



Green Deal Country Fiche

Venezuela

Population in 2019
28,52 million habitants

Projected population in 2050
37,02 million habitants

Surface
912,1 thousands km²

Population density (2019)
31 habitants per km²

GDP per capita
16.054,49 US\$ (2014)

Population living below 1,90 \$/day
NA

Human Development Index
0,71 (2019, UN target: >0,8)

Legend

Main Protected Areas

Land Cover Classes

Cropland rainfed

Cropland irrigated

Mosaic crops/nat.veg

Tropical dense forest

Deciduous forest

Coniferous forest

Mixed forest

Shrubland

Grassland

Sparse vegetation

Swamp forest

Mangrove

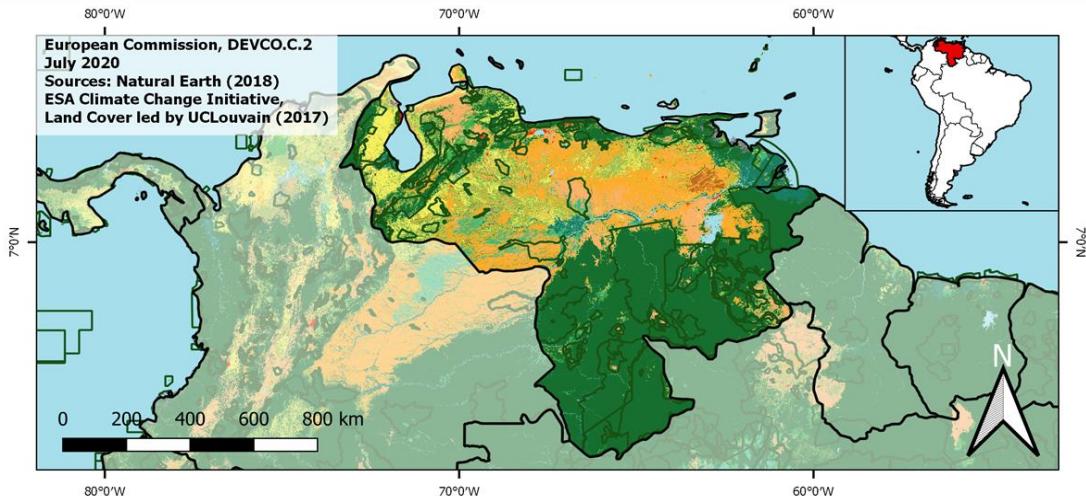
Swamps

Urban areas

Bare areas

Water bodies

Permanent snow and ice



Share of global
emissions (2018)

0,379%

NDC: Mitigation Summary

(NDC from 2018)

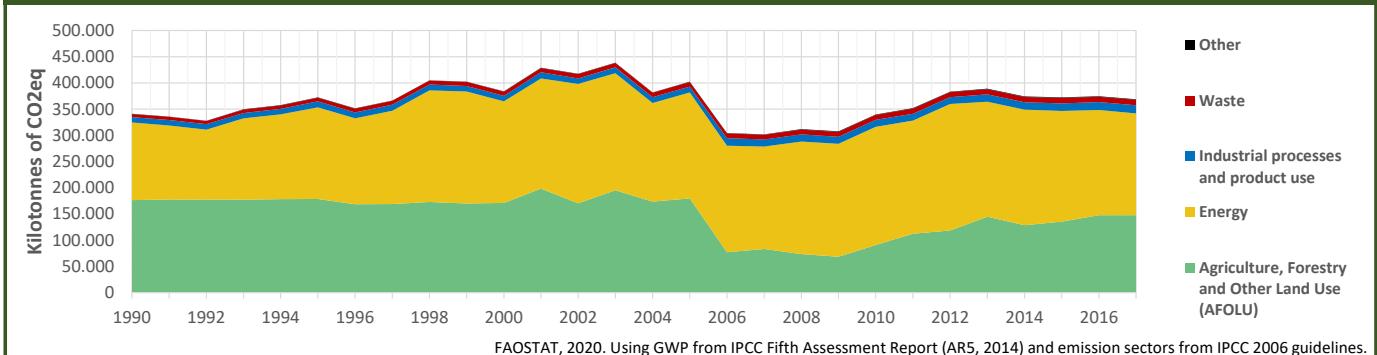
Following its National Mitigation Plan, Venezuela conditionally aspires to reduce its emissions by at least 20% by 2030 compared to a BAU scenario. Actions focus on industry, electricity, building, transportation, agriculture, water, forestry and waste.

