

# Estonia – SD Indicators

## *Source document: Estonian National Strategy on Sustainable Development - Sustainable Estonia 21 (2005)*

1. number of carriers of the Estonian culture (*p. 14*)
2. degree of materialisation of the Estonian culture (in architecture, landscapes, sign environment) (*p. 14*)
3. prominence of the Estonian culture (its translatability and distribution outside of Estonia) (*p. 14*)
4. intensity of the use of Estonian culture elements (in different spheres of life (everyday communication, research, education, legislation, politics, technology, etc.) (*p. 14*)
5. capability of cultural memory (as a link between past experience and the future, openness of national culture to the new, enrichment and interpretation capability of national culture on the world's changing cultural scene, endurance of cultural memory (tradition) and applicability of cultural memory in relation to new discoveries, new spheres, new technical environment, new cultural phenomena, new relationships and modes of communication.) (*p. 14*)
6. level of financial income (per family member and structure of incomes) (*p. 18*)
7. level of consumer expenditures (per family member and structure of the expenditures (share of expenditures on basic needs)) (*p. 18*)
8. health status (*p. 18*)
9. risk of illness (*p. 18*)
10. crime rate (*p. 18*)
11. risk of unemployment (*p. 18*)
12. distribution of stress (*p. 18*)
13. actual length of working week (*p. 18*)
14. satisfaction with work (*p. 19*)
15. use of time (share of "tied" time) (*p. 19*)
16. possibilities for educational use of time (*p. 19*)
17. Gini index (*p. 24*)
18. employment rate (*p. 24*)
19. share of working population in relation to total population (*p. 24*)
20. share of households below poverty line (*p. 24*)
21. share of population covered with health insurance (*p. 24*)
22. distribution of incomes and level of poverty risk broken down by regions (*p. 24*)
23. share of school dropouts and university admissions broken down by regions (*p. 24*)
24. regional preferences in the choice of places for living and working (*p. 24*)
25. number and membership of citizen associations (*p. 24*)
26. legal drafts submitted by the third sector (*p. 24*)
27. dynamics of financing of the third sector (*p. 24*)
28. existence and compliance monitoring of resource use regulations based on continuous monitoring of the reserve and regeneration capacity of natural resources (e.g. licensing, as is currently applied in fishery); (*p. 27*)
29. share of consumption of renewable natural resources in relation to total use of natural resources (*p. 27*)
30. share of semi-natural landscapes (*p. 28*)

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31. effect of pollution charges on the organisation of production; (ratio between emissions and sinks of toxic and greenhouse gases; water quality (drinking water quality, recreational and fishery value of the sea and inland waters); (p. 28)
  32. level of waste management (degree of sorting and utilisation of waste (at least 75% of waste) (p. 28)
  33. share of packaging tax in the cost of products (p. 28)
  34. share of production based on secondary raw material) (p. 28)
  35. degree of environmental impact of the entire product life cycle (p. 28)
  36. structure of transport (share of public and rail transport) (p. 28)
  37. share of traditional land use practices (p. 28)
  38. species diversity index (p. 28)
  39. coverage of protected areas and Natura 2000 sites (no less than 10% of the territory of Estonia) (p. 28)
  40. share of lands excluded from economic use (at least 5% of the territory by the year 2010); (p. 28)
  41. investments into environmental protection (% of GDP). (p. 28)
  42. investments into environmental education (% of GDP) (p. 28)
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*Total number of indicators: 42*

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