

# GSMP Global Product Classification (GPC) Standards Maintenance Group (SMG)

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## **Business purpose**

This group maintains the GS1 Global Product Classification system. This work group acts as a pool of experts for all GPC work groups and coordinates with associated Mission Specific work groups.

## **Stakeholders**

SDL	Eileen Harpell
CE/Sol Liaison	Elsa Braz
SME	Elsa Braz
AG Liaison	open position
Chair	Anne-Sophie Huygens, open position

## **Last 90 days**

- Presented GPC fundamentals at the I&S event
- GPC Standard is translated for 23 countries (1 new)
- GPC November publication development period has ended, the publication will go into Community Review in October 2023 (24 work requests)
- Korean government is now implementing GPC
- GPC Browser performance issues. New features to be deployed in October
- GPC automation, developed a GPC database and will be moving the management of GPC data from Excel to online
- New class for Equestrian sport equipment
- New structure for solar panels
- Rearrangement of the lighting products classification

## **Next 90 days**

- Finalise the GPC automation
- Complete GPC November 2023 publication
- B2C consumer facing attributes project and the impact on the GPC standard
- Present a GPC Master Class at the European Regional Forum

## **Risks**

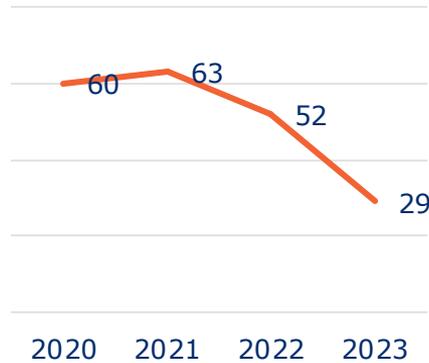
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## Publication deliverables

1	GPC Nov 2023 Release	Nov 2023
2	GPC May 2023 Release	May 2023

## Work Request activity by year for Q1-3



## Submitters ytd

Submitter	Number of WR
GS1 Belgium & Lux	5
GS1 Switzerland	2
GS1 Association Greece, GS1 Canada, GS1 China, GS1 France, GS1 Germany, GS1 Global Office, GS1 Netherlands, GS1 Poland, GS1 Sweden, ITracePartners	1 ea.

New risks (scope and resources) identified

No

Change request included

No



Legend

Complete

Not Started

On Time

Risk of being late

Change needed (not recoverable)