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“Industry workshop on reducing methane emissions from the gas sector”

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- 2005: Methane emission issue detected
 - MARCOGAZ released its first methodology

- **2014: Growing attention for methane emissions** by governments, EU institutions, regulatory bodies and the general public.
 - No common position of the Natural Gas Industry.

- 2015: Detecting a lack of collaboration and coordination in the Gas industry.
 - **Creation of the Industry Meeting**

- **First edition - 30/06/2015**
 - Organised by MARCOGАЗ in Brussels (17 attendees)
- **Edition #2 - 07/07/2016**
 - Organised by MARCOGАЗ in Brussels (27 attendees)
- **Edition #3 - 13/07/2017**
 - Organised by MARCOGАЗ / GIE, and hosted by ENAGAS in Madrid
- **Edition #4 – today**
 - Organised by MARCOGАЗ / GIE /UNECE.
 - Given the high growing interest in this hot topic, UNECE kindly proposed to host the Industry Meeting

What's the industry meeting?

The Industry Meeting is a **platform**:

- To **exchange** on **existing** initiatives to manage CH₄ emissions across the **whole gas value chain**, from Exploration & Production until End-Use, including LNG, biogas, ...
- **Not** to perform a common general study for the whole gas chain.
- Where attendees are representing gas associations and international organisations.
- Aiming at detecting **gaps/overlaps** within the different existing initiative → to avoid interferences and contradictions,



Thank you !

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