



Agenda Item 15.3:
Updates by other organisations in liaison

Agenda Item 15.3c:
Update from CECIP

CECIP Report CIML 2023

CIML meeting
Chiang Mai, October 2023



- International Conference of Weighing
- CECIP Vision on metrological control of the future
- New CECIP President
- CECIP campaign 'Weighing you can trust'
- CECIP OIML activities

- First ICW great success!
 - 220 participants from 6 continents
 - Very good reactions on organisation and programme from participants
 - In cooperation with OIML
 - Much appreciated by global weighing industry



- Several presentations on OIML work:
 - Session on digital transformation of OIML work including developments on OIML DTG, R76, R51 and D31
 - Presentation on OIML R134
- Full programme [here](#)



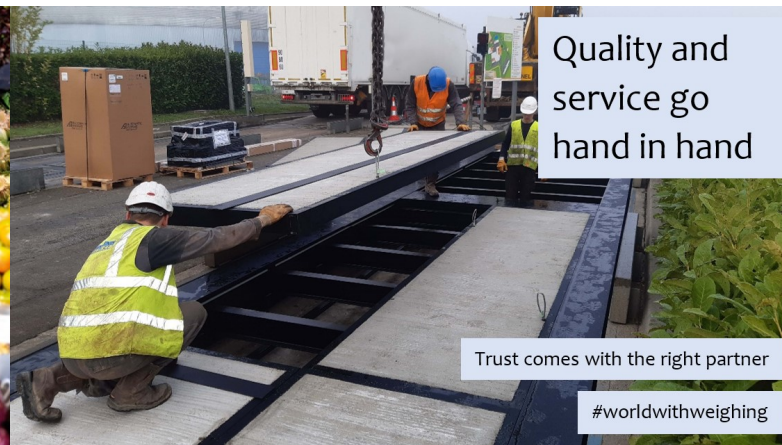
- Many new connections
 - Network of weighing industry associations extended to Australia, Brazil, Argentina, South Korea and India
- Interesting discussions on many legal metrology aspects
- Next edition ICW 2026 in Japan

- CECIP published its new vision on the metrological control of the future
 - Hopes to start discussion on making legal metrology framework futureproof
- Key topics:
 - Harmonisation of reverification system (mainly within EU)
 - Reverifications with partly remote tests
 - A risk-based approach for reverification periods
 - European weighing instrument database
 - Taking into account new business models when preparing legislation, standards and recommendations
 - Effective market surveillance
 - Independent reverifications not only by government bodies

- Luis Cachón elected as new CECIP President
 - Successor of Nick Parsons from Minebea Intec
 - Luis is Head of Legal Metrology of Mettler Toledo Group
 - Previous President of CECIP International Cooperation Group



- CECIP ran the ‘Weighing you can trust’ campaign
 - Successor of ‘World with Weighing’
 - Articles, website (www.worldwithweighing.com) and social media posts
- Focused on raising awareness of different quality aspects of weighing



- CECIP is actively involved in following revisions and working groups:
 - OIML R76 – Non-automatic weighing instruments
 - CECIP are concerned that the final outcome of the proposed Revision will have been subject to only a superficial assessment and result in a document with inconsistencies and ambiguities.
 - CECIP would urge you to reconsider the proposal to publish the document by the 3rd May 2024 and restart this process.
 - OIML R134 – Weighing in motion
 - OIML R51 – Checkweighers
 - Software requirements (see subgroup SG9)
 - including artificial intelligence
 - due to rapid technological developments, shorter revision intervals make sense, e.g. 2 years
 - Disagreement on requirement for physical sorting device.
 - European NMIs see the sorting device as an integral part of the measuring instrument, and the measuring instrument manufacturer as having the overall responsibility.
 - Outside Europe, the view is different (sorting is the responsibility of the operator)
 - Checkpoint model adopted as an alternative variant for evaluating the measurement results of an automatic checkweigher in the project group
 - Advantages for certain applications
 - Advantages for all stakeholders

- CECIP is actively involved in following revisions and working groups:
 - OIML D31 – Software
 - OIML D11 – Electronic measuring instruments
 - OIML CS MC
 - OIML Digitalisation Task Group
 - OIML R106 – Automatic railweighers
 - No convenor available yet, CECIP calls on revision to start

Thank you!

Luis Cachón
President of CECIP

