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Title	Type	Topic	Abstract	URL	Source
Global Waste Management Outlook	Assessment	Comprehensive	A pioneering scientific global assessment on the state of waste management and a call for action to the international community.	<a href="https://www.unenvironment.org/resources/report/global-waste-management-outlook">https://www.unenvironment.org/resources/report/global-waste-management-outlook</a>	UNEP
WE MADE PLASTIC. WE DEPEND ON IT. NOW WE'RE DROWNING IN IT.	Articles	Plastic	The miracle material has made modern life possible. But more than 40 percent of it is used just once, and it's choking our waterways.	<a href="https://www.nationalgeographic.com/magazine/2018/06/plastic-planet-waste-pollution-trash-crisis/">https://www.nationalgeographic.com/magazine/2018/06/plastic-planet-waste-pollution-trash-crisis/</a>	National Geographic
DEVELOPING INTEGRATED SOLID WASTE MANAGEMENT PLAN Training Manual Vo.1: Waste Characterization and Quantification with Projections for Future	Guidance document	Waste characterization and quantification	This book is the first volume in the series of training manuals on developing integrated solid waste management (ISWM) plans. It aims to build the capacity of practitioners and policy makers in waste characterization and quantification with projections for the future for all waste generating sectors viz.: residential, commercial, construction and demolition, healthcare and industrial sectors. The objective of the manual is to facilitate characterization of different types of wastes from each sector and quantification of the level of waste generation. The manual provides a methodology to conduct studies leading to collection and analysis of the data from different sectors. An example has been worked out to make this manual user friendly.	<a href="https://wedocs.unep.org/bitstream/handle/20.500.11822/7502/ISWMPan_Vol1.pdf?sequence=3&amp;isAllowed=y">https://wedocs.unep.org/bitstream/handle/20.500.11822/7502/ISWMPan_Vol1.pdf?sequence=3&amp;isAllowed=y</a>	UNEP IETC
DEVELOPING INTEGRATED SOLID WASTE MANAGEMENT PLAN Training Manual Vo.2: Assessment of Current Waste Management System and Gaps therein	Guidance document	Situation and gap analysis	This book is the second volume in the series of training manuals on developing integrated solid waste management (ISWM) plans. It aims to build the capacity of practitioners and policy makers for assessing current waste management systems and practices covering all the stages of waste management chain viz.: primary generation and disposal, collection and transportation, sorting and material recovery for recycling, treatment and resource recovery, and final disposal. The objective of the manual is to facilitate identification of important aspects of waste management system and gaps therein with reference to regulations, institutional arrangements, financial mechanisms, technology and infrastructure, and roles and responsibilities of various stakeholders in the current system. The manual provides a methodology to conduct studies leading to collection and analysis of the information.	<a href="https://wedocs.unep.org/bitstream/handle/20.500.11822/7609/ISWMPan_Vol2.pdf?sequence=3&amp;isAllowed=y">https://wedocs.unep.org/bitstream/handle/20.500.11822/7609/ISWMPan_Vol2.pdf?sequence=3&amp;isAllowed=y</a>	UNEP IETC
DEVELOPING INTEGRATED SOLID WASTE MANAGEMENT PLAN Training Manual Vo.3: Targets and Issues of Concern for ISWM	Guidance document	Target setting and identification of stakeholders' issues of concern for ISWM to achieve the targets	This book is the third volume in the series of training manuals on developing integrated solid waste management (ISWM) plans. It aims to build the capacity of practitioners and policy makers for setting targets for ISWM and identifying stakeholders' issues of concern. The manual also provides guidelines for conducting stakeholder consultation to identify their concerns with reference to financial aspects, environmental impacts, technology considerations and cultural aspects.	<a href="https://wedocs.unep.org/bitstream/handle/20.500.11822/7730/ISWMPan_Vol3.pdf?sequence=3&amp;isAllowed=y">https://wedocs.unep.org/bitstream/handle/20.500.11822/7730/ISWMPan_Vol3.pdf?sequence=3&amp;isAllowed=y</a>	UNEP IETC
DEVELOPING INTEGRATED SOLID WASTE MANAGEMENT PLAN Training Manual Vo.4: ISWM Plan	Training manual	Training Manual: 1. Introduction to ISWM; Strategic Planning Process (SP): A Tool and its Relevance in ISWM; Situation Analysis; Drivers for ISWM Plan; How to Structure the ISWM Plan; Next Steps	This book is the fourth and last volume in the series of training manuals on developing integrated solid waste management (ISWM) plans. It aims to build the capacity of practitioners and policy makers for developing a comprehensive ISWM plan by utilizing the information collected earlier regarding waste characterization and quantification, assessment of current waste management system and gaps therein, and targets and issues of concern for ISWM. The manual provides a methodology for developing the ISWM Plan utilizing the information from Volume 1 and Volume 2 as baseline information and information from Volume 3 for contextualizing the Plan. The manual also provides guidelines for developing specific projects/schemes along with an implementation strategy	<a href="https://wedocs.unep.org/bitstream/handle/20.500.11822/7770/ISWMPan_Vol4.pdf?sequence=3&amp;isAllowed=y">https://wedocs.unep.org/bitstream/handle/20.500.11822/7770/ISWMPan_Vol4.pdf?sequence=3&amp;isAllowed=y</a>	UNEP IETC

