

# System for the collection and visualization of data of the Stockholm Convention's Global Monitoring Plan for persistent organic pollutants – a Czech contribution to GEOSS

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  - task HE-02 „Tracking Pollutants“,
  - component C2 „Global Monitoring of Persistent Organic Pollutants, Emerging Contaminants and Global Change Indicators“
- Led by:
  - UNEP, Secretariat of the Stockholm Convention (Geneva, Switzerland)
  - Research Centre for Toxic Compounds in the Environment, Masaryk University (Czech Republic)

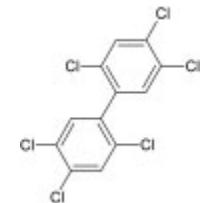
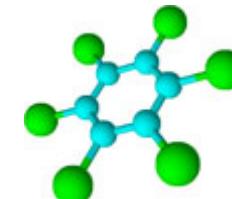
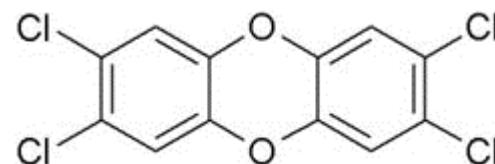
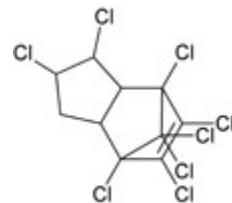
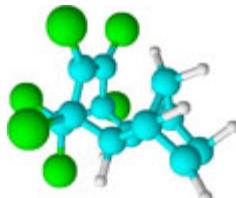
# Stockholm Convention



Stockholm Convention  
on persistent organic  
pollutants (POPs)

- Signed in 2001, entered into force in 2004
- **Twenty-three chemical compounds** for which the countries must take measures to **eliminate or restrict** the production and use or reduce the **unintentional releases**

1. Aldrin
2. Chlordane
3. Chlordecone
4. Dieldrin
5. Endrin
6. Heptachlor
7. Hexabromobiphenyl
8. Hexabromodiphenyl ether and heptabromodiphenyl ether
9. Hexachlorobenzene (HCB)
10. Alpha hexachlorocyclohexane
11. Beta hexachlorocyclohexane
12. Lindane
13. Mirex
14. Pentachlorobenzene
15. Polychlorinated biphenyls (PCBs)
16. Endosulfan
17. Tetrabromodiphenyl ether and pentabromodiphenyl ether
18. Toxaphen
19. DDT
20. PFOS
21. Polychlorinated dibenzo-p-dioxins
22. Polychlorinated dibenzofurans
23. HBCD





- Mandate: Article 16 of the Stockholm Convention and decisions SC-3/19, SC 4/31 and SC-5/18 adopted by the COP to the SC
- Objectives
  - Tracking of POPs concentrations in the environment (ambient air, water) and human beings (breast milk and blood)
  - Effectiveness evaluation of international efforts to reduce releases of POPs listed in the Stockholm Convention into the environment

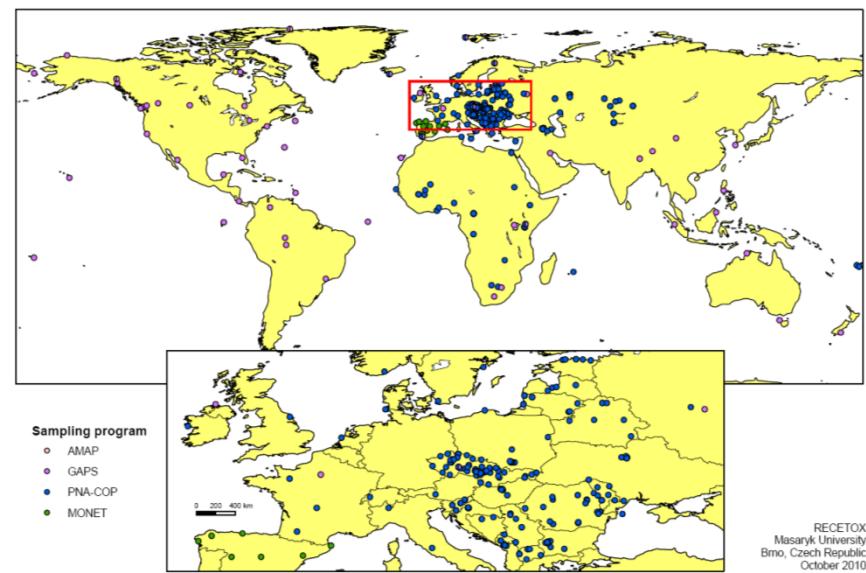
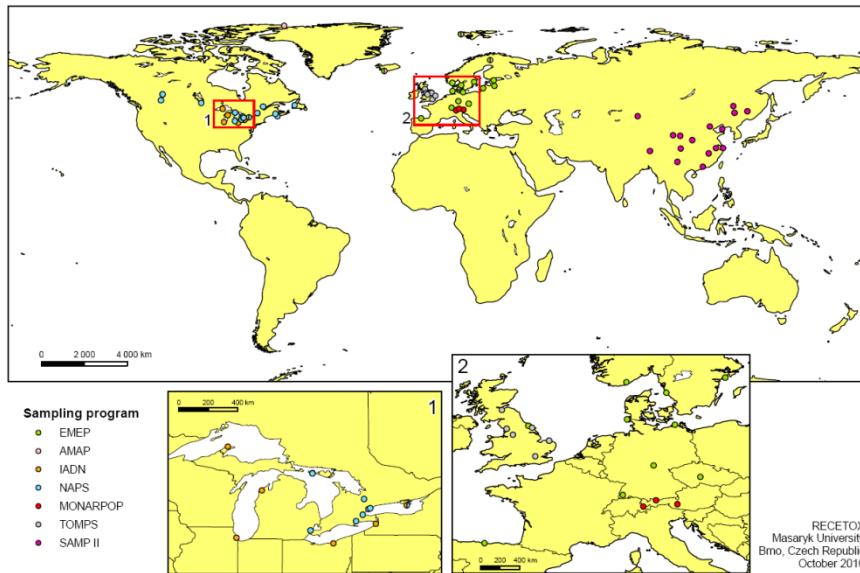


- Main data sources – existing international and national monitoring programmes
- Primary aim of GMP is not establishing new monitoring programmes or networks, but utilizing existing data and supporting capacity building in regions with a lack of data sources.

