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The booklet contains information on the state of the environment, availability and use of natural resources, and environmental expenditure.

The publication presents green growth indicators and selected environmental indicators of the National list of Sustainable Development Goal indicators.

The information by economic activity is given in accordance with the National Classification of the Republic of Belarus OKРБ 005-2011 "Kinds of economic activity”. Data by environmental protection activity are generated in accordance with the statistical classification СК 55.011-2021 «Environmental protection activities».

Data in value terms are provided at current prices.

In certain cases data for 2024 are provisional and will be revised in further issues. Relative indicators are calculated on the basis of absolute figures with smaller units of measure. In some cases minor discrepancies between the total and the sum of its components can be explained by data rounding.

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The methodologies for environmental statistics are available on the official website of Belstat at <https://www.belstat.gov.by/metodologiya/metodiki-po-formirovaniyu-i-raschetu-statistichesk/> (in Russian).

More detailed official statistics are available in the Interactive Information and Analytical System for Dissemination of Official Statistical Information (dataportal.belstat.gov.by).

ABBREVIATIONS:

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| --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
| м | – metre | у.т. | – fuel equivalent | 0С | – degree Celsius |
| м3 | – cubic metre | кг | – kilogramme | % | – percent |
| гa | – hectare | т | – tonne | руб. | – Belarusian rubles |
| км | – kilometre | O2 | – oxygen | тыс. | – thousand |
| км2 | – square kilometre | CO2 | – carbon dioxide | млн. | – million |
| мм  ПДК | – millimetre  – maximum   permissible  concentration | ВВП | – gross  domestic  product | ВДС | – gross  value  added |
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Explanation of symbols:

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| 0.0 | negligible magnitude |
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