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<i>Timetable in EEST</i>		Day 1 – 15 April 2021	
<i>(tentative)</i>			
09:45 – 10:00	-	<i>Test for audio, video on zoom</i>	
10:00 – 10:05		Agenda item 1. Adoption of the agenda	
10:05 – 10:45		Agenda item 2. Context and introductions of CG FOODWEB	
10:05 – 10:25	-	<i>“tour de table” : introduce yourself!</i>	
10:25 – 10:45	-	Introduction by HELCOM Secretariat on the ToRs and preparations towards HOLAS III	
10:45 – 11:40		Agenda item 3. Setting the scene: assessing food webs	
	-	Why do we need to assess status of foodwebs? Discussion on policy relevance, ecological relevance and management implications.	
	-	What do we need to get out of an assessment of foodwebs? Discussion on outputs, uses, scales and ecological validity of results.	
11:40 – 11:50		Break	
11:50 – 17:00		Agenda item 4. Existing approaches:	
11:50 – 13:15	-	Presentations by experts / projects	
13:15 – 14:15		Lunch break	
14:15 – 15:40	-	Presentation by experts / projects	
15:40 – 15:50		Break	
15:50 – 17:00	-	Presentation by experts / projects	
16:30 – 17:00	-	What did we learn from day 1?	

<i>Timetable in EEST</i>		Day 2 – 16 April 2021	
<i>(tentative)</i>			
10:00 – 13:00		Agenda item 5. Linkage with HOLAS III	
11:15 – 11:30	-	Summary of day 1	
11:30 – 12:00	-	Discussion: How can we assess foodwebs to meet the demands identified in day 1? How could existing information be utilized in HOLAS III? What data is needed?	
	-	Recommendations for short (HOLAS III) and long (HOLAS IV and beyond) term development of foodweb assessment in the Baltic Sea.	
12:00 – 12:10		Break	
12:10 – 13:00	-	Continuation of the discussions	
13:00 – 17:00		Agenda item 6. Next steps for CG FOODWEB	