

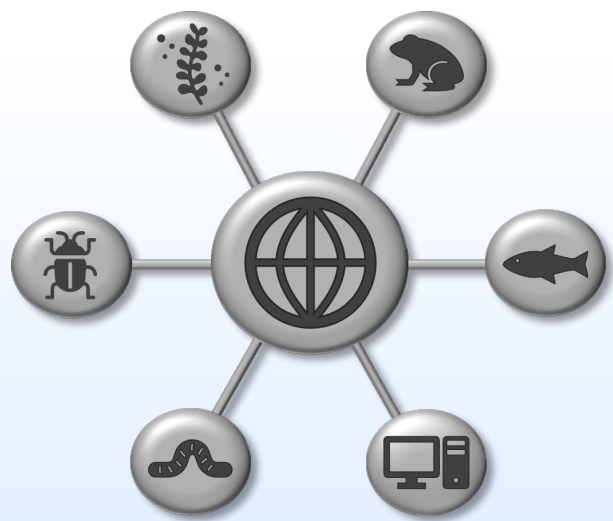
# ecoNAM: A Global Network for Alternative Methods in Ecological Safety Assessment



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## BACKGROUND:

- Scientific advances have the potential to improve ecological safety assessment.
- Increased focus on NAMs (new approach methodologies; non-animal methods) have sparked development and innovation.
- Opportunity to collectively inform how NAMs can be implemented into safety assessment paradigms.



## KEY NEEDS:

- Coordination of roadmaps
- Bridge gaps from science → implementation
- Connection across programs
- Specific focus on ecological
- Multi-sector / tripartite balance
- Global

**GOAL:**  
Create a collaborative platform & network designed to facilitate international information exchange and synergies regarding animal alternatives and innovation for ecological safety assessment of chemicals.



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## NEXT STEPS:

- We are currently gauging interest and assessing resources. Our goal is to determine a feasible path forward and establish a robust global network for NAMs.
- A dedicated symposium, focused on advances and innovations in ecological safety assessment of chemicals, is currently being planned for 2025.



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