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Guidelines for National Waste Management Strategies	Guidance document	NWMS	Provides a conceptual and methodological framework that countries may apply and adapt to their particular circumstances. It outlines a possible process and poses questions that countries may wish to consider as they develop integrated national waste management strategies. Part I of the document is an introduction providing context, an overview and an examination of preliminary issues, including the rationale for a national waste management strategy. Part II explores the challenges and opportunities waste management presents. Part III deals with the major considerations influencing the policy choices involved in a national strategy, while Part IV outlines the process of strategy development, monitoring, and implementation. To support the methodology, the document provides additional information resources in the annexes.	<a href="http://cwm.unitar.org/publications/publications/wm.aspx">http://cwm.unitar.org/publications/publications/wm.aspx</a>	UNEP & UNITAR
The Book of Rubbish: A Guide to the Basics of Waste Management	Guidance document	Comprehensive	Provides basic knowledge about waste and its characteristics, including its origin, collection, treatment, environmental impact etc.	N/A	Ulrich Wiegel
Curriculum on Holistic Waste Management	Training manual	Comprehensive	The program curriculum and delivery itself includes an integrated and holistic approach, with the course designed and delivered by a Consortium of six reputed international universities from Thailand, Japan, Australia, China, and India – consortium convened by the United Nations Environmental Programme International Environmental Technology Centre (UNEP IETC). The program will run through one academic year worth 33 credits; 24 credit taught programme and 9 credit dissertation project at the end of the academic year. The programme will be delivered through a number of courses under four main modules consistently, under the overall the theme of “holistic waste management.”	<a href="http://www.rrcap.ait.asia/Pages/hwm.aspx">http://www.rrcap.ait.asia/Pages/hwm.aspx</a>	Asia Pacific University Consortium
Technical guidelines on transboundary movements of electrical and electronic waste and used electrical and electronic equipment, in particular regarding the distinction between waste and non-waste under the Basel Convention (adopted by COP.12, May 2015)	Technical guidelines	WEEE	Provides guidance on transboundary movements of waste electrical and electronic equipment	<a href="http://www.basel.int/Implementation/Publications/LatestTechnicalGuidelines/tabid/5875/Default.aspx">http://www.basel.int/Implementation/Publications/LatestTechnicalGuidelines/tabid/5875/Default.aspx</a>	Basel Convention - Latest technical guidelines
Technical guidelines on the identification and environmentally sound management of plastic wastes and for their disposal (adopted by COP.6, Dec 2002)	Technical guidelines	Plastic	This document focuses mainly on the technical aspects of the management of plastic wastes, with particular emphasis on their recycling.	<a href="http://www.basel.int/Implementation/Publications/LatestTechnicalGuidelines/tabid/5875/Default.aspx">http://www.basel.int/Implementation/Publications/LatestTechnicalGuidelines/tabid/5875/Default.aspx</a>	Basel Convention - Latest technical guidelines
Technical guidelines on the environmentally sound recycling/reclamation of metals and metal compounds(R4) (adopted by COP.7, Oct 2004)	Technical guidelines	Metals		<a href="http://www.basel.int/Implementation/Publications/LatestTechnicalGuidelines/tabid/5875/Default.aspx">http://www.basel.int/Implementation/Publications/LatestTechnicalGuidelines/tabid/5875/Default.aspx</a>	Basel Convention - Latest technical guidelines

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Manual for Customs on hazardous chemicals and wastes under the Basel, Rotterdam and Stockholm conventions	Training materials	Customs	<p>The interactive Manual for Customs on hazardous chemicals and wastes under the Basel, Rotterdam and Stockholm conventions will enhance your knowledge of the three global treaties that contribute to safely managing the production, movement, use and disposal of hazardous chemicals and wastes.</p> <p>This manual will inform you about the objectives, procedures, rights and obligations contained in these three multilateral environmental agreements as they relate to the work of Customs. It describes in general what Customs should know to facilitate the legal trade in hazardous chemicals and wastes. It will also support you in how to identify and deal with possible cases of illegal trade/traffic.