

## EWG Invitation

This message is sent on behalf of Germany

**Title** Revision of the *Guidelines on Measurement Uncertainty* (CXG 54-2004)  
**Committee** CCMAS  
**Session** 39<sup>th</sup> session of CCMAS  
**Chair of EWG** Germany  
**Co-Chair(s)**  
**Working Languages** English

**Description of work**

- Introduction to the CXG 54 – 2004, which covers general aspects on measurement uncertainty, including the expanded measurement uncertainty as well as to emphasise its influence on measurement results and on (given) sampling plans.
- The Guideline should not cover how MU would influence the decision-making process regarding conformity assessment. Conformity assessment and the use of uncertainty of analytical results should rest with national governments. The Principles for the use of sampling and testing in international food trade is covered by CXG 83-2013.
- An information document containing examples supports the revision of GL54.
- A prioritised combination of general and technical improvements of an updated CXG 54 – 2004 that is comprehensive, simple to use and understood .

### Timetable for work

Proposed timetable	Activity
	EWG invitation until end July 2018
	Supply of drafts with options to comment on until November 2018
	Adaptation of drafts until February 2019
	Preparation of report on EWG for CCMAS40

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**Registration deadline** 31 July 2018

**EWG online platform#** Yes  No

Codex Members and Observers are invited to register their experts for this EWG. When there is more than one expert, each country or observer organization shall designate **one** as the official representative to participate in the EWG.

Applications should be sent through the Codex Contact Point of the member or recognized observer organization in an email detailing:

- participants name,
- organization or country
- email

The EWG platform Link: <http://forum.codex-alimentarius.net/index.php>

Usergroup name: **CCMAS-GL-mu2018**

The EWG platform will require members to login. New participants to the platform will be provided with the link once their credentials have been verified by the working group leaders. Those participants who have previously registered on the platform will be provided with the EWG name so they can request to join.