ExCo (Executive Committee) Meeting

Held 2-3 times a year in major cities or at conferences

Discussions include:
- Host country’s topics and discussions
- Member country’s HTS activity

(Above) The ExCo discussed HTS cable commercialization and what is needed from now on with HTS industry experts in host and member countries.

(Left) Discussion about IEA-TCP cooperation to solve global and common energy issues.

**BACKGROUND AND MOTIVATION**

IEA-HTS-TCP

Members include
- 9 contracting partners
- 2 sponsors

Mission: To evaluate the status and assess the prospects for future use of HTS by the electric power sector within the developed and developing world and to disseminate these results to decision makers in government, the private sector, and the R&D community.

The HTS TCP conducts outreach directed toward four groups of stakeholders: Electric utilities, governments, the professional engineering community, and the R&D community. These four groups are sources of expertise that can inform the evaluations and assessments performed under the TCP.

**HTS-TCP ACTIVITY**

**ExCo Meeting supports and accelerates**

**STANDARDIZATION STATUS**

The main standardization committee on Superconductivity: IEC TC 90

**TERMINOLOGY**

**TEST METHODS**

**PRODUCT STANDARD**

Many Standards developed, but only few concerned with products!

**EFFORT AND COOPERATION FOR STANDARDIZATION**

**CONCLUSION AND OUTLOOK**

The information exchange within the HTS TCP is often the starting point to develop real standards influencing the present and future power systems design. The IEA-HTS-TCP supports and accelerates this standardization through regular Executive Committee meetings and public relations and outreach.