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As part of the recent development of ASEMS, QSEP has been investigating embedding Sustainable Procurement (SP) principles more effectively within DE&S procurement activities. This has resulted in the introduction of a new SP Toolkit for Delivery Teams together with supporting guidance. The tool kit is intended to provide a proportionate and relevant approach for Delivery Teams to manage SP during the acquisition lifecycle.

Further details can be found in [SEB 022 \[1\]](#), and in the version control information at the end of each EMP. Covering the basic principals of the tool, a **Quick Start Userguide** has been published and is available [here \[2\]](#).

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[1] <https://www.asems.mod.uk/sites/default/files/documents/20180621%20SEB022%20-%20SP%20Tool%20.pdf> [2]  
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