

## Russian Federation - Sakhalin

### General Information

<p>Summary</p>	<p><b>Status:</b> ETS under development</p> <p><b>Jurisdictions:</b> Sakhalin</p> <p>In January 2021, the Russian Ministry of Economic Development in cooperation with the government of the Russian region of Sakhalin approved the ‘Roadmap for the implementation of an experiment to establish special regulation of greenhouse gas emissions in the Sakhalin Region’ to regulate GHG emissions in the region. Among other measures, the roadmap foresees a pilot carbon trading system. The overall aim of the roadmap is to ensure that Sakhalin achieves carbon neutrality by 2025.</p> <p>The roadmap foresees the creation of a regional inventory of GHG emissions and removals by August 2021, which will clarify the economic activities primarily responsible for emissions in the region. By April 2022, an information system—including a carbon registry—is planned to start operating in test mode. The first transfers of carbon units between the participants of the pilot could take place as early as July 2022.</p> <p>Sakhalin is regarded as a testing ground for identifying GHG regulation measures that can be extended to other Russian regions. Measures proposed by the roadmap still need formal legal approval from the State Duma, Russia’s lower house of parliament, which is expected in June-July 2021.</p> <p>During the past decade, the Russian government has put in place legal elements for the development of an MRV system in the country. An MRV ‘Concept’ was approved by order of the Government No. 716-r in 2015, and methodological guidelines for corporate- and regional-level MRV were adopted by the Ministry of Natural Resources and Ecology. According to the Concept on MRV, the target group for monitoring and reporting is “large industrial and energy organizations and companies with direct GHG emissions of more than 150,000 tCO<sub>2</sub>e/year, including organizations of aviation and railway transport, carrying out passenger and cargo transportation.” Currently, Russian regions are urged to voluntarily develop regional inventories of GHG emissions and removals.</p>												
<p>Year in Review</p>	<p>No information available yet.</p>												
<p>Overall GHG emissions (excluding LULUCF)</p>	<p><b>Emissions:</b> 2220.1 MtCO<sub>2</sub>e (2018)</p>												
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<p>GHG reduction target</p>	<p><b>BY 2030:</b> GHG emissions will not exceed 70% of 1990 GHG levels, including LULUCF (updated Russian NDC)</p>												

Carbon Price	<i>Current Allowance Price (per t/CO<sub>2</sub>e)</i> : No information available yet.
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## ETS Size

Covered emissions	No information available yet.
GHGs covered	No information available yet.
Sectors and thresholds	No information available yet.
Point of regulation	No information available yet.
Number of entities	No information available yet.
Cap	No information available yet.

## Phases & Allocation

Trading periods	No information available yet.
Allocation	No information available yet.

## Flexibility

Banking and borrowing	No information available yet.
Offsets and credits	No information available yet.
Market Stability Provisions	No information available yet.

## Compliance

Compliance Period	No information available yet.
Monitoring, Reporting, Verification (MRV)	No information available yet.
Enforcement	No information available yet.

## Linking

Links with other systems	No information available yet.
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## Other Information

Institutions involved	Ministry of Economic Development Government of Sakhalin Region
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	Other interested federal ministries
Evaluation / ETS review	No information available yet.
Revenue	No information available yet.
Implementing Legislation	<a href="#">Roadmap for the implementation of an experiment to establish special regulation of greenhouse gas emissions in the Sakhalin Region</a>

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