# Global monitoring plan – the past



- 2008
  - First data collection campaign
  - Determination of „baseline“ concentrations of POPs in the ambient air and human tissues in the period 1998–2008



# Global monitoring plan – the past



- 2009
  - Five regional monitoring reports adopted by the COP4



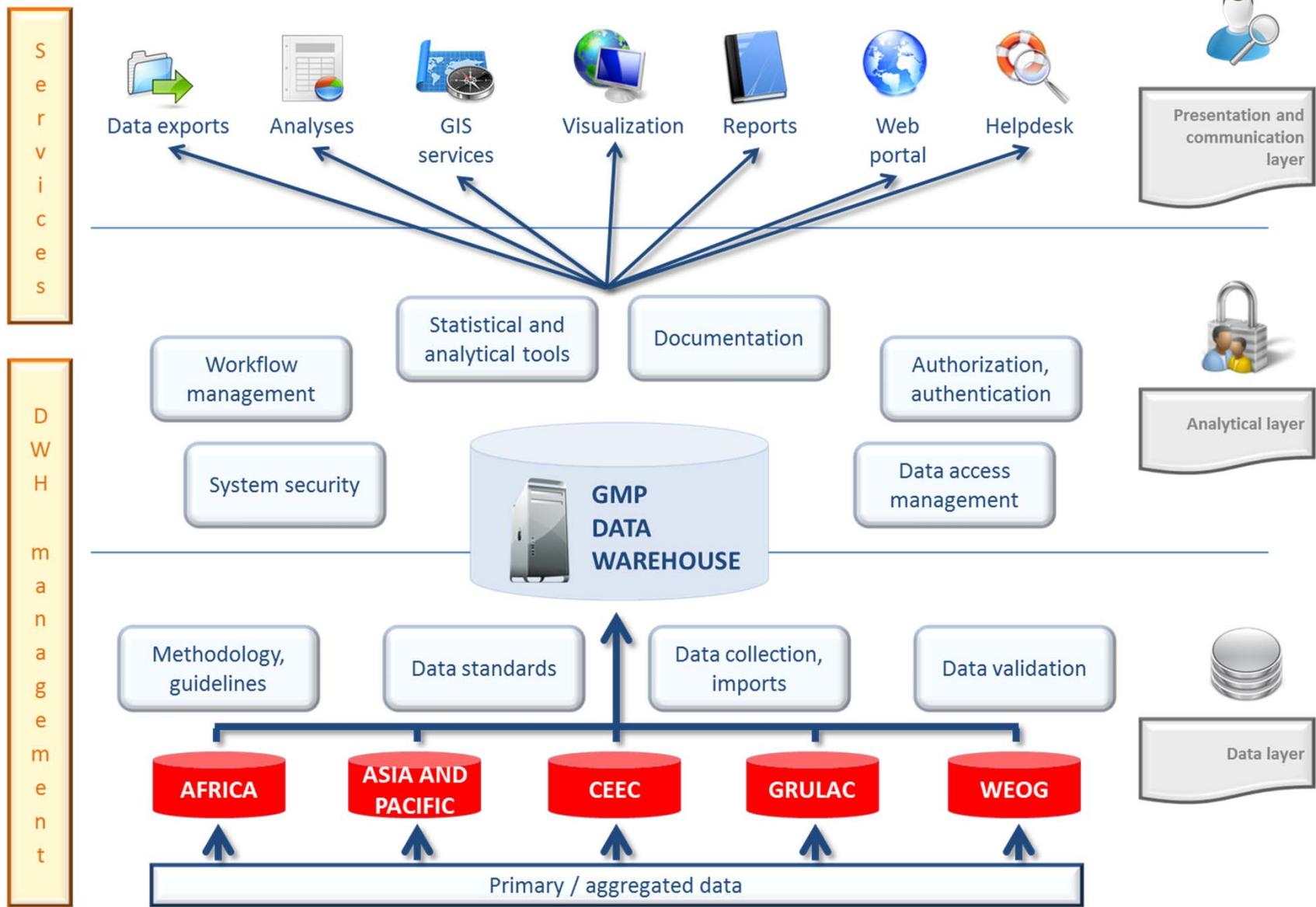
Available at: <http://chm.pops.int/Implementation/GlobalMonitoringPlan/MonitoringReports/tqid/525/Default.aspx>



Experience with GMP1 reflected in proposals for future GMP campaigns and design of the GMP Data Warehouse:

- Electronic data collection
- Standardized parametric data structure
- Standardized predefined code lists
- Visualization tools

# GMP Data Warehouse



# Data collection – online forms



## Site form - Air

Site ID	GMP-A-0001182																		
* Site name	Kosetice, EMEP station																		
* Region	CEE																		
* Country	Czech Republic																		
* Longitude	15,080410E																		
* Latitude	49,573450N																		
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* Parameter	PCB 153 (pg/m <sup>3</sup> )																		
* Method	GC-MS/MS																		
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* No. of values	26																		
* No. under LoQ	0																		
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* Value (median)	1.457																		
* Minimum	0.506																		
* Maximum	4.382																		
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# Data visualization



GMP Data Warehouse – Data Visualization



Spatial Distribution Data Availability Summary Statistics Time Series Data Exports

<http://www.pops-gmp.org/visualization-2014/>

## GMP Data Warehouse – Data Visualization

*Global Monitoring Plan (GMP) for Persistent Organic Pollutants (POPs) under the Stockholm Convention*

The GMP Data Warehouse (GMP DWH) is an online tool developed for handling persistent organic pollutants (POPs) monitoring data generated in the frame of the Global Monitoring Plan (GMP) under the Stockholm Convention on [POPs](#).