INTPA "NDC Group"

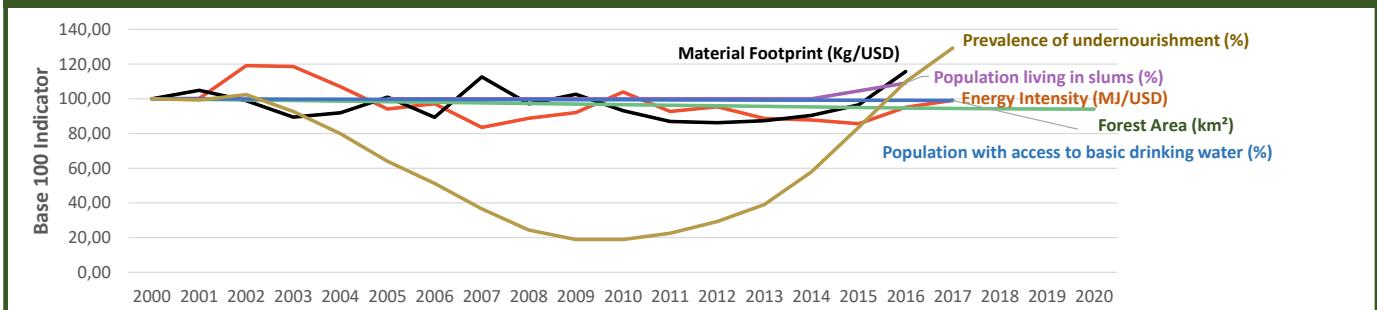
Group 2 - Suggested EU focus on both Mitigation and Adaptation

