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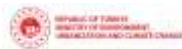
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Circular Economy and Waste Management

Ankara, 10-11 October 2024

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**WE CANNOT GO BACK TO NORMAL, BECAUSE OUR OLD NORMAL WAS THE PROBLEM.*

我們不能回復正常
因為原來的正常就是問題

Türkiye
1987

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**The Story of Scrap*

Beirut (Lebanon)

2018



Lübnan'da "Atık Yakma Tesisi" Protestosu

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**Waste Incineration Protest in Lebanon*

30 Ağustos 2018 Perşembe



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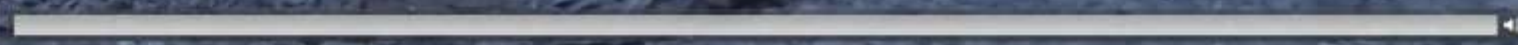
Since ages they are facing this problem still didn't solve it.

Nigel Johnson 1 ay önce

Only the Italians could find a way to BURN down an incinerator.

Ali Khd 1 ay önce

And i thought Lebanon is unique in garbage crisis



Sustainability Concept and Tools



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SÜRDÜRÜLEBİLİR SİSTEMLER (SUSTAINABLE SYSTEMS)

SC: Sustainable Consumption (Sürdürülebilir Tüketim)

SP: Sustainable Production (Sürdürülebilir Üretim)

RC: Responsible Care (UçlÜ Sorumluluk)

ALT SİSTEMLER (SUB – SYSTEMS)

ET: Environmental Technology (Çevre Teknolojileri)

EE: Environmental Engineering (Çevre Mühendisliği)

IPPC: Integrated Pollution Prevention Control (Entegre Kirlilik Önleme ve Kontrol)

IE: Industrial Ecology (Endüstriyel Ekoloji)

P2: Pollution Prevention (Kirliliğin Önlenmesi)

PSS: Product Service System (Ürün Servis Sistemi)

EMS: Environmental Management Strategy (Çevresel Yönetim Stratejileri)

PRENSİPLER (PRINCIPLES)

DE: Degradation (Bozundurma)

P: Purification (Arıtma)

RU: Reuse (Yeniden Kullanım)

RG: Regeneration (Yenilenme)

RF: Remanufacturing (Yeniden Üretim)

RE: Recycling (Geri Dönüşüm)

RP: Repair (Onarım)

RV: Recovery (Geri Kazanım)

MRU: Minimization Resource of Usage (Kaynak Kullanımının Minimize Edilmesi)

R2: Renewable Resources (Yenilenebilir Kaynaklar)

SR: Source Reduction (Kaynakta Azaltma)

FX: Factor x (Faktör- x)

PP: "Polluter Pays" principle ("Kirleten Oder" Prensibi)

HS: Health and Safety (Sağlık ve Güvenlik)

SRE: Social Responsibility (Sosyal Sorumluluk)

M: Mutualism (Kazan-kazan)

E2: Eco- efficiency (Eko-verimlilik)

EI: Ethical investment (Etik Yatırım)

R: Reporting to the Stakeholders (Paydaşlar Bilgilendirme)

EA: Environmental Accounting (Çevre Muhasebesi)

YAKLAŞIMLAR (APPROACHES)

PC: Pollution Control (Kirlilik Kontrolü)

WM: Waste Minimization (Atık Minimizasyonu)

LCA: Life Cycle Assessment (Yaşam Döngüsü Değerlendirme)

ZW: Zero Waste (Sıfır Atık)

ED: Eco-design (Eko-tasarım)

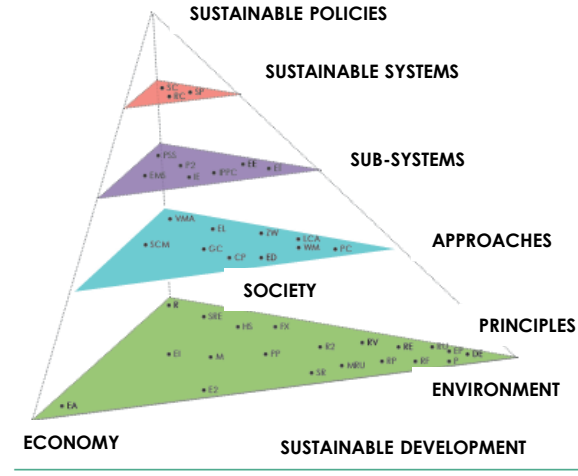
CP: Cleaner Production (Temiz Üretim)

EL: Environmental Legislation (Çevre Mevzuatı)

GC: Green Chemistry (Yeşil kimya)

VEA: Voluntary Environmental Agreement (Gönüllü Çevresel Anlaşma)

SCM: Supply Chain Management (Tedarik Zinciri Yönetimi)



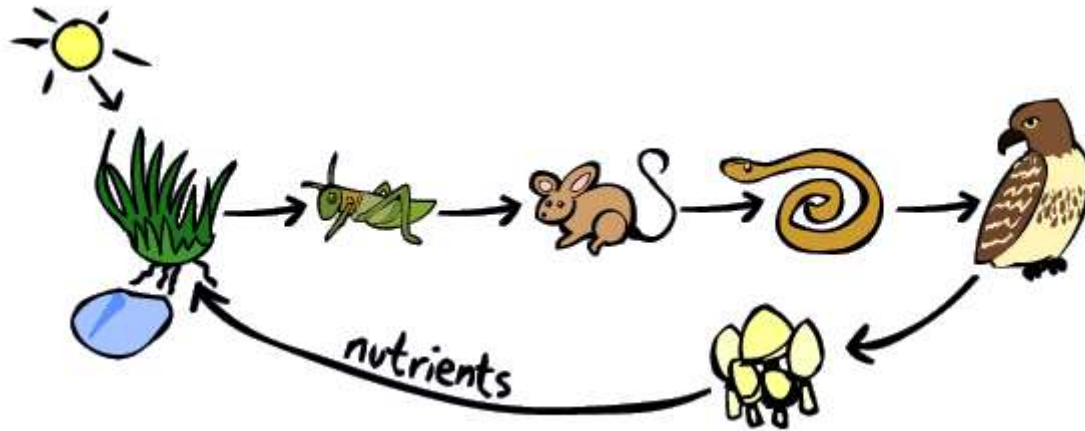
EU's Waste Management Policies and Strategies

- **Çevre Eylem Programları** (Environmental Action Programs) – 1973-2013
- **Atık Önleme ve Geri Dönüşüm Tematik Stratejisi** (Thematic Strategy on Waste Prevention and Recycling) – 2005 (Rev: 2011)
- **Doğal Kaynakların Sürdürülebilir Kullanımı Tematik Stratejisi** (Thematic Strategy on the Sustainable Use of Natural Resources) – 2005
- **Entegre Ürün Politikası** (Integrated Product Policy) (IPP) – 2003
- **Sürdürülebilir Tüketim ve Üretim / Sürdürülebilir Sanayi Politikası Eylem Planı** (Sustainable Consumption and Production and Sustainable Industrial Policy (SCP/SIP) Action Plan) – 2008
- **Döngüsel Ekonomi Eylem Planı** (Circular Economy Action Plan) – 2015 ve 2020



NATURE IS CIRCULAR!