### Available Tools

GMP Data Visualization 2014 is a tool for consideration of GMP data per region, it allows the following visualizations of available data:

- Map overview
- Data Availability
  - Available data – Parameters
  - Available data – Time
- Summary statistics
- Time Series
  - Trend Map
  - Time Series Analysis
  - Time Series Bar Charts Map
- Data Exports
  - Sites Summary
  - Data Sources Summary
  - Analytical Methods Summary
  - Export of All Data Selected

[Open data selection](#)

The purpose of the GMP DWH is to:

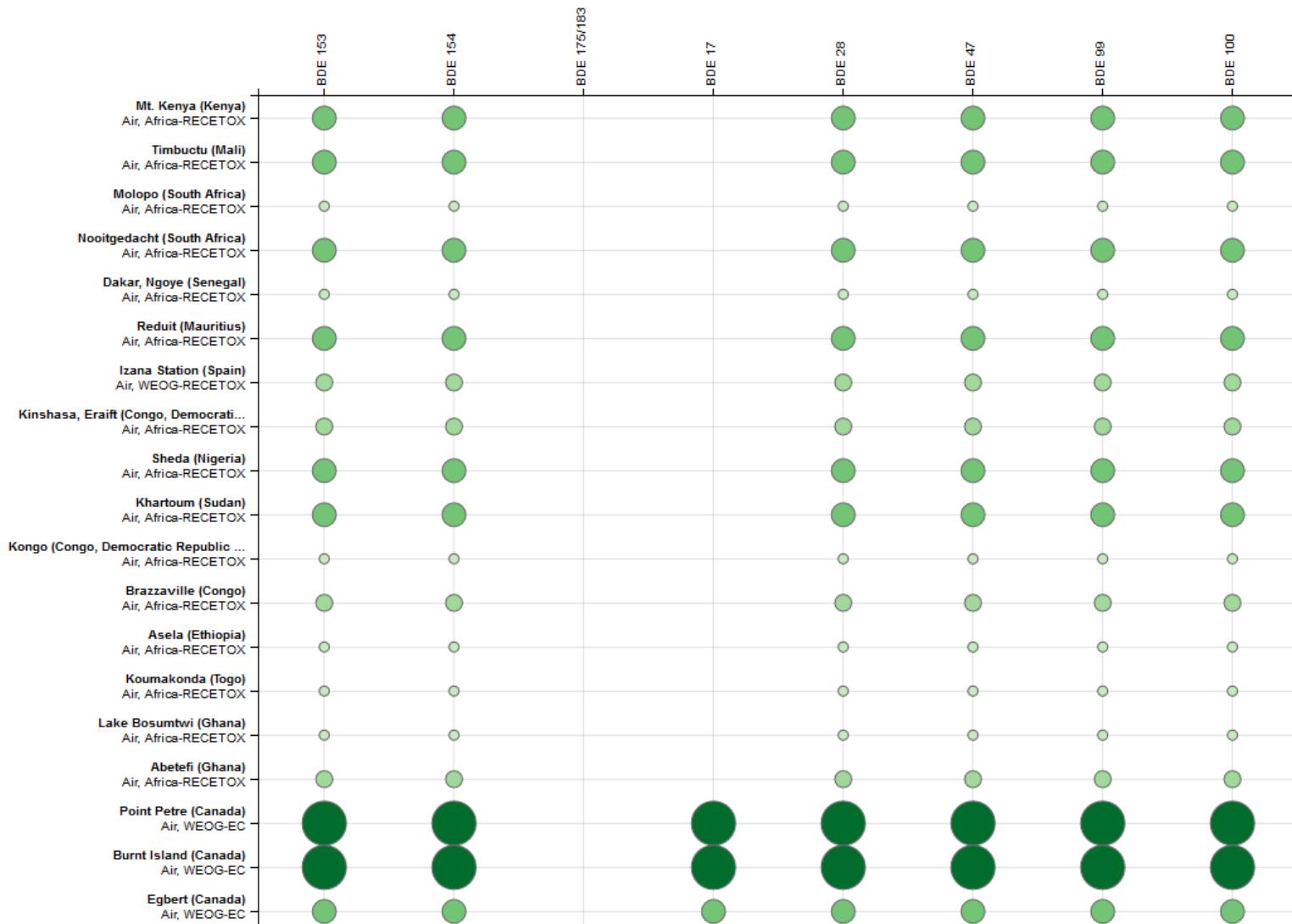
- Serve as regional node for electronic data collection, storage, processing and presentation in regions with limited capacity;
- Support the development of regional monitoring reports and the global report in the frame of the GMP;
- Support the effectiveness evaluation of the Stockholm Convention by compiling and visualizing results of global POPs monitoring activities;
- Providing user-friendly access to the POPs monitoring data to all stakeholders and the broad public.

It contains information on [POPs](#) concentrations in ambient air, human tissues (breast milk and maternal blood) and surface water for water-soluble POPs (perfluorooctane sulfonic acid, its salts and perfluorooctane sulfonyl fluoride) collected in the frame of the GMP and validated by the regional organization groups of the five UN regions. These data are presented also in the [regional monitoring reports](#).