Pillar	Indicator Name and Unit	Value	Interpretation
Green, circular and low-carbon economy	Ecological footprint (Consumption in global hectares per capita, 2017)	2,28 gha/cap	Above the global sustainable threshold of 1,6 gha per capita
	Recycling and composting rate (% of total solid waste, 2017)	NA	No Data
	Water productivity (USD of GDP per m ³ of water extracted, 2017)	9,81 \$/m ³	Less water efficient than EU average, but within range of EU MS
	Material footprint (Kg of raw materials used per USD of GDP, 2010)	0,66 kg/\$	Smaller footprint than the EU-27 average of 0,97 kg/USD
	Sustainable Consumption and Production Policy Framework (2017)	D	No policy framework for SCP has been reported to the UN
Biodiversity & Forests	Change in emissions (production) vs change in GDP (2007-2017)	+26% / NA	No Data
	Terrestrial protected areas (% of total land area, 2020)	53,41%	CBD Target has been met for terrestrial ecosystems (17% by 2020)
	Threatened species (% of total evaluated species, 2019)	5,99%	Medium share of threatened species, risk missing SDG target 15.5
	Population around protected areas (% total pop., 10km buffer, 2015)	32,75%	Important share of population - consider landscape approach
	Forest area change (% change between 2015 and 2020)	-0,97 %	SDG Target 15.2 not achieved (halt deforestation by 2020)
Green and Smart Cities	Sustainable forest management (% area with long-term plan, 2020)	26,75%	Significant efforts needed to meet SDG Target 15.2 (100% by 2020)
	Employment in forestry (number of full-time equivalents, 2015)	NA	No Data
	Proportion of urban population living in slums (% in 2016)	34,90%	Further efforts needed for SDG Target 11.1 (upgrade by 2030)
	Satisfaction with public transport (% satisfied, 2018)	28,14%	Low satisfaction with public transport (UN SDSN interpretation)
	Solid waste uncollected or dumped in the open (% of total, 2017)	NA	No Data
Sustainable Energy	Wastewater receiving primary treatment (% of total)	27,00%	Significant efforts needed to ensure at least full primary treatment
	Urban air pollution (µg/m ³ of PM 2.5 particules, 2016)	16,83 µg/m ³	Within EU 2020 target (18µg/m ³), above WHO guideline (10µg/m ³)
	Alignment of national DRR strategies to Sendai Framework (0-1 Score)	NA	No Data
	Access to electricity (% of population, 2018)	100,00%	SDG Target 7.1 has been achieved
	Renewable energy (% of total energy consumption, 2016)	13,25%	Low share, increases needed to contribute to SDG Target 7.2
Food systems: from Farms to Forks	Renewable electricity (% of electricity production, 2015)	63,70%	High share of renewable electricity
	Access to clean cooking (% of total population with access, 2018)	>95%	Universal access to clean cooking has been achieved
	Fossil fuel subsidies (% of GDP, 2015)	10,46%	Among Top 10 countries with highest share of FF subsidies globally
	Energy Intensity (megajoules per constant 2011 PPP GDP, 2017)	6,02 MJ/\$	Energy Intensity above EU average, but still within range of EU MS
	Rural poverty (% of rural population below 1\$90 a day, 2018)	NA	No Data
Water & Oceans	Food security (% of population in food crisis or worse, 2019)	32,00%	Significant efforts needed to meet SDG Target 2.1 of 0% by 2030
	Nutrition (% of children under 5 who are stunted, 2019)	NA	No Data
	Fertilizer consumption (kg per hectare, 2016)	183,47 kg/ha	Above EU rate (153 kg/ha), but within range of EU MS values
	Land degradation (national area with declining productivity 1999-2013)	8,97%	Progress is still needed to meet SDG Target 15.3 of 0% by 2030
	Agriculture and FOLU share of emissions (% of CO2eq in 2017)	39,99%	Medium share of emissions - Relevant for climate mitigation

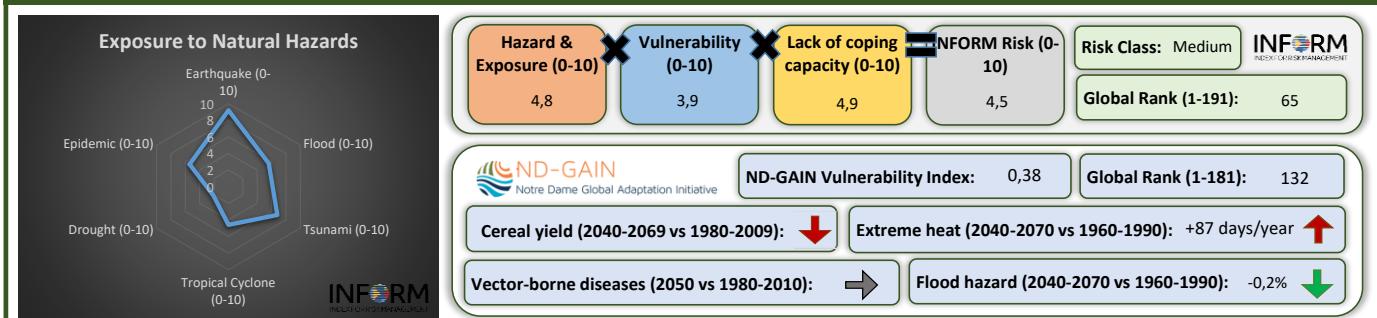
Greenhouse Gas Emission History (Production-based)



Historic Trends of selected indicators per Green Deal Pillar (Base 100)



Climate Adaptation Needs



SDG Index 2020

(UN SDSN & Bertelsmann Stiftung)



Legend:

- SDG achieved
- Challenges remain
- Significant challenges remain
- Major challenges remain
- Information unavailable