



The System of Management and Protecting of Polish Mineral Raw Materials MIDAS

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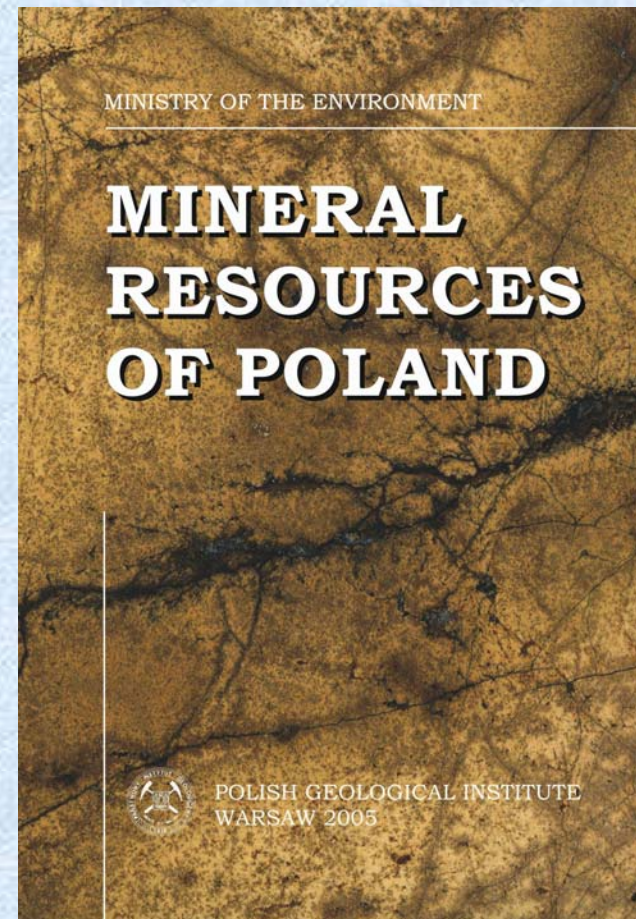
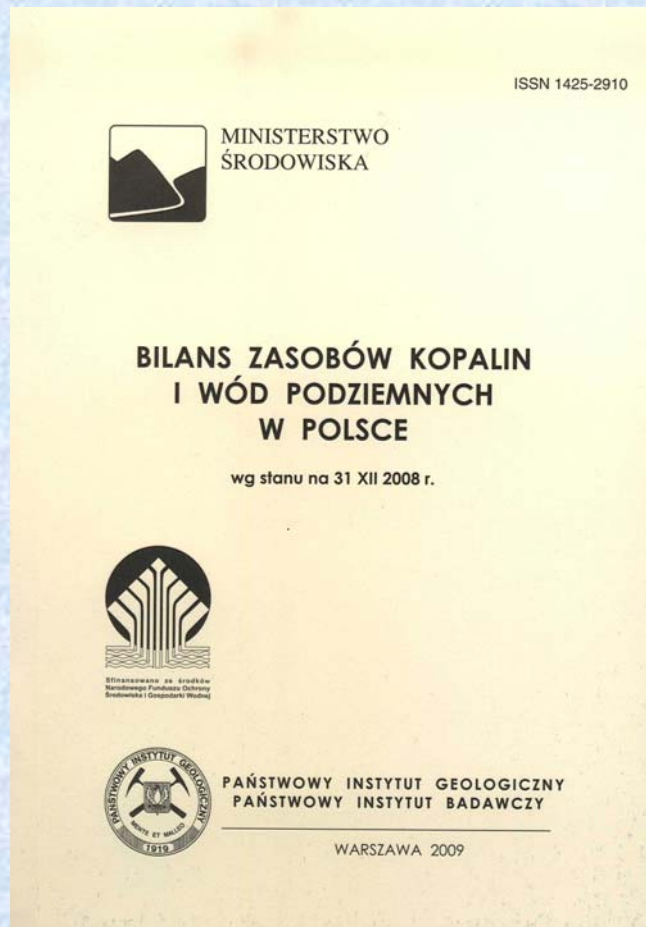


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- collects data on all of the mineral raw material deposits and resources base and on the output and developing possibilities
- is a base to prepare the paper „Bilans zasobów kopalin i wód podziemnych w Polsce” (issued annually only in Polish since 1953), which should be translated as „Annual Report of Mineral Reserves/Resources and Groundwater Resources in Poland”
- is a base to prepare the publication „Mineral Resources of Poland” (issued every five years). The terminology and classification of the resources used in this paper is an attempt to adapt the national classification to the United Nations International Framework Classification for Reserves/Resources. The next edition – October 2010.