# Data visualization



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# Data visualization



Matrix:

Air

Matrix specification:

Active

Compound:

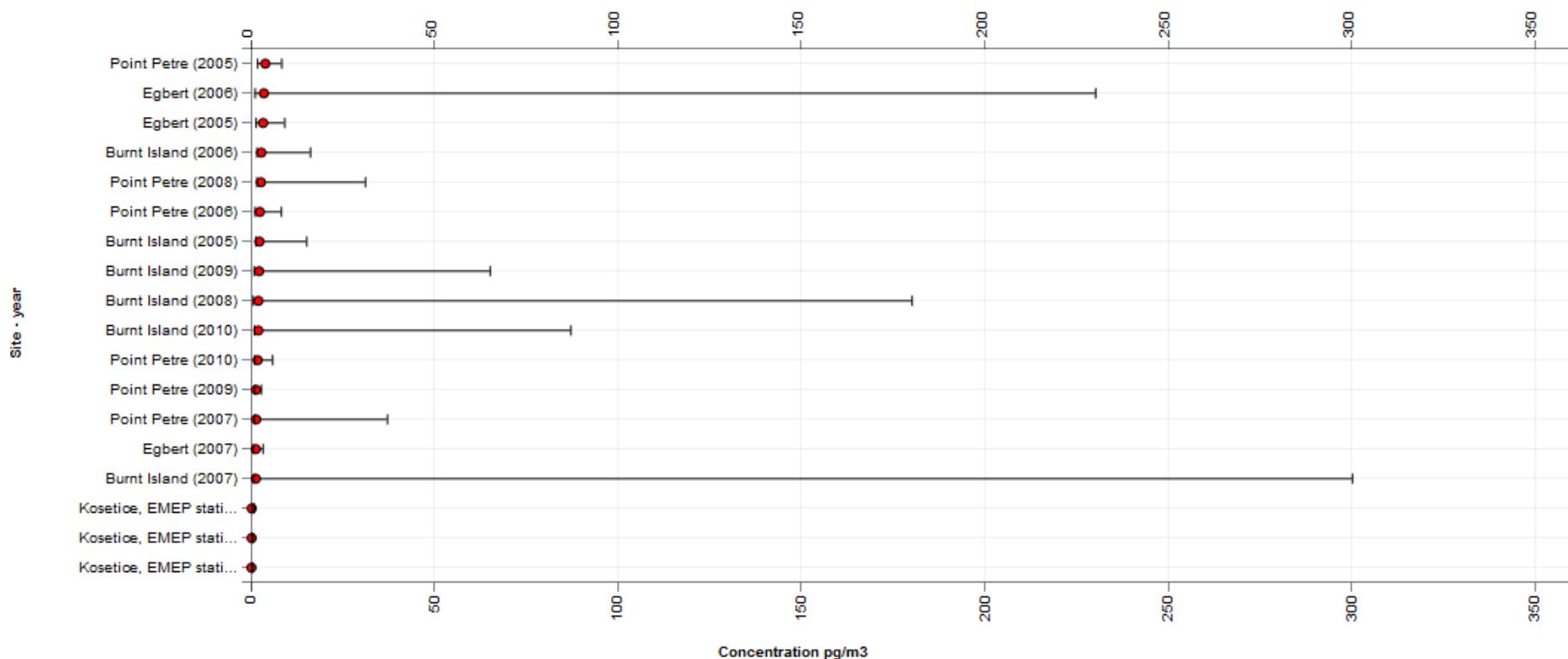
Polybromodiphenyl ethers (PBDE)

Parameter:

BDE 99

Unit:

pg/m<sup>3</sup>

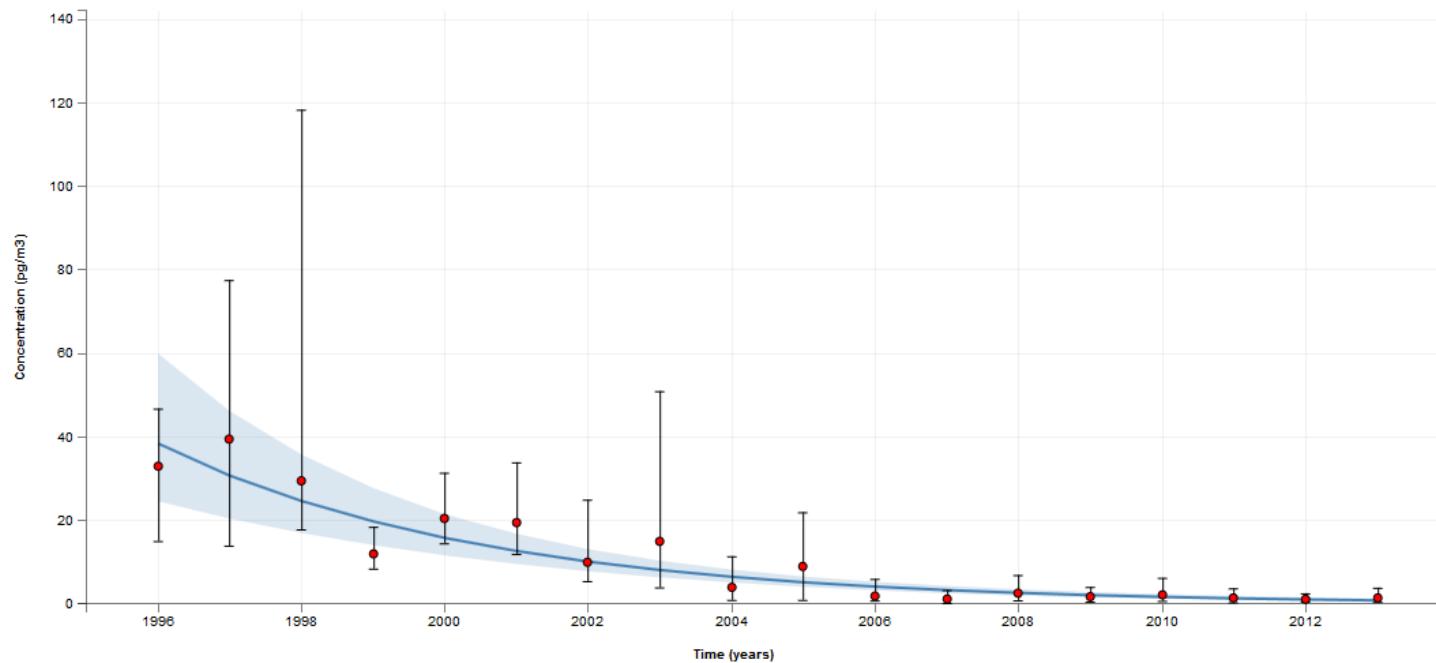


# Data visualization



Matrix: Air      Matrix specification: Active      Compound: Polychlorinated biphenyls (PCB) - PCB 153

