



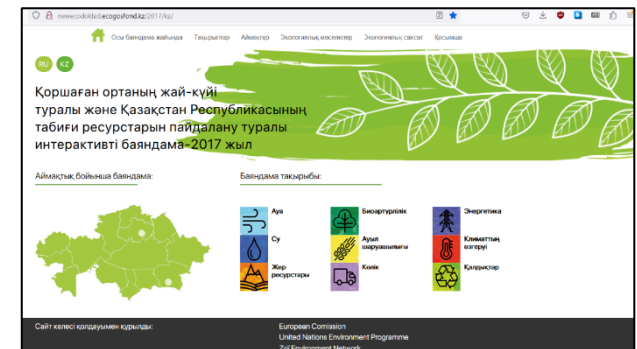
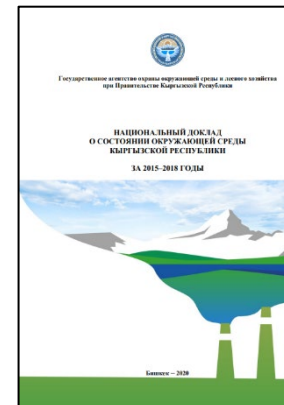
National State of Environment Reports: Background, Overview & Benefits

Inception workshop and training on the National State of the Environment Report
(NSoER) development in Uzbekistan
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National State-of-the-Environment Reports

- Information on quality of the environment and environmental pressures, in the context of economic development and policy responses
- Provides timely information for decision-makers and the public
- Continuous process: setting targets, monitoring, data analysis, reporting, setting targets...



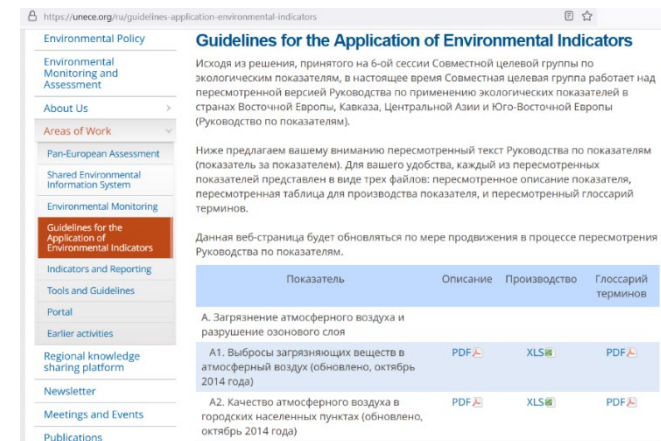
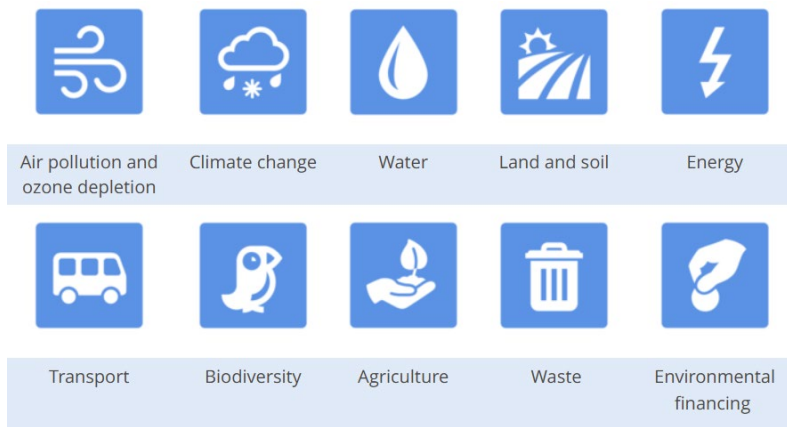
Guiding methodological principals:

1. Identifying linkages between drivers and pressures
2. Quantitative indicators to assess trends
3. Qualitative trends assessment
4. Understanding relevant national planning frameworks and policies and identified priorities
5. Outlining main conclusions and future outlooks, offering recommendations

See agenda annex.

