Meaning of version-numbers X.YY.ZZ

X indicates the version number. Within the same version, major conclusions on rigorous

containment are not modified, model assumptions are frozen (stay the same).

YY indicates the subversion number. This number is increased if functional changes are done

to the tool not affecting the underlying model.

ZZ indicates sub-subversion number. This number is increased when minor bugs and typos are

corrected and explanatory text is slightly modified.

09.09.2012 Release of version 1 (1.00.00)

Glossary amendments Correction of typos

07.05.2012 Release of Release Candidate 1 (0.99.09))

Inclusion/amendment of introduction

NEW → Inclusion of process step assessment

Modification of terminology

17.02.2012 Release of BETA-Version 0.09.07 (Eurometaux / Precious Metals Consortium)

Bug-fixes (various) Finalisation of glossary

Finalisation of metal-specific CS-characteristics

Update of hyperlinks

XX.01.2012 Release of BETA-Version 0.09.05 (Industry-Experts)

Reflection of metal-specific physical forms

Modification of assessment of process-intrinsic exposure potential

Glossary: Reflection of modifications (not finalised)

14.12.2011 Release of BETA-Version 0.09.03 (for BETA-Testers)

Correction of typos

Major changes: Metal specific adaptation of containment characteristics

Glossary: Reflection of modifications made to the tool

05.12.2011 Presentation of BETA-Version 0.09.02 (Eurometaux / Precious Metal Consortium)

Glossary: correction of typos, some rewording

Enabling process step specific assessment (inclusion of overview sheet and process step sheets)

Inclusion of generic introduction

Disabling liquids as being not relevant for metals

Inclusion of additional physical forms: molten metal/slag, metal in liquid mixture, slurry, wetted filter cakes

Disabling vapour pressure as determinant for RiCo

Adding data fields for substance name and process descriptions

Units for OELs and quantities now reflecting only solids (i.e. by using $\mu g/m^3$ and kg, respectively)

Inclusion of short paragraph on the rationale of the tool

Inclusion of dermal exposure statement for physical forms of very low emission potential

Major change: replacement of quantity determinant with process determinants

Major changes: CSO+ and CS2+ are included

Major changes: Metal specific adaptation of containment characteristics (not complete)

XX.08.2011 Release of BETA-Version 0.02.05 for review (internal review at Eurometaux/PMC level)

Glossary: correction of typos, some rewording

09.08.2011 Release of BETA-Version 0.02.04 for review (internal review at EBRC)

Glossary: correction of typos, some rewording

Tool: further introduction of named cells

Tool: worst case assumption if vp is not known and one of the temps is not reported

Tool: corrected equation for volatility estimation

NEW → Tool: reporting of assessment basis for hazard group

NEW → Tool: reporting of assessment basis for volatility/dustiness

Tool: double entries for containment strategies removed

Tool: redesign for more clarity

02.08.2011 Release of ALPHA-Version 0.01.03 for review (internal review at EBRC)