

The Twenty-sixth Session of the Scientific Advisory Committee (SAC26)
on the Acid Deposition Monitoring Network in East Asia (EANET)
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**DRAFT PROGRESS REPORT OF THE EANET CORE ACTIVITIES SINCE THE
TWENTY-FIFTH SESSION OF THE SCIENTIFIC ADVISORY COMMITTEE
(SAC25) ON THE EANET**

I. INTRODUCTION

1. The present document reports on the progress of the Core Activities of the EANET since the Twenty-fifth Session of the Scientific Advisory Committee (SAC25) on the EANET, held in Vientiane, Lao PDR on 20-22 October 2025.
2. It reports updates on ongoing EANET Core Activities conducted from January up to the end of September 2026, included in the Work Programme and Budget of the EANET Core Activities in 2026 (EANET/IG27/9/1/REV), and guided by the Medium-Term Plan for the EANET (2026-2030) (EANET/IG27/8).
3. Before reporting the status of ongoing Core Activities in 2026 (Attachment 2), this document includes updates on Core Activities conducted from October to December 2025, included in the Work Programme and Budget of the EANET Core Activities in 2025 (EANET/IG26/8), which were not reported to the SAC25 (Attachment 1). In addition, in Attachment 3, the document provides highlights of the Digital Data Report for the EANET from January to September 2026. Finally, Attachment 4 presents the results of the EANET Communication Survey in 2026.
4. This document (EANET/SAC26/5/1) is part of Agenda 5 of the SAC26: “Consideration of the Progress of the EANET since the Twenty-fifth Session of the Scientific Advisory Committee (SAC25) on the EANET”.

II. ACTIONS REQUIRED

5. The Twenty-sixth Session of the Scientific Advisory Committee (SAC26) on the Acid Deposition Monitoring Network in East Asia (EANET) is invited to review the document “Draft Progress Report of the EANET Core Activities since the Twenty-fifth Scientific Advisory Committee (SAC25)” and may wish to discuss, consider, and provide guidance for further action to the 28th Intergovernmental Meeting (IG28) to be held in November 2026, as appropriate.

ATTACHMENT 1: IMPLEMENTED CORE ACTIVITIES FROM OCTOBER TO DECEMBER 2025 (MTP 2021-2025)

Objective 1: Monitoring of (air quality and) acid deposition including related chemical substances with quality assurance and quality control (QA/QC)

Assist Participating Countries to conduct qualified monitoring of (air quality and) acid deposition through providing technical guidance, maintenance of the monitoring instrument, improvements of the methods, guidelines, conducting quality assurance and quality control (QA/QC) activities.

Table I.1. Implemented Core Activities in 2025 under Objective 1

By	Activity; Output (MTP 2021-2025); and WPB2025Actions	Implementation Status (as of Dec 2025)	Remarks (Lessons learned, challenges)
NC	Activity 1: Monitoring of acid deposition (acidifying species and related chemical substances such as ozone and PM), including an increase of EANET monitoring sites, improvement in monitoring methodologies, and better instrument maintenance Outputs: 1. Support for solving technical problems of PCs on wet and dry deposition as well as other issues considering expansion of scope. 2. National Monitoring Plan (NMP) submitted from all PCs to the NC every year. (Based on the NMP, NC could identify the status of monitoring activities in each year and each country. Based on the NMPs or request from PCs, the NC will support solving technical problems for acid deposition monitoring, including establishment of new monitoring sites.). 3. SOPs that are recommended to prepare in each PC according to the QA/QC Guidebook for EANET -2016. 4. Less expensive monitoring methods are considered by request or discussion from and with PCs. WPB2025 Actions 1. Support for solving technical problems of PCs on wet and dry deposition also considering expansion of scope 2. Compile NMPs in all member countries and request registration of new monitoring sites at Technical Missions and email communications 3. Provide technical support of dry deposition flux estimation in member countries. Discuss elaborated methods of dry deposition flux estimation	1. NC responded to inquiries from PCs related to technical issues of acid deposition monitoring and dry deposition flux estimation by email. 2. NMPs 2025 were submitted by all Participating Countries. The NMPs and related issues including the status of monitoring results and technical problems were introduced and discussed at STM26. The NMPs were reviewed and summarized by NC at STM26 and based on the results, each PC was requested to revise and finalize the NMPs. The summary of finalized NMPs of 2025 was reported at SAC25. 3. SOPs were recommended to prepare in each PC considering situations of each PC appropriately. 4. The data obtained by technical studies of low-cost sensor in PCs was compiled and analyzed. The issues and solutions occurring during air monitoring have been identified. This technical knowledge was included in the Guidelines on establishing HAQMN and Technical Manual for Hybrid Monitoring with LCSs	

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NC	Activity 2: Development/revision of (technical) guidelines, technical manuals, and documents, as necessary Outputs: 1. Development of HAQMN guidelines and LCS operation manual. WPB2025 Actions 4. Report the draft of HAQMN guideline and LCS operation manual to Task Force on Monitoring and Assessment of Atmospheric Environment (TFAE). 5. Revision of HAQMN guidelines and LCS operation manual according to the suggestions and comments from TFAE.	1. The draft Guidelines on establishing HAQMN and Technical Manual for Hybrid Monitoring with LCSs were prepared and endorsed by IG27. These documents were published in the EANET Web site.	
NC	Activity 3: Development/ update of strategy papers for guidance on the future direction of the monitoring, as necessary Outputs: 1. Formal appointment of the new Task Force members. 2. Confirmation of contents of the current strategy papers by the new Task Forces. WPB2025 Actions 6. Email communications and/or online meetings with the SAC members and Task Force members will be implemented to review the existing strategy paper and reset them based on the activities of the reformed Task Forces	1. 2025 activities described in the Strategy Paper on Future Direction of Monitoring for Dry Deposition were reported at SAC25 and the 3rd Task Force on Monitoring and Assessment of Atmospheric Environment (TFAE) meeting in October 2025. 2. The 2nd Meeting of the Task Force on Monitoring and Assessment of Environmental Effects (TFEE) was held online in June 2025. The progress was reported at SAC25 in October 2025 3. The 2nd Meeting of the Task Force on Atmospheric Environment Quality Management (TFAEM) was held online in July 2025. The progress was reported at SAC25 in October 2025	
NC	Activity 4: Implementation of quality assurance and quality control (QA/QC) activities on acid deposition Outputs: 1. The Inter-Laboratory Comparison (ILC) samples for wet, dry, inland, and soil distributed to the PCs according to the request from PCs. 2. Reports of analyzed results submitted from Participating Laboratories (PLs) to NC and the draft of Report on the ILC Project prepared by NC in consultation with PCs that will be reported and discussed at the Session of STM.	1. The samples for the ILC surveys 2025 (the 28th project on wet deposition, the 21st project on dry deposition (filter-pack method), the 27th project on soil, and the 26th project on artificial surface water) were shipped to the Participating Countries. 2. Results of the ILC survey in 2024 were submitted from PCs except for data that could not be submitted this year due to technical problems. The submitted results were evaluated in the session of STM26. Note that retry	

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	3. Report on the ILC Project published after accommodating reviews and comments from the Session of the SAC. 4. Participation in ILC surveys of WMO. EMEP, USGS. <u>WPB2025 Actions</u> 7. Distribute the samples for the inter-laboratory comparison surveys 2025 to the participating countries 8. Compile analytical results of the inter-laboratory comparison projects 2024 based on the data submitted from participating laboratories 9. Prepare Reports on the Inter-laboratory Comparison Surveys in 2024 based on the submitted data for review and adoption at the SAC25 in 2025 10. Analyze artificial precipitation and filter samples and reporting of data including evaluation of analytical precision and accuracy 11. Publish Reports on the Inter-laboratory Comparison Surveys in 2023 by early 2025 after accommodating reviews and comments from the Session of the SAC24 in October 2024	analysis of filter pack samples for ILC 2024 was conducted by some countries that were practices for improvement of the laboratory, but the results of the first submission are never changed. 3. Reports on the ILC surveys in 2024 were prepared after the STM26 and adopted at SAC25. Report of the ILC Project 2024 will be published. 4. Samples of USGS, EMEP and WMO ILC surveys in 2025 were measured and the analysis data were submitted.	

By	Activity; Output (MTP 2021-2025); and WPB2025Actions	Implementation Status (as of Dec 2025)	Remarks (Lessons learned, challenges)
NC	Activity 5: Routine compilation, verification, evaluation, storage, and provision of data and maintenance of database Outputs: 1. Monitoring data submitted by PCs to NC that are compiled and validated by NC and the draft Data Report that will be reported and discussed at the Session of STM. 2. Data Report published after the adoption of monitoring data and the draft Data Report by SAC with appropriate modification including editorial issues. 3. The EANET monitoring data and information disseminated in accordance with the “Procedures on Data and Information Disclosure for the EANET” (Annex 2 of the Guidelines on the Administrative and Financial Management for the Secretariat and the Network Center (2017)), and relevant scientific and technical information to the PCs, organizations, and individuals through the EANET website or using other means of communication as well as at regional/international meetings. 4. The EANET monitoring database updated by adding new monitoring data and information and necessary maintenances. 5. Discussion on data sharing with the WMO, follow the signed Letter of Arrangement, and participate in online meetings organized by WMO. WPB2025 Actions 12. Compile and validate 2023 monitoring data submitted by Participating Countries and prepare draft Data Report. After adopting the 2023 data by SAC24, edit and publish the Data Report 13. Disseminate the EANET data and information in accordance with the “Procedures on Data and Information Disclosure for the EANET” (Annex 2 of the Guidelines in Administrative and Financial Management for the Secretariat and the Network Center (2017)), and relevant scientific and technical information to the Participating Countries, organizations, and individuals through the EANET website or using other means of communication as well as at regional/international meetings. 14. Maintain the EANET monitoring database, enter new data into the database, follow-up on data sharing with the World Meteorological Organization and participate in online meetings organized by WMO.	1. Based on the submitted EANET monitoring data in 2024, the preliminary draft Data Report 2024 was prepared and overviewed in the session of STM26 and was adopted at SAC25 with modification. The modifications after SAC25 were finished and confirmed by SAC members. After the proofreading process, Data Report 2024 will be published. 2. Data Report 2024 (PDF) and hourly, weekly, and bi-weekly monitoring data will be disclosed through the EANET website. 3. The NC worked with the Task Team on Atmospheric Data Management of the World Meteorological Organization (WMO) on the sharing of metadata from EANET sites and on the data accessibility.	

Objective 2: Promotion of data utilization and dissemination – Collect, analyze and evaluate data of monitoring of air quality and acid deposition and share the results to relevant stakeholders to encourage them to utilize the results to tackle the air pollution. The results include policy recommendations. To achieve this objective, research activities on selected subjects can be promoted.

Table I.2 Implemented Core Activities in 2025 under Objective 2

By	Activity; Output (MTP 2021-2025); and WPB2025 Actions	Implementation Status (as of Dec 2025)	Remarks (Lessons learned, challenges)
NC	Activity 6: Conduct an annual assessment of the state of acid deposition using trend analysis, numerical models Outputs: 1. Annual assessment of atmospheric and ecological data in 2023 presented at STM25 and SAC24. WPB2025 Actions 15. Conduct analysis of 2023 Monitoring Data and prepare tables/figures of analyzing annual data to be presented at SAC24 and included in the Data Report 2023.	1. The summary figures of 2024 data were prepared based on the draft Data Report 2024 and presented at SAC25.	
NC	Activity 7: Development of Periodic Report on the State of Acid Deposition and Air Pollution in East Asia (PRSAD, regional assessment report published every five years), including the impact on plants and ecosystems. Outputs: 1. Draft Implementation Plan of PRSAD5 including title, framework, table of contents and work plan 2. Draft Plan for Establishing of the Drafting Committee (DC) 3. Draft Schedule of the DC based on Draft Implementation Plan 4. DC of PRASD5 that will be organized by NC, after Draft Implementation Plan of PRSAD5, Draft Plan for Establishing of the DC, and Draft Schedule of the DC are acknowledged by SAC24 and IG26. WPB2025 Actions 16. Preparation of “Draft Implementation Plan of PRSAD5”, “Draft Plan for	1. The process of preparation of PRSAD5 including the establishment of the DC endorsed by SAC24 has been approved by NFPs by e-mail on 7 February 2025. 2. The request letter for nominating the DC members basically from SAC members of each PC was sent to NFPs. DC members from all participating countries have been nominated and reported to NFPs. 3. The first DC meeting (DC1) for the PRSAD5 was held on June 24, 2025, in virtual form. The results of the DC1 were reported by the NC at SAC25 for review and further discussion. SAC25 concluded the discussion points raised by the DC1. 4. The first Lead Authors’ Meeting (LAM1) for the PRSAD5 is planned to be held in January in virtual form.	

