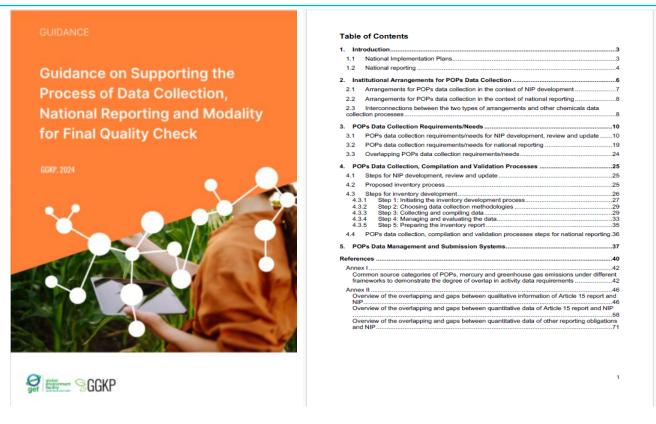


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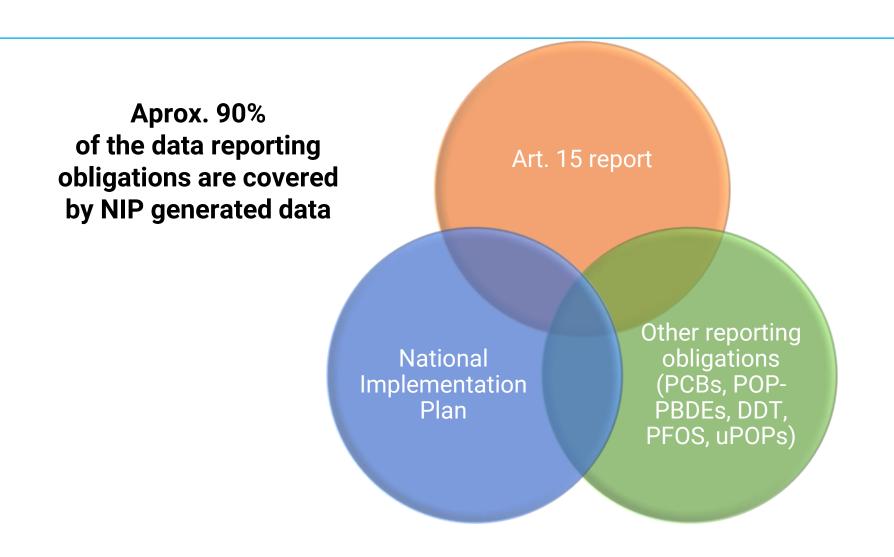
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Guidance on Supporting the Process of Data Collection, National Reporting and Modality for Final Quality Check (2024)



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Interlinkages between NIP & national reporting



Overview of overlaps and gaps

Overlaps

 Information required under Article 15 and other reporting obligations under the Convention LARGELY OVERLAPS with the information generated through the NIP development and/or update process.

Gaps

- Limited level of detail of NIP generated information.
- No NIP generated information.
- Lack of correlation with the reporting obligations.

Conclusions

By following closely the guidance documents for NIP development and/or update, relevant information and data are generated to enable Parties fulfilling the reporting obligations under the Stockholm Convention.

Even the guidance documents for NIP development and/or update are used in their entirety, certain limitations remain in generating all information and data required to comply with the reporting obligations under the Stockholm Convention.

Limitations: internal e.g. lack of reporting mechanisms, financial and technical capacities, and external e.g. no streamlined formats for reporting under Article 15 and other reporting obligations under the Stockholm Convention with the NIP development and/or update format.

Additional efforts by Parties are required to generate the information necessary to comply with the reporting obligations under the Stockholm Convention.

Thank you



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