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**ECOLOGISM AS A NEW POLITICAL STREAM. THE PHILOSOPHICAL  
AND ETHICAL IMPLICATIONS**

(„Ekologizm” jako nowy nurt polityczny. Implikacje filozoficzno-etyczne)

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**Abstract;** The author tries to make an attempt to define the term „ecologism” because of its equivocality. For ones authors it is an idea, which has to be include to life to protect people and the world before extermination, whereas for others it is a contemporary variety of an ideology which could be quite dangerous for a man. The author defines it treating ecologism as a new political stream near to conservatism, liberalism and socialism.

Taking into consideration the philosophical and ethical categories using in the environmental philosophy the author explains that ecologism should be connected with the anthropocentric model for environmental ethic, than it will not be dangerous for a man. This ethical stream can also be...with the paradigm of balanced development.