By	Activity; Output (MTP 2021-2025); and WPB2025 Actions	Implementation Status (as of Dec 2025)	Remarks (Lessons learned, challenges)
	Establishment of DC”, and “Draft Schedule of the DC” to be presented at SAC24 and to be acknowledged at IG26		
SEC / NC	Activity 8: Regular updating of the website Outputs: (NC) Updated data information on the EANET website: Data Reports, monitoring database, Inter-laboratory comparison project, scientific reports, and important activities results, etc., and maintain/improve the monitoring data download system for easy access for data users. (SEC) EANET website is managed: news content development, uploading publications, necessary adjustments to the website function, maintenance of the web hosting. (SEC) New content on the EANET’s entire website is developed to reflect the expansion of scope and the establishment of the EANET Project Fund, to better showcase EANET’s new mandate and new activities. (SEC) The development and preparation of Project Plans and Concept Notes are supported and ready to be uploaded to EANET website (in the classified section) and the content to promote Concept Notes and/or Project Plans on the EANET website publicly is prepared, with the agreement of Project Leads, to find potential partners (in collaboration with the NC). (Sec/NC) Report of the Sessions of the EANET Meetings and other relevant EANET documents are uploaded in collaboration between the SEC/NC to disseminate the information of the EANET. (SEC) EANET Meeting documents are uploaded including for the Working Group Meeting in 2024 and extraordinary IG (if needed) to the meeting website for the meeting participants and NFPs fundamentally one month before the Meeting in collaboration with the NC. (SEC) In accordance with Annex 3 of the Guidelines on the Administrative and Financial Management for the Secretariat and the Network Center (2017), in collaboration with the NC, EANET meeting documents (except for PowerPoint documents, etc.) of the IG, the SAC, (the WG, IG-ex), and the STM after the Session are uploaded with an authorized password for the Participating Countries.	(NC) The NC prepared scientific and activity reports which were uploaded on EANET website such as the Data Report 2022 and related database, the Report of the Inter-laboratory Comparison Project 2022. (SEC) From October to December 2025, the SEC prepared 9 web-stories, including posts to promote webinars, which were published on EANET website. These posts were: EANET Seminar for Sharing information on early warning for local and regional air pollution for the Mekong sub-region – Join us on October 23rd!; Next-Generation Air Quality Monitoring: Technologies, Communities, and Governance for Clean Air – Join us on November 26th!; EANET VOCs Project Annual Meeting 2025 Strengthens Regional Cooperation on Air Quality; The Twenty-fifth Session of the Scientific Advisory Committee on the EANET; EANET Seminar – Utilizing Satellite Monitoring including access to Dust and Sand Storm: Join us on December 12th!; Collaboration in Action: NIER and EANET Wrap Up Session 2 of their 2025 Air Quality Training; Sustainable Nitrogen Management Seminar 2025 – Join us on 22 December!; EANET Highlights the Future of Air Quality Monitoring at Clean Air Week 2025; EANET Adopts New Five-Year Plan at the Twenty-seventh Intergovernmental Meeting in Bangkok. (SEC) The EANET website has been updated with content related to the EANET Project Fund and the expansion of scope in 2025. (SEC) EANET website hosting, domain, and plugins have been regularly updated and maintained in 2025. (SEC) The 2026 EANET Project Plans for IG’s	

By	Activity; Output (MTP 2021-2025); and WPB2025 Actions	Implementation Status (as of Dec 2025)	Remarks (Lessons learned, challenges)
	WPB2025 Actions 17. (NC) Update the EANET website timely in cooperation with the Secretariat for the EANET by uploading Data Reports, monitoring database, Inter-laboratory comparison project, scientific reports, important activities results, etc., and maintain/improve the monitoring data download system for easy access for data users. 18. (SEC) Manage EANET website: news content development, uploading publications, necessary adjustments to the website function, maintenance of the web hosting 19. (SEC) Update EANET's entire website to reflect the expansion of scope and establishment of the EANET Project Fund, and continue to promote EANET's new mandate and the Project Fund 20. (SEC) Support the development of Project Plans and Concept Notes to be uploaded to EANET website (in the classified section) and prepare the content on the EANET website publicly, with the agreement of Project Leads, to find potential partners (in collaboration with the NC) 21. (NC/SEC) Upload the Reports of the Sessions of the EANET Meetings and other relevant EANET documents in collaboration with the Secretariat/ NC 22. (NC/SEC) Upload the Reports of the Sessions of the Working Group Meeting in 2025 and extraordinary IG (if needed) and other relevant EANET documents in collaboration with the NC for dissemination of the information of the EANET. 23. (SEC/NC) Upload EANET Meeting documents including the Working Group Meeting in 2025 and extraordinary IG (if needed) to the meeting website for the meeting participants and NFPs fundamentally one month before the Meeting in collaboration with the NC/Secretariat. 24. (SEC) In accordance with Annex 3 of the Guidelines on the Administrative and Financial Management for the Secretariat and the Network Center (2017), in collaboration with the NC, the Secretariat will upload the EANET meeting documents (except for PowerPoint documents, etc.) of the IG, the SAC, (the WG, IG-ex), and the STM after the Session with an authorized password for the Participating Countries	Consideration were published in the Classified Documents section of EANET website in October 2025. 6. (SEC) Reports of the Sessions of the SAC25 and IG27 were uploaded to EANET website in the Meeting Reports' public section of EANET website. 7. (SEC) Meeting documents for the IG27 were uploaded to the Repository one month before the meeting. 8. (SEC) In accordance with Annex 3 of the Guidelines on the Administrative and Financial Management for the Secretariat and the Network Center (2017), the Secretariat uploaded the EANET meeting documents (except for PowerPoint documents, etc.) of the IG, the SAC, (the WG, IG-ex), and the STM after the Session with an authorized password for the Participating Countries in the Classified Documents of the EANET Website.	
NC	Activity 9: Updating of the data management system in the NC to enable easy access by approved users	1. NC confirmed problems in the EANET data download system and related pages of the EANET website. There were no fatal problems. However, it was confirmed that	

By	Activity; Output (MTP 2021-2025); and WPB2025 Actions	Implementation Status (as of Dec 2025)	Remarks (Lessons learned, challenges)
	Outputs: 1. Feasible maintenance works for the current data management system. 2. Requirement analysis for future updates of the data management system WPB2025 Actions 25. Identification of problems and points that need improvement in the EANET data download system and related pages of the EANET website and consideration of how to update the system and the pages.	there was room for improvement in the system for announcing information to users.	

Objective 3: Promotion of capacity building - Strengthen the capacity of the Participating Countries through various activities, including training, workshops, technical supports to Participating Countries, and fostering mutual capacity-building cooperation.

No Core Activities under this objective (as its main objective).

Objective 4: Enhancement of outreach activities - Enhance outreach to the stakeholders to raise their awareness, encourage them to take appropriate actions, and develop collaborative joint activities with EANET.

Table I.3 Implemented Core Activities in 2025 under Objective 4

By	Activity; Output (MTP 2021-2025); and WPB2025 Actions	Implementation Status (as of Dec 2025)	Remarks (Lessons learned, challenges)
NC	Activity 10: Promotion of public awareness on acid deposition, including other priority chemical species, etc	1. (NC) NC supported the Secretariat in developing the contents of articles for EANET website.	
SEC	Outputs: (NC) 1. Provide technical/scientific support for public awareness activities of Participating Countries, such as providing training materials or joining the technical discussion in activities when the public awareness activities of countries are carried out, in relation to the expansion of scope (new substances) and to the promotion of the EANET Project Fund. 2. Support timely the Secretariat in developing the various contents of articles for the	1. (SEC) The SEC, in collaboration with the NC, organized the EANET Regional Awareness Workshop “Next-Generation Air Quality Monitoring: Technologies, Communities, and Governance for Clean Air” during Clean Air Week 2025, on 26 November 2025, in Bangkok, Thailand. The session brought together over 100 in-person participants (and around 50 online participants).	

By	Activity; Output (MTP 2021-2025); and WPB2025 Actions	Implementation Status (as of Dec 2025)	Remarks (Lessons learned, challenges)
	EANET website for public awareness. (SEC) - Public awareness activities are organized in collaboration with the Participating Countries on acid deposition and air pollution issues, such as regional and national EANET webinars and awareness workshops (at least 1 regional workshop (face-to-face or hybrid), and support PCs in organizing 3-4 national workshops (hybrid or face-to-face) on air quality management and/or supporting specific Project Fund activities. - Media and communication plans of EANET are developed, including a specific strategy to promote the EANET Project Fund, and the monitoring and evaluation of communication activities are implemented. - Communication materials are developed to support awareness activities including increased participation in events in relation to the expansion of scope and to the promotion of the EANET Project Fund: promotional videos of EANET, info and briefs, including (but not limited to) results of PRSAD, research findings, and testimonials from PCs (w/ consent). - Regular e-mail updates are published on EANET activities, and a wider use of social is explored. - The photo archive of EANET is maintained. - The biannual issues of the EANET Newsletter are developed with the NC. <u>WPB2025 Actions</u> (NC) Provide technical/scientific support for public awareness activities of Participating Countries, such as providing training materials or joining the technical discussion in activities when the public awareness activities of countries are carried out, in relation to the expansion of scope (new substances) and to the promotion of the EANET Project Fund (NC) Support timely the Secretariat in developing the various contents of articles for the EANET website for public awareness (SEC) Organize public awareness activities in collaboration with the Participating Countries on acid deposition and air pollution issues, such as regional and national EANET webinars and awareness workshops (organize at least 1 regional workshop (face-to-face or hybrid), and support PCs in organizing 3-4 national workshops (hybrid or face-to-face) on air quality management and/or supporting specific Project	(SEC) A Communication Strategy and Plan, including the promotion of the EANET Project Fund, was developed and updated for EANET in 2025. (SEC) The bi-monthly EANET email updates EANET's latest Updates – October 2025 and the EANET's latest Updates – December 2025 were sent out to 763 subscribers. (SEC) The Secretariat prepared, in collaboration with the NC, the EANET Newsletter Volume 36. It was published on EANET website and shared on 29/12 via the EANET's latest Updates – December 2025 email campaign to 763 recipients.	

By	Activity; Output (MTP 2021-2025); and WPB2025 Actions	Implementation Status (as of Dec 2025)	Remarks (Lessons learned, challenges)
	Fund activities 29.(SEC) Develop media and communication plans of EANET, including a specific strategy to promote the EANET Project Fund, and implement monitoring and evaluation of communication activities 30.(SEC) Develop communication materials to support awareness activities including increased participation in Events in relation to the expansion of scope and to the promotion of the EANET Project Fund: promotional videos of EANET, info and briefs, including (but not limited to) results of PRSAD, research findings, and testimonials from PCs (w/ consent) 31.(SEC) Publish regular e-mail updates on EANET activities and explore a wider use of social media 32.(SEC) Maintain photo archives of EANET 33.(SEC) Develop the biannual issue of the EANET Newsletter with the NC		

Objective 5: Enhancement of cooperation and collaboration - Enhance collaborative and/or joint activities with relevant entities, including international and/or regional organizations, air pollution-related regional frameworks, financial institutions, research institutes, and interested governments of non-participating countries, to tackle air pollution issues.

