



Support to Ukraine in approximation of the EU Environmental Acquis
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NATIONAL POLLUTANT RELEASE AND TRANSFER REGISTER



E-PRTR European Pollutant Release and Transfer Register



Ministry
of Environmental Protection
and Natural Resources
of Ukraine



The project is implemented by consortium led by





The current status of PRTR in Ukraine – UN Protocol

- Ukraine ratified the Protocol on 2 May 2016
- Accession to the Protocol stimulated changes in the legislation and practical measures to establish PRTR
- Ukraine proactively submitted a request for advisory assistance to the Protocol's Compliance Committee on reviewing its legislation vis-à-vis requirements of the Protocol
- Ukraine benefited from expert assistance from UNECE with regard to its institutional framework, practical measures and methodology



The current status of PRTR in Ukraine - Legislation

Multiple documents were adopted within 2021-2023:

- ❖ The Law of Ukraine on Pollutant Release and Transfer Register (PRTR)
- ❖ By-laws, as follows:
 - Procedure for Maintaining the PRTR,
 - Procedure for drawing up and publishing the report of the authorized body
 - Amendments to the Code of Ukraine on Administrative Offenses,
 - Form of the Operator's Report to PRTR,
 - Forms of the protocol and resolutions on the violation of the requirements of the law by the operator



The current status of PRTR in Ukraine - Methodological

- ❖ Methodological recommendations on Operating the PRTR
- ❖ A Pilot Project in two phases on Development of the Software System for the creation and improving of the Pollutant Release and Transfer Register in accordance with the Regulation (EU) No. 166/2006

Both Legislation and Methodological Documents and Activities were performed with the support of EU APENA2 Project

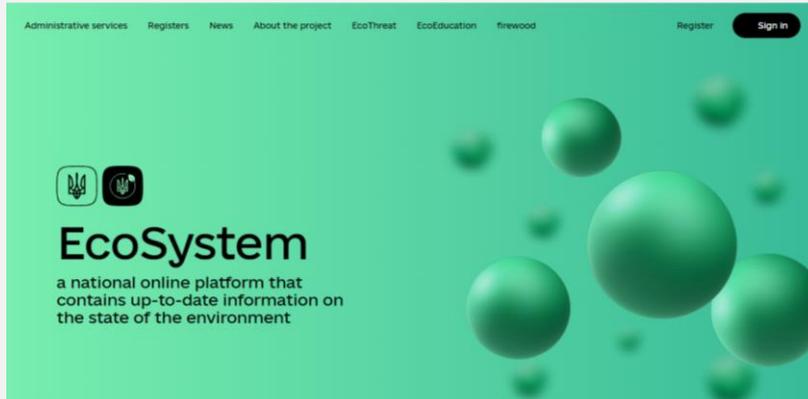


The current status of PRTR in Ukraine - consultations

- ❖ Along with the entry into force of the Law of Ukraine on the National Register of Emissions and Transfer of Pollutants on October 8, 2023, the launch of the National Register was presented on the Unified State Ecological Platform EcoSystem.
- ❖ The Ministry also presented to all interested parties the first step in the functioning of the Register - registration of objects. Currently, according to the law, operators must register objects in the register and submit the first reports according to their activities by March 31, 2024
- ❖ Currently, preparations are being made for the next consultations with business entities and the public, and a presentation will be held with examples of reporting by the operator



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EcoSystem is the united online platform in the field of environmental protection

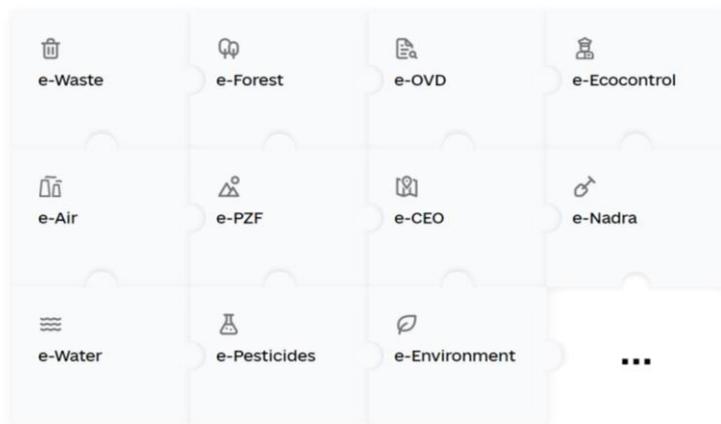
We created it so that everyone has up-to-date and reliable information about the state of the environment and natural resources, as well as interacts with us in a transparent and convenient way.

We launched a project that includes:

- monitoring data on the state of air, water, and soil in populated areas;
- all registers maintained by the Ministry of Environment and central authorities that we coordinate;
- a full range of online services for citizens and businesses with topical updates, reporting calendars, newsletters.

<https://eco.gov.ua/registers/natsionalnyi-reiestr-vykydiv-ta-perenesennia-zabrudniuvachiv>

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State registration of the facility in the National Register of Emissions and Transfer of Pollutants

Register

Login with digital signature, BankID or MobileID is required

Adding a proxy

Term of service: Automatically - without consideration by an official	Terms of registration: The operator, in accordance with the procedure for maintaining the Register, submits an application and general information necessary for the state registration of an object in the Register, and provides the authorized body with data on emissions and transfer of pollutants and waste for each object it operates
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Normative and legal acts +

The operator's report must contain +

Grounds for refusing to accept the operator's report +



Specific challenges identified in Ukraine

- ❖ The first steps in establishing National PRTR have been going thoroughly under the military aggression including multiple war crimes. Besides the victims, wreckage and environment destruction, it prevents normal operation of the register as the information there could be used by the enemy.
- ❖ The fact that Ukraine is still not EU Member and EU legislation not harmonised thoroughly complicates the quick full scale implementation of PRTR as well as entails heavy burden to draft documents to be simultaneously compliant with EU and still existing not updated Ukrainian legislation.
- ❖ In connection with the introduction of martial law in Ukraine, caused by the aggression of the Russian Federation against Ukraine, the Verkhovna Rada of Ukraine adopted the Law of Ukraine «On the Protection of the Interests of the Subjects of Reporting and Other Documents During the Period of Martial Law or State of War».





Planned future activities

The development in the last years of two Pilot Projects dedicated to PRTR operation and reporting to EMEP under CLRTAP have to improve the quality of data and its compilation for both activities.

Still there are many additional steps to be done to further improve the inventories and registering of emissions comprising:

- Methodological support on establishing framework of information collection and reporting on diffuse sources,
- Form database to present point sources of emissions – stacks with their geographical coordinates,
- Establish continuous monitoring as well as improve inventory practices in the big installations.





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