

“Capacity Building and Strengthening Institutional Arrangement”

Workshop: “Environmental Impact Assessment (EIA)  
(for Assessors)”

**Working Group n°. 2**

**‘Design and perform a EIA of a project on a  
defined site  
(using EEAA available filled EIA Forms and  
documentation)’**

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## Objective

How conduct a scoping study on a proposed project.

Identify (scope) the environmental impacts likely to arise from the project described on Form A or B

## Activities

**Phase 1:** Analyse principals impacts which might arise from different aspects of the construction and operation of the proposed project in a single matrix

If you think an impact is likely to warrant further investigation within the EIA process ie the magnitude or significance of the impact is likely to affect the decision about whether to give planning permission or the final location, layout or design of the project than indicate this with a tick in an appropriate cell.

You therefore need to identify relevant aspects of the construction and operational phase and the range of likely impacts.

## Activities

**Phase 2:** Choose the best environmental option for the proposed project (alternatives) (Where and Why)

Make a judgement about the 3 most significant impacts which might arise from the development and explain why you have selected these

Identify further information that you would ideally like to be able to complete a more thorough scoping study. Please select the most important information only, be clear as to why you want this information and indicate who you would approach for this information (which organisation).