Unit: pg/m<sup>3</sup>      Site: Kosetice, EMEP station



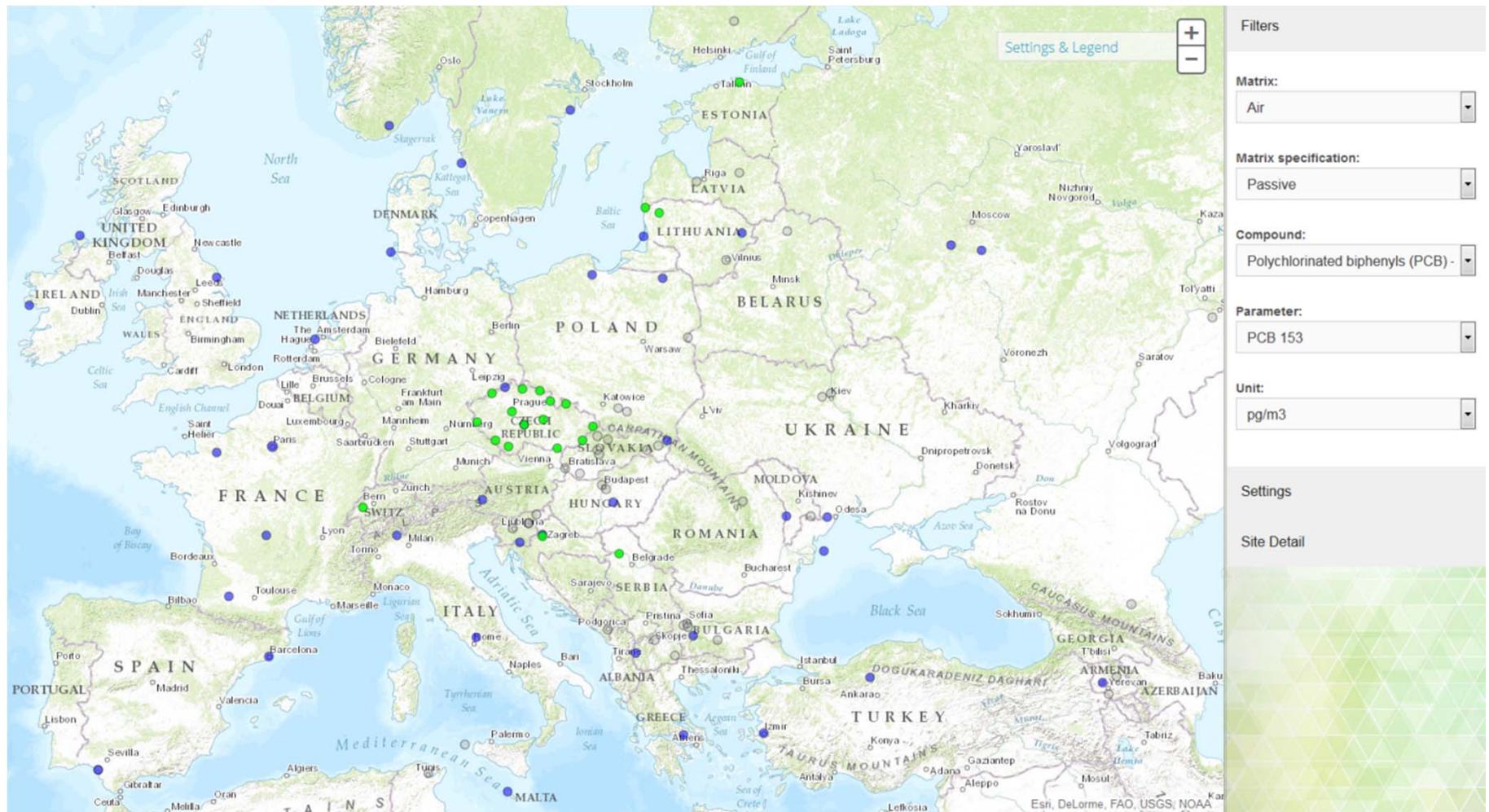
## Summary

Mean	11.428 pg/m <sup>3</sup>
Median	6.5 pg/m <sup>3</sup>
Minimum / maximum	1.15 – 39.5 pg/m <sup>3</sup>
5th percentile / 95 percentile	1.1925 – 33.975 pg/m <sup>3</sup>

