



# ANALYZING TRENDS IN OPTION SPACE OVER TIME

## PURPOSE OF DISCUSSION

The purpose of this discussion is to analyze how important dimensions of option space may have increased or decreased over time. This is important as the option space is related to the long-term capacity in the system to deal with the dilemmas, and may reveal important intervention points in the system. See also related activity sheet.

## DISCUSSION QUESTIONS

- Which option space dimensions do you think have changed the most in your system do you think? Why?
- What drivers of change have contributed to the observed trends?
- How do you believe that the change in option space relate to the aspirations and dilemmas in the system? Does the change in option space enable or inhibit the system's capacity to move towards more desirable futures?
- How may the changes in option space be felt differently across different stakeholder groups in the system?