted, 45 were approved and 4 were withdrawn. Currently a new batch, EURAMET.PR.17.2019, is under intra-RMO review. The batch contains 44 new or changed entries from 6 NMIs.

## 5. Activities of the Subcommittees

TC-PR has no Subcommittees.

### 6. Participation in EMRP / EMPIR

In 2018, the projects 18SIB03 BxDiff (New quantities for the measurement of appearance) 18SIB10 chipS·CALe (Self-calibrating photodiodes for the radiometric linkage to fundamental constants) succeeded to be funded within the SI Broader Scope call. The project 18NET04 ForClimateOcean (European metrology network for climate) was granted in the Network call. In Summary, from the 9 PRTs submitted (SIB: 6 / NORM: 1 / NET: 2), 7 advanced to SRTs (SIB: 4 / NORM: 1 / NET: 2) from which 3 were granted (SIB: 2 / NORM: 0 / NET: 1).

The TC is currently involved in the following projects:

EMPIR call 2015 SI: 15SIB07, PhotoLED



EMPIR call 2016 Energy
EMPIR call 2016 Environment
EMPIR call 2016 Normative
EMPIR call 2016 Normative
EMPIR call 2017 Fundamental
EMPIR call 2018 SI Broader Scope
EMPIR call 2018 SI Broader Scope
EMPIR call 2018 Network

16ENG02, PV-Enerate
16ENV03, MetEOC-3
16NRM02, SURFACE
16NRM08, BIRD
17FUN06, SIQUST
18SIB03, BxDiff
18SIB10, chipS-CALe
18NET04, ForClimateOcean

A list with links to the EURAMET webpages for the TC-PR EMRP and EMPIR projects can be found here: <a href="https://www.euramet.org/technical-committees/tc-pr/emrp-empir/">https://www.euramet.org/technical-committees/tc-pr/emrp-empir/</a>

# 7. Capacity Building: Activities of the last year and future needs

There has been one Researcher Mobility Grant for the MIQC2 project at the beginning of 2018.

## 8. Meetings

The annual EURAMET TC-PR was held at the at the Instituto Português da Qualidade (IPQ) in Caparica, Portugal on January 30 to 31, 2019 with a workshop prior to the meeting on January 29, 2019.

Next meeting will be at INM-MD in Moldova, from January 29<sup>th</sup> to 30<sup>st</sup>, 2020, with a workshop prior to the meeting on January 28<sup>th</sup>, 2020.

#### 9. Issues

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## 10. Strategic Planning

In the annual meeting of TC-PR (January 30 – 31) there were essentially three main topics with respect to the strategic planning of the TC. Maria-Luisa Rastello, CCPR chair and vice-chairperson (GA) of EURAMET gave a presentation on the purpose and the aims of the European Metrology Networks (EMNs). EMNs are considered by EURAMET to be one main building block for collaboration and sustainability. There was a general discussion between the TC members on this new structure and on the commitments of NMIs for the EMNs research work. The TC is currently involved in the EMNs on "Quantum Technologies" and "Climate and Ocean Observation". The TC expressed the need for sustainable structures also in other research fields of the TC and expressed concerns about the future role of the TC-PR. In combination with this topic, also a discussion on a possible follow-up program for EMPIR took place. Furthermore, there were the decisions about the EMPIR-projects to be supported by the TC in the 2019 call. In the workshop prior to the meeting, the new structure of the CMCs and their submission process were discussed. Also, a summary of the last-year workshop on coordination and collaboration between the TC-PR members were given. This is considered being a continuing process for the upcoming years.

The presentations are available as documents for the annual meeting in Bratislava on the TC-PR website.



### 11. Outlook for 2019/2020

In the next period, the focus will be mainly on the following topics:

- First, the collaboration shall be more strengthened between the members of the TC-PR.
  This activity will be supported by the already mentioned workshop on collaboration,
  coordination and support and its evaluation. The progress in the coordination and
  collaboration will be constantly monitored at least once a year during the annual meeting or
  the workshop.
- Second, the TC-PR has to deal with the new established European Metrology Networks.
  The activities of the TC have to be aligned with the EMN activities. Furthermore, it has to be
  assured, that also the other TC-PR-relevant topics will find their place in the new
  EURAMET structure with respect to progress in research and development.
- Furthermore, the second round of EURAMET Key Comparisons will have to be planned in order to follow-up quickly the currently running CCPR Key Comparisons. The process of identifying pilots and participants of these KCs has already started and is an ongoing process.