</p> <p>The Manual is divided into 6 modules, each of them containing an introduction, lessons, questions and a resources section. The lessons are supported by practical examples and images.</p> <p>The Manual is complemented by four annexes:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- a glossary explaining key terms and concepts under the Basel, Rotterdam and Stockholm Conventions which will be frequently referred to in this Manual (annex I);</li> <li>- an identification tool for wastes covered by the Basel Convention (annex II);</li> <li>- an identification tool for the persistent organic pollutants that may be subject to international trade under the Stockholm Convention (annex III); and</li> <li>- an identification table for the chemicals covered by the Rotterdam Convention (annex IV).</li> </ul>	<a href="http://www.basel.int/Implementation/Publications/TrainingManuals/tabid/2363/Default.aspx">http://www.basel.int/Implementation/Publications/TrainingManuals/tabid/2363/Default.aspx</a>	Basel Convention - Training manuals
Basel Convention Training Manual on Illegal Traffic for Customs and Enforcement Agencies	Training materials	Customs, illegal traffic	<p>This manual is designed to assist Customs and other enforcement agencies in understanding the provisions of the Basel Convention, and highlights the fundamental role they play in its implementation.</p> <p>Each Party, having its own legislative structure, has taken its own approach in incorporating the Basel Convention provision into its own legislation. This manual has been drafted in a way that allows Parties to insert their own requirements in it, in order to facilitate its use by Customs officers and enforcement agencies at the national level.</p> <p>This manual deals with: what is important information for Customs to implement the Convention; what does any enforcement agency need to know about safety when dealing with hazardous waste shipments; what is illegal traffic, and how to detect it; and which are the important detail to consider when investigating and prosecuting waste crimes.</p>	<a href="http://www.basel.int/Implementation/Publications/TrainingManuals/tabid/2363/Default.aspx">http://www.basel.int/Implementation/Publications/TrainingManuals/tabid/2363/Default.aspx</a>	Basel Convention - Training manuals
Training Manual for the Preparation of National Used Lead Acid Batteries Environmentally Sound Management Plans in the Context of the Implementation of the Basel Convention	Training materials	ULAB	<p>The present manual is the product of experience gathered through the conduct of technical projects on the environmentally sound management of used lead acid batteries in countries which are Parties to the Basel Convention in Central and South America, the Caribbean and Asia in the last few years (2001-2004).</p>	<a href="http://www.basel.int/Implementation/Publications/TrainingManuals/tabid/2363/Default.aspx#">http://www.basel.int/Implementation/Publications/TrainingManuals/tabid/2363/Default.aspx#</a>	Basel Convention - Training manuals

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Training Resource Pack	Training materials	Hazardous waste	The Training Resource Pack for hazardous waste management in developing countries is a set of training materials available in electronic files for individual use and further adaptation. It is intended to assist in giving conference or lecture presentations of key topics in hazardous wastes as well as providing guidance in the organization of training workshops of various sorts.	<a href="http://www.basel.int/Implementation/Publications/TrainingManuals/tabid/2363/Default.aspx#">http://www.basel.int/Implementation/Publications/TrainingManuals/tabid/2363/Default.aspx#</a>	Basel Convention - Training manuals
Vital Waste Graphics 3	Other	Comprehensive	From generation to disposal, waste is a by-product of societal dynamics, and all too often absent from our consideration. Vital Waste Graphics 3 seeks to put waste in context by:	<a href="http://www.basel.int/Implementation/Publications/Other/tabid/2470/Default.aspx#">http://www.basel.int/Implementation/Publications/Other/tabid/2470/Default.aspx#</a>	Basel Convention - Other
Where are WEEE in Africa? Findings from the Basel Convention E-waste Africa Programme	Other	WEEE	Information Communication Technology (ICT) has revolutionized modern living, international business, global governance, communication, entertainment, transport, education, and health care. This has been driven by unprecedented high volumes of production and usage of consumer electronic products, in particular, personal computers, mobile phones, and television sets. Access to ICT has been identified as an indicator of a country's economic and social development. The difference in access to ICT between developed and developing countries is commonly referred to as the "digital divide". Africa has been undergoing rapid ICT transformation in recent years, attempting to bridge this divide by importing second-hand or used computers, mobile phones, and TV sets from developed countries. The countries of the region, however, lack the infrastructure and resources for the environmentally sound management (ESM) of electrical and electronic waste (e-waste) arising when such imports reach their end-of-life.	<a href="http://www.basel.int/Implementation/Publications/Other/tabid/2470/Default.aspx#">http://www.basel.int/Implementation/Publications/Other/tabid/2470/Default.aspx#</a>	Basel Convention - Other