Table I.4. Implemented Core Activities in 2025 under Objective 5

By	Activity; Output (MTP 2021-2025); and WPB2025 Actions	Implementation Status (as of Dec 2025)	Remarks (Lessons learned, challenges)
NC/ SEC	Activity 11: Arrangements for the EANET Sessions agreed to by the IG Outputs: 1. (SEC) The necessary arrangements for two annual meetings of the EANET in 2025 are made, namely for the Twenty-seventh Session of the Intergovernmental Meeting (IG27) and the Twenty-fifth Session of the Scientific Advisory Committee (SAC25) and including necessary arrangements for a Working Group meeting on EANET Project Fund in 2025, namely the Working Group Meeting in 2025 (WG2025) and extraordinary session of the Intergovernmental Meeting (IG-ex) if required. 2. (SEC) Support to the NC is provided for the arrangement, facilitation, and report the	1. (SEC) The Secretariat, in collaboration with the NC, organized the 25th Scientific Advisory Committee Meeting on the EANET (SAC25) from 20 to 22 October 2025, in Vientiane, Lao People's Democratic Republic, and the Twenty-seventh Session of the Intergovernmental Meeting on the EANET (IG27) in Bangkok, Thailand, from 27 to 28 November 2025. 2. (SEC) The Secretariat followed up with NFPs on their contributions and provided acknowledgement letters. 3. (SEC) The Progress Report and Financial Report in 2025	

By	Activity; Output (MTP 2021-2025); and WPB2025 Actions	Implementation Status (as of Dec 2025)	Remarks (Lessons learned, challenges)
	development of the Twenty-sixth Senior Technical Managers' Meeting (STM26) 3. (SEC) Administrative and financial arrangements for the EANET are made as appropriate. 4. (SEC) Active follow-ups with the NFPs regarding their annual voluntary financial contribution are conducted; regular communications are made with the NFPs on the status of the contributions, acknowledgment letters are issued once contributions are received. 5. (SEC) The Progress Report and Financial Report in 2024 is prepared for submission to the EANET Sessions such as STM26, SAC25, and IG27. 6. (NC) Support the Secretariat in organizing the EANET Sessions, including the IG, SAC, including the WG and extra-IG session (if necessary). 7. (NC) Organize the Twenty-fifth Senior Technical Managers' Meeting (STM26) 8. (NC) Plan of New Task forces 9. (NC) Regular communication with the SAC members, the participating countries, and the Secretariat. <u>WPB2025 Actions</u> 34. (NC) Support the Secretariat in organizing the EANET Sessions, including the IG, SAC, including the WG and extra-IG session (if necessary). 35. (SEC) Make necessary arrangements for two annual meetings of the EANET in 2025, namely the Twenty-seventh Session of the Intergovernmental Meeting (IG27) and the Twenty-fifth Session of the Scientific Advisory Committee (SAC25) and necessary arrangements for a Working Group meeting on EANET Project Fund in 2025, namely the Working Group Meeting in 2025 (WG2025) and extra-ordinary session of the Intergovernmental Meeting (IG-ex), if required. 36. (NC) Organize the STM26 in summer or autumn of 2025 hosted by one of the PCs to exchange information between the NC and the National Centers of each PCs, to disseminate latest scientific and technical information, review the EANET activities, and to clarify some important technical issues, and identify potential activities to be implemented by the PCs. 37. (SEC) Provide support to the NC for the arrangement, facilitation, and report the development of the STM26 38. (NC/SEC) Make administrative and financial arrangements for the EANET as	were prepared and submitted to SAC25, and IG27. 4. (NC) The 2nd Meetings of TFEE and TFAEM and the 3rd Meeting of TFAE were held online in June, July, and October 2025, respectively, and their progress was reported at SAC25 in October 2025.	

By	Activity; Output (MTP 2021-2025); and WPB2025 Actions	Implementation Status (as of Dec 2025)	Remarks (Lessons learned, challenges)
	appropriate 39. (SEC) Actively follow-up with the NFPs regarding their annual voluntary financial contribution; regular communications with the NFPs on the status of the contributions, issuance of acknowledgment letter once contributions are received 40. (NC) New Task Forces will be launched formally before SAC25 41. (NC/SEC) Prepare the Progress Report and Financial Report in 2024 for submission to the EANET Sessions such as STM26, SAC25, and IG27 42. (NC) Maintain regular communication with the SAC members, the Participating Countries, and the Secretariat		
NC/ SEC	Activity 12: Consideration on the future development of the EANET Outputs: (NC/SEC) Documents related to Project Plan preparation and approval stage such as related to the review of Project Plans are prepared. (SEC/NC) Follow-up on consultations with PCs and various development organizations and NGOs to support EANET Project Fund activities are led. (SEC) Follow-up on consultations and support is provided to Participating Countries to accelerate their involvement and Project Plans submission and implementation. (SEC) Follow-up on consultations are led with other organizations to explore interest and mechanisms in developing Project Plans for the EANET Project Fund, namely (but not limited to): Asian Development Bank; Clean Air Fund; Climate and Clean Air Coalition; FIA Foundation; Institute for Global Environmental Strategies; Stockholm Environment Institute; World Bank; World Resources Institute. (SEC) The report on developing partnerships and mobilizing resources to support EANET (Partnership and Resource Mobilization Strategy) is finalized including intelligence analysis materials, ad-hoc donor studies, research, a resources mobilization strategy plan, including annual priorities, goals and key performance indicators (KPIs). (SEC) Participating Countries and Project Leads are supported in the preparation of the draft Project Completion Report in consultation with the Project Fund Holder and the draft Project Completion Report is shared with EANET NFPs and SAC members. (NC) Provide necessary support to the Secretariat in undertaking the consultations with PCs and other organizations.	(NC/SEC) 11 Project Plans were submitted to the SAC25 and IG27 for review and approval. All 11 EANET Projects were approved in 2025 by IG27 to be implemented in 2026, considering the allocation of sufficient funds (EANET/IG27/12/Annex2/para IV.). (SEC) The Secretariat, as part of the efforts to implement partnership and resource mobilization, led discussions with organizations on potential collaboration opportunities. This included, but was not limited to, the Asian Development Bank (ADB), Clean Air Fund (CAF), GIZ, NEACAP, etc. Interests of these organizations were incorporated in the draft Partnership and Resource Mobilization Strategy. (SEC) The revised draft Partnership and Resource Mobilization Strategy was included in the Draft MTP prepared in 2025. (SEC) Project Completion Reports were submitted accordingly to SAC25 and IG27 and later endorsed by IG27.	

By	Activity; Output (MTP 2021-2025); and WPB2025 Actions	Implementation Status (as of Dec 2025)	Remarks (Lessons learned, challenges)
	<u>WPB2025 Actions</u> 1. (NC/SEC) Prepare documents related to Project Plan preparation and approval stage such as related to the review of Project Plans 2. (NC/SEC) Follow-up on consultations with PCs and various development organizations and NGOs to support EANET Project Fund activities 3. (SEC) Follow-up on consultations and support Participating Countries to accelerate their involvement Project Plans submission and implementation 4. (SEC) Follow-up on consultations with other organizations to explore interest and mechanisms in developing Project Plans for the EANET Project Fund 5. (SEC) Finalize report on developing partnerships and mobilizing resources to support EANET (Partnership and Resource Mobilization Strategy) including intelligence analysis materials, ad-hoc donor studies, research, a resources mobilization strategy plan, including annual priorities, goals and key performance indicators 6. (SEC) Assist Participating Countries and Project Leads in the preparation of the draft Project Completion Report in consultation with the Project Fund Holder and share the draft Project Completion Report with EANET NFPs and SAC members 7. (NC) Provide necessary support to the Secretariat in undertaking the consultations with PCs and other organizations		
SEC/ NC	<u>Activity 13:</u> Review of the arrangements of the EANET Secretariat and the NC <u>Outputs:</u> 1. (SEC/NC) A meeting on how to improve performance and transparency of the Secretariat and NC is held in support of the expansion of scope, consideration of MTP review, and preparation of new MTP. <u>WPB2025 Actions</u> 8. (SEC/NC) Meeting on how to improve performance and transparency of Secretariat and NC in support of expansion of scope, consideration of MTP review, and preparation of new MTP	1. (SEC/NC) The Secretariat and the Network Center organized regular coordination meetings in 2025, including to discuss the preparation of the IG27 and the relevant document preparation, in particular related to the preparation of the MTP (2026-2030) for the EANET.	
SEC	<u>Activity 14:</u> Revision of Guidelines on Administrative and Financial Management for the Secretariat and NC taking account of the new decisions of the IG	1. (SEC) Following the process agreed in para 33 of the Report of the IG25 Session (EANET/IG25/13), the finalized Administrative and Financial Management	

By	Activity; Output (MTP 2021-2025); and WPB2025 Actions	Implementation Status (as of Dec 2025)	Remarks (Lessons learned, challenges)
	Outputs: (SEC) Follow-up activities are conducted based on the guidance of IG25 (in collaboration with the NC). WPB2025 Actions - Conduct follow-up activities based on guidance of IG25 (in collaboration with NC)	Guidelines of the Secretariat and the Network Center, and the EANET Project Fund, and the EANET Project Fund and Project Guidelines were sent to Participating Countries by email on 26 November 2024, and both documents were effectively approved on 13 December 2024 as no objection from PCs were received. No further action was conducted in 2025.	
SEC/ NC	Activity 15: Review of the MTP (2016-2020), revision of the MTP (2021-2025) if necessary, and development of the next MTP for the EANET (2026-2030) Outputs: (SEC) Preparations for the development of the MTP (2026-2030) are initiated including organizing a Focus Discussion Group possibly in conjunction with the EANET Regional Awareness Workshop in 2024 (hybrid or face-to-face). (NC) Support the Secretariat for the preparation of the outline of MTP (2026-2030) and proposed Revisions as appropriate. WPB2025 Actions (SEC) Initiate preparations for the development of the MTP (2026-2030) including organizing a Focus Discussion Group possibly in conjunction with the EANET Regional Awareness Workshop in 2024 (hybrid or face-to-face) Support the Secretariat in the development of the MTP (2026-2030) (NC)	(SEC) The SEC prepared, in collaboration with the NC, the Draft Medium-Term Plan (2026-2030) discussed at SAC25 and IG27 and adopted by IG27. (NC) The Network Center participated in the Informal Meeting on the Initial Preparation of the Draft Medium-Term Plan (2026-2030) for the EANET and supported the Secretariat for the discussion on the next MTP.	
SEC/ NC	Activity 16: Sharing a common understanding on atmospheric environment issues among the scientific community, such as the APCAP Science Panel Outputs: (NC) Communicate with the Participating Countries and relevant organizations taking the opportunity of relevant activities and meetings. (SEC) Communication is made with the Participating Countries and relevant organizations on activities and relevant regional and global agendas. (SEC) The sharing a common understanding on atmospheric environment issues is	(NC) The Network Center attended The World Congress of the International Union of Forest Research Organizations (IUFRO) to organize the session on “Nitrogen Depositions in a changing climate: Trends and Implications on Forest Ecosystem Services” with the International Cooperative Programme on Assessment and Monitoring of Air Pollution Effects on Forests (ICP Forests) under CLRTAP. (SEC) The bi-monthly EANET email updates EANET’s	

By	Activity; Output (MTP 2021-2025); and WPB2025 Actions	Implementation Status (as of Dec 2025)	Remarks (Lessons learned, challenges)
	facilitated among the scientific community. WPB2025 Actions (NC) Communicate with the PCs and relevant organizations (such as APCAP, Convention on Long-range Transboundary Air Pollution (UNECE CLRTAP) and its programs, including the Cooperative Programme for Monitoring and Evaluation of the Long-range Transmission of Air Pollutant in Europe (EMEP); Regional Forum on Environment and Health; Climate & Clean Air Coalition (CCAC), WMO, WHO; European Monitoring and Evaluation Programme (EMEP); Better Air Quality in Asia (IBAQ), Clean Air Asia (CAA) taking the opportunity of relevant activities and meetings. (SEC) Communicate with the PCs and relevant organizations on activities and relevant regional and global agendas (SEC) Facilitate sharing a common understanding on atmospheric environment issues among the scientific community	latest Updates – October 2025 and the EANET's latest Updates – December 2025, sent to all EANET members, included the promotion of global events such as the Conference of the Parties (COP30) to the UN Framework Convention on Climate Change (UNFCCC), The seventh session of the United Nations Environment Assembly (UNEA-7), and the 12th Better Air Quality (BAQ26) conference among others. (SEC) The SEC, in collaboration with the NC, organized the EANET Regional Awareness Workshop “Next-Generation Air Quality Monitoring: Technologies, Communities, and Governance for Clean Air” during Clean Air Week 2025, on 26 November 2025, in Bangkok, Thailand. The Workshop served as a platform for knowledge sharing and collaboration. By bringing together experts and stakeholders, the event fostered discussions on air quality management. Experts included representatives from Thailand’s Pollution Control Department, the Chinese Research Academy of Environmental Sciences (CRAES); AirGradient; Chulalongkorn University; the French National Centre for Scientific Research (CNRS); the Clean Air Fund (CAF); EARTH; Incheon National University; ACAP and UNEP.	