Indicators and reporting:

- Environmental indicators support collection of objective analytical information about the state of the environment
- Indicators track progress and support evaluation
- Indicators can be tied to policy goals
- Environmental indicators have been developed by UNECE
- UNECE Guidelines for the preparation of governmental reports on the state and protection of the environment

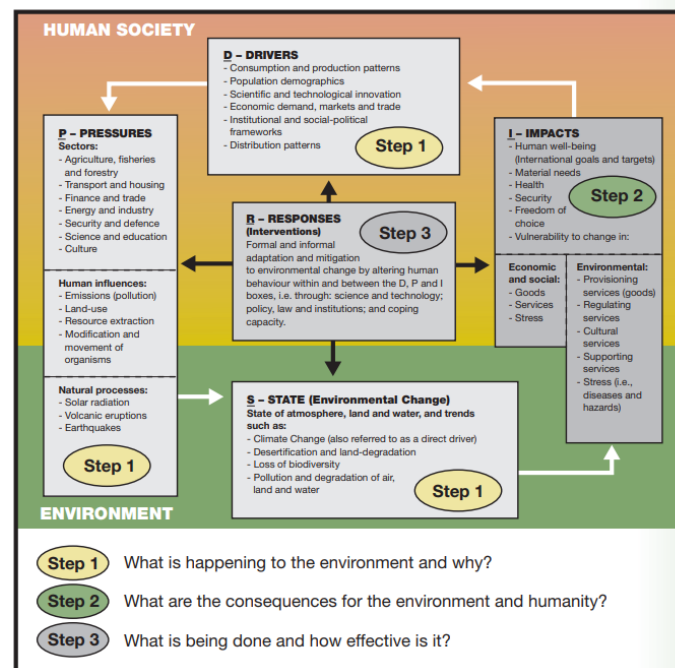


<https://unece.org/guidelines-application-environmental-indicators>

The revised list of UNECE environmental indicators as approved by the UNECE Joint Task Force on Environmental Statistics and Indicators are available under: <https://unece.org/sites/default/files/2022-10/2213241E.pdf>

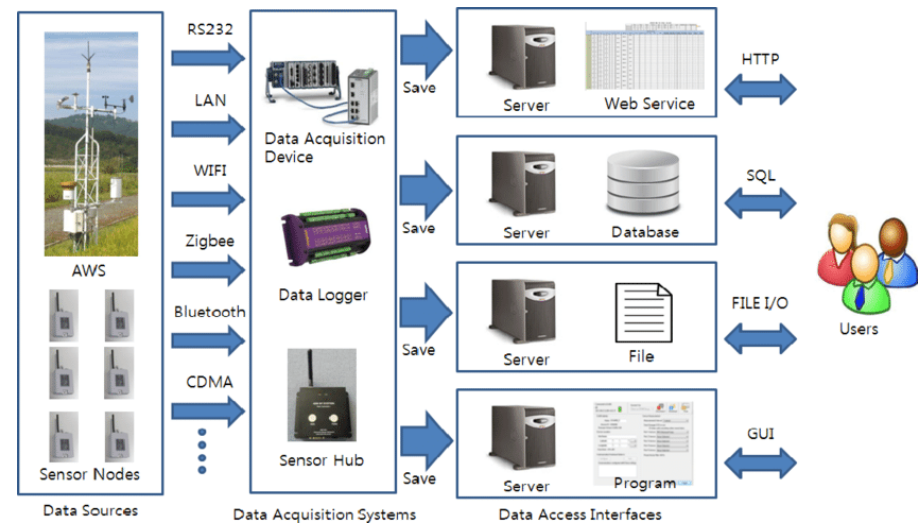
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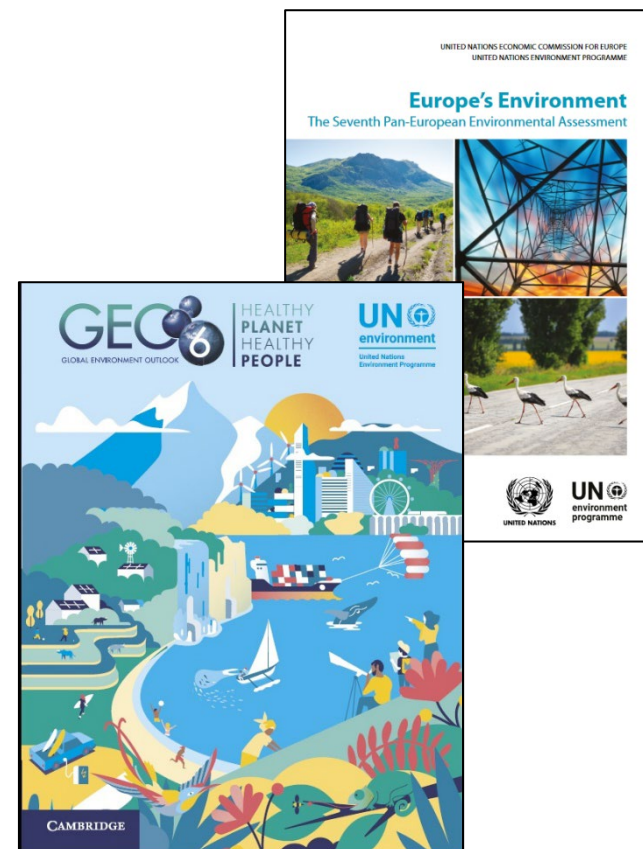
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- **Informing broader regional and global integrated environmental assessment processes and prioritising funding directions**





