

European Topic Centre on Sustainable Consumption and Production (ETC/SCP)



The ETC/SCP is a consortium contracted by the European Environment Agency to provide data and information to decision makers and the public on SCP, green economy, and resource and waste management in Europe

Activities

- Producing ex-post analyses of countries' performance in relation to municipal solid waste management and assessing the achievement of waste targets
- Developing a robust framework for future reviews of national waste prevention programmes in EU member states
- Supporting countries in the development of national resource efficiency policies and in the implementation of the EC's resource efficiency roadmap

Impacts

- Elaboration of six country reports on performance in relation to municipal solid waste management
- A concept developed for the review of waste prevention programmes

- Duration: 2009–2014
- Donor: European Environment Agency (EEA)
- Budget: EUR 170,673 for 2009–2013

IN NUMBERS:

- 38 countries
- 31 country profiles on resource efficiency policies

GEOGRAPHICAL SCOPE

EU27, Albania, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Croatia, Iceland, Kosovo*, Liechtenstein, Former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia, Montenegro, Norway, Serbia, Switzerland, Turkey

* This designation is without prejudice to position on status, and is in line with UNSCR 1244 and the ICJ Opinion on the Kosovo declaration of independence

Setting up the Environmental Management Center (EMC) in Serbia



Activities

- Supporting SEPA to use integrated electronic environmental reporting
- Training industrial clients to use TEAMS software for environmental management and reporting
- Building capacity, disseminating information and raising awareness
- Networking and regional cooperation

Impacts

- Increased capacities of SEPA, industries and government authorities through EMC organisational infrastructure and software support
- Implemented models of emissions monitoring and reporting to national institutions and the EU
- Serbian institutions equipped with technology and expertise to monitor and manage the environmental aspects of their activities
- Support to compliance of industries with EU environmental directives

The EMC in Serbia was established to ensure efficient emissions monitoring and reporting within the Serbian Environmental Protection Agency (SEPA), connecting the business sector, environmental authorities and relevant EU institutions

- Duration: 2010–2013
- Donor: Ministry of Foreign Affairs, Norway
- Budget: EUR 2,743,425

IN NUMBERS:

- 10 industrial clients/partners using TEAMS environmental management and reporting software
- 6 conferences organised with over 100 participants

GEOGRAPHICAL SCOPE
Serbia