Table I.5 Implemented Core Activities in 2025 under Objective 5, Administrative Works

By	Activity; Output (MTP 2021-2025); and WPB2025 Actions	Implementation Status (as of Dec 2025)	Remarks (Lessons learned, challenges)
NC/ SEC	Activity 17: Administrative works Outputs: (NC) Make necessary administrative arrangements supporting the expansion of scope and the EANET Project Fund.	(NC) The Network Center is providing administrative arrangements supporting the expansion of scope and the EANET Project Fund. (SEC) The financial operations of the Secretariat's Core Budget in 2025 were administered in the following areas:	

By	Activity; Output (MTP 2021-2025); and WPB2025 Actions	Implementation Status (as of Dec 2025)	Remarks (Lessons learned, challenges)
	2. (SEC) The necessary administrative arrangements supporting the expansion of scope and the EANET Project Fund are made. <u>WPB2025 Actions</u> 14. (NC) Make necessary administrative arrangements supporting the expansion of scope and the EANET Project Fund 15. (SEC) Make necessary administrative arrangements supporting the expansion of scope and the EANET Project Fund	● Contributions: Member countries' contributions were received (Cambodia, China, Japan, Lao PDR, Malaysia, Philippines, Republic of Korea, Thailand, Russia and Viet Nam) and recorded in accordance with the agreed procedures. ● Fund Utilization: Budget allocations were managed effectively to support approved activities and operations as per the approved WPB. ● Financial Reporting: The financial reports in 2024 were prepared and submitted in line with established timelines and formats. ● Human Resources: Staffing and personnel costs were managed within the core budget framework, ensuring alignment with WPB. 3. (SEC) The Secretariat provided administrative arrangements to successfully organize the key annual meetings in 2025 as follows: ● The Twenty-fifth Session of the Scientific Advisory Committee (SAC25), from 20 to 22 October 2025, in Vientiane, Lao People's Democratic Republic. ● The Twenty-seventh Session of the Intergovernmental Meeting (IG27) from 27 to 28 November 2025, in Bangkok, Thailand. 4. (SEC) In 2025, the Secretariat provided administrative arrangements for the following EANET Project Activities: ● The collaboration of Technical and Training (TNT) and capacity building program for personnel of the Participating Countries on monitoring ● Fellowship for building leadership in Atmospheric Environment and Air Quality Management in East Asia ● Stocktaking and Methodological Assessment of Emissions Inventories and Source Apportionment of Air Pollution in Southeast Asia	

By	Activity; Output (MTP 2021-2025); and WPB2025 Actions	Implementation Status (as of Dec 2025)	Remarks (Lessons learned, challenges)

ATTACHMENT 2: IMPLEMENTED/ONGOING CORE ACTIVITIES FROM JANUARY TO SEPTEMBER 2026 (MTP 2026-2030)

OUTCOME 1. UNDERSTANDING ON THE STATE OF AIR POLLUTION IN THE PRIORITY AREAS AND ATMOSPHERIC DEPOSITION IN EAST ASIA IS BUILT THROUGH STRENGTHENED MONITORING, PARTICULARLY FOCUSING ON THE FOLLOWING POLLUTANTS: PM2.5 AND ITS COMPONENTS (E.G., INORGANIC IONS), SURFACE OZONE (O₃), NITROGEN OXIDES (NO_x), AND AMMONIA (NH₃).

Table I.1. Implemented Core Activities in 2026 under Outcome 1

Lead	Output	Activity	Milestones (MTP 2026-2030 and WPB2026)	Implementation Status (as of 30 September 2026)	Remarks (Lessons learned, challenges)
NC/PCs	OUTPUT 1.1 increased ground monitoring sites and species in the scope of EANET monitoring based on the conditions and resources of PCs on a voluntary basis especially focusing on PM2.5 and its components, O ₃ , NO _x , and NH ₃	Activity 1. Sustainable monitoring of air pollution and atmospheric deposition including NO _x , NH ₃ , and PM2.5 components in EANET Participating Countries. In addition, conduct old equipment replacement, maintenance, or updates under available budget resources.	1. Air pollutant and acid deposition monitoring in EANET Countries 2. Spatiotemporal patterns of nitrogen (NO_x, NH₃, and their ionic species) deposition 3. Ecological impacts of sulfur and nitrogen in forest catchments 4. Maintenance of current equipment, upgrade and replacement of outdated equipment under available budget and resources	1. NMPs 2026 were submitted by all Participating Countries. The NMPs and related issues including the status of monitoring results and technical problems were introduced and discussed at STM27. The NMPs were reviewed and summarized by NC at STM27 and based on the results, each PC was requested to revise and finalize the NMPs. The summary of finalized NMPs of 2026 will be reported at SAC26. 2. Total nitrogen deposition data in 2025 will be calculated by using wet deposition data and air concentration data for dry deposition to conduct the spatiotemporal analysis of nitrogen deposition. 3. Regular catchment monitoring is conducted in two forested catchments, namely the Lake Ijira catchment, Japan, and the La Mesa Watershed, the Philippines. 4. The mission to Cambodia was conducted from 8 to 12 June. Monitoring status at Phnom Penh site	

Lead	Output	Activity	Milestones (MTP 2026-2030 and WPB2026)	Implementation Status (as of 30 September 2026)	Remarks (Lessons learned, challenges)
				was confirmed. The mission to Indonesia was conducted on September 1. Monitoring status at Bandung site was confirmed and expansion on the monitoring in Indonesia were discussed. Consumables of air concentration and deposition monitoring was supported to Russia and Vietnam.	
NC/PCs	OUTPUT 1.2 scaled-up data management system for easier use and wider dissemination	Activity 2. Implementation of quality assurance and quality control (QA/QC) activities of air pollution and atmospheric deposition monitoring	1. Development of harmonized monitoring methodologies and protocols within EANET 2. Revision of QA/QC guidelines and manuals for atmospheric and ecological monitoring 3. Execution of Inter-Laboratory Comparison (ILC) projects to strengthen QA/QC practices in EANET 4. Establishment of O₃ calibration system traceable to the international standard.	1. Comparison results between NILU filter pack and the other type of filter holder were reported in the 4th TFAE meeting on June 30. 2. The new Strategy Paper was developed by TFAE including consideration on atmospheric monitoring methodology and revision of manual and guideline. The final draft will be submitted to SAC26 for adoption. 3. Report of the ILC Project 2024 was published. NC started to work on the preparation of the samples for the ILC surveys 2026 (the 29th project on wet deposition, the 22nd project on dry deposition (filter-pack method), the 28th project on soil, and the 27th project on artificial surface water). The samples will be shipped to the Participating Countries. Draft Report of the ILC Project 2025 was prepared based on the analysis results reported by participating laboratories and evaluated in the session of STM27. After STM27, the draft Report of the ILC Project 2025 was revised and will be reviewed by SAC26 for adoption with modifications if necessary. After the necessary modifications pointed out by SAC26 and the proofreading process, the Report of the ILC	

Lead	Output	Activity	Milestones (MTP 2026-2030 and WPB2026)	Implementation Status (as of 30 September 2026)	Remarks (Lessons learned, challenges)
				Project 2025 will be published. 4. The mission to Cambodia was conducted from 8 to 12 June. Ozone monitor is calibrated by the standard owned by the NC.	
NC/PCs	OUTPUT 1.3 strengthened technical capacity of pcs on monitoring for QA/QC especially for O3, VOCS and PM2.5 components	Activity 3. Develop and deliver capacity building programs to enhance the skills and knowledge of personnel involved in monitoring activities	1. Capacity building through individual technical training and methodological enhancement in the network center 2. Evaluation and coordination of training outcomes for enhanced technical capacity 3. Deployment of technical missions to support sustainable monitoring in EANET participating countries	1. Two persons from Cambodia and Lao PDR are invited to technical training of basic EANET monitoring from October 19 to 23. 2. Feedback on TNT & Capacity Building Program in Session 1 was compiled. This will be used for elaboration on the subsequent training in October 2026. 3. The mission to Cambodia was conducted from 8 to 12 June and the mission to Indonesia was conducted on September 1. The current challenges and future issues on the regular monitoring and plan of new monitoring stations were discussed.	
NC/PCs	OUTPUT 1.4 methodologies exchange (such as low-cost sensors and satellite) including emerging techniques for future monitoring	Activity 4. Compilation, verification, summarization, and publication of EANET monitoring data	1. Annual EANET Data Report	1. Data Report 2024 was published. Data Report 2024 (PDF) and hourly, weekly, and bi-weekly monitoring data were disclosed through the EANET website. Each participating country was requested to submit EANET monitoring data in 2025 by the end of June. NC is receiving monitoring data. The draft Data Report 2025 was prepared and overviewed in the session of STM27. The draft Data Report 2025 was updated based on national monitoring data submitted after STM27 and comments from the verification committee as well as those from STM27. The finalized draft Data Report will be reviewed by SAC26 for adoption with modifications if necessary. After the necessary modifications pointed out by SAC26 and the proofreading process, the Data	

Lead	Output	Activity	Milestones (MTP 2026-2030 and WPB2026)	Implementation Status (as of 30 September 2026)	Remarks (Lessons learned, challenges)
				Report 2025 will be published.	
NC/PCs		Activity 5. Continuously exchange information on new technology on monitoring by workshops to understand latest scientific advancements and innovations	- Updated monitoring protocols - Understanding new technologies among PCs	Joint workshop on Air Pollution Policy Based on PM2.5 Source Information was held on June 12. The PM source identification study by integrated use of satellite data, ground observations, and modeling to understand pollution sources were introduced.	

OUTCOME 2. DECISION-MAKERS AT LOCAL, NATIONAL AND REGIONAL LEVELS HAVE INCREASED ACCESS TO EVIDENCE-BASED POLICY RELEVANT INFORMATION

Table I.2 Implemented Core Activities in 2026 under Outcome 2

Lead	Output	Activity	Milestones (MTP 2026-2030 and WPB2026)	Implementation Status (as of 30 September 2026)	Remarks (Lessons learned, challenges)
NC	OUTPUT 2.1 annual analysis and assessment results of air pollution, particularly O ₃ , PM _{2.5} , atmospheric deposition especially for NO _x and NH ₃ , and their ecological impacts based on the EANET ground monitoring data	Activity 6. Conduct annual analysis and assessment of the state of air pollution and atmospheric deposition, including O ₃ , PM _{2.5} , NO _x and NH ₃ and ecological impacts based on the EANET data and methodological research activities agreed by all PCs.	1. Assessment of deposition and air concentration trends 2. Catchment-based assessment of acidification recovery 3. Assessment of nitrogen deposition and ecosystem impacts 4. Regional assessment of atmospheric deposition and ecological effects	1. Based on the national monitoring data of air concentration and atmospheric deposition in 2025 submitted by PCs, an analysis was conducted and will be reported at SAC26. 2. Based on the national monitoring data of atmospheric deposition and catchment-scale monitoring in 2025 submitted by PCs, an annual assessment of acidification recovery was conducted and will be reported at SAC26. 3. Based on the national monitoring data of atmospheric deposition and ecological impact monitoring in 2025 submitted by PCs, an annual assessment of possible effects of nitrogen deposition on ecosystems was conducted and will be reported at SAC26, especially for inland aquatic environments and forest catchment. 4. Based on the national monitoring data of atmospheric deposition and ecological impact monitoring in 2025 submitted by PCs, an annual regional assessment of atmospheric deposition and ecological effects will be conducted and will be reported at SAC26.	
NC/PCs	OUTPUT 2.2 periodical assessment report based on science-based	Activity 7. Development of periodic analysis and assessment report for MTP	1. Development of PRSAD5 2. Second Drafting Committee/Lead Authors meeting 3. First/Second/Third draft of the PRSAD5	1. The Drafting Committee (DC) for the Fifth Periodic Report on the State of Atmospheric Environment (PRSAE5) was established on 7 February 2025, and the First Meeting of the DC (DC1) was held in virtual form on 24 June	

Lead	Output	Activity	Milestones (MTP 2026-2030 and WPB2026)	Implementation Status (as of 30 September 2026)	Remarks (Lessons learned, challenges)
	analysis using EANET ground monitoring data, relevant data and model as agreed by all pcs, especially focusing on PM2.5, O3, NOX and NH3	(2021-2025) on current and long-term status of air pollution, atmospheric deposition, and impact on plants and ecosystem in the EANET region based on EANET data and methodological research activities agreed by all PCs.	4. Final draft of the PRSAD5 5. Finalization and publication of the PRSAD5	2025. 2. The First Lead Authors' Meeting (LAM1), Second Drafting Committee/Lead Authors' Meeting (DC2/LAM2) and Third Drafting Committee/Lead Authors' Meeting (DC3/LAM3) for the PRSAE5 were held in virtual form on 7 January, 9 April, and 29 July, respectively. 3. The first, second, and third drafts of the PRSAE5 were prepared by and circulated among Lead Authors and Contributing between DC2/LAM2 and DC3/LAM3. 4. The final draft of the PRSAE5 has been circulated for review since 20 September 2026. 5. The final draft of the PRSAE5 is planned to be adopted by SAC26 and endorsed by IG28. After the necessary modifications and proofreading, the PRSAE5 will be published in December 2026.	
NC		Activity 8. Preparation of periodic analysis and assessment reports for MTP (2026-2030) on current and long-term status of air pollution, atmospheric deposition, focusing on PM2.5, O3, NOx and NH3 and their potential impact on plants			No activities in 2026 according to the Work Programme and Budget 2026.

