Confirmation that in-person and online participation in OIML meetings is equivalent

(see Addendum 4.2)
Introduction and background

• All resolutions of the 55th CIML meeting were successfully adopted online after that meeting, based on CIML Resolution 2020/1.

• A survey of CIML Members and Corresponding Member Representatives was conducted after the 55th CIML Meeting.

• A clear majority of 98% support online participation and the application of the “in-meeting” conditions defined in Article VIII of the OIML Convention to online or hybrid Conferences, by analogy with CIML Resolution 2020/1.

• It is time to confirm the principle that in-person and online participation in OIML meetings is considered equivalent, regardless of whether a meeting is conducted as in-person, online or hybrid meeting, i.e. a combination of in-person and online meeting.

• For more background information please refer to Addendum 4.2
Proposed Draft CIML Resolution

Draft Resolution no. CIML/2021/04

The Committee,

Recalling its resolution 2020/1,

Noting that all OIML meetings can be held with in-person participation, or with solely online participation, or with a combination of in-person and online participation,

Decides that in-person and online participation in all OIML meetings is considered to be equivalent, and

Requests the 16th Conference to endorse this policy.