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ISO 14020 series standards on ecolabeling

In the 1990s of the twentieth century, ISO developed a **series of ISO 14020 standards** concerning the so-called **ecolabeling**.

These standards have provided vocabulary, rules and requirements for how to communicate the environmental aspects of products, including requirements for environmental claims:

14020: **1998**; the terms, definitions and principles


14021: **1999**; Type II environmental labelling, self-declared

14022: 1999; Type II, symbols

14023: 1999; Type II, testing and verification methodologies

14024: **1999**; Type I environmental labelling

14025: **2000**; Type III environmental labelling

 14026: **2018** (FDIS); information on footprints

14027: **2019** (TS); product category rules

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The need to review the ISO 14020 series of standards

Another revision: an extensive market study by ISO / TC 207 SC3 highlighted the need to review the ISO 14020 series of standards over the next few years:

- **revision** all existing terms and definitions and principles in the existing ISO 14020 standards series,
- **consolidation** of this standards and **removal** of duplications.
- among other things, it is **necessary to establish** and explain the extent to which "**type I, type II and type III**" environmental **claims should be maintained**, which is confusing to many stakeholders and commentators.

ISO 14020 = the first reviewed (2020).

Environmental statements and programmes for products - Vocabulary, principles and general requirements



Communication of the environmental aspects of products

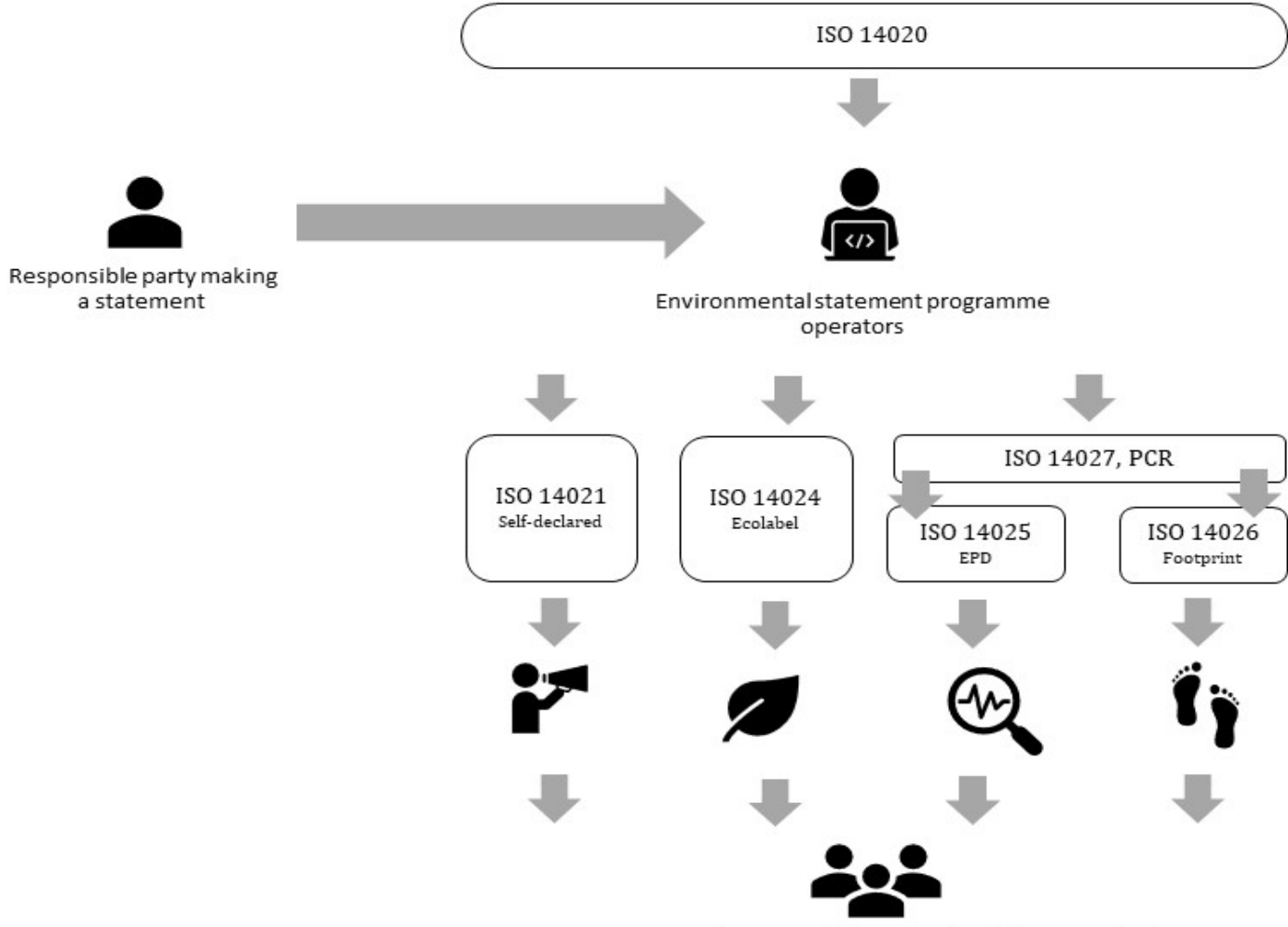
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After the future revisions:

- ISO 14021: En. stats and progrs for products - **Self-declared claims,**
- ISO 14024: En. stats and progrs for products - **Ecolabels,**
- ISO 14025: En. stats and progrs for products – **Environmental Product Declarations (EPD),**
- ISO 14026: En. stats and progrs for products – **Environmental footprints**
- ISO 14027: En. stats and progrs for products – **requirements for product category rules (PCRs)**
- ISO 14028, *a new standard containing all the general requirements applicable for all environmental labelling programmes and statements*
- ISO 14029: En. stats and progrs for products – **requirements for the mutual recognition of EPDs and associated programmes.**

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Structure of the revised ISO 14020 series



Source: ISO CD 14020:2020

environmental aspects of the product are communicated to the interested parties

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