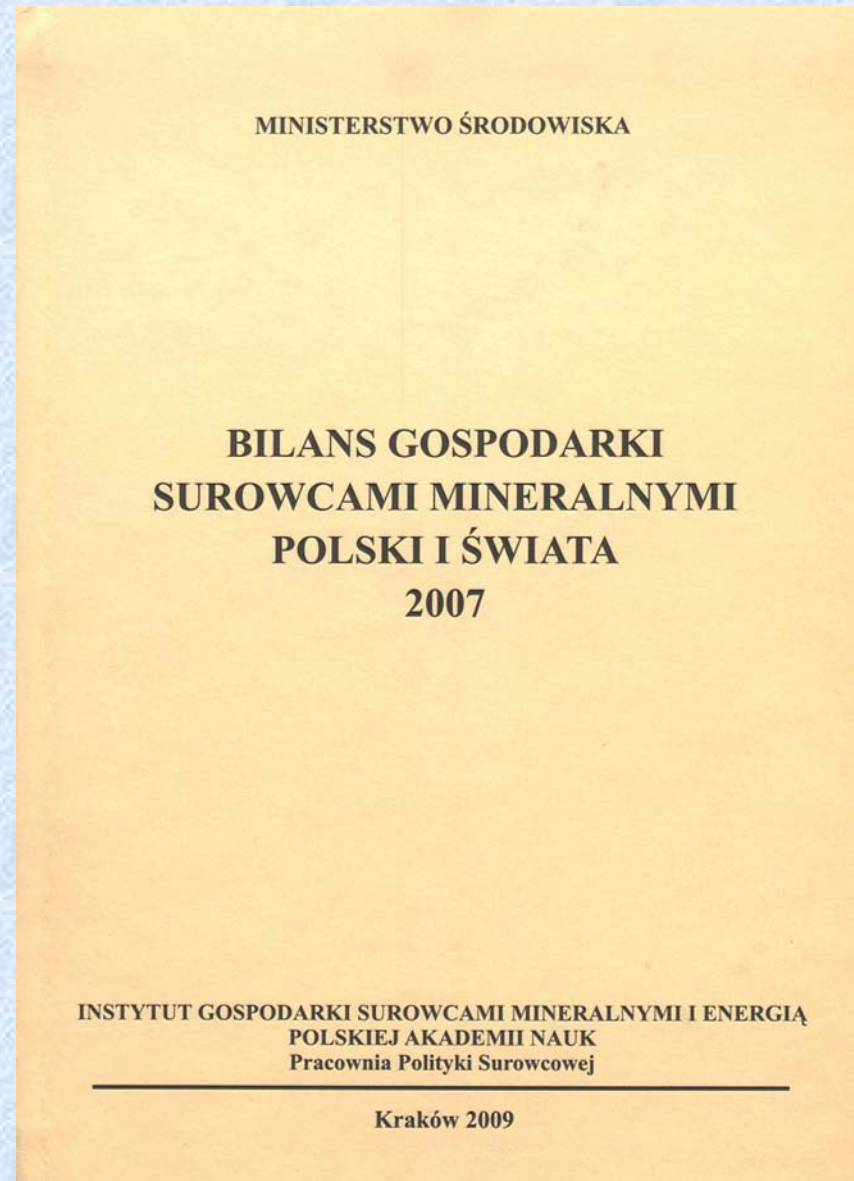
Economic Geology Department - publications



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The Minerals Yearbook of Poland

- an annual publication that reviews the mineral industry of Poland;
- contains statistical data on mineral commodities in Poland and includes information on economic and technical trends and developments;
- prepared by the Department of Mineral Policy of the Mineral and Energy Economy Research Institute at the Polish Academy of Sciences





International Workshop on „UNFC Theory and Practice”, Poland, 2010

- 21-22 June 2010, Warsaw
- Polish Geological Institute - National Research Institute
- Main topics:
 - Presentation of the latest UNFC version
 - Mapping of UNFC at the national level (e.g. Polish classification and UNFC – similarities and differences)
 - The System of Management and Protecting of Polish Mineral Raw Materials MIDAS
 - Management of mineral commodities in selected countries
 - UNFC in practice – selected deposits in Polish mining sector (documents, maps)



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