Air quality from monitoring to real-time data display

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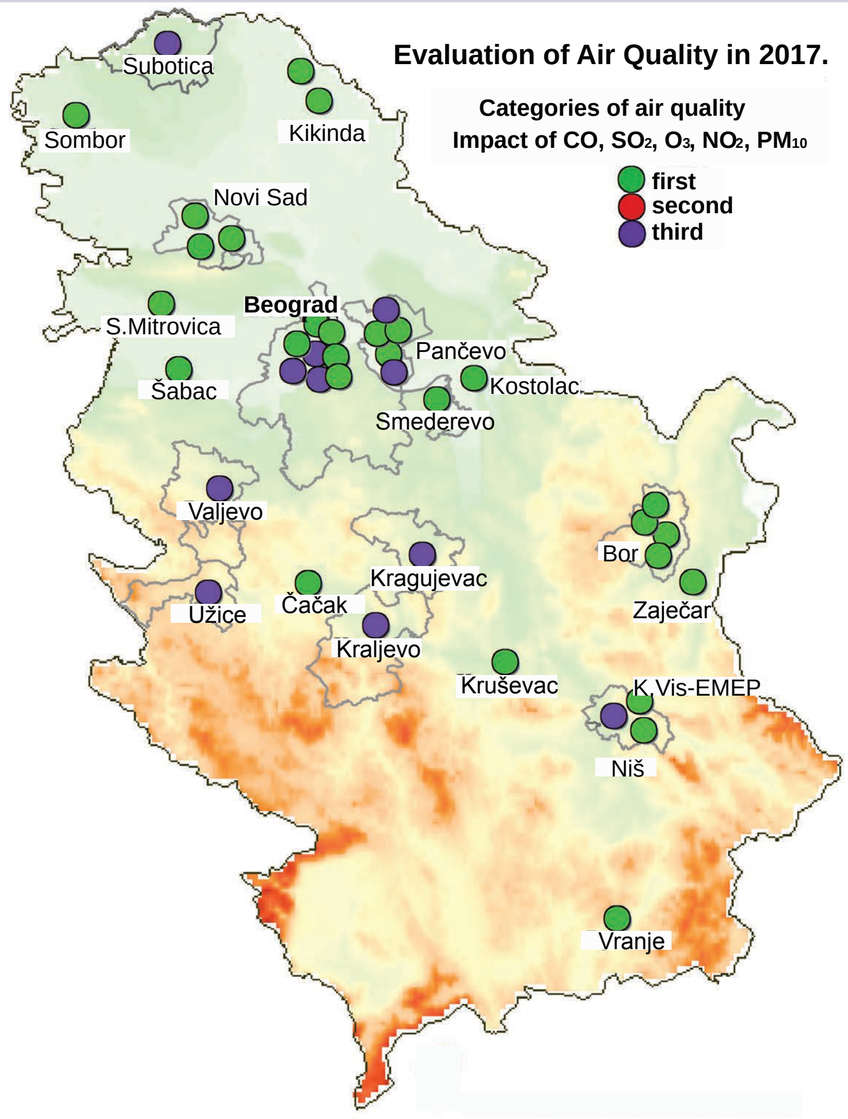
Introduction and context

During 2017 the Environmental Protection Agency has continued with continuous implementation of operational air quality monitoring in the national network for air quality monitoring in the Republic of Serbia.
Results of automatic air quality monitoring in Serbia are presented in real time on SEPA's website. Also, SEPA is included in the European Up-to-date air quality data. (www.amskv.sepa.gov.rs)



Materials and approaches

Evaluation of air quality in 2017 was done based on annual concentrations of pollutants (SO2, NO2, PM10, CO, O3) obtained by air quality monitoring in the national and local networks.

