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Revision of the "Guidelines for the establishment of sector-specific standardized baselines"

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Procedural background

At EB89, the Board requested the methodologies panel (MP) to incorporate clarifying elements into the "Guidelines for the establishment of sector specific standardized baselines".

At EB96, the Board considered a revision of the guideline and requested the MP to further on work on this item based on the guidance provided (EB96 report, para 27).

At MP 75, the Panel launched a call for inputs and the draft was revised to address the inputs received. At MP 76, the Panel agreed on the recommendation for approval by the Board.



Key issues and proposed solutions

The proposed revision includes:

- Editorial changes based on inputs from the Board members;
- Editorial changes based on inputs from the public and MP members;
- Changes in the document structure (e.g. all examples are moved to the Appendix (Examples for development of standardized baselines and Sections 5 and 6 are merged).

Out of scope:

Following the call for inputs launched at MP75, an input was received and also raised by MP members, related to the interim values Xa, Xb, Ya and Yb, provided in Appendix 1 of the Guidelines. However, this issue was considered by the Panel to be out of the scope of the mandate.



Recommendations to the Board

The Board may wish to approve the recommendation of the MP to revise the "Guidelines for the establishment of sector-specific standardized baselines".



Subsequent work and timelines

No further work is envisaged



Thank you.

