

Progress Report Highlights of Interim Report

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WP 2 Stakeholders and reference group meetings

- 77 Stakeholders
- 120 people in 11 reference groups
 - Nov 06
 - Mar 07
 - Jun 06

WP 2 Conferences

- ❑ Jun 2007 EUExcert, UK
- ❑ Sept 2007 EFEE conference, Vienna
- ❑ Sep 2007 Buenos Aires conference, Argentina
- ❑ Nov 2007 Parari conference in Australia

WP 4 Glossary and Terminology

- To be continued awaiting replies from the partners

WP 5 Education programme on Explosives

- ❑ Czech Republic
- ❑ Finland
- ❑ Germany
- ❑ Italy
- ❑ Norway
- ❑ Portugal
- ❑ Russia
- ❑ Slovakia
- ❑ Sweden
- ❑ UK
- ❑ Germany has a complete training programme for workers in commercial explosives. Although there is no training in procurement, research and development, test and evaluation, and manufacture

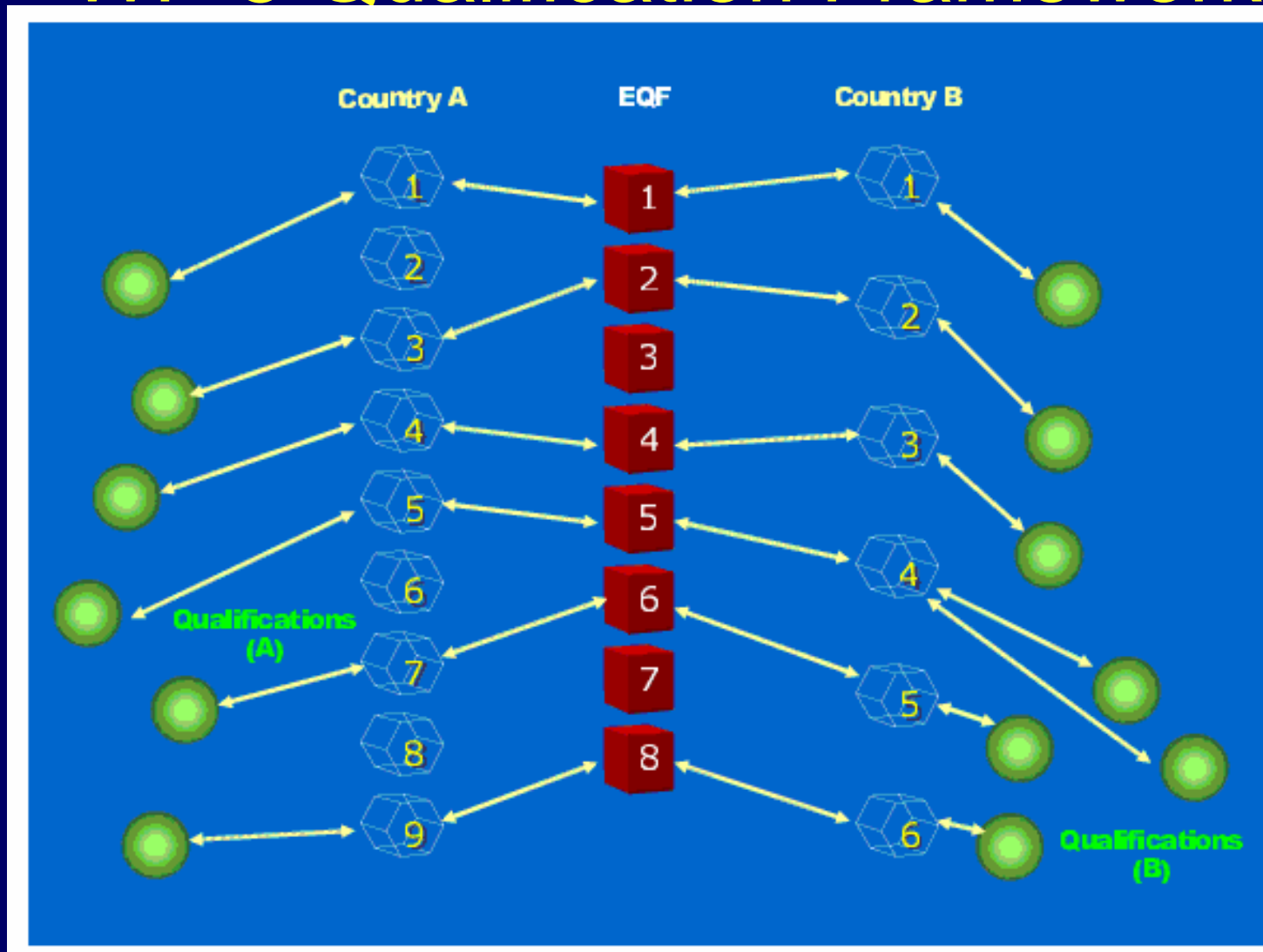
WP 5 Validation of competencies in EU

- ❑ R&D - Finland, Czech Republic, **UK**
- ❑ Safety Management and Test & Evaluate -
Germany
- ❑ Manufacture, Maintenance, Procurement -
Portugal, Estonia, **Norway**
- ❑ Storage - Portugal, Estonia, **Italy**
- ❑ Transport - **Italy**
- ❑ Disposal, Engineering and Entertainment -
France, **Sweden**

WP 5 UK Explosives Vocational Qualifications

Key Role	Description	NVQ Management	NVQ Supervision	NVQ Operator
Research, Design and Development	Research into Explosive Substances and/or Articles	Level 4		
	Design and/or Development of Explosive Substances and/or Articles	Level 4		
	Research, Design and Development of Explosive Substances and/or Articles		Level 3	
Safety Management	Explosives Safety Management and/or Advice and/or Regulation	Level 4		
Test & Evaluation	Test and Evaluation of Explosive Substances and/or Articles	Level 4	Level 3	Level 2
Manufacture	Manufacturing Explosive Substances and Articles	Level 4	Level 3	Level 2
Maintenance	Explosives Maintenance	Level 4	Level 3	Level 2
Procurement	Procurement of Explosive Substances and/or Articles	Level 4	Level 3	
Storage	Explosives Storage	Level 4	Level 3	Level 2
Transport	Explosives Transport		Level 3	Level 2
Disposal	Explosive Substances and/or Articles Disposal	Level 4	Level 3	Level 2
Hybrids	General Explosives Operations			Level 2

WP 5 Qualification Framework



WP 5 Legislation for Explosive Workers

- ❑ EU
 - ❑ Czech Republic
 - ❑ Finland
 - ❑ Germany
 - ❑ Portugal
 - ❑ UK
 - ❑ Sweden
- ❑ Generally states that people engaged in activities associated with explosives meet competency standards.

WP 8 Flexible Media

- 4 modules available on-line developed at Cranfield University in English, Serbian and Spanish
 - Introduction to Explosives
 - Detonation and Deflagration
 - Initiation
 - Safety and Legislation

WP 9 Conference

- ❑ 2nd EUExcert conference in June 2007
- ❑ 5,000 flyers were printed
- ❑ Attended by 78 delegates.
- ❑ 3rd EUExcert conference in June 2009
- ❑ Conference proceedings on CD-Rom