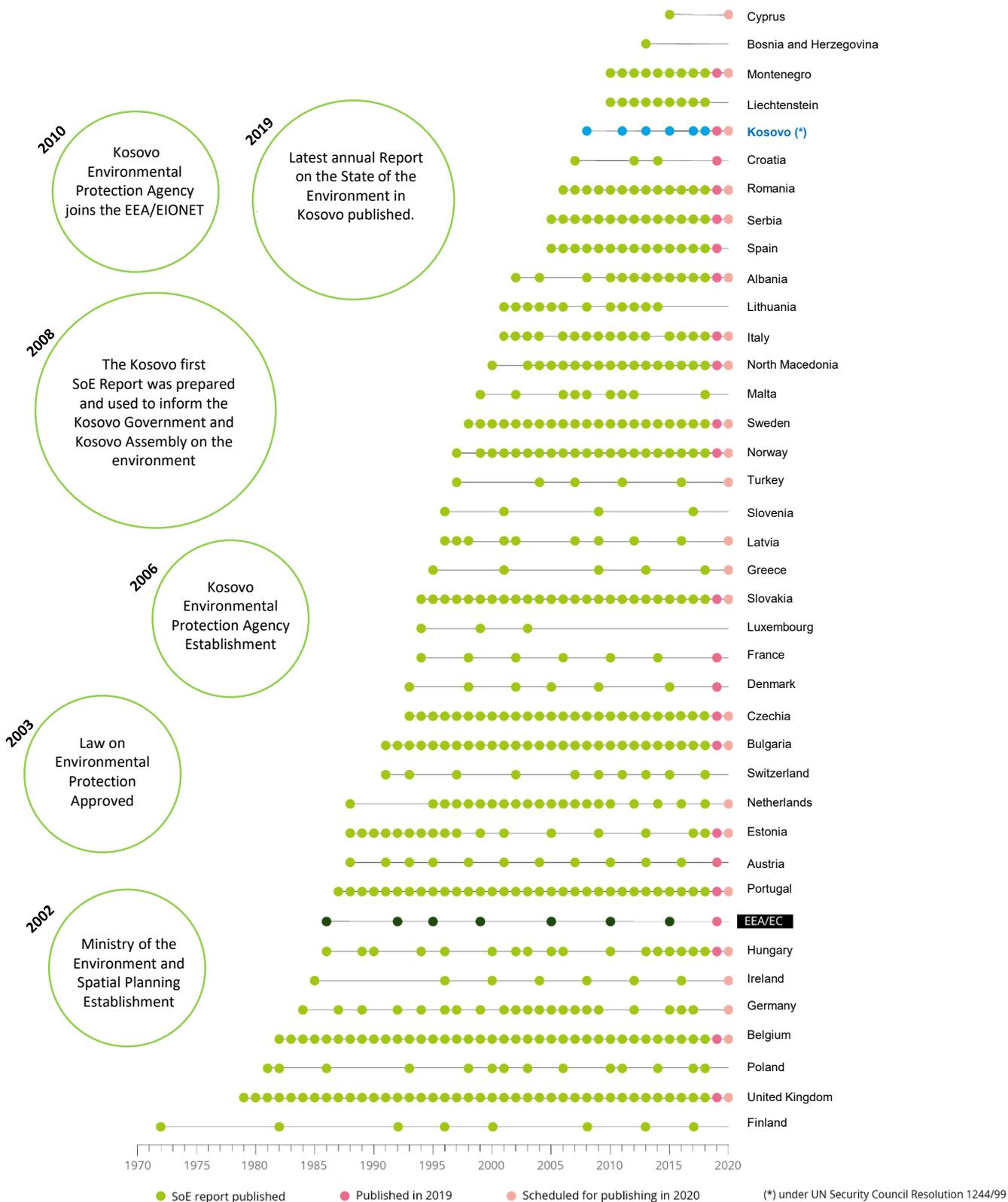
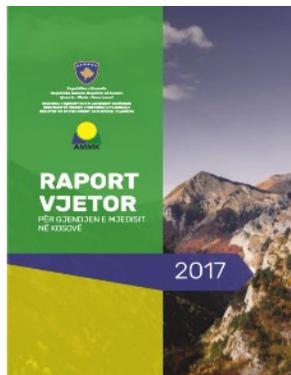


