Self-Assessment Form Completion Instructions – How to Provide Data for a Preliminary Assessment of your City

All fields of the preliminary self-assessment form must be filled. To make sure the calculation is consistent, please enter the indicator values in those units of measurement that are identified next to the corresponding fields.

Please also follow these guidelines when entering the quantitative indicators:

- 1) Use the comma «,» sign to separate integers and fractions;
- 2) Do not use spaces or other symbols to separate periods.

An example of how a number should be written: 1560211,23 (one million five hundred and sixty thousand two hundred and eleven point twenty-three)

The following is a detailed description of each of the indicators included in the self-assessment form.

I. BASIC DATA

1. Country

Allowed values: text

Unit of measurement: n/a

Completion instructions: please enter the name of the country in which your city is located, in English.

2. City

Allowed values: text

Unit of measurement: n/a

Completion instructions: please enter the name of your city, in English.

3. Population

Allowed values: positive integer

Unit of measurement: people

Completion instructions: please enter the population of the city within its administrative boundaries in the most recent available year. Please do not round the values. For example, if the population of the city is 1 million two hundred and five people, the entry should look like this: 1000205.

II. QUANTITATIVE INDICATORS

Energy Sources

4. The share of the following sources of energy in the city electrical energy consumption mix: coal, oil, natural gas, nuclear energy, renewable energy

Allowed values: number from 0 to 100

Unit of measurement: %

Completion instructions: Please enter a value equal to the share of electrical energy (in %) that is generated from a corresponding energy source in the total volume of the city's electrical energy consumption in the most recent available year, in each of the 5 fields. Please make sure the sum of the values in all the 5 fields does not exceed 100.

Note: Solar, wind, geothermal, hydrogen, hydropower (including tidal energy), biofuels, and energy produced from waste (Waste-to-energy) are all considered renewable energy sources (RES).

If you do not have the data on the structure of sources of electricity consumed in the city, you may use the data posted on the https://data.cdp.net/browse website, Cities Energy Mix datasets, for the latest available year.

Energy Consumption

5. Total annual electricity consumption

Allowed values: non-negative number

Unit of measurement: GWh

Completion instructions: please show how much electricity the city consumed in the year for which the most recent data is available.

6. Total annual thermal energy consumption

Allowed values: non-negative number

Unit of measurement: GWh

Completion instructions: please show how much thermal energy the city consumed in the year in which the most recent data is available. If statistical data on thermal energy consumption in your city is recorded in other units of measurement (for example, gigacalories), please convert the values to gigawatt-hours to make sure the calculations are consistent.

7. Average annual temperature in the city

Allowed values: number

Unit of measurement: degree Celsius (°C)

Completion instructions: please enter the average annual temperature (in degrees Celsius) in the city in the most recent available year.

Note: if you do not have the information on the average annual temperature, you may use the data posted on the https://en.climate-data.org/ website

Transport

8. The proportion of city residents who regularly use metro, tram, bicycle, bus/trolleybus, or private transport, or walk to travel to school/work, or work from home

Allowed values: number from 0 to 100

Unit of measurement: %

Completion instructions: please indicate the percentage of city residents (in %) who use a corresponding type of transport (mode of travel) for daily commute, in each of the 7 fields. Please make sure the sum of the values in all the 7 fields does not exceed 100.

Note: if you do not have the information on the amount of city residents using various types of transport for regular travel, you may use the data posted on the https://www.numbeo.com/traffic/ website, section Main Means of Transportation to Work or School, and select the page dedicated to your city. In this case, add up the values in the Car and Motorbike lines to fill the Private Transport field in the Form. The remaining fields of the Form should be filled with the values given for the corresponding modes of transport (travel).

9. Total number of public transportation vehicles in the city (all types of buses, trolleybuses)

Allowed values: non-negative integer

Unit of measurement: units

Completion instructions: please enter the total number of buses and trolleybuses in the city's ground public transportation fleet in the most recent available year.

10. Total number of clean public transportation vehicles in the city (trolleybuses, electric buses, fuel cell buses)

Allowed values: non-negative integer

Unit of measurement: units

Completion instructions: please enter the number of trolleybuses and buses that do not burn fossil fuel (electric buses, fuel cell buses) in the city's ground public transportation fleet in the most recent available year. Please make sure that the value in this field does not exceed the value entered in the previous field.

11. The proportion of clean motor vehicles to the total number of motor vehicles registered in the city (or country)

Allowed values: number from 0 to 100

Unit of measurement: %

Completion instructions: please enter the proportion (%) of clean motor vehicles, i.e. the ones powered exclusively by electric or hydrogen engines, to all vehicles registered in the city.

Note: if the requested data is not available at the city level, use the data at the national level.

Green Spaces

12. The proportion of green spaces to the total area of the city within administrative boundaries

Allowed values: number from 0 to 100

Unit of measurement: %

Completion instructions: please enter the proportion of the area occupied by green spaces (gardens, squares, parks, forests, etc.) (in %) to the total area of the city within its administrative boundaries.

Waste

13. Total mass of municipal solid waste generated per year

Allowed values: non-negative integer

Unit of measurement: ton

Completion instructions: please enter the total mass of municipal solid waste that was generated within the city limits in the most recent available year.

Note: Municipal solid waste is the waste generated during the consumption of final products in households, companies and other organizations, including food waste, goods that have lost their consumer properties, packaging, etc. Waste that is generated in the process of manufacturing goods is not considered municipal solid waste.

14. Mass of municipal solid waste disposed in landfills during the year

Allowed values: non-negative integer

Unit of measurement: ton

Completion instructions: please enter the mass of municipal solid waste generated in the city that was sent for disposal to landfills, including those located outside the administrative boundaries of the city, in

the same year as that used in the previous field. Please make sure that the value in this field does not exceed the value entered in the previous field.

III. CLIMATE POLICY GOALS

15. Are there any measurable municipal policy objectives to achieve the following:

- Promote renewable sources of energy
- Reduce energy consumption or improve energy efficiency
- Promote clean transport or reduce the number of vehicles with internal combustion engines
- Expand / preserve green spaces
- Reduce the amount of generated waste, reduce the proportion of waste disposed in landfills, or promote waste recycling

Allowed values: select from a dropdown list (yes/no)

Unit of measurement: n/a

Completion instructions: please select one of the options in each of the 5 fields. The "yes" option should be selected if at least one goal has been officially adopted at the city level in the relevant area and meets the following criteria:

- The goal is public, i.e. the information about the goal is publicly available
- The goal is stated in an official document a strategy, climate plan, local law, etc.
- The goal is measurable, i.e. a quantitative target has been established and the deadline for its attainment defined.

If there aren't any goals in a particular area that meet the above criteria, or information about such goals is not available at the time of completing the Form, please select the "no" option in the corresponding field.