Lead	Output	Activity	Milestones (MTP 2026-2030 and WPB2026)	Implementation Status (as of 30 September 2026)	Remarks (Lessons learned, challenges)
		and ecosystem, and impact of meteorological condition variation on air pollution in EANET region (2029-2030) based on EANET data and methodological research activities agreed by all PCs.			
SEC/NC /PCs	OUTPUT 2.3 strengthened support for science policy interface	Activity 9. Contribution to “Science-Policy Dialogue” led by partners (such as NEACAP, etc.) to communicate synthesized and policy-relevant scientific knowledge from EANET to decision-makers to inform policymaking	1. Key messages from EANET assessments reflected in Science-Policy Dialogue led by partners	1. The Secretariat worked closely with the National Air Emission Inventory and Research Center (NAIR) of the Ministry of Climate, Energy and Environment, Republic of Korea, UNEP and NEACAP, on the 2026 International Blue Skies Symposium held in Seoul, Republic of Korea, on 7 September 2026.	
SEC/NC /PCs		Activity 10. Provide evidence-based policy advice using EANET data and information to PCs (based on	1. Air quality management policy advice provided to Participating Countries based on request	1. As part of the 2026 International Blue Skies Symposium and Emissions Inventory Training, both held as part of the 2026 International Blue Skies Conference in Seoul from 7-11 September 2026, the Secretariat invited UNEP Law Division to lead a session on environmental law and policy. A survey was	

Lead	Output	Activity	Milestones (MTP 2026-2030 and WPB2026)	Implementation Status (as of 30 September 2026)	Remarks (Lessons learned, challenges)
		needs/ requests)		shared with the EANET Participating Countries prior to the event to address specific needs.	
NC/SEC	OUTPUT 2.4 strengthened technical capacity of participating countries on data analysis for policy making	Activity 11. Upgrading and maintaining Data Report/Download System in EANET website to enable easy access	1. Improved Data Report and Download Services	1. The number of accumulated valid registered users of Data Download Site is 417 on 13 April. The number has increased by 60 over the past year.	

OUTCOME 3. COOPERATION ON THE ISSUES RELATED TO AIR POLLUTION IN THE PRIORITY AREAS AND ATMOSPHERIC DEPOSITION IN EAST ASIA IS INCREASED

Table I.3 Implemented Core Activities in 2026 under Outcome 3

Lead	Output	Activity	Milestones (MTP 2026-2030 and WPB2026)	Implementation Status (as of 30 September 2026)	Remarks (Lessons learned, challenges)
Sec (M.1-2) NC (M.3-4)	OUTPUT 3.1 enhanced cooperation with national and international institutions on air pollution and atmospheric deposition, including cooperation on environmental policy, planning, and regulation, and its enforcement and air pollution treatment methods	Activity 12. Intergovernmental process to advance EANET's work through IG, SAC and other subsidiary bodies	1. Arrangements for two annual meetings of EANET in 2026, namely IG28 and SAC26 and arrangements for other EANET meetings (hybrid or online), including but not limited to the Working Group meeting(s) on EANET, additional SAC and WG meetings, and extraordinary session of the Intergovernmental Meeting (IG-ex), if required. 2. Updated EANET website in accordance with the Revised Guidelines on the Administrative and Financial Management for the Secretariat and the Network Center (including Reports of the Sessions of the EANET Meetings, including the Working Group and SAC Meetings, and other relevant EANET Meetings in collaboration with the NC, etc.) 3. Arrangement for the STM27 in 2026 4. Online Task Force meetings	1. The Working Group Meeting on the EANET in 2026 (WG2026) was held online from 4-5 August; preparations are ongoing for the 26th Scientific Advisory Committee Meeting on the EANET (SAC26) to be held in Kuala-Lumpur, Malaysia, from 20-22 October; and for the 28th Session of the Intergovernmental Meeting on the EANET (IG28) to be held in Niigata, Japan from 24-26 November 2026. 2. In line with the EANET Project Fund and Project Guidelines, the EANET Project Pipeline Repository has been updated on EANET website in the Classified Documents, to include the Project Plans approved for 2026. 3. The STM meeting was held in Jakarta, Indonesia, on 2–3 September. The meeting was attended by 39 participants from EANET Participating Countries. The STM27 shared updates on EANET monitoring activities, reviewed key results in 2025, discussed monitoring plans for 2026 and the progress of related projects. 4. The 3rd online meeting of the Task Force on Monitoring and Assessment of Environmental Effects (TFEE) was held on July 1, 2026, to discuss the draft update of “<i>Strategy Paper for Future Direction of EANET on Monitoring of Effects on Agricultural Crops, Forest and Inland Water by Acidifying Species and</i>	

Lead	Output	Activity	Milestones (MTP 2026-2030 and WPB2026)	Implementation Status (as of 30 September 2026)	Remarks (Lessons learned, challenges)
				<i>Related Chemical Substances</i>". The draft update of the Strategy Paper is being circulated among the SAC and IG members. 5. The 4th Meeting of the Task Force on Monitoring and Assessment of Atmospheric Environment (TFAE) was held online on 30 June 2026. Task force members exchanged views and provided comments and recommendations on the draft of "<i>Strategy Paper on the Future Direction of Monitoring and Data Evaluation for Air Pollutants and Atmospheric Deposition in East Asia</i>". The Network Center also reported the progress of ongoing EANET projects, including the VOC Technical Training Guidance, the PM_{2.5} Source Identification Project, and the comparative study of alternative Filter Pack equipment. Participants discussed ways to improve monitoring methodologies, strengthen regional capacity building, and promote future collaborative research within EANET. The 5th Meeting of the TFAE was held online on 28 August 2026 to discuss the final draft of Strategy Paper. 6. The 3rd online meeting of the Task Force on Atmospheric Environment Quality Management (TFAEM) was held on September 26, 2026, and discussed "Draft Concept of the Strategy Paper for Atmospheric Environment Quality Management in East Asia".	

Lead	Output	Activity	Milestones (MTP 2026-2030 and WPB2026)	Implementation Status (as of 30 September 2026)	Remarks (Lessons learned, challenges)
Sec/PCs		Activity 13. Establish and carry out cooperation with national entities and international institutions on environmental policy, planning, and regulations, and enforcement of regulations	1. Draft cooperation agreement/s or partnerships with national or international entities on air quality management developed for IG approval	1. Following the request from the IG27 (EANET/IG27/12/paraV), the Secretariat has supported the French National Research Institute for Sustainable Development (IRD) to get in touch with the NFPs in the Mekong Region regarding cooperation on the SOOT-SEA project (previously named SEACAI). Following the request from the IG27, the Secretariat has also shared the project concept note with all NFPs by email on 27 January 2026. In addition, following the request from IG27 (EANET/IG27/12 Para 46, xv), the Secretariat sent NEACAP's approved Work Plan to EANET's NFPs on 7 April 2026.	
Sec		Activity 14. Carry out technical exchange on air pollution treatment method of cement, steel industry, mobile sources, carry out research on open burning of agricultural crop residues, etc.	1. Needs assessment survey for EANET PCs to inform technical exchange on air pollution treatment method for priority sectors 2. Concept note developed for the technical exchange on air pollution treatment method among PCs 3. Technical exchange on air pollution treatment method organized	1. A needs assessment survey for EANET PCs is being prepared and is planned to be sent out in the last quarter of 2026. 2. The concept note development is ongoing.	
Sec	OUTPUT 3.2 elevated visibility of EANET at the international level	Activity 15. Organize EANET regional awareness workshop	1. At least one regional awareness workshop on atmospheric deposition and air pollution issues and/or supporting specific Project Fund activities	1. The Secretariat worked closely with the National Air Emission Inventory and Research Center (NAIR) of the Ministry of Climate, Energy and Environment, Republic of Korea, UNEP and NEACAP, on the 2026 International Blue Skies Symposium held in Seoul, Republic of Korea, on 7 September 2026. As part of the Symposium, the Secretariat organized a session serving as the EANET Regional Awareness Workshop. The	

Lead	Output	Activity	Milestones (MTP 2026-2030 and WPB2026)	Implementation Status (as of 30 September 2026)	Remarks (Lessons learned, challenges)
				theme of the Session was “ From Science to Governance: Building Effective Policy Responses to PM2.5 and Ozone ”. Over 150 participants joined the Symposium in person, and the video of the event has gathered over 900 views .	
Sec/ PCs		Activity 16. Statement/s delivered by EANET during relevant international or IG forums such as UN Environment Assembly, Forum of Ministers and Environment Authorities of Asia Pacific, Asia Pacific Forum on Sustainable Development, ESCAP Committee on Environment and Development	1. EANET’s official statement at a relevant international or IG forum/s is delivered and documented	1. The Secretariat, with support from the Bureau of the IG27, and after consultation, review and revisions from the Participating Countries drafted an EANET Statement for ESCAP’s 9th Session of the Committee on Environment and Development (CED-9), held in Bangkok, Thailand on 1-2 July 2026. The review process included revisions per email of a 1 st Draft by 28 May, a Near-Final Draft by 16 June, and a Final draft statement by 24 June. The EANET Statement was read by the Secretariat during the CED9 on 1 July 2026 .	
Sec		Activity 17. Outreach and promotion of EANET’s work and achievements at national, regional, global events	1. EANET presented during at least one major regional or global environmental event in 2026. For 2026, this is proposed during the Better Air Quality (BAQ) Conference planned in March 2026 in Bangkok, Thailand.	1. EANET was presented during several sessions at BAQ26 , including through the participation of Thailand’s SAC Member to the Plenary “Forging South-South Partnerships and Accelerating Collective Action on Air Pollution,” on 13 March 2026, co-organized by ESCAP and UNEP.	

Lead	Output	Activity	Milestones (MTP 2026-2030 and WPB2026)	Implementation Status (as of 30 September 2026)	Remarks (Lessons learned, challenges)
Sec	OUTPUT 3.3 increased resource mobilization efforts	Activity 18. Regular mapping of funding opportunities and donor interests aligned with EANET, including calendar of funding opportunities	1. Mapping of funding opportunities and donor interests aligned with EANET, including calendar of funding opportunities, prepared, circulated, and updated	1. A calendar of Funding Opportunities has been created online on EANET website through the webpage Air Quality Funding Opportunities and shared by email to EANET NFPs on 20 April 2026.	
Sec/ PCs		Activity 19. Jointly develop at least two proposals to contribute to delivery of MTP outcomes	1. Consultation with NFPs to explore collaboration with existing national institutions in EANET PCs including bilateral development agencies to support EANET activities and/or co-develop EANET projects 2. Explore cooperation with bilateral/multilateral development agencies and international organizations to support ongoing and planned projects on air quality in the EANET region and identify concrete joint activities to supplement their work* Some initial opportunities identified: - ESCAP's Regional Action Programme on Air Pollution - CCAC's AQMx Platform - JICA's project in Mongolia - GIZ/SDC/IRD's project Integrated approaches to climate protection and air quality improvement in Southeast Asia	1. The Secretariat met with the National Air Emission Inventory and Research Center (NAIR) of the Ministry of Climate, Energy and Environment, Republic of Korea, in Bangkok, Thailand, on 12 February to explore collaboration opportunities with the EANET. 2. The Secretariat has initiated discussions with several international organizations during BAQ26 on 11-13 March including ADB, ESCAP, the World Bank, C40 and Clean Air Fund, among others. Discussions with the African Clean Air Network during BAQ26 led to the participation of the Network Center to a Sensor Network Town Hall on 16 June 2026, an online Workshop held in the margins of the 2026 Africa Clean Air Forum scheduled in Pretoria, South Africa, in July 2026. Cooperation is also ongoing with NEACAP, including on the side-event to CED9: Advancing Clean Air in Asia and the Pacific: Lessons from North-East Asia for Regional Action held on 2 July in Bangkok, Thailand, and jointly organized by the Chinese Research	

