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Progress achieved by EaP countries in preparing updated NDCs, LEDSs and Finance plans

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MITIGATION – Achieved and planned progress



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		Historic Trend (incl. LULUCF)	Coverage	NDC target (submission date)	LEDs ambition	Local Plans (under development)
Armenia		-59% (1990-2017)	All sectors All Gases Whole country	-40% (5 May 2021)	2.07 t CO ₂ eq/capita (draft LEDs)	1 SECAP
Azerbaijan		-32% (1990-2016)		-35% (2030), -40% (2050) (10 Oct 2023)	3 scenarios (‘best scenario’ climate neutral after 2080)	1 SECAP
Belarus		-56% (1990-2020)		-35% UC, -40% C (11 Oct 2021)	NA	NA
Georgia		-67% (1990-2017)		-47%* (-35% UC, -50-57% C: 5 May 2021)	Climate neutrality by 2050	2 SECAPs
Moldova		-69% (1990-2020)		-70% UC, -88% C (4 Mar 2021)	2030 LEDs	3 SECAPs
Ukraine		-64% (1990-2021)		-65% UC (31 Jul 2021)	Net zero by 2060 (30 Jul 2018)	-

UC - unconditional

C – conditional






SECAP – Sustainable Energy and Climate Plan

* the NDC target of Georgia has been updated during preparation of the LEDs, the new target will be included in the next NDC due in 2025

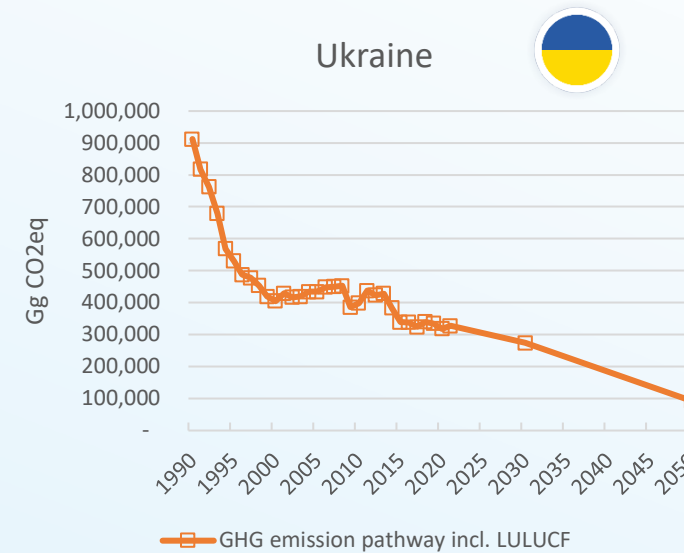
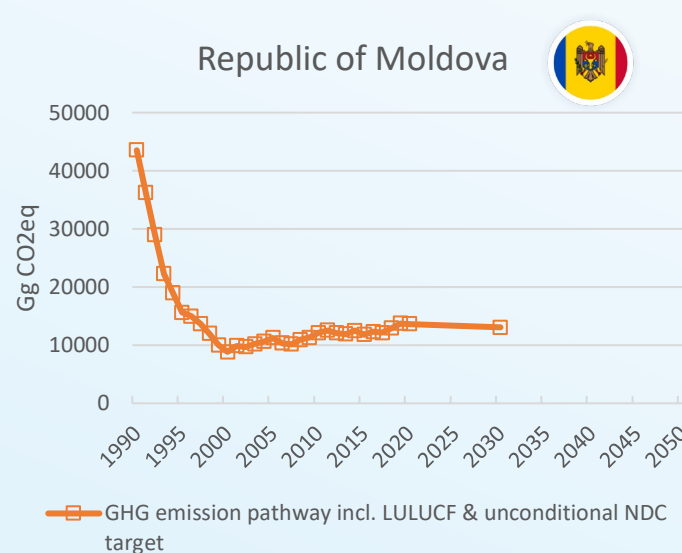
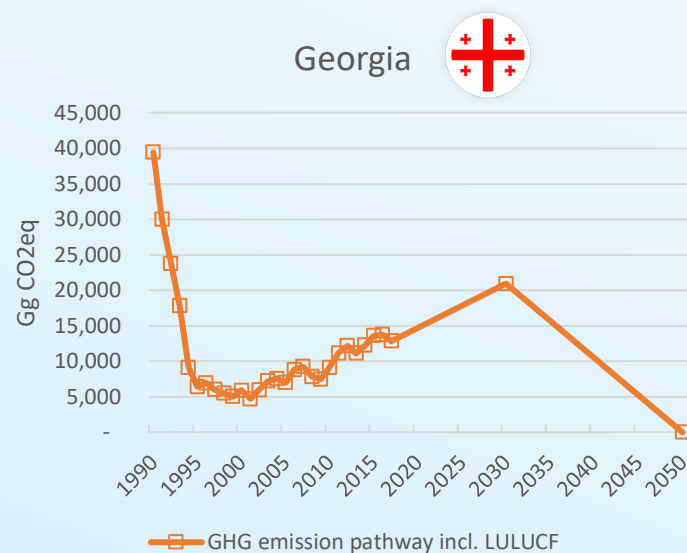
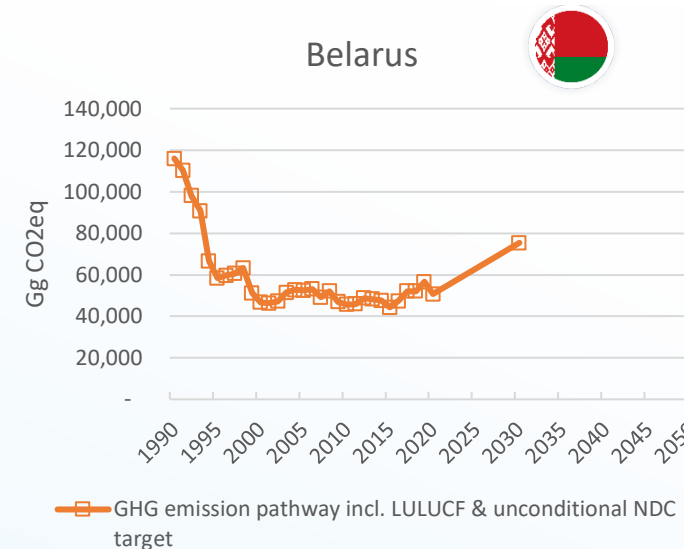
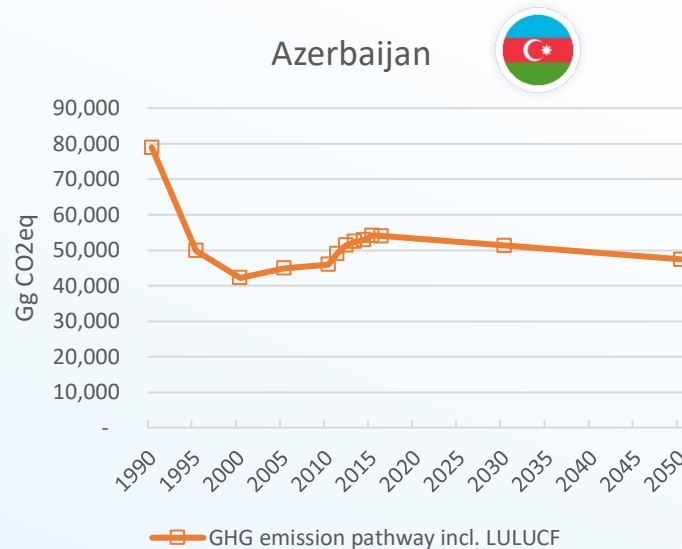
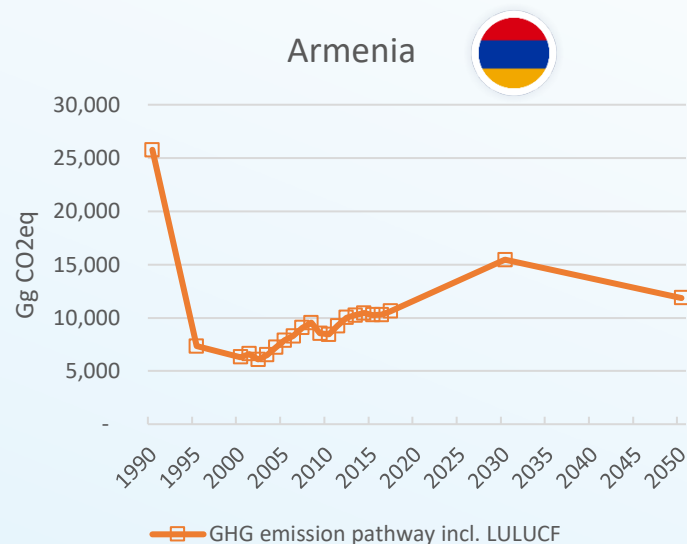