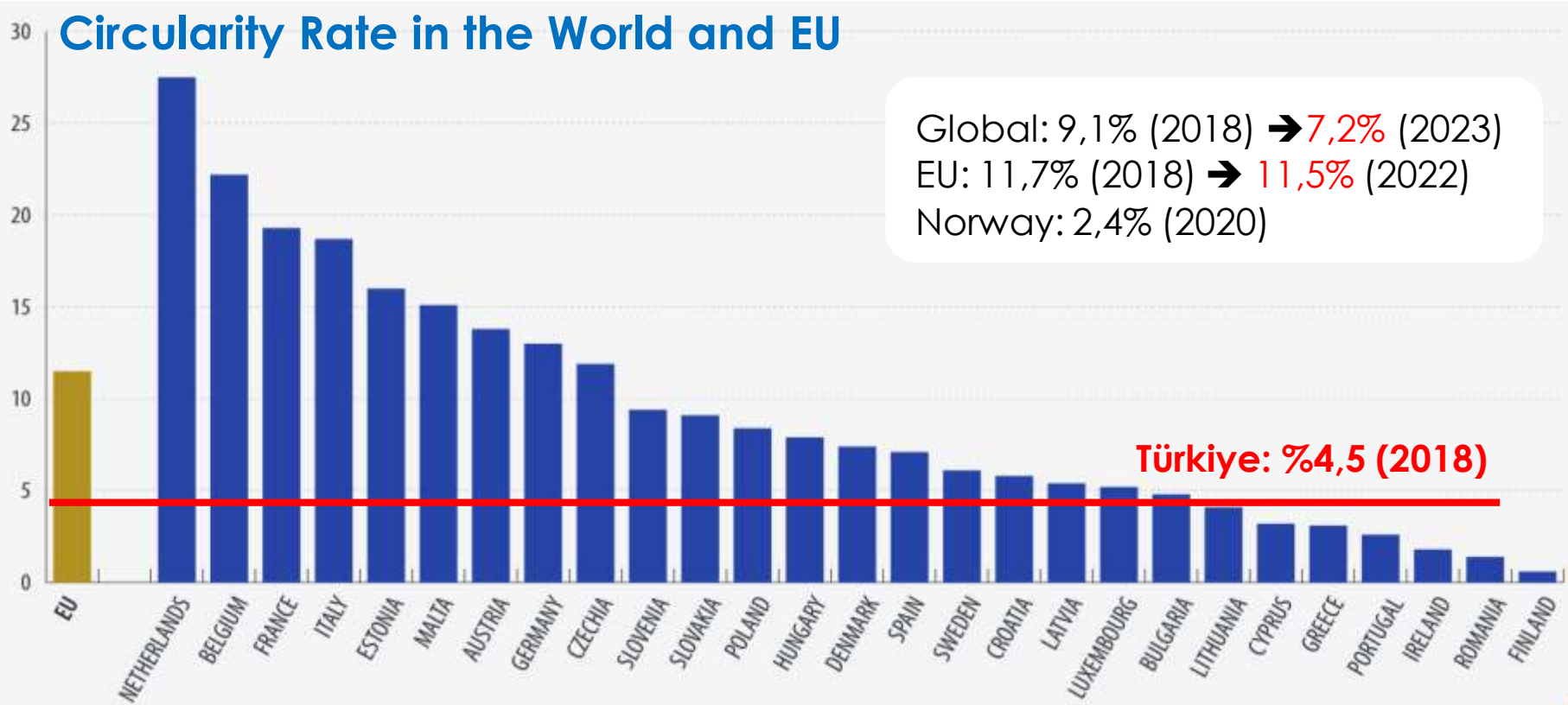
In an ideal world, almost everything would be reused, recycled or valorized to produce other outputs.



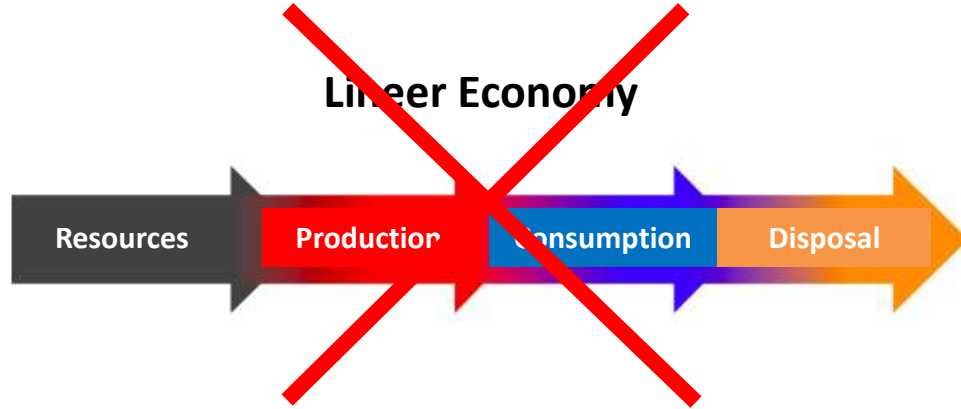
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Circularity Rate in the World and EU

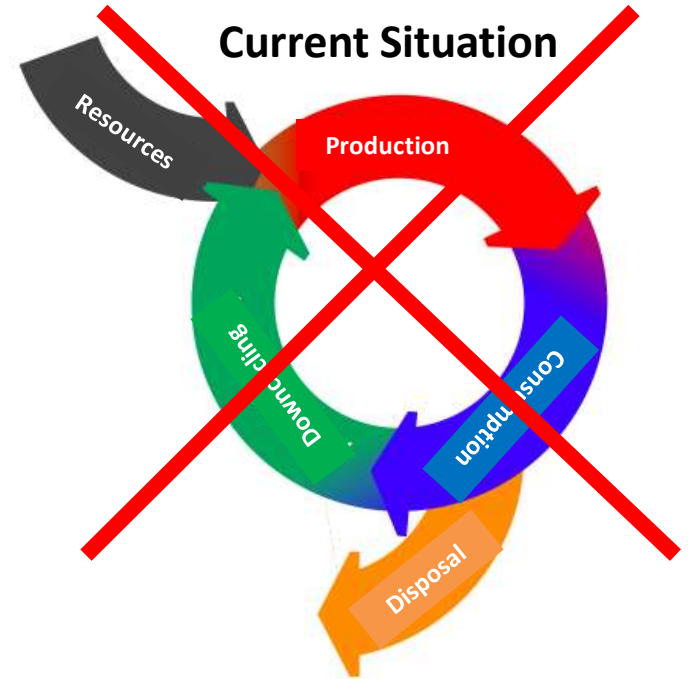


What is Circular Economy?