Lead	Output	Activity	Milestones (MTP 2026-2030 and WPB2026)	Implementation Status (as of 30 September 2026)	Remarks (Lessons learned, challenges)
			(SEACAI) - Hub of Talents of Air Pollution (National Research Center of Thailand) 3. Draft concept note for a proposal aligned with MTP (2026–2030) <i>(Consultations will be primarily undertaken through online platforms (email or teleconference). Concrete opportunities will be initially submitted to the relevant Working Group Meeting for further consultation and guidance.)</i>	Academy of Environmental Sciences (CRAES), the National Institute of Environmental Research (NIER) of the Republic of Korea, the North-East Asia Clean Air Partnership (NEACAP), and ESCAP. In addition, the Secretariat supported UNECE in identifying speakers from EANET to join the Global Clean Air Dialogue held in Istanbul, Türkiye from September 23–24, 2026. 3. The Secretariat is working closely with UNEP and other stakeholders to identify partnership and project opportunities to be presented as Project Plans for 2027.	
Sec	OUTPUT 3.4 stakeholders informed through outreach and encouraged to collaborate with EANET	Activity 20. Up-to-date and wide online presence of EANET through regularly updated EANET newsletter, website, and social media platforms	1. Annual communication plan developed, including monitoring and evaluation of communication activities 2. Communication materials developed to support increased awareness of EANET activities including the EANET Project Fund and Projects: News stories on EANET activities; Flyer with highlights of EANET’s activities, achievements, and impact and Web content, including (but not limited to) research and project findings, and results of EANET Projects 3. Regular updates on EANET activities and relevant documents via EANET website, email communication, and social media platforms (such as LinkedIn) 4. EANET photo archives maintained 5. Biannual issuance of EANET	1. A Communication Strategy and Plan was developed for EANET in 2026 and will be regularly updated throughout the year. As part of the Progress Report to be submitted to SAC26 and IG28, an evaluation of the communication activities will be included. As part of the 2026 Comms strategy, the Secretariat has worked to widely promote the Guidelines for Establishing a Hybrid Air Quality Monitoring Network and the Technical Manual for Hybrid Air Quality Monitoring with Low-Cost Sensors by publishing a dedicated web story: Expanding Air Quality Monitoring with Low Cost Sensors: What Policymakers and Practitioners Need to Know, and sharing the two documents for publication on the CCAC AQMx (in the Resource Exchange Library and the Air Quality Stage 2 page) and RAPAP platforms. In addition, the Secretariat has updated the EANET Research Portal by the list of Research Papers using EANET data published	

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			Newsletter	in 2024 and 2025 and has drafted a dedicated web story in February: EANET Monitoring Data Drives Scientific Research in 2024–2025. 2. The EANET Project Fund and Project Guidelines webpage and the related webpages have been updated in 2026. 14 web stories were published so far in 2026 on EANET website. An EANET flyer, based on the newly adopted MTP2026-2030 and to be used for communication and stakeholder mobilization was developed and shared with the National Focal Points for review by email on 24 September 2026. In addition, the Secretariat developed a special logo to mark the 25th anniversary of the EANET and shared it with NFPs by email on 6 February 2026. 3. The bi-monthly EANET email updates: EANET's latest Updates – Jan-Feb 2026; Mar-Apr 2026; May-June 2026; and July-August 2026; were sent out to 761 subscribers. 4. EANET Secretariat's Flickr account is being maintained and updated. 5. EANET Newsletter Vol. 37 was published in June 2026.	
Sec/ PCs		Activity 21. Increased visibility through Op-eds written by Chair or EANET Champions (such as NFPs) on EANET projects, cooperation, or	1. One Op-ed attributed to the IG Chair, Bureau Member or a National Focal Point in a regional or national media outlet is prepared	1. The Secretariat is in discussion with the Network Center for the preparation of a press release for local media, to be prepared for the 25 th anniversary of the EANET, to be celebrated at the same time as the IG28 in Niigata, Japan, in November 2026.	

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		success stories			
Sec/ PCs		Activity 22. Organize at least one national awareness workshop	1. At least one national awareness workshop in an EANET Participating Country on atmospheric deposition and air pollution issues and/or supporting specific Project Fund activities (<i>The Secretariat will explore co-financing and partnerships with PCs and other organizations, where possible for hybrid national awareness workshops. An online workshop may also be considered depending on available resources/ budget.</i>)	1. Co-organized with Indonesia's Ministry of Environment, and with support from the Network Center, the National Awareness Workshop Understanding Air Pollution and its Sources, Weather, Climate, and Topography in Indonesia was held on 4 September 2026 in Jakarta, Indonesia, back-to-back with the STM27 meeting.	
Sec		Activity 23. Administrative related activities	- Administrative and financial arrangements for the EANET as appropriate, including coordination with NFPs regarding their annual voluntary financial contribution; regular communications with NFPs on the status of the contributions, issuance of acknowledgment letter once contributions are received - Development and review of EANET Project Plans and Concept Notes and outreach in EANET website (in collaboration with the NC) - Final Report on the Implementation of the MTP for the EANET (2021-2025)	1. Financial contributions from Participating Countries (Thailand, the Russian Federation, Lao PDR, Malaysia, Philippines and Viet Nam (as of September 2026) have been received and recorded in accordance with established financial procedures. Budget implementation has been carried out in compliance with UNEP rules and regulations and the approved 2026 Work Programme and Budget (WPB). The Secretariat continues to closely monitor income and expenditures to address the current cash flow situation while ensuring the uninterrupted implementation of planned activities and maintaining financial sustainability. Human resources have been managed within the approved core budget framework, with the recruitment of a new Coordinator currently underway. In the interim, UNEP is providing cross-subsidization to support the ad interim	

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				Coordinator until the recruitment process is completed. 2. The Draft EANET Project Plans and Concept Notes were uploaded for review at the WG2026, as part of the meeting documents. The call for proposal was promoted widely on LinkedIn on 19 May 2026, and in the EANET June 2026 email updates. 3. The Secretariat recruited an external expert to lead the Final Review of the MTP (2021-2025). The Draft Terminal Review will be presented to the SAC26.	

ATTACHMENT 3: DIGITAL DATA REPORT (JANUARY TO SEPTEMBER 2026)

SUMMARY OF RESULTS

- ✓ **Website Users:** The total number of users for the analyzed period was 19K. A peak in user activity was observed between January and September 2026, reaching 996 users in June 2026, coinciding with the publication of the recruitment for the EANET Coordinator. Visitors to the EANET website mainly came from Singapore, China, Japan, the United States, and Thailand.
- ✓ **Website Flow:** Focusing on the period from January to September 2026, the five most visited pages were the Homepage, the Publication page, the Site Information page, News, the Homepage in Japanese.
- ✓ **Top Downloaded Files:** During the analyzed period, 4,394 files were downloaded from the EANET website. The five most downloaded files were: the MTP (2025–2030) for the EANET (276 downloads), Guidelines for establishing a HAQMN (262 downloads), the Manual for AQM with LCS (172 downloads), the IG27 Report of the Session (87 downloads), and EANET Instrument (67 downloads).
- ✓ **EANET Subscribers:** From December 2025 to September 2026, the number of EANET subscribers increased slightly from 760 to 814 subscribers.
- ✓ **EANET Secretariat's LinkedIn Page:** The EANET Secretariat's LinkedIn page, launched in June 2024, generated 7,179 impressions from 1 January to 21 September 2026. The page engaged 152 followers, including 59 new followers during the analyzed period. The top-performing post was the EANET Coordinator Recruitment announcement published in June 2026, which generated 1,348 impressions and 32 clicks to the EANET website.

Potential Recommendations to Improve EANET Outreach

1. Enhance LinkedIn Strategy

The LinkedIn page shows strong growth and engagement potential. To expand reach:

- ✓ Post regularly with engaging visuals and direct links.
- ✓ Prioritize high-performing content (recruitment, events, announcements).
- ✓ Share expert insights and project impacts.
- ✓ Use targeted content to reach environmental professionals in the Participating Countries

2. Increase Website Engagement

With 19K users but room to improve engagement:

- ✓ Highlight dynamic content (events, publications, announcements)
- ✓ Add interactive elements (maps, dashboards).
- ✓ Feature “related content” and “latest updates.”.
- ✓ Use short videos to simplify key content

3. Grow Email Subscriber Base

The subscriber base is stable and growing. To improve:

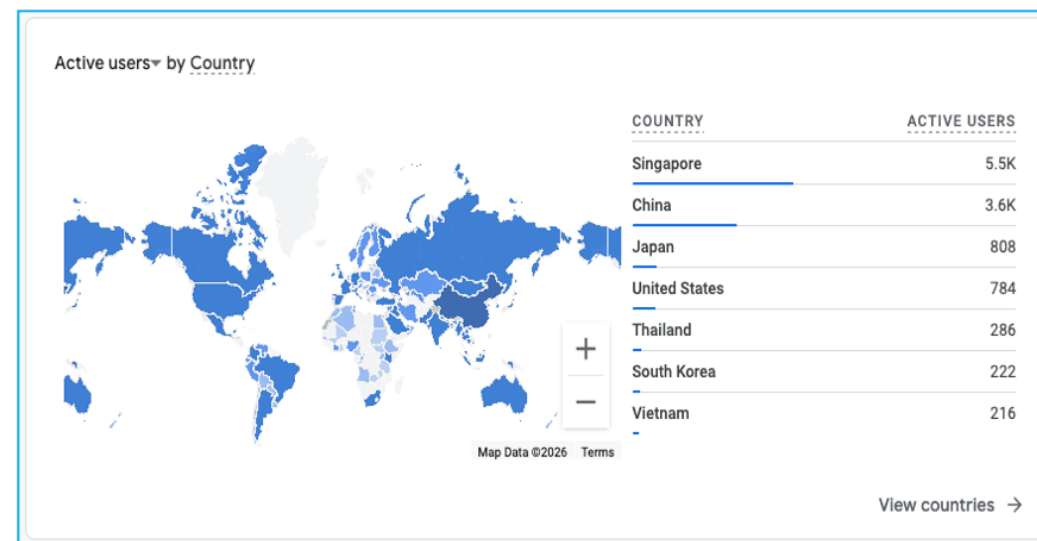
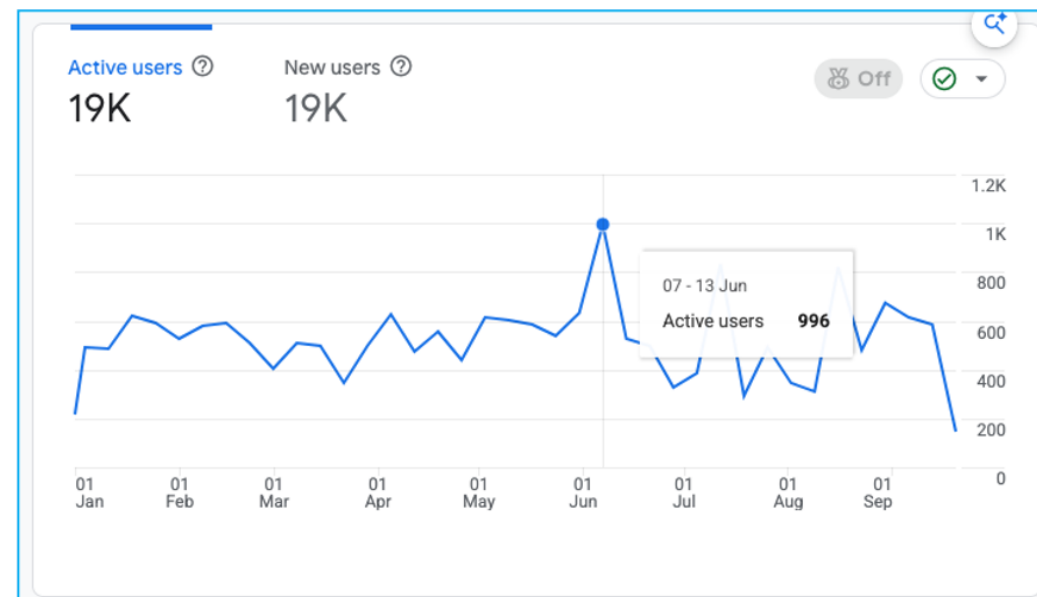
- ✓ Place visible signup prompts across the site.
- ✓ Cross-promote via LinkedIn and website.
- ✓ Strengthen newsletter calls-to-action.

a) Website Users

- ✓ Total users for the analyzed period were **19K**.
- ✓ Peak number of users between Jan 1-September 22 were detected in June 2026 with **996 users**. The peak coincides with the publication of the recruitment of the Coordinator for the EANET.