LEDS/NDC-FS/CBT – KEY FACTS



	 ARMENIA	 AZERBAIJAN	 GEORGIA	 MOLDOVA	 UKRAINE
STATUS OF LEDS	Final draft	Final draft	Finalised	Finalised	Finalised in 2017
STATUS OF NDC-FS	Final review	Under development	Final, adopted	n/a	Under review
RESPONSIBLE ENTITY	Ministries of Environmental Affairs				
CLIMATE BUDGET TAGGING	Under review	Under review	Pilot phase	Under implementation	In operation (SDG)
TIME FRAME	2050	2050	2050	2030	2050

GHG EMISSION PATHWAYS



ACHIEVEMENTS by EaP countries



Improved GHG inventories



Increased experience in
Emission Modeling &
Long term Planning



Increased Stakeholder
engagement & awareness



Governmental
Approval & Submission
of updated NDC



Mitigation & Adaptation
actions at all levels
(national-municipal)



Financial Planning &
Climate Finance



Integration of climate
actions across sectors



Increased awareness for
Gender equality

CHALLENGES



Data availability
and integrated
MRV



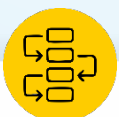
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Coherence across
different strategies &
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Uncertainty about future
macroeconomic
development



Definition of Scenarios &
Mitigation Options



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plans



Governmental
approval and
ownership



Delivery
capacity at
national level



External factors
(aggression by Russia,
energy crises)

Lessons learned



Assessment of macro-effects on economy (e.g. reduced import cost for fossil fuels) can provide incentive for transformation



Documents need to cover all sources of GHG emissions and key sectors



Integration of climate policies and strategies into national development strategies is key



Strong institutions are needed as owners of climate strategies



Clearly defined and bankable projects can accelerate delivery at all levels.



Integration of financial allocations into budget processes, including tagging of NDC actions



Addressing social aspects of the energy transition is crucial to gain stakeholder buy-in



Gender is an enabling factor for the transition



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