Linear Economy

Take-Make-Waste economy
Energy entirely from fossil fuels

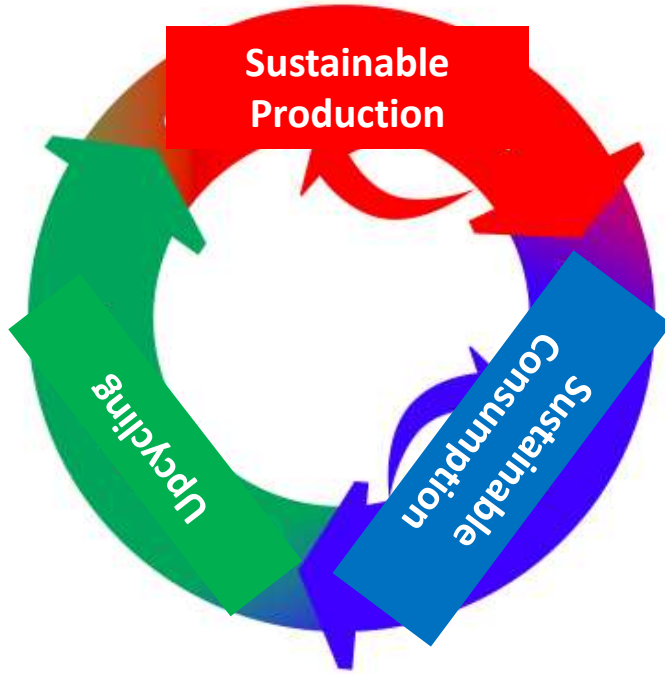


Current Situation

Recycling rates and quality are low
High disposal rates
High use and waste of natural resources
Energy largely from fossil fuels

What is Circular Economy?

Circular Economy

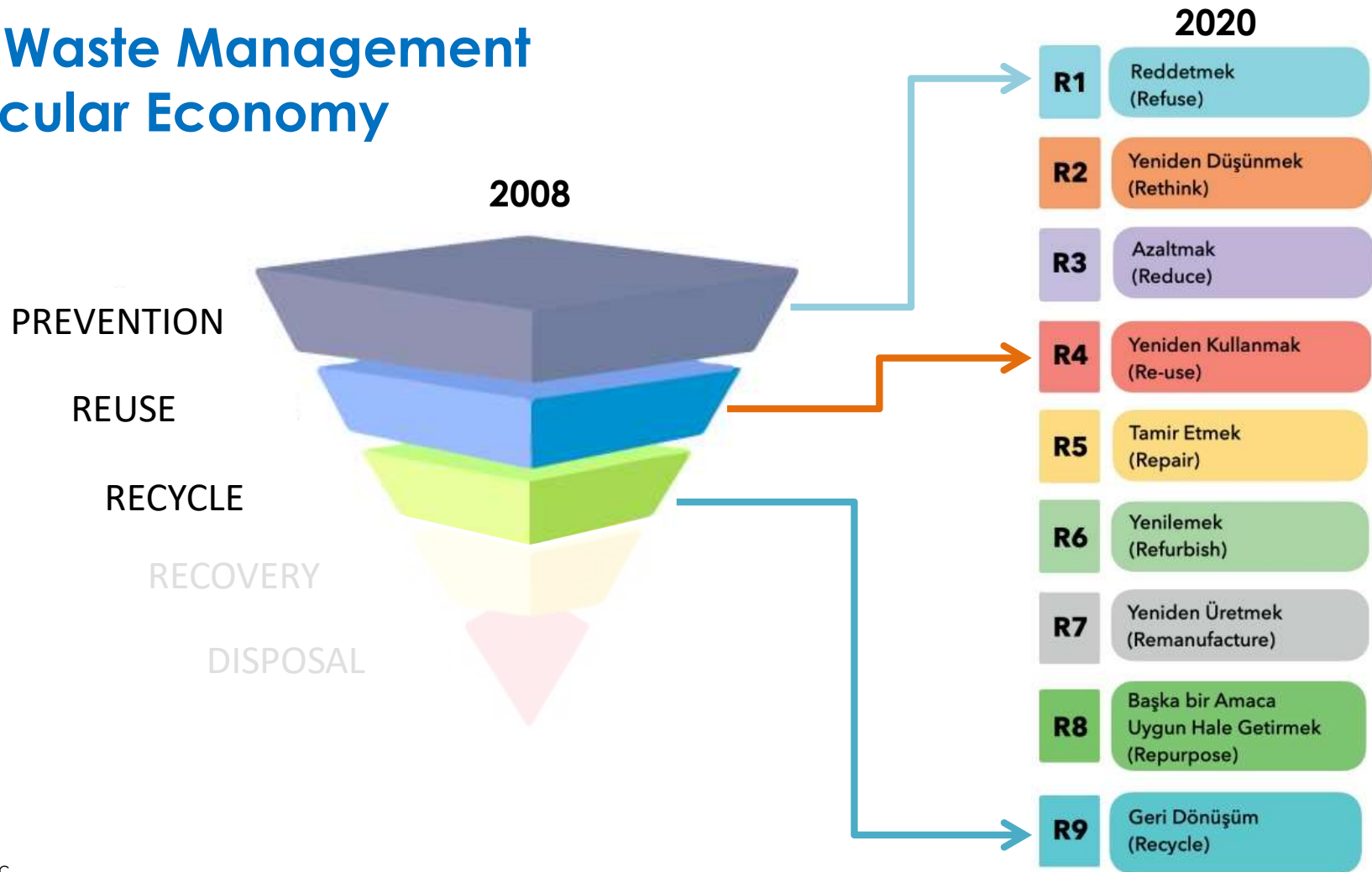


Maximizing the life of products, materials and natural resources

The Circular Economy aims to redesign products and production processes, minimize waste and turn unused materials into resources.

Recycling rates and quality are high.
Disposal is almost non-existent.
Energy from renewable sources.

