

Objective C: Issues of concern [that warrant [global][and][joint] action] are identified, prioritized and addressed

Considerations: Intended to cover the need to effectively identify, select and address issues of concern that warrant global action. The intention is to cover topics similar in nature to those covered by the Strategic Approach, emerging policy issues and other issues of concern, as well as topics such as managing specific chemicals, the burden of disease and financing. There may be a need to develop and identify the criteria for issues of concern.

Target		Target ALT. C1 – As an ongoing process, stakeholders nominate and the international conference adopts issues of concern with specific goals.		
Definition	Responsible agency	Activity	Output	Outcome/impact
	Stakeholders	nominates	Officially identified issues of concern with specific goals .	
International Conference	adopts			
Responsible	National governments	<input type="checkbox"/>		
	Industry	<input type="checkbox"/>		
	Trade associations	<input type="checkbox"/>		
	Academia	<input type="checkbox"/>		
	IOMC organisations	<input type="checkbox"/>		
	Civil Society	<input type="checkbox"/>		
High Impact/ High level Indicators	Indicator			Considerations
	Number of issues of concern nominated.			
	Number of adopted issues of concern with specific goals, as proportion of the total number of issues of concern			
Existing baselines				

Additional considerations resulting from the discussions

- Add indicator for number of Issues of Concern nominated
- As an ongoing process, stakeholders nominate, and the international conference adopts issues of concern with specific goals.
 - Scientific body or stakeholders to nominate?
 - Question on workplan? Is it needed? Or should the IoC's be integrated into the other objectives and processes
 - Imbalance between EPIs and other points of previous SAICM.
- Discussion about deleting objective C. Is it sufficient with a separate procedure for IoCs? This is not to question their importance, but rather that they are covered in the mechanisms for implementation process. Suggestion to take discussion up during IP4 discussion.

Target	Target ALT. C2 – As an ongoing process, stakeholders implement workplans for adopted issues of concern and report on progress achieving their goals, such that the use of sustainable solutions is maximized and significant negative impacts on human health and the environment are prevented or minimized.			
Definition	Responsible agency	Activity	Output	Outcome/impact
		Implement workplans Report at ICCM	ICCM-reports	the use of sustainable solutions is maximized and significant negative impacts on human health and the environment are prevented or minimized
Responsible	National governments	<input type="checkbox"/>		
	Industry	<input type="checkbox"/>		
	Trade associations	<input type="checkbox"/>		
	Academia	<input type="checkbox"/>		
	IOMC organisations	<input type="checkbox"/>		
	Civil Society	<input type="checkbox"/>		
High Impact/ High level Indicators	Indicator		Considerations	
	Number and percentage of adopted issues of concern with progress reported to ICCM.			
	Number of adopted issues of concern with processes in place to manage issues of concern			
	Number of issues of concern for which goals in programmes of work were achieved, as proportion of issues of concern			
Existing baselines				

Additional considerations resulting from the discussions