



The Global Emissions Initiative project

Founded in 1990, a community initiative
Bridging science, society and policy
Bringing together people, data, and tools
Creating and communicating emissions information



A key forum for emissions knowledge serving stakeholders in rapidly evolving global society

Analysis of emission : GEIA working groups

China Emissions WG

(K. He, Q. Zhang, Y. Wang)

- Development of the Multi Resolution Emission inventory for China (MIEC)
- Development of Mosaic emission inventory for China
- Organizing training workshop and conferences & special issue on top journals



VOC Emissions WG

(Eva Pfannerstill, P. Dominutti, A. Borbon)

- Improving global understanding of VOC emissions, including methane
- Creating a global directory of VOC observations to enhance discoverability of data
- Long-term trends in VOCs
- Effects of VOC speciation on secondary pollutant production



Latin America/Caribbean Emissions WG

(N. Huneus, L. Dawidowski, N. Rojas)

- Developing and evaluating LAC-specific emissions information
- Creating LAC regional emissions database and inventory
- Building LAC emissions expert community linked to global efforts



Urban Emissions WG

(L. Tarrasón)

- Leveraging techniques for urban emissions characterization
- Building capacity in megacities around the world



Africa Emissions WG

(C. Leal-Liousse, S. Keita, M. Naidoo)

- Creating a network of experts on African emissions
- Evaluating African-specific emission inventories
- Creating a regional database (fuel consumption, emission factors and inventories) and a continental wide African emission inventory



Near-real-time (NRT) emissions WG

(M. Guevara, B. H. Baek)

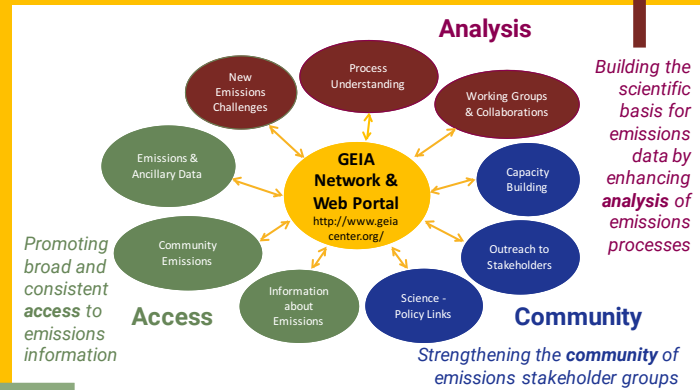
- Creating a network of experts on NRT emissions and corresponding applications
- Review of current practices and applications of NRT emission estimates
- Perform benchmarking exercises (i.e. NRT vs official estimates)
- Provide recommendations/guidance in the form of a publication



ACCESS to emissions : the ECCAD data portal



ECCAD, GEIA's emissions data portal, provides consistent access to inventories and ancillary data with easy-to-use tools for analysis and visualization, to serve scientific research & assessment efforts.



NEWS

VOC WG : new co-chairs, new objectives

Joining the WG ? Meet E. Pfannerstill and P. Dominutti here, or scan the following QR code/follow the link: tinyurl.com/GeiaVoc



Recent outputs from the previous WG : von Schneidemeser, E., et al., Comparing urban anthropogenic NMVOC measurements with representation in emission inventories—A global perspective. *Journal of Geophysical Research: Atmospheres*, 128, e2022JD037906, 2023 (<https://doi.org/10.1029/2022JD037906>)

COVID 19 WG => NRT WG

End to COVID-19 as global health emergency officially declared...,but the need for near-real time emission information has come to stay.

Recent outputs from the COVID 19 WG : Guevara, M. et al., Towards near-real-time air pollutant and greenhouse gas emissions: lessons learned from multiple estimates during the COVID-19 pandemic. *Atmos. Chem. Phys.*, 23, 8081–8101, 2023 (<https://doi.org/10.5194/acp-23-8081-2023>)

20th GEIA conference (June 2023, Brussels)

153 researchers (62 ECR) from 31 countries; 32 orals, 112 posters : a rich conference!

Highlights :

- Intense GEIA activities on developments of bottom-up emission inventories
- An increasing number of "top-down" emissions studies
- Interest of GEIA to develop integrated studies of air pollutants and greenhouse gas emissions.
- Interest of GEIA to explore links between emission studies and policy implementation
- Expand GEIA WGs to better incorporate regional (Asia, Africa, Latin America/Caribbean) and urban analyses.

21th GEIA conference

July 9-11, 2025, Abidjan, Côte d'Ivoire

(A training workshop will be organized in the frame of GEIA Africa, on July 7-8, 2025)

Network

Real time GEIA users : **more than 2000 people worldwide**
 (Blue points represent GEIA SSC member locations)



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