From Waste Management to Circular Economy

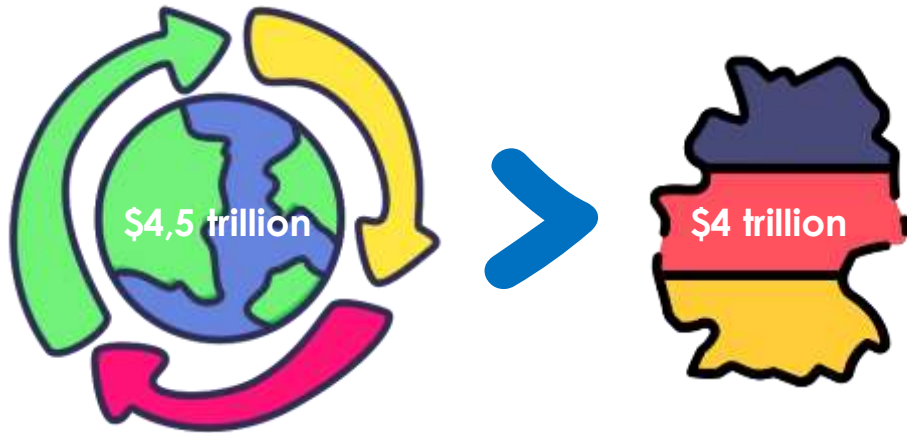


Source: EC, 2020c

The Return on Closing the Loop!

It is estimated that the Circular Economy could generate global growth of **\$4.5 trillion by 2030**.

This is **4-5%** of the projected **global economy**, more than the entire German economy today (the 4th largest economy in the world).



New Industrial Revolution?

FMCG sector

With packaging optimization
\$110 billion growth



Energy sector

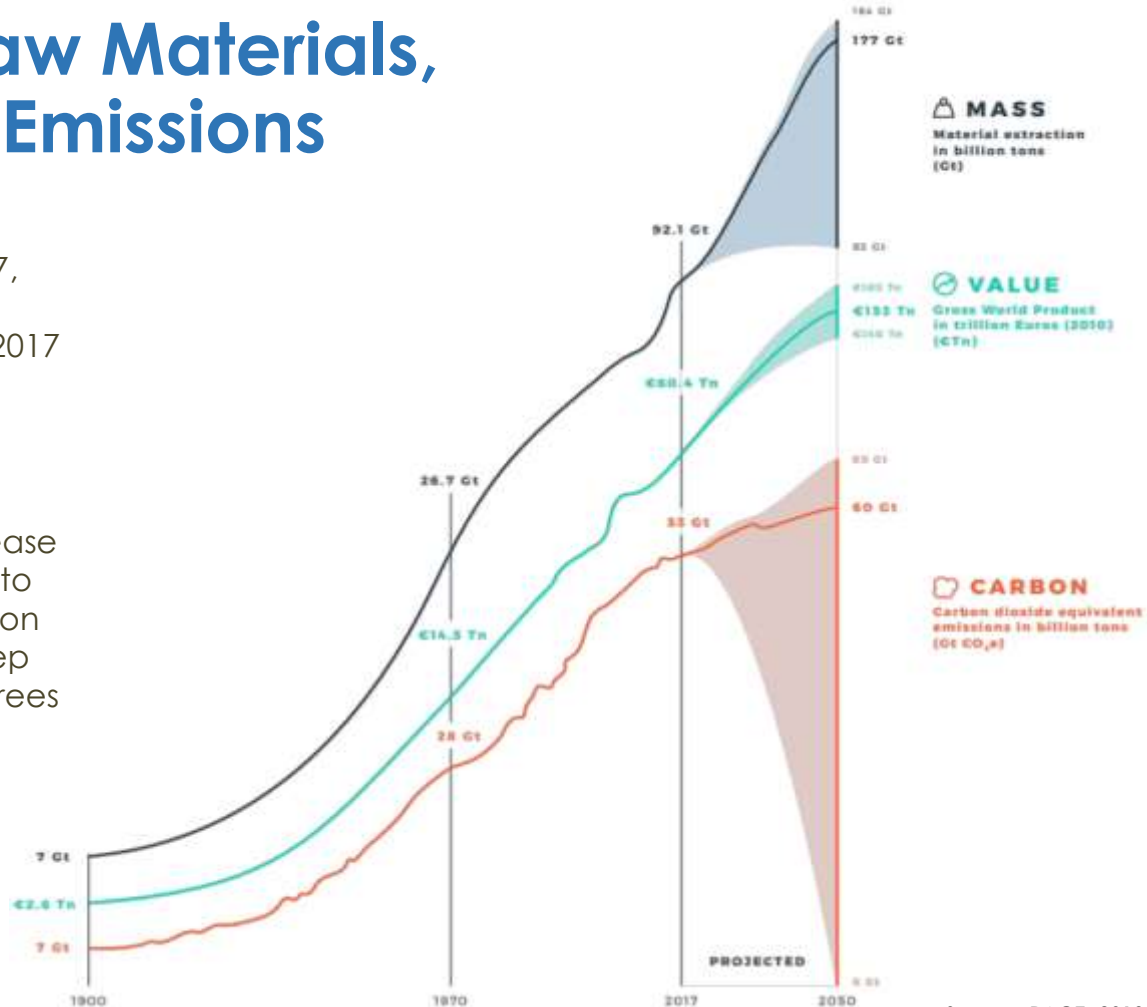
Switching to electricity
generation with renewables
\$250 billion growth



Relation between Raw Materials, Economy and GHG Emissions

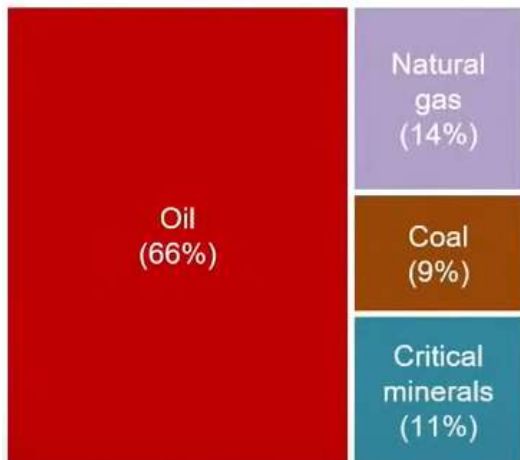
- Raw material extraction increased;
from 7 Gt in 1900 to 92.1 Gt in 2017,
- Global economic size increased;
from €2.6 Tn in 1900 to €60.4 Tn in 2017
- Greenhouse gases increased;
from 7 Gt in 1900 to 53 Gt in 2017

- Between 2017 and 2050, the rate of increase in greenhouse gas emissions is projected to decrease. However, the projected emission values are far above the threshold to keep the temperature increase below 1.5 degrees Celsius of the Paris Agreement.

