

Environmental Indicators, UNSD

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Summary

UNSD Environmental Indicators are a set of global environmental statistics compiled and disseminated by the UNSD, covering ten key themes to track environmental trends and inform policy decisions.

Tables In IFs

| Variable | Definition | Ext Source Def | Last IFs Update | Name In Source | UsedInPreprocessor |
|---------------------|--|--|-----------------|---|--------------------|
| WasteWaterCollect% | Percent of population connected to wastewater collecting system | Wastewater collecting systems may deliver wastewater to treatment plants or may discharge it without treatment to the environment. | 11/8/2023 | Population connected to wastewater collecting system | 0 |
| WasteWaterSecTreat% | Percent of population connected to at least secondary wastewater treatment | Post-primary treatment of wastewater by a process generally involving biological or other treatment with a secondary settlement or other process, resulting in a Biochemical Oxygen Demand (BOD5) removal of at least 70% and a Chemical Oxygen Demand (COD) removal of at least 75%. Wastewater treatment is all treatment of wastewater in wastewater treatment plants. Wastewater treatment plants are usually operated by public authorities or by private companies working by order of public authorities. They correspond to urban wastewater treatment plants and other wastewater treatment plants. Independent wastewater treatment facilities are not included in this definition of wastewater treatment plants. Includes wastewater delivered to treatment plants by trucks. | 11/8/2023 | Population connected to at least secondary wastewater treatment | 0 |
| WasteWaterTreat% | Percent of population connected to wastewater treatment | | 11/8/2023 | Population connected to wastewater treatment | 0 |

Data Pulling Instructions

Step 1: Navigate to <https://unstats.un.org/unsd/envstats/qindicators.cshtml>

Step 2: Select the indicator needed.

1. For the waste tables choose Waste

Air and Climate

Biodiversity

Energy and Minerals

Forests

Governance

Inland Water Resources

Land and Agriculture

Marine and Coastal Areas

Natural Disasters new

Waste

Waste

Composition of municipal waste (latest year) XLS

Hazardous waste generated XLS

Hazardous waste generated per capita XLS

Hazardous waste incinerated XLS

Hazardous waste landfilled XLS

Hazardous waste recycled XLS

Hazardous waste treated or disposed XLS

Municipal waste collected XLS

Municipal waste collection (latest year) XLS

Municipal waste collection at city level in selected cities (latest year) XLS

Municipal waste treatment (latest year) XLS

Municipal waste treatment at city level in selected cities (latest year) XLS

Percentage of hazardous waste treated or disposed relative to hazardous waste generated XLS

Percentage of municipal waste collected which is recycled XLS

Total ewaste collected XLS

Total ewaste generated XLS

Total population served by municipal waste collection XLS

Step 3: Download the indicator listed in Definition

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