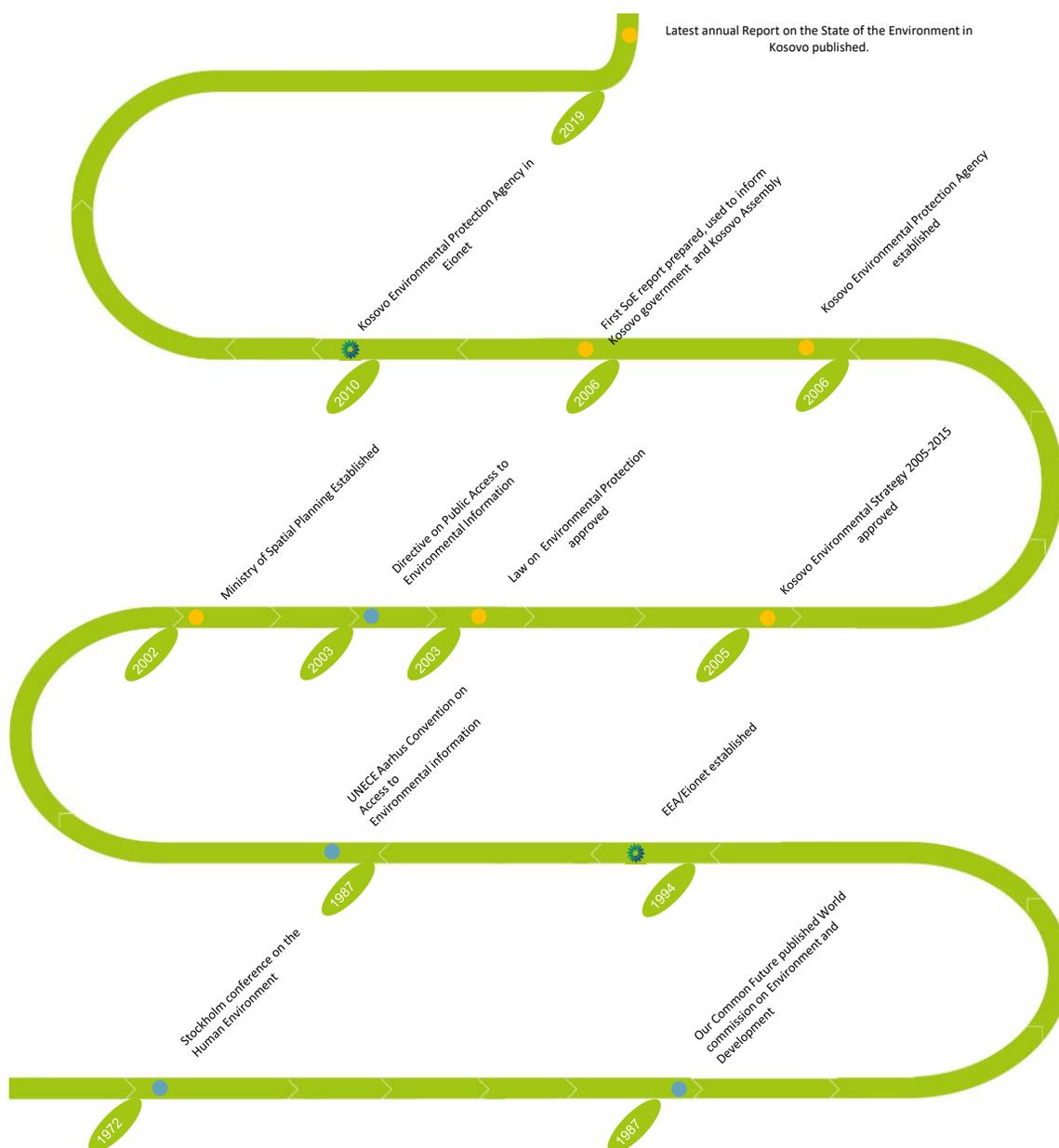
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STATE OF THE ENVIRONMENT REPORTING





Latest annual Report on the State of the Environment in Kosovo published.



● United Nations milestones

● European Union milestones

● EEA milestones

● Milestones Kosovo (*)

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State of the environment tools and building blocks