Waste without frontiers	Other	Transboundary movement of waste	The reported data on transboundary movements provide a rather good picture of the amounts of hazardous and other wastes generated and subject to transboundary movements globally. The following analysis shows that there has been progress on a number of issues addressed by the Convention, in particular in relation to the following points:	<a href="http://www.basel.int/Implementation/Publications/Other/tabid/2470/Default.aspx#">http://www.basel.int/Implementation/Publications/Other/tabid/2470/Default.aspx#</a>	Basel Convention - Other
Compilation of training materials on environmentally sound management	Compilation of training material	General	The compilation includes training materials developed by a variety of organizations and programmes addressing the different components of environmentally sound management as defined in the ESM Framework.	<a href="http://www.basel.int/Implementation/CountryLedInitiative/EnvironmentallySoundManagement/ESMToolkit/Compilationoftrainingmaterials/tabid/5840/Default.aspx">http://www.basel.int/Implementation/CountryLedInitiative/EnvironmentallySoundManagement/ESMToolkit/Compilationoftrainingmaterials/tabid/5840/Default.aspx</a>	Basel Convention - ESM Toolkit
An assessment of existing useful training and information material on policies, legislation and best practices on environmentally sound management	Compilation of training material	General	The first meeting of the expert working group on ESM met in December 2013 and decided on several short-term activities to implement ESM, including the commissioning of this report providing an assessment of existing useful training and information material on policies, legislation and best practices on environmentally sound management.	<a href="http://www.basel.int/Implementation/CountryLedInitiative/EnvironmentallySoundManagement/ESMToolkit/Compilationoftrainingmaterials/tabid/5840/Default.aspx">http://www.basel.int/Implementation/CountryLedInitiative/EnvironmentallySoundManagement/ESMToolkit/Compilationoftrainingmaterials/tabid/5840/Default.aspx</a>	Basel Convention - ESM Toolkit

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Fact sheets on specific waste streams	Fact sheets	Implementation of ESM of wastes; Electrical and electronic waste (E-waste); Waste vehicles; Medical or healthcare waste; Waste lead-acid batteries; Waste oils; Pneumatic tyres	<p>The fact sheets on specific waste streams provide a quick overview of key information on selected priority waste streams.</p> <p>At its first and successive meetings, as well as intersessionally, the expert working group on environmentally sound management developed a first series of fact sheets on specific waste streams. Each fact sheet is tailored to a different target audience. The fact sheet series is comprised of a fact sheet with general information on the implementation of environmentally sound management of wastes followed by six fact sheets addressing specific waste streams, namely: electrical and electronic waste (e-waste); waste vehicles; medical or healthcare waste; waste lead-acid batteries; waste oils; waste pneumatic tyres.</p> <p>A first draft version of the fact sheets was submitted to the twelfth meeting of the Conference of the Parties, which agreed to include provision for their further development and finalization in the work programme of the expert working group. Accordingly, the expert working group prepared a revised version of the fact sheets for submission to the tenth meeting of the Open-ended Working Group. The latter welcomed the revised fact sheets and set out a process for their revision based on comments received (OEWG-10/2). The Open-ended Working Group also requested that the fact sheets be submitted to the thirteenth meeting of the Conference of the Parties for its consideration.</p> <p>Two other fact sheets on mercury wastes and household wastes were initially part of this series. However, given the ongoing activities following the adoption of the Minamata Convention on Mercury and the establishment of the informal group on household waste, the expert working group agreed at its fourth meeting that no further work be undertaken on these two fact sheets.</p>	<a href="http://www.basel.int/Implementation/ConventionLedInitiative/EnvironmentallySoundManagement/ESMToolkit/Factsheets/tabid/5843/Default.aspx">http://www.basel.int/Implementation/ConventionLedInitiative/EnvironmentallySoundManagement/ESMToolkit/Factsheets/tabid/5843/Default.aspx</a>	Basel Convention - ESM Toolkit
