

Transboundary Air Pollution: The UK NEG-TAP report 2001

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The National Expert Group on Transboundary Air Pollution reported in 2001 to the UK government with the following terms of reference:

- Quantify current exposure, deposition and effects of acidifying and eutrophying pollutants on UK ecosystems.
- Review chemical and biological trends in the UK environment.
- Quantify prospects for ecosystem recovery resulting from reductions in pollutant emissions to date and those to which the UK is committed.

This presentation will cover some of the main conclusions from the report which will form a part of the UK contribution to the EMEP assessment report.