

ProScale Conference

A method for assessing the toxicological potentials of product systems in a life cycle perspective

Brussels, | 5 October 2017
Hôtel Métropole | 9.30 to 17.00



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Conference

AFTERNOON PROGRAMME

13:30-14.15 & 14.15-15:00	Parallel Workshop Sessions	
Workshop A <i>(Langevin)</i>	ProScale in practice – method & tool use	Peter Saling, BASF Andreas Bednarz, Covestro
Workshop B <i>(Rubinstein)</i>	Applying the same principles to ecotoxicity and human toxicity via the environment?	Erik Van Miert, Solvay
Workshop C <i>(Einstein)</i>	Implementing ProScale in different value chains – priorities & requirements	Martin Gloeckner, Deutsche Bauchemie Alain Wathelet, Solvay
15:15-15:35	Echoes from workshops B & C	
15:35-16:00	Implementation & Future of the ProScale Method	Eric Bischof, Covestro
16.00-17:00	<i>Closing drinks</i>	



Echoes from Workshop C – Implementation in value chains

- Sectors with interest
 - Buy-in of the method by the business/market
 - Question: interest for the final consumer?
 - Construction/building (with Government push ...)
 - Food (through EPD) ?
 - Detergent ? → mostly interested by Ecotox
 - Textile ? (probably not...)



Echoes from Workshop C – Implementation in value chains (ct'd)

- Easiness: « simple » ProScale scores
- Data needed (for communication with reliability)
 - Via ecoprofile program for chemicals
 - Via producers association
 - Via existing databases (Gabi, Ecoinvent, ...)
- Hot-spot analysis in the supply chain