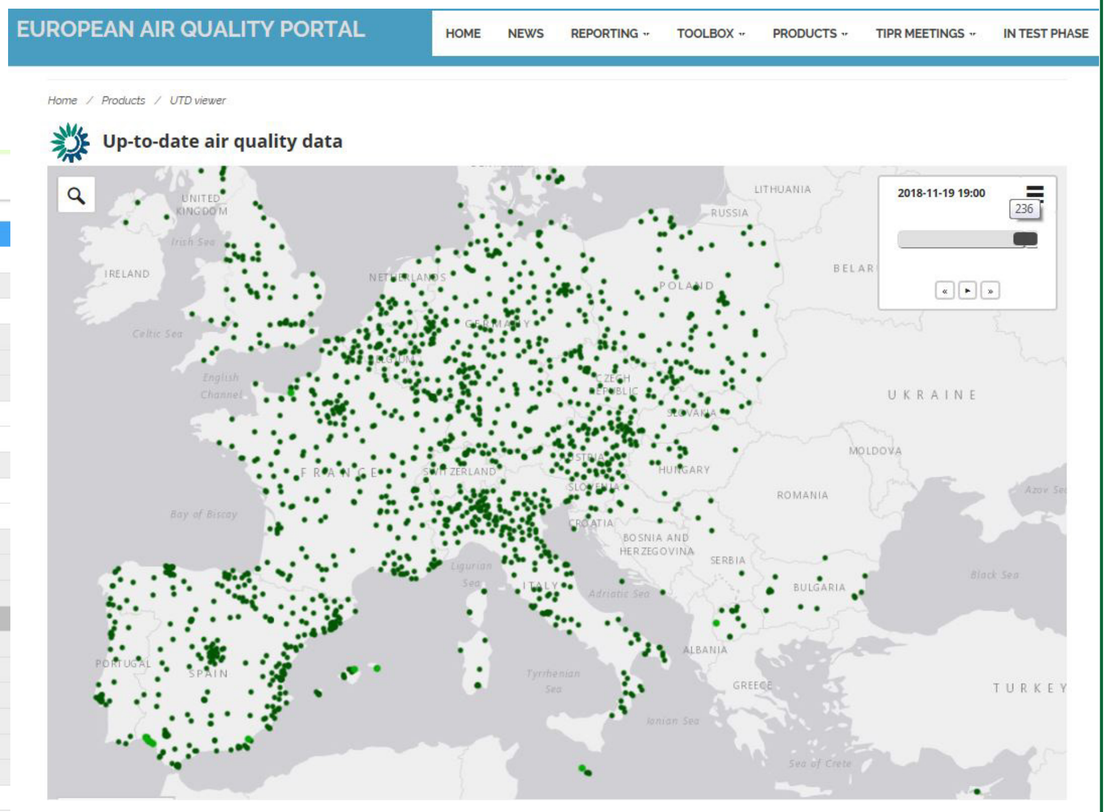
		CATEGORIES OF AIR QUALITY							
		2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017
ZONE	SERBIA	II	I	I	I	I	I	I	I
	City Kragujevac					II	III	III	III
	City Kraljevo								III
	City Valjevo			III	III	III	III	III	III
	Vojvodina	II	I	I	I	I	I	I	I
	City Sr. Mitrovica					II	III	III	I
	City Subotica							III	III
AGLOMERATION	Novi Sad	III	III	I	I	I	II	I	I
	Beograd	III	III	III	III	II	III	III	III
	Pančevo		III	III	I	I	III	I	III
	Smederevo		III	III	III	III			
	Bor	III	III	III	III	III	III	I	I
	Kosjerić		III	III	II	I			
	Užice		II	II	III	III	III	III	III
	Niš	III	III	II	I	I		I	III

