Upgrade of the GHG Data Interface

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The **GHG data interface is an online database** containing GHG data reported by both Annex I and non-Annex I Parties



Non-Annex I Parties

- Data from submissions such as national communications (NCs), Biennial Update Reports (BURs) reported in Revised 1996 IPCC Guidelines format
- Currently, latest GHG data of almost 50 NAI Parties are not included as they were reported in accordance with the 2006 IPCC Guidelines

Annex I Parties

o Annual GHG inventories - information reported in the CRF tables

> Other data

- Population UNSD
- o GDP World Bank
- Country area FAO



Flow of information





Status of upgrade of the modules of the GHG Data Interface

Mandate to upgrade the GHG Data Interface was received in SBSTA 38/39 following the adoption of the revised UNFCCC reporting guidelines for Annex I Parties (decision 24/CP.19)





Time Series

Predefined GHG emissions/removals data from Annex I Parties. The time series covers the base year and the period from 1990 to the latest available inventory year.

Global Maps

GHG data for Annex I Parties in a "map" format which complements the same data presented elsewhere on the UNFCCC data interface in tabular and graphical formats



A 2-4 page summary of most representative GHG data (at the level of national totals) for a Party. Profiles shows the graphs with GHG totals trends, sectoral changes, shares by gas and sectors.



Detailed Data by Party

Comparison Modules By category By gas



User Defined Indicators Annex I Non-Annex I Provides detailed GHG data (total emissions/removals) for Annex I, Non-Annex I and group of Parties. Data are presented for the subcategories of the selected category.

Provides comparisons between any two Parties for any two years by categories and by gas. Comparison can be made between Annex I Parties only and between the Non-Annex I Parties only.

Allows the user to search and retrieve the user-defined data queries. It offers the maximum flexibility in searching and retrieving data, including GHG emissions/removals, activity data, implied emission factors, country area, population and GDP.

Allows the user to access the function of calculating user-defined ratios of variables A and B for any given Party and any given year between the base year and the latest available year.



Next steps

- Start work on the upgrade of the Compilation and accounting data module (KP data) → in second half of 2019
- 2. Continue regular refresh of data 3 times a year
 - a. February/March (data refresh)
 - b. June (major release)
 - c. October/November (data refresh)
- 3. Ongoing discussions at SBSTA on further development



Useful Links



How to find the data needed within the GHG data interface? https://unfccc.int/process/transparency-and-reporting/greenhouse-gas-data/how-to-

find-your-data

Information on data sources

https://unfccc.int/process-and-meetings/transparency-and-reporting/greenhousegas-data/ghg-data-unfccc/information-on-data-sources



Online Help for using the data interface available at:

https://unfccc.int/process/transparency-and-reporting/greenhouse-gas-data/ghgdata-unfccc/data-interface-help#gc_1



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