

# Annex 1. Examples of other global environmental assessments and their links to GEO-6



Organisation	Assessment	Objective: To support policymaking by assessing ...	GEO-6 used results in ...
UNEP, WMO	Intergovernmental Panel on Climate Change Reports	The scientific basis for climate change, its impacts and future risks, and options for adaptation and mitigation.	Drivers, cross-cutting issues, air, policy and outlooks chapters
UNEP, UNESCO, FAO, UNDP, IPBES	Intergovernmental Platform Biodiversity and Ecosystem Services (IPBES) Reports	The state and trends of biodiversity and of the ecosystem services it provides to society, long-term human well-being and sustainable development.	Biodiversity chapters
CBD	Global Biodiversity Outlook (GBO) IV (2014)	The latest data on the state of biodiversity and draw conclusions relevant to the further implementation of the Convention.	Biodiversity chapters
UNESCO, UN- Inter-agency (UN-Water)	World Water Assessment Programme (WWAP) (2018)	The world's freshwater resources, tools for implementing sustainable use of water resources, tracking progress towards achieving targets, particularly those of the MDGs/SDGs.	Water, policy and outlooks chapters
Experts of the Regular Process/ UN	World Ocean Assessment I (2015)	The state of the marine environment, including socioeconomic aspects.	Oceans, cross-cutting and policy chapters
FAO, UNEP	Global Land Degradation Assessment/Global Soil Health Assessment (2015)	The current and projected soil conditions built on regional data analysis and expertise and implications for food security, climate change, water quality and quantity, biodiversity, and human health and wellbeing.	Land, cross-cutting policy and outlooks chapters
FAO	The State of World Fisheries and Aquaculture: Meeting the Sustainable Development Goals (2018)	The state of world fisheries and aquaculture and their link to meeting the Sustainable Development Goals.	Oceans chapters
UNCCD	Global Land Outlook (GLO) (2017)	The status of land and response strategies to reduce land degradation and desertification.	Land, cross-cutting policy and outlooks chapters
UNEP International Association of Solid Waste Management	Global Waste Management Outlook (2015)	The state of waste management and response strategies.	Land, cross-cutting policy and outlooks chapters
UNEP	Global Chemicals Outlook I (2013) and Global Chemicals Outlook II (2019)	The use of chemicals and their health and environmental effects, economic implications, and policy options throughout their life cycle.	Cross-cutting policy, outlooks chapters
UNEP	Global Mercury Assessment (2002/2008/2013/2018)	The state of mercury use and impacts on the environment and response strategies.	Cross-cutting policy, outlooks chapters
UNEP	Global Gender and Environment Outlook (GGEO) (2016)	A global synthesis of the state of knowledge on the gender-environment nexus.	Cross-cutting policy and outlooks chapters
UNEP International Resource Panel	Global Resources Outlook 2019	An assessment of current global resource use and its environmental impacts, with a projection of different resource use scenarios to 2060.	Published at the same time as GEO-6, so not included in GEO-6