Guidance to assist parties in developing efficient strategies for achieving the prevention and minimization of the generation of hazardous and other wastes and their disposal	Guidance document	Guidance on waste prevention and minimization	The guidance document covers a range of strategies to prevent and minimize the generation of hazardous and other wastes, including decoupling waste generation from economic growth, improving material and resource efficiency, shifting towards a circular economy, developing new business models to create incentives for recovery, promoting behavioral change amongst consumers and using alternative technologies.	<a href="http://www.basel.int/Implementation/ConventionLedInitiative/EnvironmentallySoundManagement/ESMToolkit/Guidanceonwaste/prevention/tabid/5844/Default.aspx">http://www.basel.int/Implementation/ConventionLedInitiative/EnvironmentallySoundManagement/ESMToolkit/Guidanceonwaste/prevention/tabid/5844/Default.aspx</a>	Basel Convention - ESM Toolkit
The informal economy in Argentina	Case study	Informal sector	Over the past decade almost half of the informal waste collectors (cartoneros) in Argentina organized themselves in cooperatives. They thereby managed to obtain official recognition. Moreover, an agency specifically dedicated to these cooperatives was created within the government. This led to a dramatic increase in their income.	<a href="http://www.basel.int/Implementation/ConventionLedInitiative/EnvironmentallySoundManagement/ESMToolkit/Informalsector/tabid/5845/Default.aspx">http://www.basel.int/Implementation/ConventionLedInitiative/EnvironmentallySoundManagement/ESMToolkit/Informalsector/tabid/5845/Default.aspx</a>	Basel Convention - ESM Toolkit
Social inclusion of waste pickers in the solid waste management program in the Municipality of Luiz Eduardo Magalhães, Brazil	Case study	Informal sector	The municipality of Magalhães provided informal waste collectors with a proper waste-sorting center financed through fines for environmental crimes. The waste collectors are organized in an association and receive their salary through this association. When collecting wastes from door to door they distribute leaflets to raise awareness on waste recycling amongst households.	<a href="http://www.basel.int/Implementation/ConventionLedInitiative/EnvironmentallySoundManagement/ESMToolkit/Informalsector/tabid/5845/Default.aspx">http://www.basel.int/Implementation/ConventionLedInitiative/EnvironmentallySoundManagement/ESMToolkit/Informalsector/tabid/5845/Default.aspx</a>	Basel Convention - ESM Toolkit

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Financing models for sound e-waste management in Ethiopia	Case study	Informal sector	The main objective of the study was to assist the Ethiopian Government in making informed decisions about a financing model for e-waste management in Ethiopia by (i) providing an overview on the components of e-waste management that need to be financed; (ii) providing an overview on financing models for e-waste management applied in different countries and regions of the world; (iii) elaborating financing models for Ethiopia and determining the pros and cons of each model in the Ethiopian context; and (iv) recommending financing models for e-waste management in Ethiopia.	<a href="http://www.basel.int/Implementation/CountryLedInitiative/EnvironmentallySoundManagement/ESMToolkit/Informalsector/tabid/5845/Default.aspx">http://www.basel.int/Implementation/CountryLedInitiative/EnvironmentallySoundManagement/ESMToolkit/Informalsector/tabid/5845/Default.aspx</a>	Basel Convention - ESM Toolkit
From collision to collaboration: Integrating informal recyclers and re-use operators in Europe: A review	Article	Informal sector	The report focus on informal recovery in and at the borders of the European Union, documents the "conflicts and collisions", and elaborate some constructive approaches towards legalisation, integration and reconciliation.	<a href="http://www.basel.int/Implementation/CountryLedInitiative/EnvironmentallySoundManagement/ESMToolkit/Informalsector/tabid/5845/Default.aspx">http://www.basel.int/Implementation/CountryLedInitiative/EnvironmentallySoundManagement/ESMToolkit/Informalsector/tabid/5845/Default.aspx</a>	Basel Convention - ESM Toolkit
Recommendations to address the issues of the informal sector involved in e-waste handling	Case study	Informal sector	This report suggests recommendations to address the issues of the informal sector involved in e-waste handling in India.	<a href="http://www.basel.int/Implementation/CountryLedInitiative/EnvironmentallySoundManagement/ESMToolkit/Informalsector/tabid/5845/Default.aspx">http://www.basel.int/Implementation/CountryLedInitiative/EnvironmentallySoundManagement/ESMToolkit/Informalsector/tabid/5845/Default.aspx</a>	Basel Convention - ESM Toolkit
A model for partnering with the informal e-waste industry: Rationale, principles and a case study	Article	Informal sector	A report documenting how the management of e-waste can be improved through an incremental series of synergetic solutions that preserve or even improve livelihoods of informal recyclers while greatly reducing their health and environmental impacts.	<a href="http://www.basel.int/Implementation/CountryLedInitiative/EnvironmentallySoundManagement/ESMToolkit/Informalsector/tabid/5845/Default.aspx">http://www.basel.int/Implementation/CountryLedInitiative/EnvironmentallySoundManagement/ESMToolkit/Informalsector/tabid/5845/Default.aspx</a>	Basel Convention - ESM Toolkit