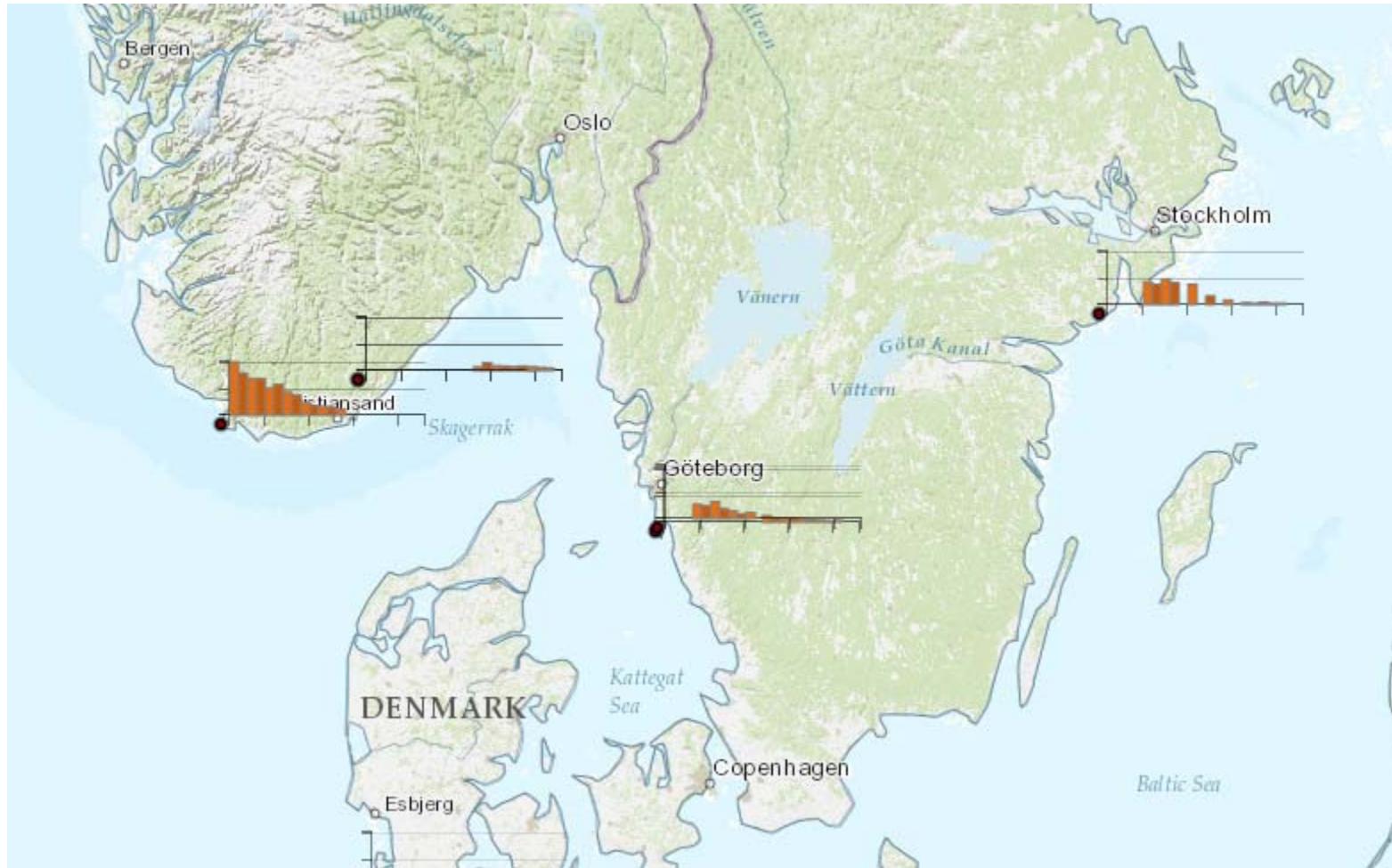
## Trend description

Delta	-31.543 pg/m <sup>3</sup>
Mann-Kendal test	-0.79085 ( $p = 2.2949E-7$ )
Daniels test	-0.9257 ( $p = 0$ )

# Data visualization



# Data visualization



## How to access



- GMP DWH is implemented fully on-line and accessible via Internet
- Standard web browsers (Internet Explorer, Mozilla Firefox, Google Chrome)
  - recent versions highly recommended!





# Global Environmental Assessment and Information System

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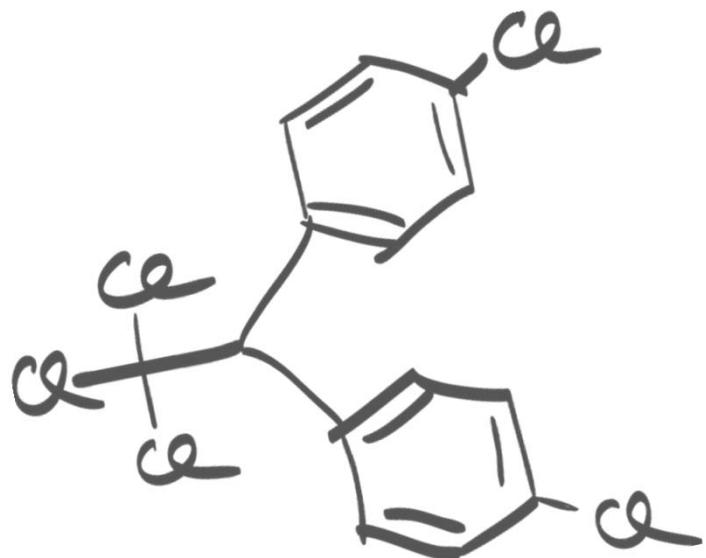
*Global Environmental Assessment and Information Systém*

