

Day 1
Session III:

**Collaborating to Move
Forward**

Questions and Discussion

**Review of initial proposal for collaborative
mercury monitoring in the Asia-Pacific Region**

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Group Discussion

- Thoughts, reactions and input from all workshop participants (round robin)
- What do you think about this vision?
- What kind of data or information do you want/need from a mercury network?
- What are the primary research and data needs for the region?
- What do you see as the main opportunities to collaborate?
- How would you envision you/your agency participate in a regional network?

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- Round Robin
 - Input from all.....

What do you think about this Proposal?

- Is this feasible?
- Is this reasonable?
- Is this necessary?
- Would it work in your country
- Do you think your country should do this?

What kind of data or information do you want/need from a mercury network?

- Does this kind of network provide this data?
- What specific additional data would you need?
- How should a network be changed to give you the data you need?

What are the primary research and data needs for the region?

- Is mercury research important in your country?
- If not, what sort of data do you think you need?
- Is wet deposition information valuable to your work?

What do you see as the main opportunities to collaborate?

- Do you feel this network is necessary?
- Is this something you are ready to do?

What do you see as the main obstacles to collaborate?

- Long term funding?
 - Making measurements? Obtaining equipment?
 - Coordinating operating methods?
 - Sharing data?
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- What are ways to remove these obstacles?

How would you envision you/your agency's participation in an APMMN?

- Contributing measurements?
 - Wet deposition
 - Gaseous measurements
 - Data review/serving?
- Serve on scientific committee?
- Others countries/agencies that we should approach?
- What else can the US/Canada/NAPD do?