Recovery of rare earths	Study	Informal sector	The purpose of this report is to identify and analyse the potential of innovative technologies for recovery of rare earths from electronic waste and to evaluate how they could be implemented, in particular by high-tech SMEs.	<a href="http://www.basel.int/Implementation/CountryLedInitiative/EnvironmentallySoundManagement/ESMToolkit/Informalsector/tabid/5845/Default.aspx">http://www.basel.int/Implementation/CountryLedInitiative/EnvironmentallySoundManagement/ESMToolkit/Informalsector/tabid/5845/Default.aspx</a>	Basel Convention - ESM Toolkit
Prior informed consent and tack-back procedures	Pilot project report	Pilot projects	Assessing if notifications, consents, inspections and enforcement of TBM of waste and tack-back procedures for illegal traffic represent ESM in Egypt, Madagascar and Tanzania. The project was proposed by Norway, Switzerland and Tanzania, and selected for implementation at the first meeting of the expert working group on environmentally sound management in December 2013. The Government of Switzerland kindly provided the funding for the project.	<a href="http://www.basel.int/Implementation/CountryLedInitiative/EnvironmentallySoundManagement/ESMToolkit/Pilotprojects/tabid/5846/Default.aspx">http://www.basel.int/Implementation/CountryLedInitiative/EnvironmentallySoundManagement/ESMToolkit/Pilotprojects/tabid/5846/Default.aspx</a>	Basel Convention - ESM Toolkit
Assessing the Status of E-waste Recycling in Selected Countries in the Asia-pacific Region and Facilitating the Environmentally Sound Management (ESM) of E-waste	Pilot project report	Pilot projects	Assessing the status of e-waste recycling in selected countries in the Asia-Pacific region and facilitating the environmentally sound management of e-waste The project was proposed by BCRC-China and selected for implementation at the first meeting of the expert working group in December 2013. The Government of Norway kindly provided the funding for the project	<a href="http://www.basel.int/Implementation/CountryLedInitiative/EnvironmentallySoundManagement/ESMToolkit/Pilotprojects/tabid/5846/Default.aspx">http://www.basel.int/Implementation/CountryLedInitiative/EnvironmentallySoundManagement/ESMToolkit/Pilotprojects/tabid/5846/Default.aspx</a>	Basel Convention - ESM Toolkit
E-waste	Pilot project report	Pilot projects	Assessing the status of environmentally sound management of hazardous wastes and other wastes, including waste electrical and electronic equipment (WEEE), in Central America This pilot project was proposed by BCRC-CAM and selected for implementation at the first meeting of the expert working group in December 2013. The Government of Japan kindly provided the funding for this project.	<a href="http://www.basel.int/Implementation/CountryLedInitiative/EnvironmentallySoundManagement/ESMToolkit/Pilotprojects/tabid/5846/Default.aspx">http://www.basel.int/Implementation/CountryLedInitiative/EnvironmentallySoundManagement/ESMToolkit/Pilotprojects/tabid/5846/Default.aspx</a>	Basel Convention - ESM Toolkit
Insurance, bond and guarante; ULAB; Co-processing in cement kilns; E-waste; Waste lighting products; Testing the practical manuals and fact sheets	Pilot project report	Pilot projects	Other pilot projects ongoing	<a href="http://www.basel.int/Implementation/CountryLedInitiative/EnvironmentallySoundManagement/ESMToolkit/Pilotprojects/tabid/5846/Default.aspx">http://www.basel.int/Implementation/CountryLedInitiative/EnvironmentallySoundManagement/ESMToolkit/Pilotprojects/tabid/5846/Default.aspx</a>	Basel Convention - ESM Toolkit

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- UNEP/CHW.13/4/Add.1/Rev.1 : Set of practical manuals for the promotion of the environmentally sound management of wastes - adopted at BC COP 13	Practical manuals	Comprehensive	The manuals, which have been developed to complement the framework for the environmentally sound management of hazardous wastes and other wastes (ESM Framework), are intended to provide non-exhaustive practical guidance to those stakeholders responsible for ensuring the environmentally sound management of wastes at the national level. Such stakeholders may include competent authorities and focal points designated by Parties to the Basel Convention, policy makers, legislators, enforcement authorities, operators of waste management facilities and other entities involved in the overall management, i.e. the collection, transport and disposal, including storage, of wastes.	Search on web	Basel Convention - ESM Toolkit
- UNEP/CHW/OEWG.11/INF/5 Draft guidance to assist Parties in developing efficient strategies for achieving recycling and recovery of hazardous and other wastes - being revised for BC COP -14 adoption	Practical manuals	Recycling and recovery	This document provides guidance on developing strategies and instruments, both mandatory and voluntary, to promote the recycling and recovery of hazardous wastes and other wastes where it has not been possible to prevent them. The guidance considers both (i) wastes that are sent for final disposal but for which recycling or recovery technologies exist; and (ii) wastes that are recycled or recovered applying technologies which do not conform to ESM standards. In the annexes to this guidance, examples of approaches to various sectoral or target groups and waste streams have been included	Search on web	Basel Convention - ESM Toolkit
