Breakout Session 2

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• Considering LCA model assumptions:
  – How comfortable is your group with modeling assumptions in LCA, especially in light of major differences in impact predictions from different impact indicator models?
  – Should there be an effort for validation of models?

• Should there be an effort for auditing LCA predictions made by a contractor once the job has begun?
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• Generally uncomfortable
• For LCA tools, the decisions made by the tool developers may dictate the outcome
• Sensitivity and uncertainty analysis are LCA tools to deal with assumption comfort level
• With different impact indicator models, there is need to also report life-cycle inventory

• Yes