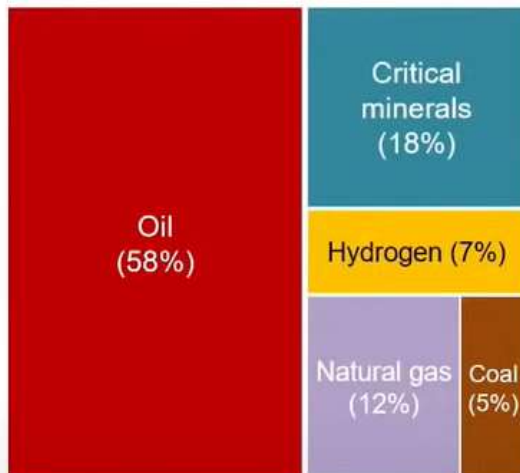


Value of Energy Related Raw Material Trade (2019 – 2050)

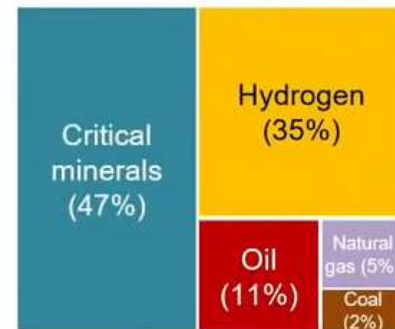
2019
\$1,5 trillion



2050: Existing Commitments
\$1,5 trillion

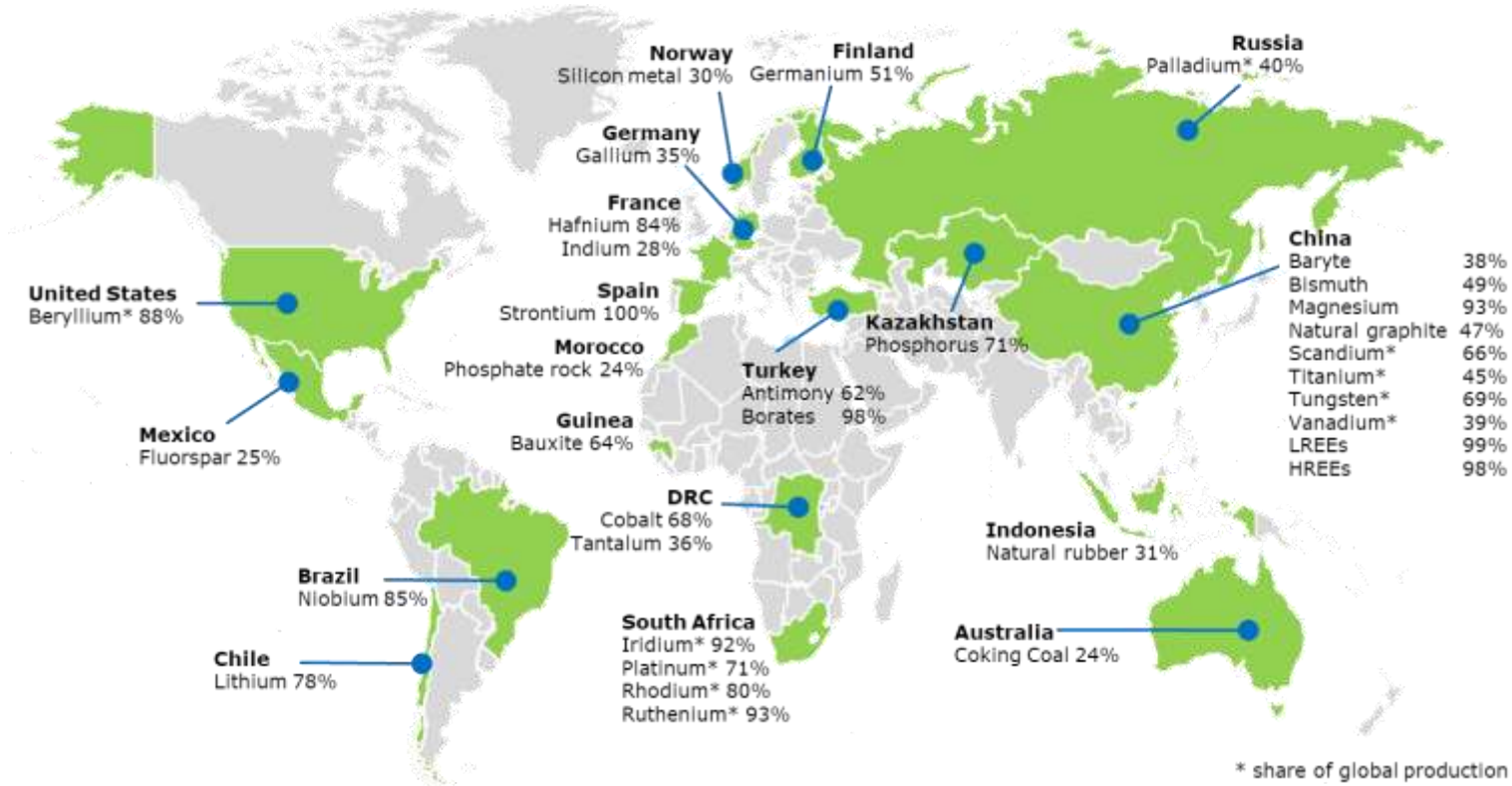


2050: Net Zero Scenario
\$0,9 trillion

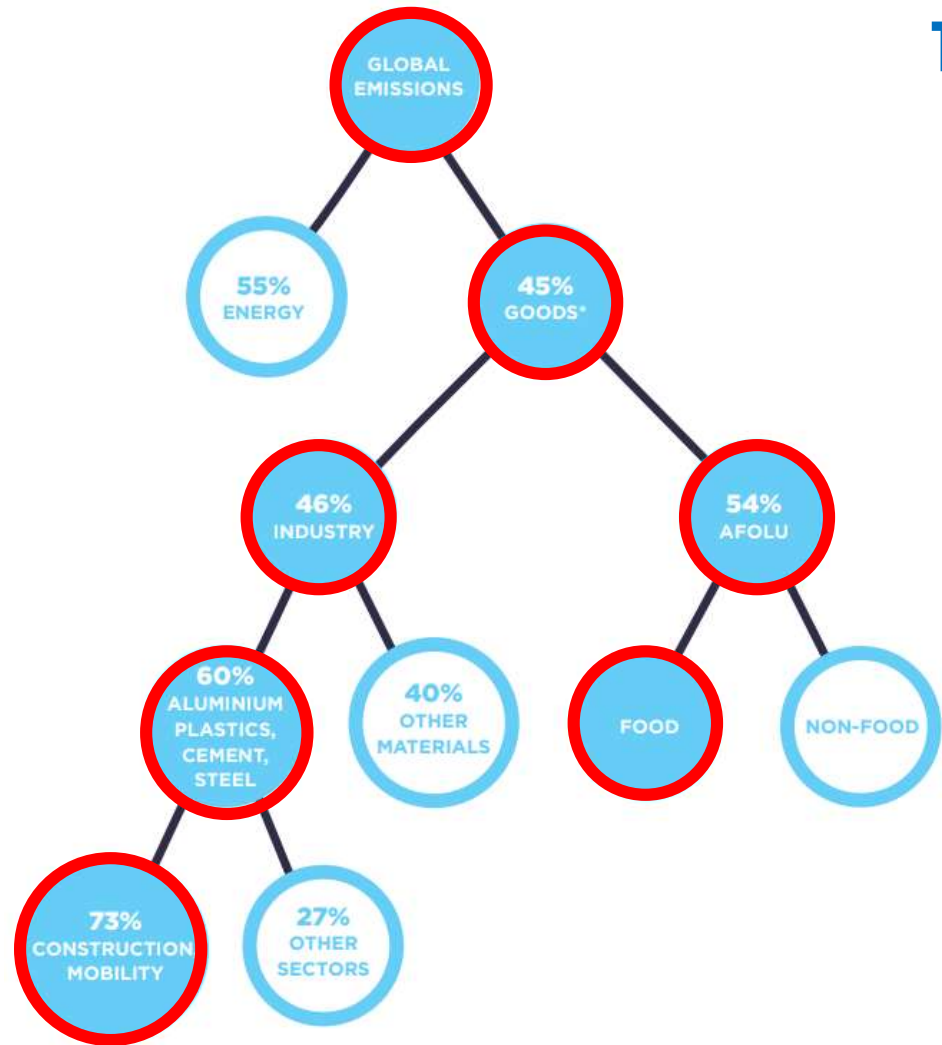


Critical Raw Material

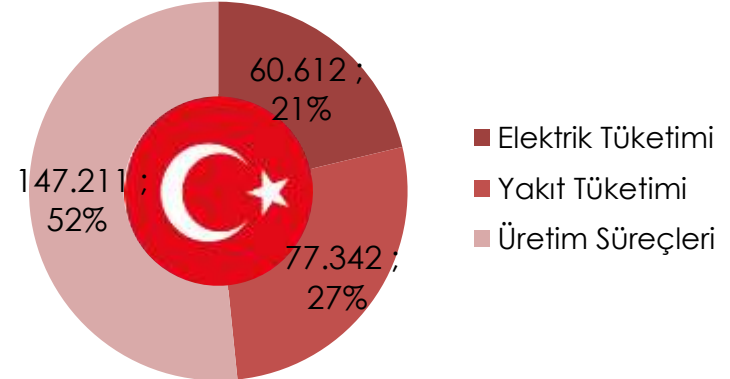
EU's top suppliers of critical raw materials



Tackling Climate Change & Circular Economy



Türkiye'nin 2021 yılı ulusal sera gazı emisyonlarına bakıldığında toplam 564.390 ton CO₂eş emisyonun yaklaşık **%51**'ine denk gelen **285.165 tonluk** kısmı ürün üretiminden kaynaklanmakta ve **döngüsel ekonomi ile azaltım potansiyeli** barındırmaktadır.



What Does the EU Circular Economy Strategy Bring?

Maximizing the life of products, materials and natural resources

At EU scale;

- **€600 billion** in annual economic gains (8% of EU turnover)
- **500 million tons of CO₂e** emission recovery in 2035