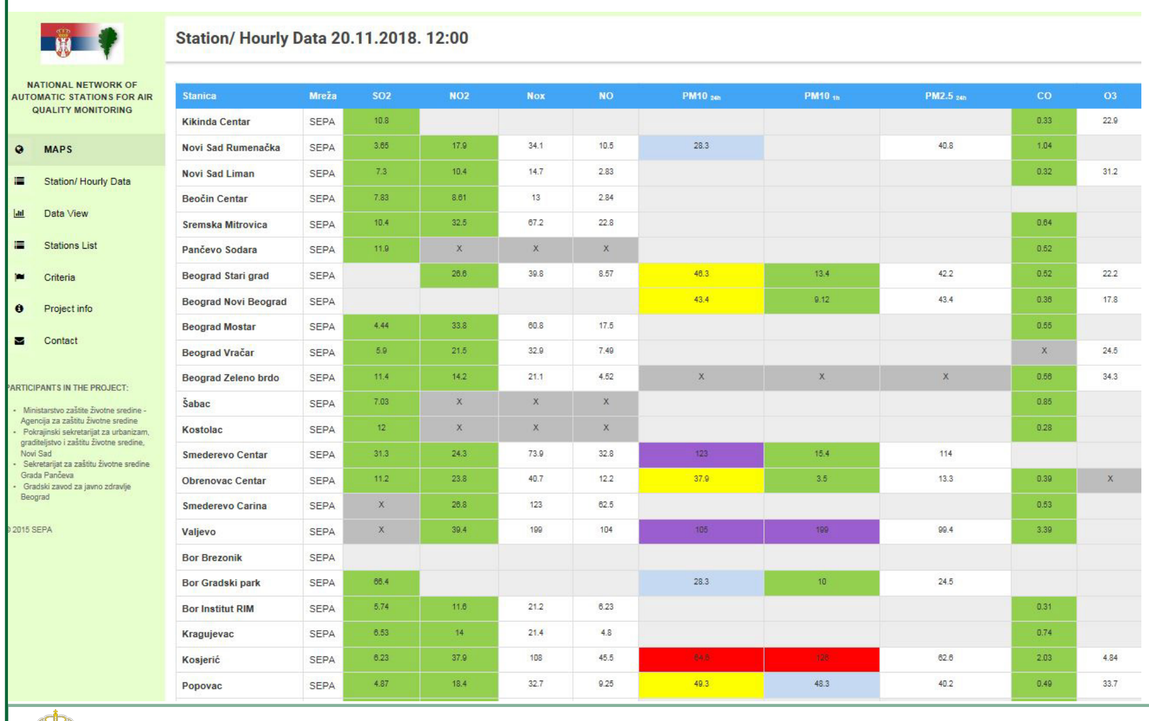
Outcomes

In the most agglomerations during 2017 air was of the category III, i.e. over-polluted air, due to concentrations that exceeded limit value of suspended particles PM10.

Transferability

"Measurement is the first step that leads to control and eventually to improvement. If you can't measure something, you can't understand it. If you can't understand it, you can't control it. If you can't control it, you can't improve it." (J. Harrington)





Stanica	Mreža	SO2	NO2	Nox	NO	PM10 24h	PM10 1h	PM2.5 24h	CO	O3
Kikinda Centar	SEPA	10.8							0.33	22.9
Novi Sad Rumenačka	SEPA	3.65	17.9	34.1	10.5	28.3		40.8	1.04	
Novi Sad Liman	SEPA	7.3	10.4	14.7	2.83				0.32	31.2
Beočin Centar	SEPA	7.83	8.61	13	2.84					
Sremska Mitrovica	SEPA	10.4	32.5	67.2	22.8				0.64	
Pančevo Sodara	SEPA	11.9	X	X	X				0.52	
Beograd Stari grad	SEPA		26.6	39.6	8.57	46.3	13.4	42.2	0.52	22.2
Beograd Novi Beograd	SEPA					43.4	9.12	43.4	0.36	17.8
Beograd Mostar	SEPA	4.44	33.8	60.8	17.5				0.55	
Beograd Vračar	SEPA	5.9	21.5	32.9	7.49				X	24.5
Beograd Zeleno brdo	SEPA	11.4	14.2	21.1	4.52	X	X	X	0.56	34.3
Šabac	SEPA	7.03	X	X	X				0.85	
Kostolac	SEPA	12	X	X	X				0.28	
Smederevo Centar	SEPA	31.3	24.3	73.9	32.8	123	15.4	114		
Obrenovac Centar	SEPA	11.2	23.8	40.7	12.2	37.9	3.5	13.3	0.39	X
Smederevo Carina	SEPA	X	26.8	123	62.5				0.53	
Valjevo	SEPA	X	39.4	199	104	105	199	99.4	3.39	
Bor Brezonik	SEPA									
Bor Gradski park	SEPA	66.4				28.3	10	24.5		
Bor Institut RIM	SEPA	5.74	11.6	21.2	6.23				0.31	
Kragujevac	SEPA	6.53	14	21.4	4.8				0.74	
Kosjerić	SEPA	6.23	37.9	108	45.5	64.6	126	62.6	2.03	4.84
Popovac	SEPA	4.87	18.4	32.7	9.25	49.3	48.3	40.2	0.49	33.7