Top 5 countries of visitors of EANET website in the analyzed period:

1. **Singapore**
2. **China**
3. **Japan**
4. **United States**
5. **Thailand**

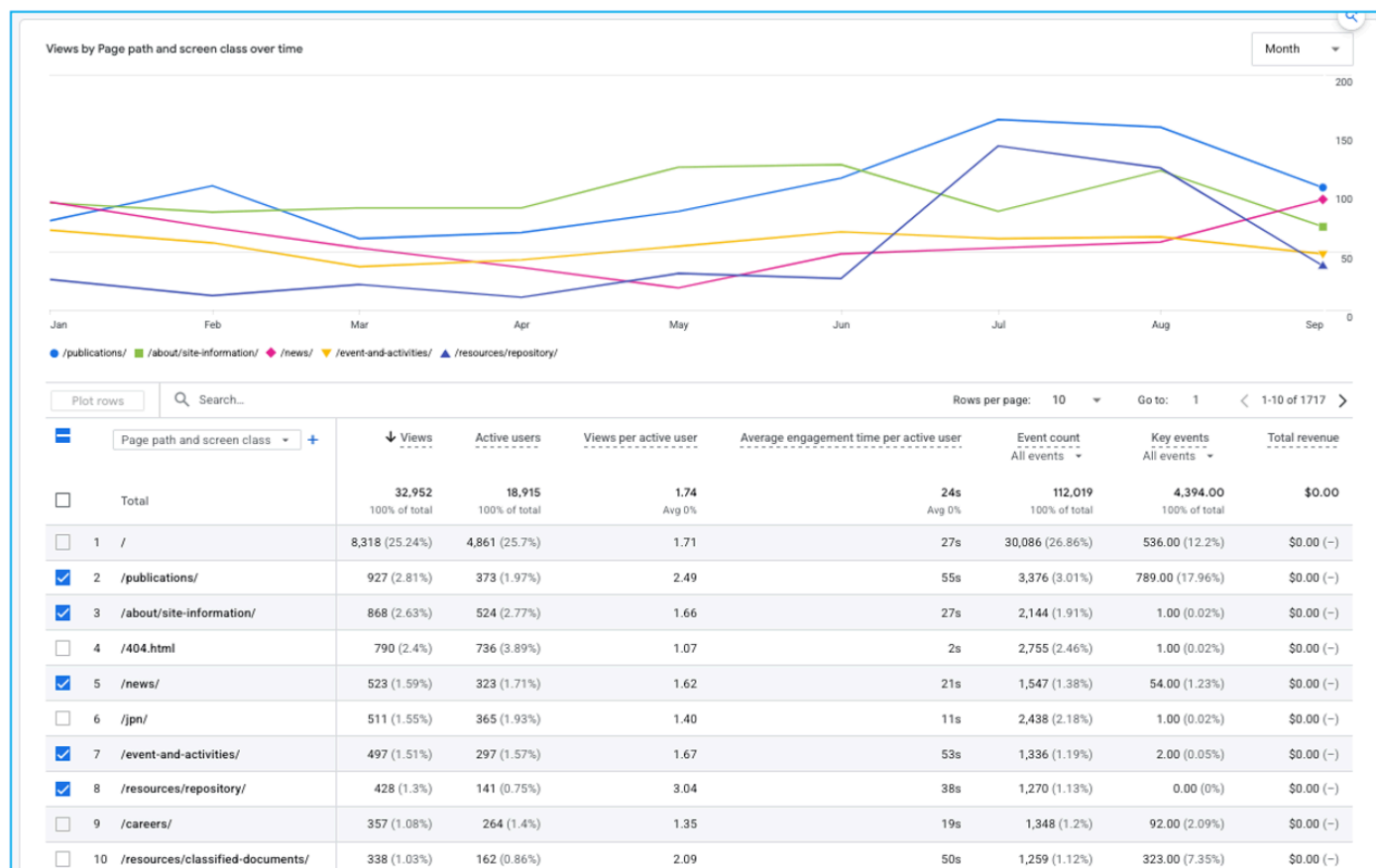


b) Website Flow

FOCUS ON 6 MONTHS OF PAGE VIEWS

The **top pages** viewed from January to September 2026:

1. Homepage (/)
2. Publications
3. About/Site Information
4. News
5. Homepage in Japanese (/jpn/)
6. Events page
7. Repository
8. Careers
9. Classified Documents



c) Top Downloaded Files

During the analyzed period, **4,394 files** were downloaded from EANET website. The top 5 most downloaded files were as follows:

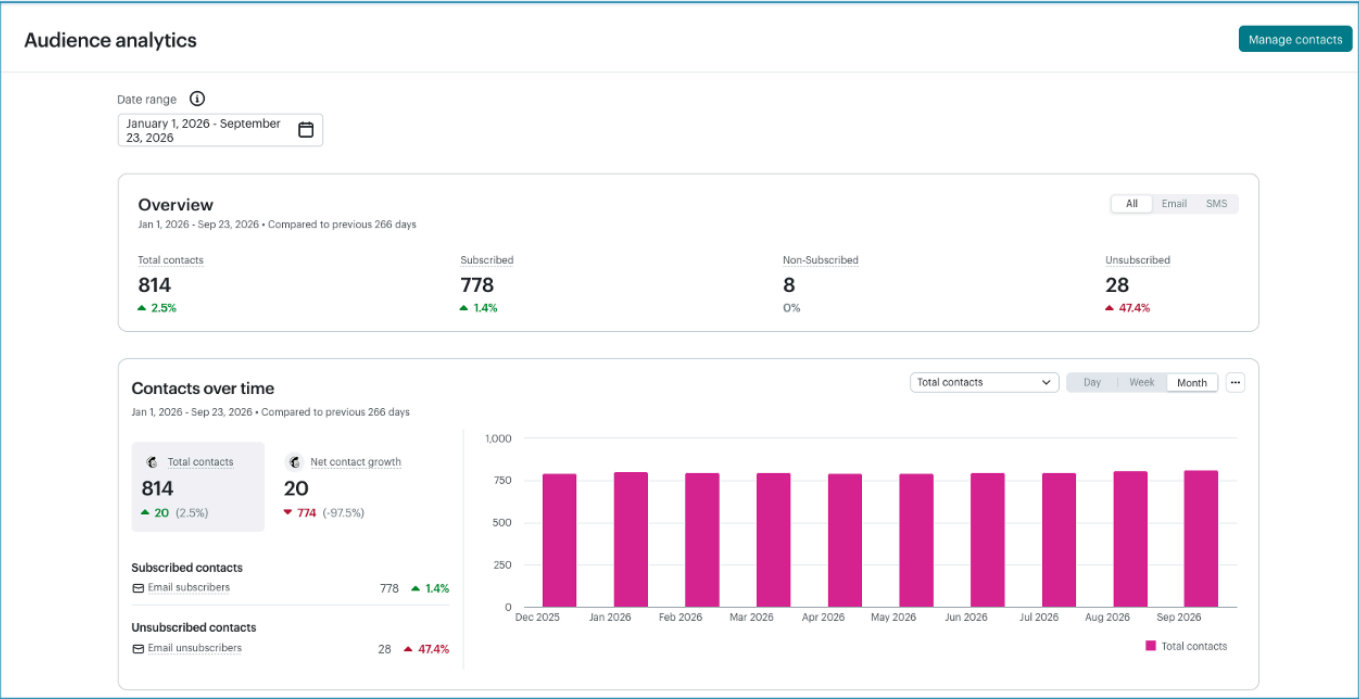
1. **MTP (2025-2030) for the EANET:** 276 times
2. **Guidelines for establishing a HAQMN:** 262 times
3. **Manual for AQM with LCS:** 172 times
4. **IG27 Report of the Session:** 87 times
5. **EANET Instrument:** 67 times

File name	↓ Event count
Total	4,394
1 /wp-content/uploads/2025/12/MTP2026-2030_ADOPTED-public-disclosure-no-budget_compressed.pdf	144
2 MTP2026-2030_ADOPTED-public-disclosure-no-budget_compressed.pdf	132
3 Guidelines-for-establishing-a-HAQMN.pdf	131
4 /wp-content/uploads/2026/02/Guidelines-for-establishing-a-HAQMN.pdf	130
5 /wp-content/uploads/2025/12/EANET_IG27_12_Report-Adopted-no-contacts.pdf	88
6 EANET_IG27_12_Report-Adopted-no-contacts.pdf	87
7 Technical-Manual-for-hybrid-AQM-with-Low-Cost-Sensors.pdf	87
8 /wp-content/uploads/2026/02/Technical-Manual-for-hybrid-AQM-with-Low-Cost-Sensors.pdf	85
9 /wp-content/uploads/2023/03/Instrument-for-Strengthening-the-EANET-adopted-at-IG12-in-2010.pdf	67
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d) Bi-monthly email updates

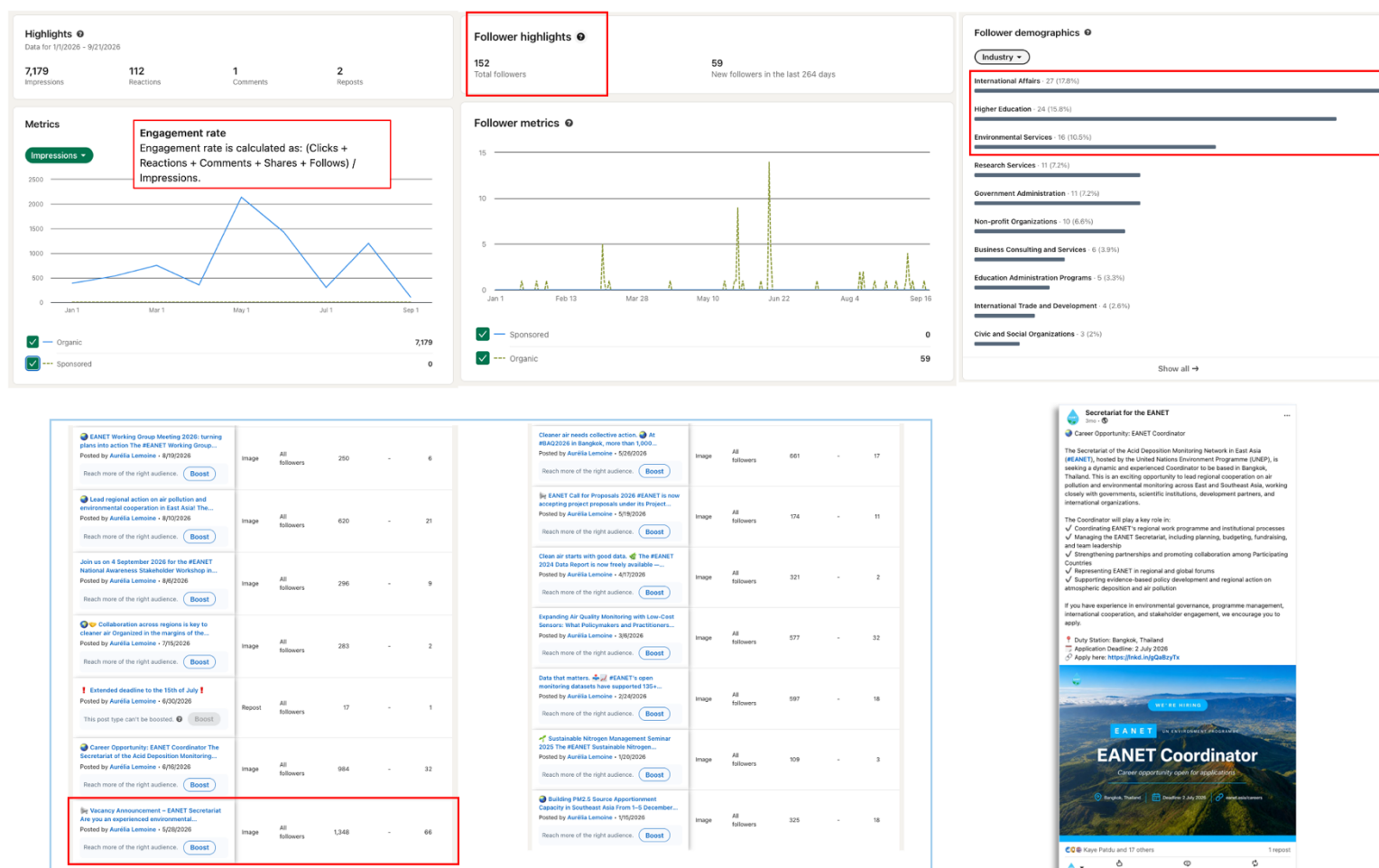
EANET Secretariat's list of subscribers is stable since December 2025.

✓ The number of EANET subscribers rose slightly to **814** over the past months.



e) LinkedIn Analytics

- **7,179 impressions** from 1 Jan - 21 Sept 2026 *.
- **152 followers**, among which mostly from **International Affairs, Higher Education, and Environmental Services**.
- **59 new followers** during the analyzed period
- **Top post: EANET Coordinator Recruitment** posted in June 2026, with **1,348 impressions** and **32 clicks to EANET website**.