- Create **170,000 jobs** in waste management in 2035, totalling **580,000 jobs**
- **€465 annual savings** per household on **electricity bills** in 2020
- **20% reduction of raw material requirement** in production
- **3% increase in GDP**



Challenging Targets!

Recycling 65% of household waste by 2035,

(Interim Targets: 2025 - 55%, 2030 - 60%)

Landfilling of maximum 10% of household waste by 2035,

Recycling 70% of packaging waste by 2030,

- 55% of plastic packaging waste,
- 30% of wood packaging waste,
- 80% of ferrous metal packaging waste,
- 60% of aluminium packaging waste,
- 75% of glass packaging waste,
- 85% of paper/cardboard packaging waste



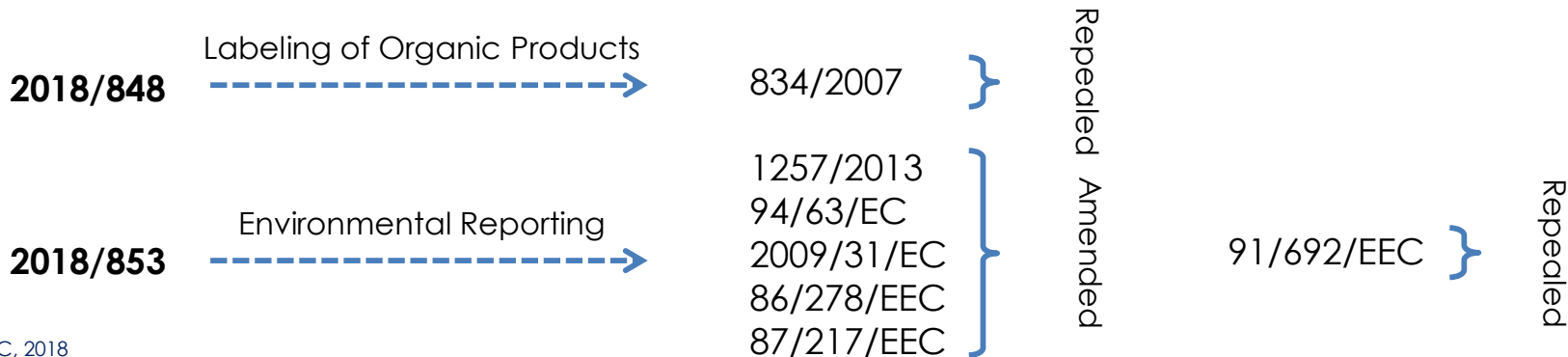
2018 EU Circular Economy Package Revisions

Published on June 14, 2018, entered into force 20 days later.

Directives



Decision Regulation



Single Use Plastics Directive (2019)



By 2030, implementation of the single-use plastics directive will save **2.6 million tons of CO₂e**

The equivalent of **€11 billion** of environmental damage avoided.

