

## Information on National CHM

### Maldives

National CHM	
Web address (URL)	<a href="http://www.environment.gov.mv/v2/en/">http://www.environment.gov.mv/v2/en/</a>
Title	Ministry of Environment and Energy
Brief description	<p>“Towards a Cleaner, Greener and Safer Maldives”</p> <p>The Ministry of Environment and Energy is responsible for implementing government policies, regulations, programmes and projects related to the provision of clean water and appropriate sewerage services, provision of clean and affordable energy services, provision of clean and healthy environment free from pollution, protection of the islands from coastal erosion, advocate for the rights of small islands states in the fight against climate change, mobilize finance to adapt and mitigate the negative impacts of climate change, coordinating sustainable development goals within the government, and protection and preservation of natural environment.</p> <p>The following government agencies are affiliated and functions under the direct supervision of the Ministry. Environment Protection Agency (EPA), Maldives Meteorological Service (MMS), Maldives Energy Authority (MEA), UNSECO Baa Atoll Biosphere Reserve Office (BR Office), Baa Atoll Conservation Fund.</p>
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Content management system (CMS)	Wordpress
Database system	-
Search engine	-
Available human resources for maintenance and development	3
Other comments	-

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Other national websites on biodiversity		
Web address (URL) & title	Brief description	Responsible organization
www.epa.gov.mv	Environmental Protection Agency of Maldives	Ministry of Environment and Energy
www.mrc.gov.mv	Marine Research Centre	Ministry of Fisheries and Agriculture
www.fishagri.gov.mv	Ministry of Fisheries and Agriculture	Ministry of Fisheries and Agriculture
<a href="https://www.iucn.org/regions/asia/countries/maldives/usaaid-project-regenerate-maldives">https://www.iucn.org/regions/asia/countries/maldives/usaaid-project-regenerate-maldives</a>	IUCN	Ministry of Environment and Energy
<a href="https://maldivesconservationportal.org">https://maldivesconservationportal.org</a>	Maldives Conservation Portal	Ministry of Environment and Energy

Major national organizations involved in biodiversity		
Acronym	Full name	Role
EPA	Environmental Protection Agency	Scientific Authority
MRC	Marine Research Centre	Scientific Authority
MFA	Ministry of Fisheries and Agriculture	Policy and Planning

Comments on national situation
National CHM is going to be integrated and developed into this website. It's work on going. This is just in the first stages of the website.

Strategic Vision
<p style="text-align: center;"><b>VISION</b></p> <p style="text-align: center;">To enhance and establish a information and data management system on the rich Biodiversity of Maldives</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><b>OBJECTIVE</b></p> <p style="text-align: center;">To provide a one-stop online portal to get all the Biodiversity related information of the Maldives.</p>

Roadmap				
Priority	Objective	Activity	Responsible	Requirements
1	Finishing the CHM Portal	Finalising the CHM with the help of the Consultant	MEE	OK
3	Development of National CHM	Collecting and Putting the Data together	MEE	OK

*Notes:*

- Priority: 1=urgent, 2=high, 3=medium, 4=low; 5=very low
- Objective: challenge, issue, problem to resolve
- Responsible: organization or person in charge
- Requirements: Code + text
  - OK: Can be done with existing resources
  - DR: Decision required
  - CR: Collaboration required
  - ARR: Additional resources required (support, cooperation)

Comments on roadmap

Cooperation opportunities / Type of support needed
- To comment on the CHM once it's finalized.
- Help figure out the problems.

***Thank you!***