



CO-ORDINATION ACTION on Indoor Air Quality and health effects

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Basics:

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Three departments are concerned with the work within EnVIE: Chemistry and Materials Technology, Building Technology and Mechanics, and Energy Technology.



Chemistry and Materials Technology, Indoor Air Quality

Björn Lundgren, Professor Indoor climate Technology
Sarka Langer, Assoc. Professor Atmospheric chemistry
Karine pointet, PhD in Chemistry
The total team of 8 persons,

Building Technology

Ingemar Samuelsson Professor Indoor Environment
A team of building inspectors totally 8 persons,

Energy Technology,

Team of HVAC and energy efficiency studies

Approximately 60 persons are involved in the area of Energy efficiency and indoor environment through research, testing and field studies..





Main activities in the field of indoor air quality



Project areas:

- Chemical emission from building materials
- Monitoring techniques for air quality studies
- Investigations of chamber measurement techniques,
- Sorption on and desorption from building materials of volatile organic compounds
- Systematic analysis of exposures related water borne paints in indoor environments,
- Short-lived and reactive compounds in the indoor air and its effects,
- Development of sampling and analysis techniques for the indoor air quality,
- Development techniques for mitigation and analysis of effects of PCB in indoor air.
- Evaluation of toxic gases in fires from materials.



Your contribution to EnVIE (1 slide)



- **Participation in work package 3: Spaces, characterisation and sources.**
- **Participation in work package 1: Exposures, sources and source characterisation.**
- **Potential contributions by:**
 - **Provision of building data for the Swedish housing stock**
 - **Knowledge of emissions from building materials, including test methods and results from product testing**
 - **Data on range of concentration of pollutants in Swedish buildings, homes offices and schools**
 - **Experiences of the range of problems in buildings through manyyears of field investigations of constructions, ventilation and Indoor air quality.**