For **consumers**, savings of around **€6.5 billion**.

Around **€2 billion in compliance** and **€0.5 million in waste management costs** for businesses

As an additional measure, the integration of a **Deposit Return** or equivalent system would further reduce the amount of plastic waste going to sea at an acceptable extra cost (**around €1.4 billion**).

EU Ecodesign Regulations

10 EU Eco-Design Regulation October 1, 2019

- C(2019) 2120 – [ecodesign for household refrigerators and annexes](#)
- C(2019) 2121 – [ecodesign for light sources and annexes](#)
- C(2019) 2122 – [ecodesign for electronic displays and annexes](#)
- C(2019) 2123 – [ecodesign for dishwashers and annexes](#)
- C(2019) 2124 – [ecodesign for washing machines and washer-driers and annexes](#)
- C(2019) 2125 – [ecodesign for motors and annexes](#)
- C(2019) 2126 – [ecodesign for external power supplies and annexes](#)
- C(2019) 2127 – [ecodesign for refrigerators with a direct sales function and annexes](#)
- C(2019) 5380 – [ecodesign for power transformers and annexes](#)
- C(2019) 6843 – [ecodesign for welding equipment and annexes](#)

- **7 or 10 years** spare parts production obligation
- Obligation to supply spare parts **in 15 days**
- Parts can be replaced with **ordinary repair tools** without damaging the device

By 2030;

- **167 TWh energy savings** (Denmark's annual energy consumption)
- **46 million tons of CO₂e** emission reduction
- **727 million m³/year** water savings
- Annual savings of **€150** per household

Green Deal and New CEAP

New Circular Economy Action Plan (CEAP) - March 2020



- Plan, 2019 yılı sonunda Madrid'de düzenlenen COP 25'te açıklanan Avrupa'nın "**Yeşil Mutabakat**" isimli büyüme stratejisinin temel bileşenlerinden birini oluşturmaktadır.
- Komisyon, **küresel sera gazı salımlarının yarısının hammadde çıkarma ve üretim kaynaklı** olduğunu, Avrupa'nın karbon-nötr hedefine 2050'de ulaşmasının, **döngüsel bir ekonomiye geçmeden mümkün olmadığını** belirtmektedir.
- Plan, Yeşil Düzenin öngördüğü radikal dönüşümü hızlandırmayı ve 2015'ten bu yana uygulanan eylemleri ileri taşımayı hedeflemektedir. Buna yönelik olarak birbiriyle ilişkili **bir dizi girişim** sunmaktadır.

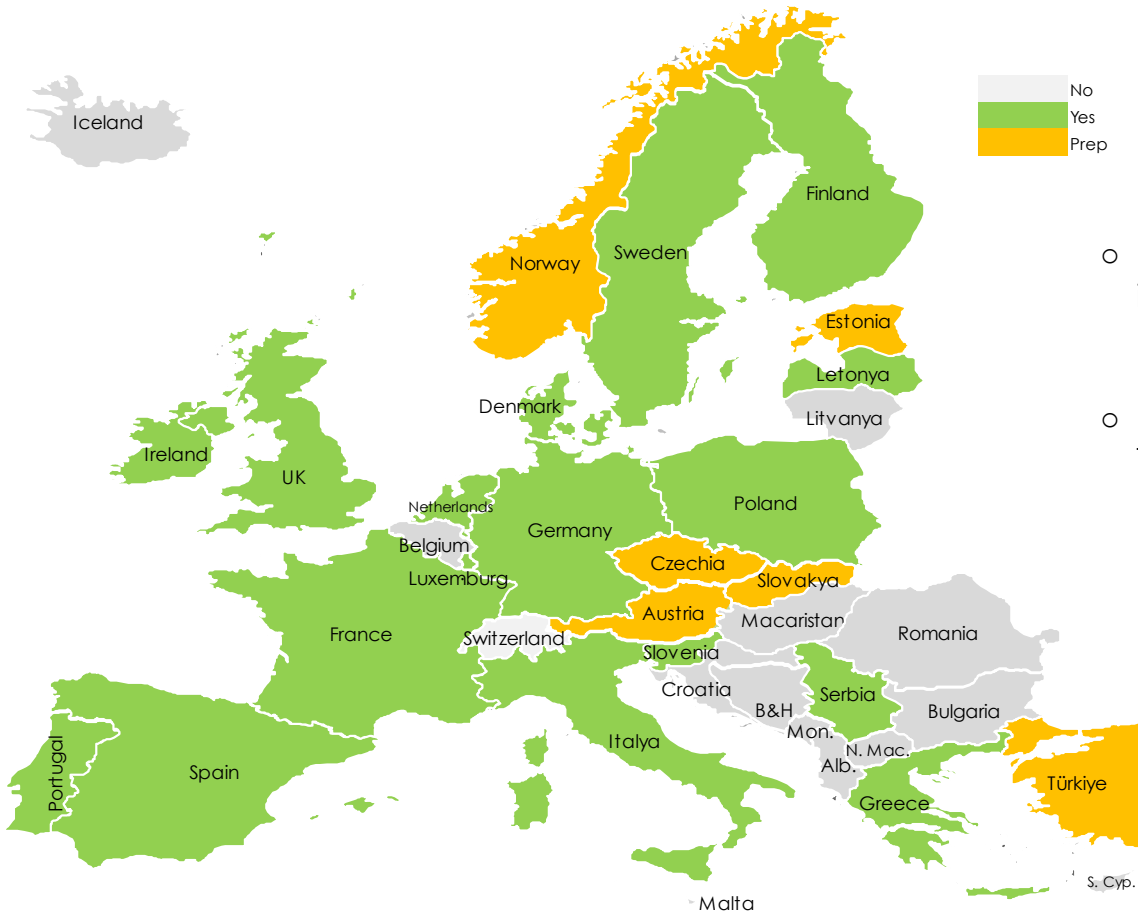
New EU Circular Economy Action Plan

7 Action Areas - 35 Actions

1. **Sustainable Product Policy** (right to repair, product as a service, digital product passport etc.)
2. **Key Product Value Chains**
 - Electronic and ICT
 - Battery and Vehicle
 - Packaging
 - Plastic
 - Textile
 - Construction and Building
 - Food, Water and Nutrition
3. **Less Waste, More Value** (reduction targets, ending waste exports etc.)
4. **Horizontal Actions** (Climate Change, Economic Instruments, Digitalization etc.)
5. **Circular Jobs, Regions and Cities** (4 million jobs, up 5% from 2012-18)
6. **Küresel Ölçekte Öncü Çabalar** (Global Plastics Agreement etc.)
7. **Monitoring** (National CEAP, Resource Utilization Indicators etc.)