TOPICS COVERED

Themes

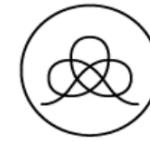
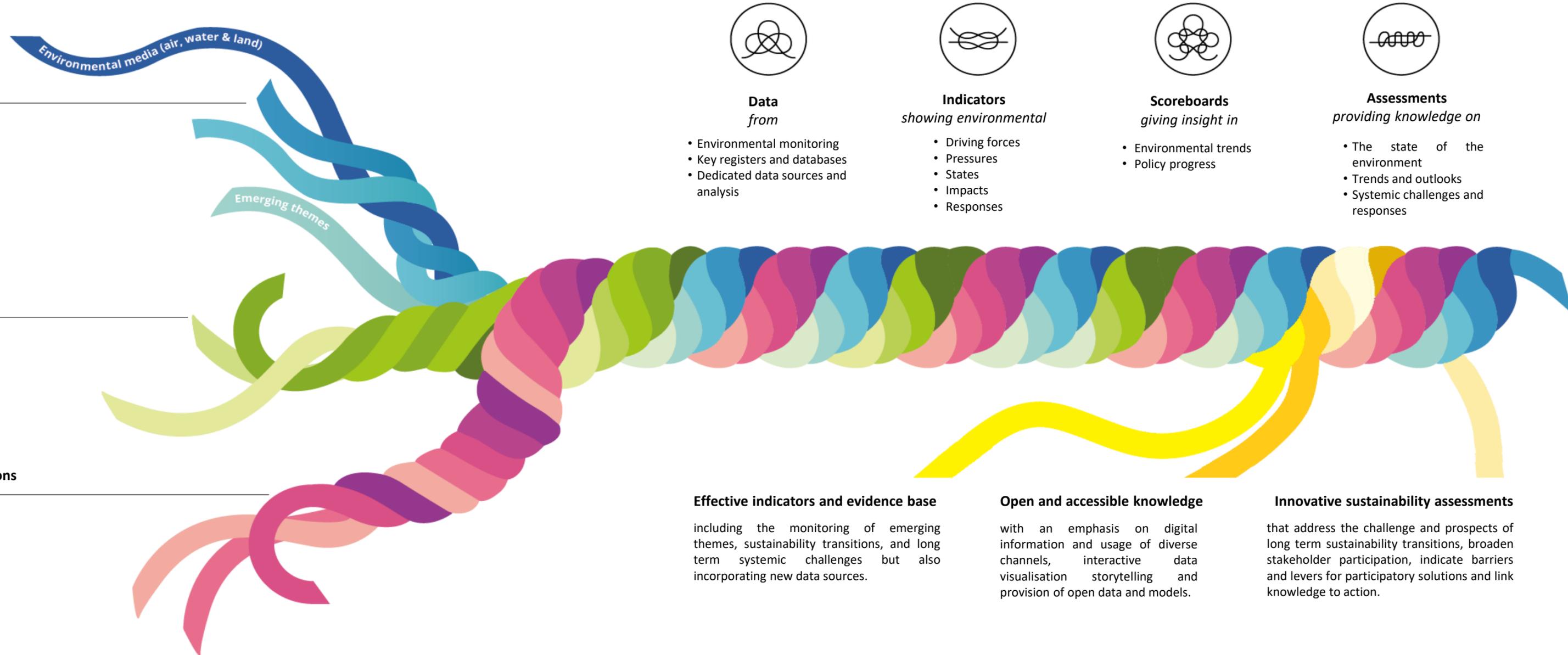
- Air quality
- Air emissions
- Water quality
- Climate change
- Public health
- Land cover
- Waste
- Legislation
- Biodiversity

Sectors

- Energy
- Transport
- Agriculture
- Forestry
- Industry
- Urbanisation

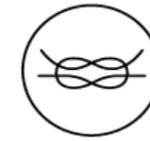
Systems and Sustainability transitions

- EU-integration progress
- Land cover changes



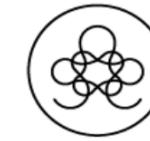
Data from

- Environmental monitoring
- Key registers and databases
- Dedicated data sources and analysis



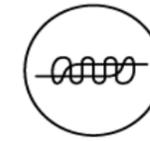
Indicators showing environmental

- Driving forces
- Pressures
- States
- Impacts
- Responses



Scoreboards giving insight in

- Environmental trends
- Policy progress



Assessments providing knowledge on

- The state of the environment
- Trends and outlooks
- Systemic challenges and responses

Effective indicators and evidence base

including the monitoring of emerging themes, sustainability transitions, and long term systemic challenges but also incorporating new data sources.

Open and accessible knowledge

with an emphasis on digital information and usage of diverse channels, interactive data visualisation storytelling and provision of open data and models.

Innovative sustainability assessments

that address the challenge and prospects of long term sustainability transitions, broaden stakeholder participation, indicate barriers and levers for participatory solutions and link knowledge to action.

Advances in national state of the environment reporting

State of the Environment reporting in Kosovo

The Report on the State of Environment is a basic document that presents the state of environment in Kosovo. Its compilation is based on the Law on Environmental Protection and the objectives and priorities in the environmental sector. The report is prepared annually.

The Kosovo Environmental Protection Agency (KEPA) is responsible for coordinating and drafting the report. The first Report on the State of the Environment in Kosovo was published in the 2008. The Report on the State of Environment 2017 is the latest official report published (in 2019) by the Kosovo Environmental Protection Agency.

The data presented in the report are based on the National System for State of Environment Monitoring. The report also includes data that are received from institutions that have specific responsibilities in the environmental sector.

The report is partly based on the DPSIR framework. It is more focused on the State of the Environment and Responses, and less on the description of Drivers, Pressures and Impacts. It only makes use of a few environmental indicators.

The key environmental topics addressed by the report are: air, water, soil, nature conservation, waste, public health, and measures for environmental protection.

The Report on the State of Environment in Kosovo is based on information oriented towards policymakers for the improvement of policies. The report presents an update on significant national environmental trends and perspectives.

Kosovo does not yet provide open SoE data. KEPA is in the process of developing the Environmental Information System and in the coming years we will try to link the SoER with relevant Open Data and produce open SoE data reports.

Sources:

EEA and the European Environment Information and Observation Network (EIONET).

Kosovo Environmental Protection Agency (www.ammk-rks.net)