- UNEP/CHW/OEWG.11/INF/6 Draft guidance on how to address environmentally sound management in the informal sector - being revised for BC COP -14 adoption (attached)	Practical manuals	Informal sector	The objective of this guidance is to provide guidance about how to address and improve environmentally sound management of waste in the informal (collection and) recycling sector and describe ways to mitigate the potential for adverse environmental impacts (e.g., open burning, indiscriminate dumping of residual wastes, etc.). This guidance does not go into aspects of labour, social framework, security or other non-ESM related issues.	Search on web	Basel Convention - ESM Toolkit
- UNEP/CHW/OEWG.11/INF/7 Draft practical manuals on Extended Producer Responsibility and on financing systems for environmentally sound management - being revised for BC COP -14 adoption (attached)	Practical manuals	EPR	This manual provides stakeholders with general guidance on the implementation of extended producer responsibility (EPR). It includes a list of terminology used in the manual; general considerations; goals and objectives; criteria for possible products; key elements to be considered; a strategy to formulate policy; as well as challenges in the implementation of EPR.	Search on web	Basel Convention - ESM Toolkit
- UNEP/CHW/OEWG.11/INF/4 Draft practical manual for stakeholders to ensure that notifications of transboundary movements meet environmentally sound management requirements - being revised for BC COP -14 adoption (attached)	Practical manuals	Basel Convention - notifications	Notifications	Search on web	Basel Convention - ESM Toolkit
Assessing possible incentive to encourage the private sector to invest in environmentally sound management	Report	Private sector incentives	The report provides an overview on favourable business conditions and incentives to encourage the private sector to invest in environmentally sound management and recommends that further case studies and best practices regarding the different incentives be collected to serve as reference for parties when implementing such incentives.	<a href="http://www.basel.int/Implementation/CountryLedInitiative/EnvironmentallySoundManagement/ESMToolkit/PrivateSectorincentives/tabid/5848/Default.aspx">http://www.basel.int/Implementation/CountryLedInitiative/EnvironmentallySoundManagement/ESMToolkit/PrivateSectorincentives/tabid/5848/Default.aspx</a>	Basel Convention - ESM Toolkit
Check list for self-assessment of national environmentally sound management capacity	Checklist	ESM capacity	The check list is composed of three tables for Parties to self-assess their national environmentally sound management capacity.	<a href="http://www.basel.int/Implementation/CountryLedInitiative/EnvironmentallySoundManagement/ESMToolkit/Selfassessmentchecklist/tabid/5849/Default.aspx">http://www.basel.int/Implementation/CountryLedInitiative/EnvironmentallySoundManagement/ESMToolkit/Selfassessmentchecklist/tabid/5849/Default.aspx</a>	Basel Convention - ESM Toolkit

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Household waste Partnerships		MSW	<p>At the Conference of the Parties to the Basel Convention at its twelfth meeting in May 2015, Parties agreed to include in the work programme of the Open-ended Working Group the development of a work plan on the environmentally sound management of household waste with a focus on the needs of developing countries and countries with economies in transition (BC-12/13). The work plan could include, but would not be limited to developing guidance documents and/or manuals on, inter alia, best practices, business models and innovative solutions for the circular economy in various socioeconomic contexts, as well as a concept for a partnership to assist municipalities.</p> <p>An Informal Group was established by the Conference of the Parties and it was tasked with the development of a work plan on the environmentally sound management of household waste for consideration by the Open-ended Working Group.</p>	<a href="http://www.basel.int/Implementation/HouseholdWastePartnerships/Overview/tabid/5082/Default.aspx">http://www.basel.int/Implementation/HouseholdWastePartnerships/Overview/tabid/5082/Default.aspx</a>	Basel Convention - Household waste Partnership
Draft guidance on the environmentally sound management of household waste – being revised for BC COP -14 consideration	Guidance document	MSW	<p>Module 1. Assessment and decision making; Module 2. Policy, legislation and institutional framework for ESM of household waste; Module 3. Sustainable financing for ESM of household waste; Module 4. Actions for prevention and minimization of the generation of household waste; Module 5. Separation, collection and transport; Module 6. Reuse (except direct reuse); Module 7. Recycling; Module 8. Recovery processes and treatments; Module 9. Final disposal and elimination of household waste; Module 10. Awareness raising and communication</p>	<a href="http://www.basel.int/Implementation/HouseholdWastePartnerships/Overview/tabid/5082/Default.aspx">http://www.basel.int/Implementation/HouseholdWastePartnerships/Overview/tabid/5082/Default.aspx</a>	Basel Convention - Household waste Partnership