*URL: www.genasis.cz*

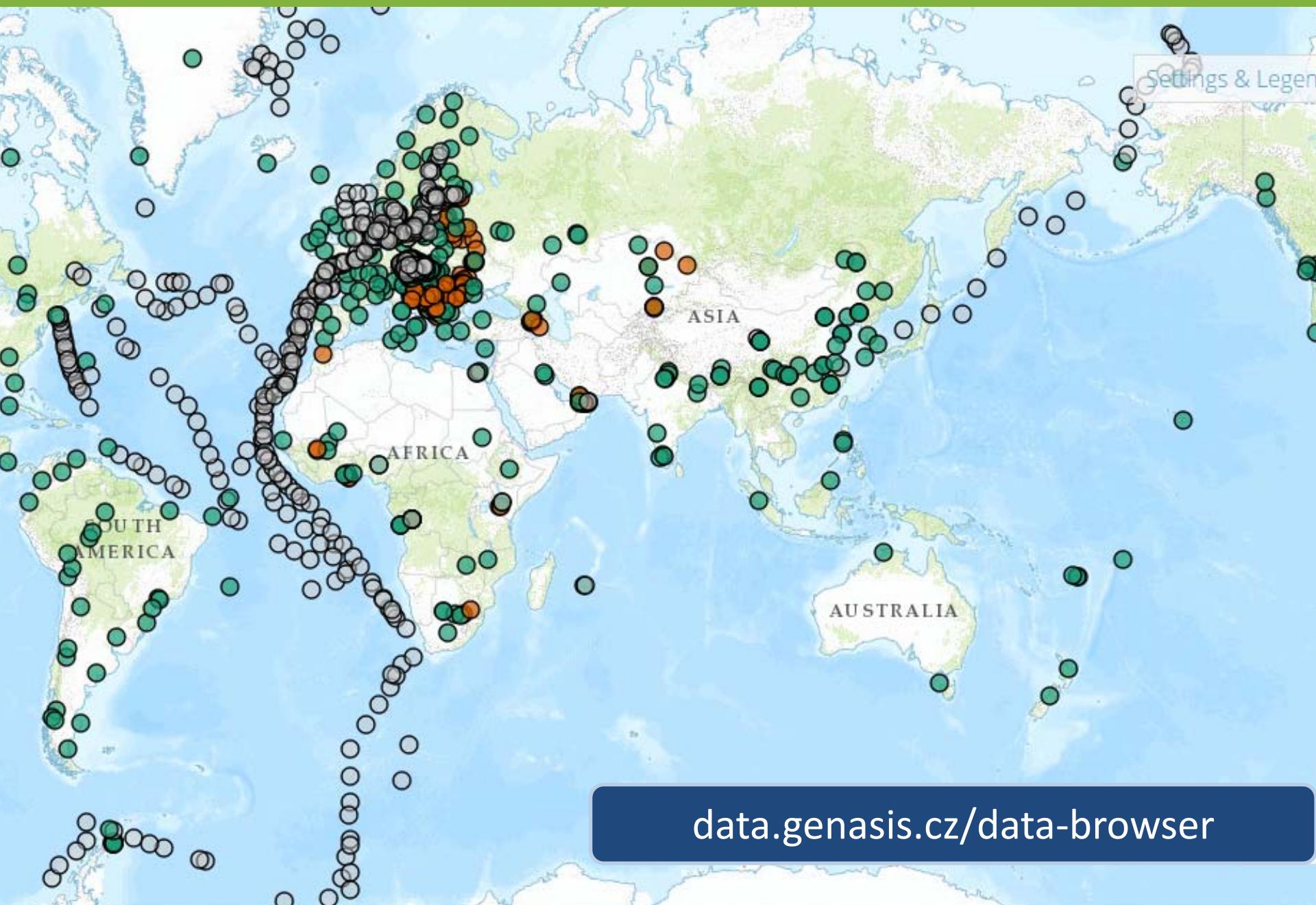
- Poskytuje komplexní **informace o kontaminaci vybraných složek životního prostředí chemickými látkami**.
- Zaměřeno na **persistentní organické polutanty (POPs)**.
- Poskytuje aktuální **informace o prostorových a časových trendech koncentrací POPs v životním prostředí**.



- Kombinuje validovaná data z:
  - Dlouhodobých monitorovacích programů
  - Krátkodobých studií
  - Data z partnerských institucí
- Poskytované služby
  - Datový repositář
  - Analytické nástroje
  - Data management
  - Export dat

