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# EU4Environment in the EaP region:

Highlights of progress

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## Highlights of Achievements – Regional activities

- ✓ National institutes delivered **introductory training on Green Economy to civil servants**
- ✓ New **SME-targeted I-GO tool** introduced for service providers
- ✓ Monthly series of **selected stories on RECP assessments** of local manufacturing enterprises
- ✓ Regional meeting on **Greening SMEs** and two regional meetings of RECP experts
- ✓ Regional **analytical study assessed the status of the EPR schemes for packaging waste**
- ✓ Capacity building seminars on **joint environmental inspections, on environmental liability** and regional seminar on environmental compliance assurance with the focus on **enforcement tools**
- ✓ **Report on fossil-fuel subsidies (FFSs)**, 2010-20 data available in the OECD FFSs database and Policy Highlights on FFSs in the EaP region, with a focus on 2020 Covid-related FFSs
- ✓ Four webinars on **greening public expenditure** for government officials on the experience from the EU countries
- ✓ Special sessions on **green bonds** at the Sustainable Finance Forums in EECCA in 2021 and 2022, and a regional meeting on **greening debt capital markets** in the EaP countries and Kazakhstan in June 2022
- ✓ **EU Green Week 2022 Partner event on biodiversity conservation** in the EaP countries, with a focus on resilience of local communities



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## Feedback from the EaP countries

1. What is your assessment of progress in the implementation of the EU4Environment in the region and of selected achievements?
2. What should be the priority areas of activities for the remaining period of the Programme?