Guidelines on best available techniques and guidance on best environmental practices	Guidance document		<p>To facilitate implementation of Article 5, Parties recognized the need for a harmonized framework for elaboration of comparable release inventories of Annex C chemicals, and for detailed state-of-the-art guidelines on best available techniques and guidance on best environmental practices.</p> <p>The Guidelines on best available techniques and guidance on best environmental practices provide the necessary guidance called for in paragraph c) of the Article 5:</p>	<a href="http://chm.pops.int/Implementation/BATBEP/BATBEPGuidelinesArticle5/tabid/187/Default.aspx">http://chm.pops.int/Implementation/BATBEP/BATBEPGuidelinesArticle5/tabid/187/Default.aspx</a>	UNEP
Solving the E-waste Problem (Step) White Paper: Guiding Principles to Develop E-waste Management Systems and Legislation	White paper	WEEE		<a href="http://collections.unu.edu/view/UNU:6119">http://collections.unu.edu/view/UNU:6119</a>	UNU
Solving the E-waste Problem (Step) White Paper: E-waste Take-Back System Design and Policy Approaches	White paper	WEEE		<a href="http://collections.unu.edu/view/UNU:6124">http://collections.unu.edu/view/UNU:6124</a>	UNU
Solving the E-waste Problem (Step) White Paper: Recommendations for Standards Development for Collection, Storage, Transport and Treatment of E-waste	White paper	WEEE		<a href="http://collections.unu.edu/view/UNU:6123">http://collections.unu.edu/view/UNU:6123</a>	UNU
Recommendations on Standards for Collection, Storage, Transport and Treatment of E-waste: Principles, Requirements and Conformity Assessment	White paper	WEEE, standards		<a href="http://collections.unu.edu/view/UNU:6134">http://collections.unu.edu/view/UNU:6134</a>	UNU
E-waste Prevention, Take-back System Design and Policy Approaches	White paper	WEEE, EPR		<a href="http://collections.unu.edu/view/UNU:6129">http://collections.unu.edu/view/UNU:6129</a>	UNU

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Solving the E-waste Problem (Step) White Paper: One Global Understanding of Re-Use — Common Definitions	White paper	Re-use		<a href="http://collections.unu.edu/view/UNU:6122">http://collections.unu.edu/view/UNU:6122</a>	UNU
E-waste Country Study Ethiopia		WEEE		<a href="http://collections.unu.edu/view/UNU:6131">http://collections.unu.edu/view/UNU:6131</a>	UNU
StEP Green Paper on E-waste Indicators		WEEE		<a href="http://collections.unu.edu/view/UNU:6132">http://collections.unu.edu/view/UNU:6132</a>	UNU
Differentiating EEE products and Wastes		WEEE		<a href="http://collections.unu.edu/view/UNU:6130">http://collections.unu.edu/view/UNU:6130</a>	UNU
ISWA KNOWLEDGE BASE	Various		The ISWA Knowledge Base aims to provide the latest information on all aspects of waste management in order to promote best practices worldwide. With currently more than 2,900 documents the ISWA Knowledge Base is one of ISWA's flagship projects, attracting regularly thousands of visitors to our website.	<a href="https://www.iswa.org/media/publications/knowledge-base/">https://www.iswa.org/media/publications/knowledge-base/</a>	ISWA
This country banned plastic bags - should we?	Video	Plastic	Kenya has the world's toughest ban on single-use plastic bags - you can be fined thousands of dollars or jailed for using them.	<a href="https://www.bbc.com/news/av/stories-46102593/this-country-banned-plastic-bags-should-we">https://www.bbc.com/news/av/stories-46102593/this-country-banned-plastic-bags-should-we</a>	BBC
The clothes being made out of recycled plastic	Video	Plastic	Plastic waste turned into clothes, to save our oceans	<a href="https://www.bbc.com/news/av/magazine-39864106/plastic-waste-turned-into-clothes-to-save-our-oceans">https://www.bbc.com/news/av/magazine-39864106/plastic-waste-turned-into-clothes-to-save-our-oceans</a>	BBC
SOLID WASTE MANAGEMENT PROJECT with changes 1 (St. Lucia)	Video	MSW	Every day we throw something away. Where does it all go? What are the issues that come with it?	<a href="https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=KjSWkg-pMA">https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=KjSWkg-pMA</a>	UNEP IETC
Waste Management and Recycling	Video	MSW		<a href="https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=HjNv iTsXn8">https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=HjNv iTsXn8</a>	Discovery Communications LLC
How San Francisco Is Becoming A Zero Waste City	Video	MSW		<a href="https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Cg30A1s8-SI">https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Cg30A1s8-SI</a>	
Making profit from waste in Ghana	Video	Innovation		<a href="https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=KNkxRfnOTh8">https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=KNkxRfnOTh8</a>	Spark Africa
E-Waste Hell	Video	WEEE		<a href="https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=dd_Z ttK3PuM">https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=dd_Z ttK3PuM</a>	SBS Dateline