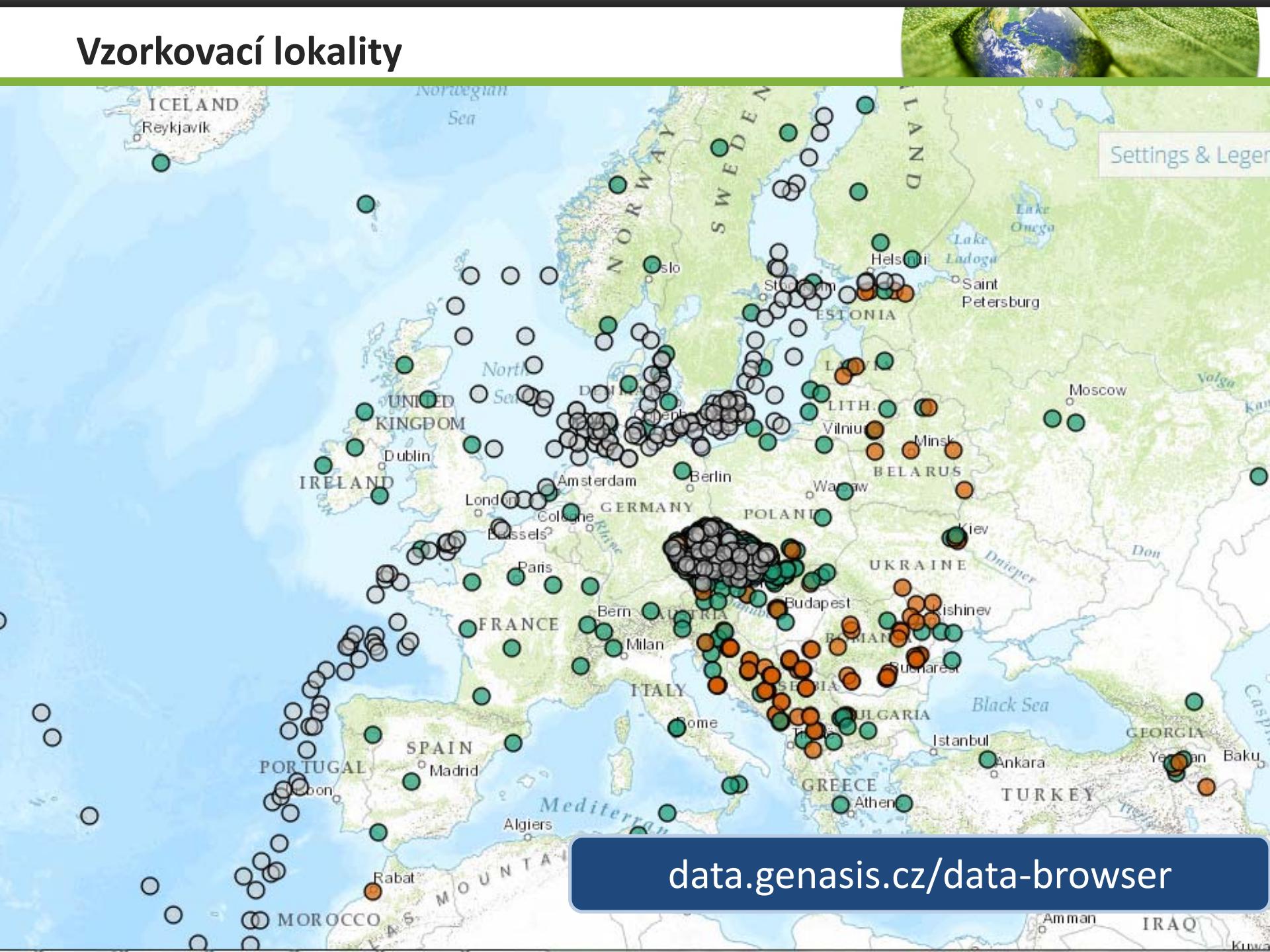


# Vzorkovací lokality



[data.gensis.cz/data-browser](http://data.gensis.cz/data-browser)

# Vzorkovací lokality





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- Manuální registrace
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- Automatizovaná registrace

[\*\*www.geossregistries.info\*\*](http://www.geossregistries.info)



## Kategorie zdroje dat

- Datový soubor(y)
- Monitorovací a pozorovací systémy
- Výpočetní model
- Iniciativy
- Portály, webové stránky a dokumenty
- Analýzy a vizualizace
- Upozornění, RSS a informační kanály
- Katalogy, inventáře a kolekce metadat
- Software a aplikace



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**Basic**

**Properties**

**Standards**

### Resource Category\* [?](#)

- Dataset*
- Initiatives*
- Alert,RSS, and Info Feeds*

- Monitoring and Observation Systems*
- Portals, Websites, and Documents*
- Catalogues, Inventories, and Metadata Collections*

- Computational Model*
- Analysis and Visualization*
- Software and Applications*

### Resource Basic Information\* [?](#)

Resource Name\*:

GENASIS Data Browser



Abbreviation:

GENASIS Data Browser

Description\*:

The GENASIS (Global ENvironmental ASsessment Information System) complex multi-matrix data browser has been developed to view environmental data collected within different monitoring projects, institutions, and matrices. The GENASIS database currently contains data from 40 projects in 97 countries of 5 continents, with 458 compounds represented in more than 820,000 records collected over 20+ years of continuous monitoring.



### Resource Accessibility

Responsible Organization:

RECETOX Masaryk University



Resource Information URL\*:

<http://data.genasis.cz/data-browser/>



Resource Interface URL: <http://data.genasis.cz/data-browser/>





- Základní informace
  - Název
  - Popis
  - Klíčová slova
- Zájmová oblast (Zdraví, energie, počasí...)
- *Dostupnost zdroje dat*
- *Politika sdílení dat (omezené vs. GEO-CORE)*
- *Geografická příslušnost*
- *Časové určení*



## Basic Properties Standards

### Resource Contact Information

Contact Name\*: Richard Hulek [?](#)  
Contact Email\*: hulek@iba.muni.cz [?](#)

### Societal Benefit Areas\*

(Select all Societal Benefit Areas that apply) [?](#)

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### Resource Availability\*

(Select one Resource Availability Status) [?](#)

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- Intermittently Operational
- Not Operational

### Resource Sharing Properties [?](#)

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- e.g. YYYY
  - e.g. YYYY-MM-DD

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- Požité standardy
  - *Datový formát*
  - *Struktura meta dat*



## GEOSS Resource Modification

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Basic Properties Standards

### Earth Observation Vocabulary\*

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- ▲ GEOSS - Earth Observation Vocabulary, version 1.0
  - ▶ ATMOSPHERE
  - ▶ AGRICULTURE
  - ▶ LAND SURFACE
  - ▶ OCEANS
  - ▶ HUMAN DIMENSIONS
  - ▶ BIOSPHERE
  - ▶ TERRESTRIAL HYDROSPHERE
  - ▶ CRYOSPHERE
  - ▶ PALEOCLIMATE
  - ▶ SOLID EARTH

Select this Earth Observation (EO) vocabulary term

#### Referenced Earth Observation (EO) vocabulary term(s)

Name	
GEOSS - Earth Observation Vocabulary, version 1.0 : HUMAN DIMENSIONS : ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACTS	<a href="#">Delete</a>

### Standards/Special Arrangements (Select all the Standards as necessary)

- Earth Observation Root
  - Modeling, Simulation, or Analytic Processing Service
  - Schema
    - GeoSciML
    - OASIS Common Alerting Protocol (CAP) 1.1
  - Engineering Process

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Matrix: Air Compound: Aldrin Parameters: Aldrin Sites: Asela,Brule River,Burnt Island,Cairo\_REC,Dakar,Eagle Harbour,Egbert,H

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  **Global Monitoring Plan of the Stockholm Convention on Persistent Organic Pollutants: visualization and on-line analysis of data from the monitoring report**  
Main purpose of the on-line descriptive browser is to facilitate search over and work with the reported GMP

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