

The Italian experience on EU ETS Accreditation

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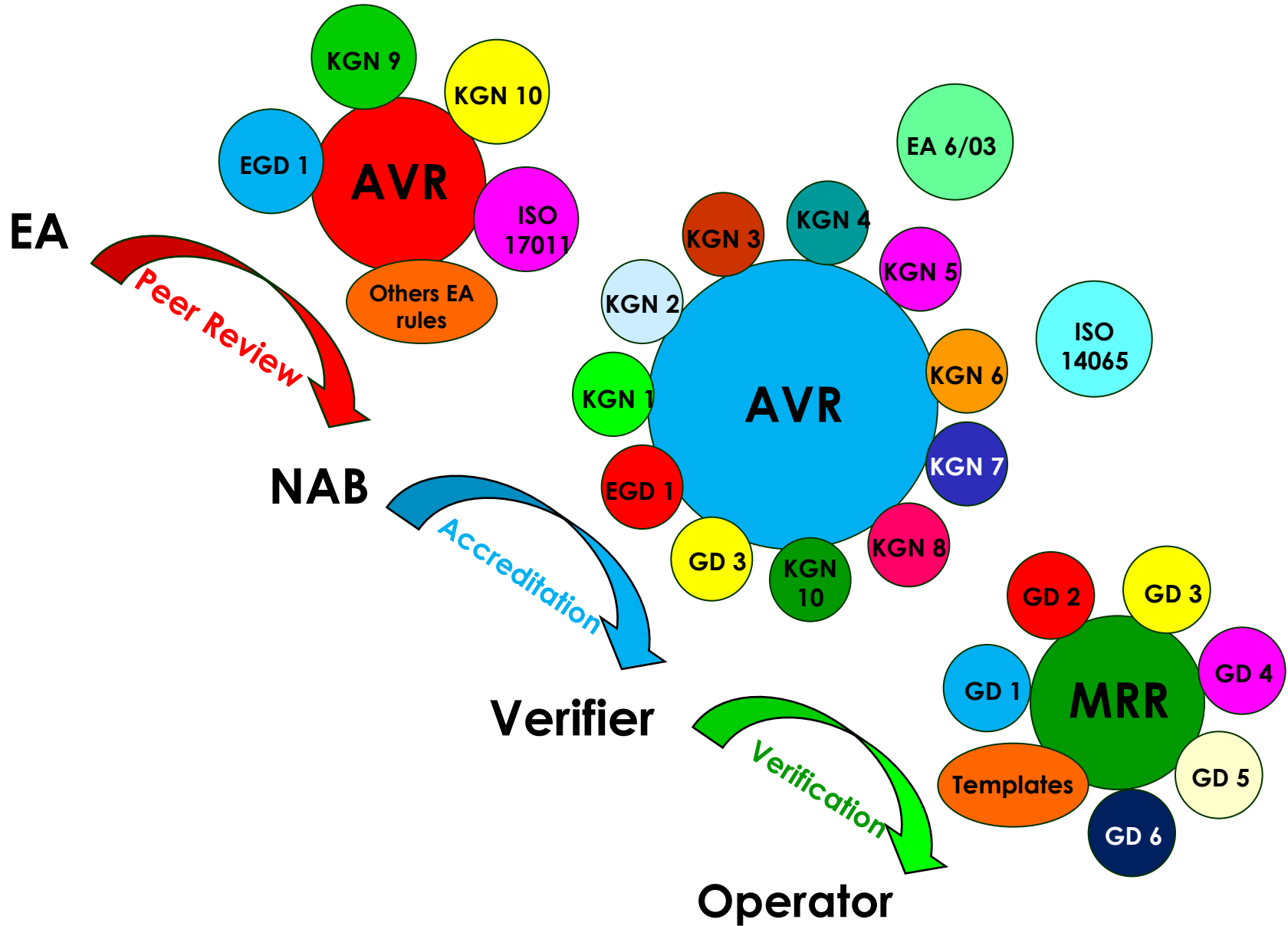
2nd period – One EU ETS, more Accreditation systems

STATES	Accreditation Body for EU ETS	EA 6/03	EN 45011	ISO 17020	ISO 14065	National Law	Accreditation Body for Emas	EA Member
Austria	BMLFUW (Authorisation, no Accreditation via EA)					X	BMWFJ	BMWFJ
Bulgaria	Executive Agency "Bulgarian Accreditation Service" (BAS)	X	X			X	X	X
Czech Republic	Czech Accreditation Institute	X	X				X	X
Denmark	DANAK		X				X	X
Estonia	Not implemented							
Finland	FINAS	X	X		(X)as soon		X	X
France	COFRAC	X			X		X	X
Germany	Chambers of commerce and the "Deutsche Akkreditierung s- und Zertifizierungs gesellschaft für Umweltgutachter"					X	DAU	Dakks
Great Britain	UKAS United Kingdom Accreditation service		X		X		X	X
Ireland	Irish National Accreditation Board (INAB)	X					X	X

Latvia	Latvian National Accreditation Bureau (LATAK)	X				X	X	X	X	X
Lithuania	Lithuanian National Accreditation Bureau	X	X						X	X
Luxembourg	OLAS	X					X	X	Ministry of the Environment	OLAS
Malta	National Accreditation Board – Malta (NAB)	X							X	X
Netherland	Dutch Council of Accreditation in Dutch: 'Raad van Accreditatie '(RvA)	X				X			X	X
Poland	Polish Centre for Accreditation					X		X	X	X
Portugal	The Portuguese Environment Agency							X	IPAC	IPAC
Romania	Ministry of Economy	X							Not implemented	RENAR
Slovenia	Ministry of Environment and Spatial Planning	X						X	SA	SA
Spain	ENAC and Generalitat de Catalunya	X	X					X	X	X
Sweden	SWEDAC	X	X					X	X	X

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3rd period - One system through all EU countries



Italian situation

II period

- Verifiers recognition system, no accreditation
- No control "on the field" of verification activities

1100 operators

24 verifiers

III period

ACCREDIA starts to work as accreditation body for EU ETS

1400 operators

15 verifiers

Preparation activities

- Strong cooperation with the Italian CA;
- Participation in EA working group (EA 6/03 revision);
- Participation in EU Commission working groups on AVR Regulation and Guidelines;
- Training course on AVR and MRR for ACCREDIA Assessor in conjunction with CA;
- Training on AVR and MRR for Verifiers in conjunction with CA;
- Create a working group with Verifiers where share problems and experiences.

Accreditation in practice

- **Deadline applications:** 1st September 2013
- **First step** (1st September 2013 – 31th December 2013)
 - Documental review
 - Assessment in verifiers offices
- **Second step** (1st January 2014 – 31th March 2014)
 - Witness during ETS verification

Conclusion

Criticalities

- Short time available for a big challenge;
- Large amount of mandatory and guidance documents;
- Risk to increase verification costs;
- Difficulties for Verifiers to finalize contracts before the 15th of November (actually only 20%).

Opportunities

- Now it is really possible to create "one" EU ETS system
- Easier to exchange experiences between different countries;
- Solid system of rules for the future;
- Possibility to simplify the system on the base of common experiences.

Thanks for your attention

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