Integrating Global Value Chains and Emissions Accounting: Methods and Applications



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Summary of the Training Session:

Global value chains (GVCs) are at the forefront of modern international trade, with goods and services crossing multiple borders before reaching final consumers. While GVCs have enabled significant economic growth and integration, they have also raised important questions about environmental sustainability, particularly regarding the carbon footprint of global trade. Inputoutput analysis, a powerful tool in understanding interdependencies within economies, has emerged as a critical framework for analyzing the environmental impacts of GVCs, including greenhouse gas emissions.

Outline:

First Session	Global Value Chains Accounting framework
Second Session	Environmental Input-output Analysis
Third Session	Tracing CO2 in Global Value Chains
Fourth Session	Application in R.

Prerequisites:

It could be necessary that participants have a basic level in R or Python. Participants will bring with them their laptops.

Suggested References:

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