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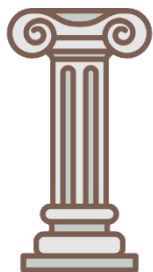


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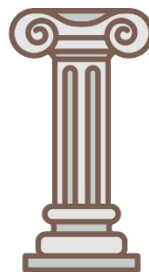
The Aarhus Convention & National State-of-the-Environment Reports

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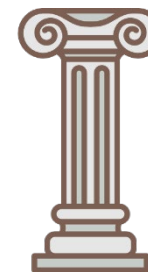
- Adopted in 1998, entered into force in 2001
- Protects every person's right to live in an environment adequate to their health and well-being
- Links environmental rights and human rights
- Links government accountability and environmental protection



I. Access to information



II. Public participation in decision-making

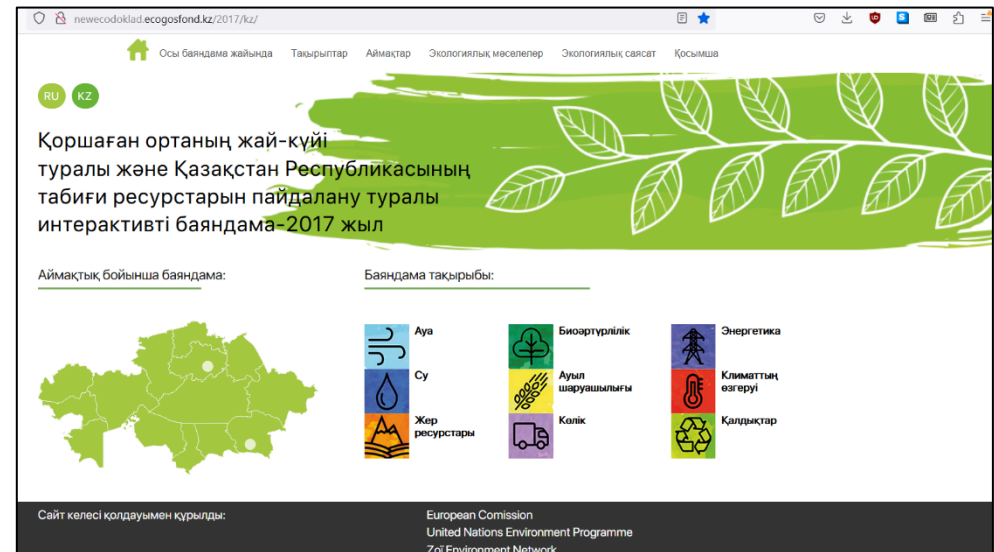


III. Access to justice

National State-of-the-Environment Reports (Art. 5, para 4)

National State-of-the-Environment Reports

- Information on quality of the environment and environmental pressures
- Must be published regularly (minimum 3-4 years)
- Many ECE countries produce annual NSoERs
- Must be publicly disseminated
- Must progressively become available in electronic databases













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