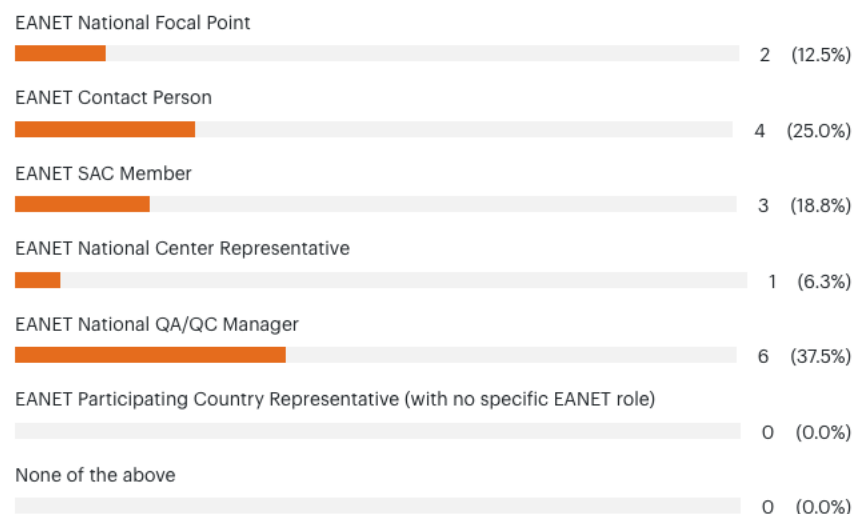
* According to LinkedIn, "Impressions" refers to the total number of views when the content is at least 50% on screen for at least 300ms, or the total number of times the content is clicked on, whichever comes first

ATTACHMENT 4: EANET COMMUNICATION SURVEY 2026

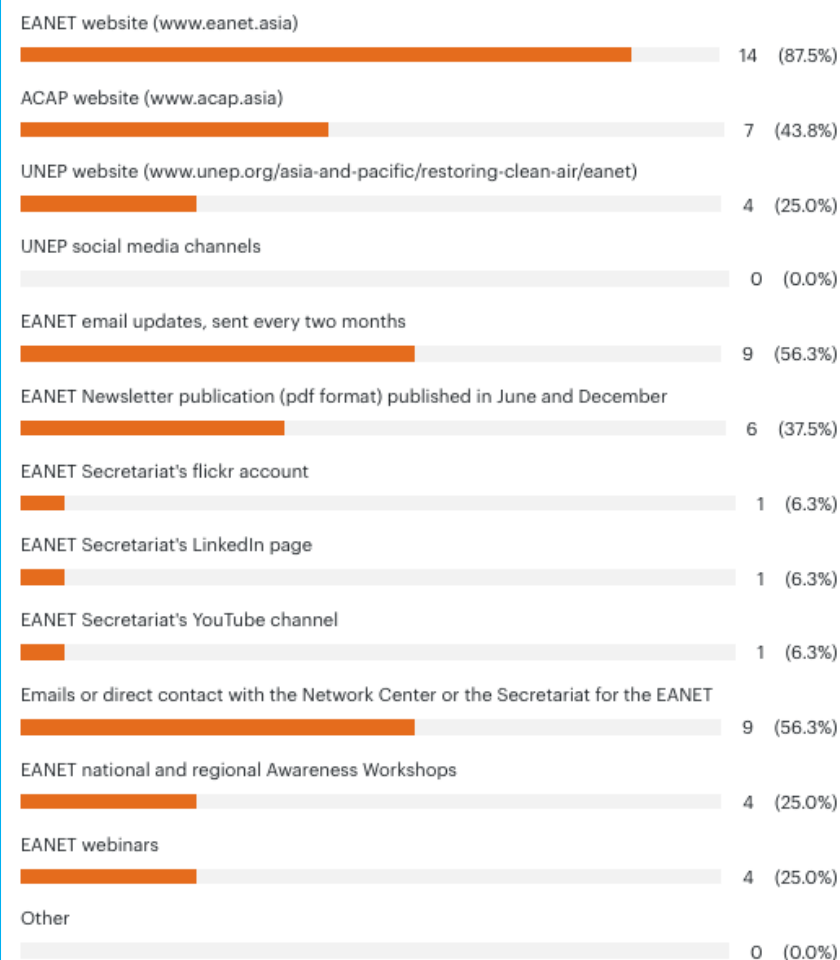
Survey Results Summary

- The EANET Communication Survey 2026 was sent out on 17 September 2026 by email and is composed of 8 questions. It received a 16% response rate.
- Relationship with EANET: Respondents were mainly EANET National QA/QC Managers (37.5%), followed by Contact Persons (25%), SAC Members (18.8%), National Focal Points (12.5%), and National Center Representatives (6.3%).
- Channels used to stay informed: The EANET website was the most used channel (87.5%), followed by email updates and direct contact with the Secretariat/Network Center (56.3% each).
- Preferred primary engagement channel: The EANET website was the preferred engagement channel (37.5%), followed by EANET email updates (31.3%) and direct contact with the Secretariat/Network Center (18.8%).
- Usefulness of the EANET website: The EANET website received an average usefulness rating of 8.1 out of 10.
- Suggested website improvements: Suggestions included easier access to historical monitoring data, standardized data exports, publishing all activities on the website, improving organization and readability, and reviewing the network/website name.
- Usefulness of EANET communication products: EANET communication products received an average usefulness rating of 7.6 out of 10.
- Requested future topics and products: Respondents most frequently requested information and communication products on PM_{2.5}, ozone, nitrogen management, satellite data, low-cost sensors, technical webinars, policy briefs, and infographics.
- Additional comments and feedback: One respondent suggested expanding capacity-building workshops and increasing technical exchange webinars and onsite activities among monitoring centers and research institutions.

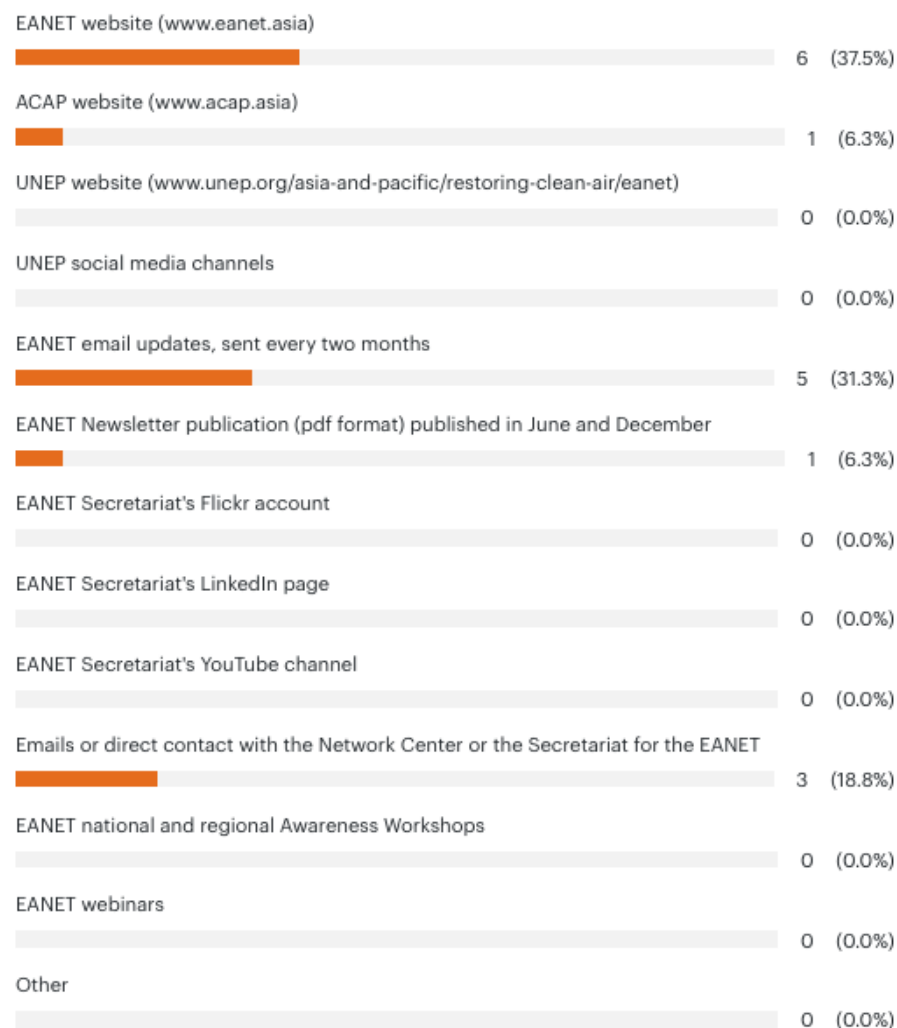
"1. Please identify which of the following best describes you / your relationship with EANET"



"2. Which of the following channels do you use to stay informed about EANET? (If relevant, please select multiple answers)"

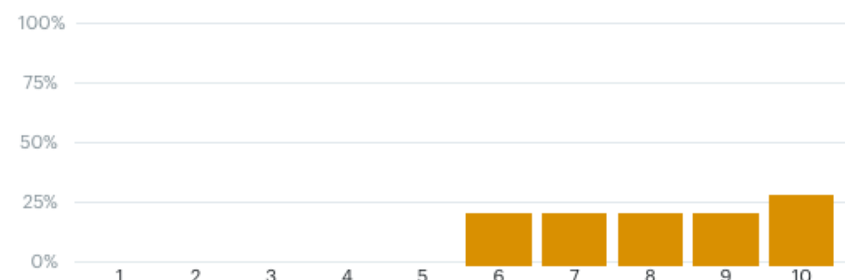


"3. Which of the following channels do you prefer as a primary engagement media with EANET?"



Average rating: 8.1

"4. Please rate how useful you find the EANET website"



"5. Are there any ways in which you would like the EANET website to be improved? (If none, please skip and go to the next question)"

Unknown contact said:

"Streamline access to historical monitoring data and standardize data export formats (e.g., CSV/Excel) for continuous atmospheric deposition and water quality records."

Unknown contact said:

"The name "EANET" fails to capture public interest, reflecting the fact that acid deposition is no longer a burning issue. The network and website should be renamed to align with its current activities regarding air pollution and the atmospheric environment; doing so would attract the attention of both professionals and the society."

Unknown contact said:

"The activities via online or in person all under the EANET require to publish in website"

Unknown contact said:

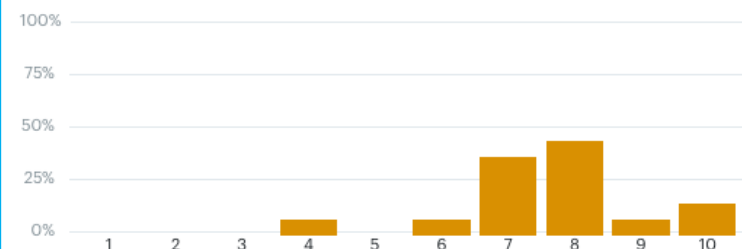
"Organizing items and improving readability"

Unknown contact said:

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Average rating: 7.6

"6. Please rate how useful EANET communication products are in supporting your work, decision-making, or knowledge on air pollution and atmospheric environment issues?"



"7. What additional topics (in line with the MTP 2026-2030), communication products, or information would you like EANET to provide in the next years? e.g., PM_{2.5}, ozone, nitrogen management, satellite data, low-cost sensors, policy briefs, infographics, webinars, social media content. (If none, please skip)."

Unknown contact said:

"Technical webinars and onsite, policy briefs, and infographics on PM_{2.5}, surface ozone, satellite data integration, low-cost sensor validation, and nitrogen management."

Unknown contact said:

"low-cost sensors"

Unknown contact said:

"PM_{2.5}, ozone, nitrogen management"

Unknown contact said:

- Emission inventory
- Application of the advanced technology in monitoring, analysis and modeling air pollution
- Assessment of air pollution impacts on human health"

Unknown contact said:

"PM_{2.5}, Ozone and Nitrogen management. Current Status of Initiatives by Participating Countries.

"

"7. What additional topics (in line with the MTP 2026-2030), communication products, or information would you like EANET to provide in the next years? e.g., PM_{2.5}, ozone, nitrogen management, satellite data, low-cost sensors, policy briefs, infographics, webinars, social media content. (If none, please skip)."

Unknown contact said:

"PM_{2.5}, ozone, nitrogen management, satellite data, low-cost sensors"

Unknown contact said:

"Nitrogen management"

"8. Do you have any further comments, suggestions, or feedback in relation to global communications and engagement with EANET? (If none, please skip)"

Unknown contact said:

"Expand capacity-building workshops and facilitate technical exchange webinars and onsite between participating national monitoring centers and international research institutions."
