

Session 3

Structure of the EECCA Report

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Form follows function

● Aim

- To provide an overview of progress in achieving the objectives of the EECCA Environment Strategy (= in environmental management)
- To help facilitate inter-ministerial policy dialogue within EECCA governments
- To help facilitate policy dialogue/partnerships between EECCA and OECD/other governments

● Targeted audience:

- Ministers of Environment (EECCA, OECD, others) and senior advisors
- Senior officials in charge of Environmental Policy in EECCA
- Advisors in other Ministries (particularly Finance)

● Implications:

- Brief
- Visually attractive
- Non-technical language

Report structure

- **Introduction:**
Environment and Development 8 pg
- **Progress across Objectives** 60 pg
[15 chapters, policy brief style]
- **Country Profiles** 24 pg
- **Conclusions/recommendations** 4 pg

We may want to put country profiles as annex and expand the space for conclusions/recommendations

Introduction: Environment and Development

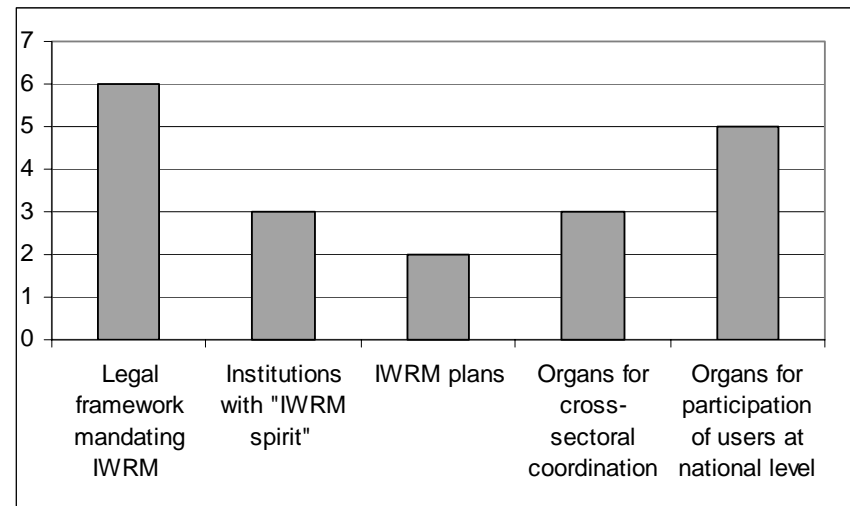
- Aim, from Kiev to Belgrade
- Context for environmental management: recent evolution of economic growth, poverty, trade/investment, governance
- Importance of good environmental management for national development (environment-growth and environment-poverty links)
- The report within the Belgrade suite, links to other reports
- Report structure

Thematic Chapters – Main Text

- Why is the issue important?
- What can be done about it?
- What has been done since Kiev?
- What are the barriers to progress?
- What are the information gaps?
- Recommendations
- Where can the reader find further information / deeper analysis?

Thematic Chapters – Supporting Elements

- Partnerships: number and finance mobilised (from partnerships database)
- Boxes: examples of best practice (from international organisations' reports)
- Quantitative policy indicators – such as Gasoline Taxes, Water Tariffs, Landfill Capacity, Area Protected (from international databases and EECCA Questionnaire)
- “Scorecard/checklist” – illustrate progress in “non quantifiable” variables (from EECCA Questionnaire and available reports)



Country Profiles

- Basic description of country: GDP, population, economic structure, investment and trade flows (from international databases)
- Environmental priorities (from official documents)
- Environmental cooperation:
 - main partners / projects (from RECs/UNDP files?)
 - number of partnerships and amounts mobilised (from partnerships database)
- Main policy actions
 - Short list of major achievements (provided by EECCA countries?)
 - Matrix summarising information available from different sources

Questions for discussion

- Is the proposed overall structure of the EECCA Report agreeable?
- Should any specific sub-sections of the Thematic Chapters be modified?
- Should any specific sub-sections of the Country Profiles be modified?
- [What would be the best way of involving EECCA governments in producing the country profiles?]