National CEAP and Strategies in the EU



- 15 countries have prepared and started to implement their national strategies and action plans.
- 7 countries are continuing their work including Türkiye

National Circular Economy Strategy and Action Plan

PROCESS

- **Market Survey and Institutional Visits (gaps, needs, solutions)**
 - Bilateral meetings with **86** and surveys to **133** institutions/organizations/units
- **Circular Economy Workshops**
 - Participation from the public and private sectors **198** physically and **175** remotely
- **Benchmarking Analysis and General Assessment Report**
- **Sectoral Impact Assessment (SIA) Study**
- **Strategy and Action Plan Development Workshops**
 - **125** representatives of institutions/organizations
- **Specialized Working Group (SWG) Meetings**



VISION

Türkiye with net zero emissions by 2053 through a Türkiye-specific circular economy model that extends product life, reduces raw material use and waste generation

6 Strategic Areas, 23 Key Objectives, 56 Actions

National Circular Economy Strategy and Action Plan

6 Strategic Areas



National Circular Economy Strategy and Action Plan

23 Key Objectives

Eco-design
New Initiatives
Industrial
production
processes

Packaging
Battery and Vehicle
Building
Electronic and ICT
Food and Biomass
Plastic
Textile

Waste shipment
Economic instruments
National legislation
SRM and Industrial
Symbiosis
Digitalization
Zero Waste

Professional skills
and qualifications
Circular regions
and cities
Collaboration and
awareness

Fair transition
Taxonomy and
financing
Institutional and
technical infrastructure
Investment and
incentive mechanisms

Circular economy
indicators

National Circular Economy Strategy and Action Plan

Of the **56 actions** under the action plan, **25 are legislative** and **31 are non-legislative** (infrastructure, technology and innovation, institutional structure and cooperation, and financing and economic instruments).

56 Actions

Name of the Institution (40 Institutions/Stakeholders)	Number of Actions	
	Responsible/Coordinating Organization	Related Institutions and Stakeholders
Ministry of Environment, Urbanization and Climate Change	22	28
Ministry of Industry and Technology	9	31
Ministry of Agriculture and Forestry	6	13
Ministry of Trade	5	36



Circular Economy Standards (59000 Family)

ISO 59004 - Vocabulary, principles and guidance for implementation

ISO 59010 - Guidance on the transition of business models and value networks

ISO 59020 - Measuring and assessing circularity performance

ISO 59040 - Product circularity data sheet

ISO 59014 - Sustainability and traceability of the recovery of secondary materials - Principles, requirements and guidance

ISO 59031 - Performance-based approach – Analysis of cases studies

ISO 59032 - Review of existing value networks

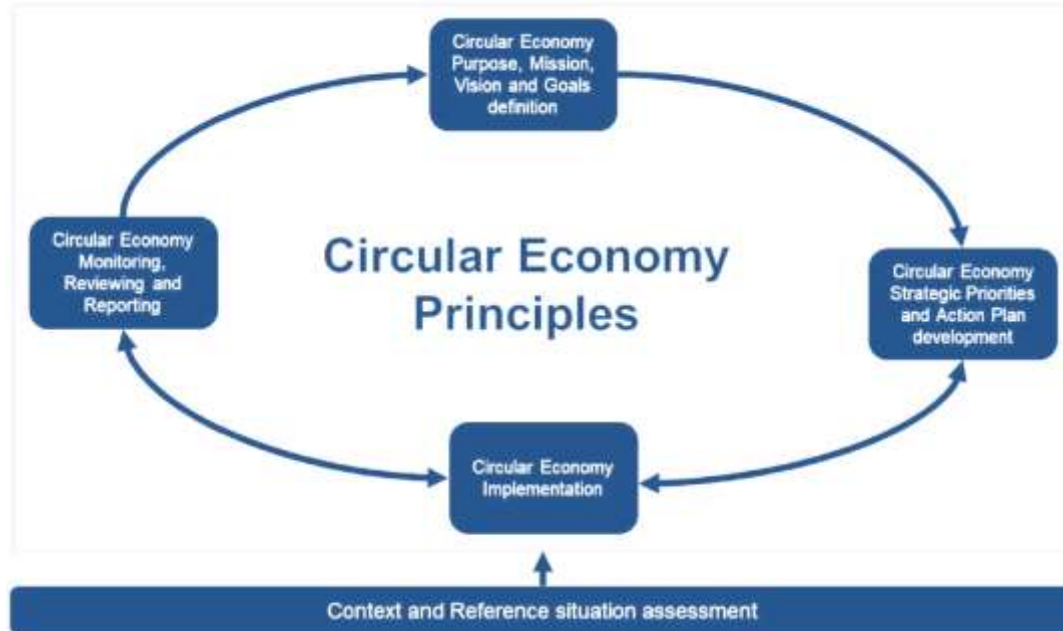
Lack of information and standards will no longer be an excuse for organizations still using the linear production and consumption model.



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ISO 59004 - Vocabulary, principles and guidance for implementation

Circular economy: Economic system that uses a systemic approach to maintain a circular flow of resources by recovering, retaining or adding to their value, while contributing to sustainable development.



Monitoring Circularity

- **EU Eurostat** | 28 Indicators since 2018
- **France** | 11 Indicators since 2017
- **The Netherlands** | 21 Indicators since 2018
- **Türkiye** | Planned to be developed in 2027 (22 Indicators?)

Circular economy monitoring framework

1 A-B MATERIAL CONSUMPTION

Material footprint and resource productivity

2 GREEN PUBLIC PROCUREMENT

Share of major public procurement that includes environmental requirements

3 A-F WASTE GENERATION

Total waste generation, total waste generation (excluding major mineral waste) per GDP unit, municipal waste generation, food waste, generation of packaging waste and of plastic packaging waste

6 A-B CONTRIBUTION OF RECYCLED MATERIALS TO RAW MATERIAL DEMAND

Secondary raw materials share of overall materials demand – for the whole economy and for specific materials

7 A-C TRADE IN RECYCLABLE RAW MATERIALS

Imports, exports and intra EU trade of selected recyclable raw materials



4 A-B OVERALL RECYCLING RATES

Recycling rate of municipal waste and of all waste except major mineral waste

5 A-C RECYCLING RATES FOR SPECIFIC WASTE STREAMS

Recycling rate of overall packaging waste, of plastic packaging waste end of WEEE separately collected

8 A-C PRIVATE INVESTMENTS, JOBS AND VALUE ADDED RELATED TO CIRCULAR ECONOMY SECTORS

Private investments, number of persons employed and gross value added related to the circular economy

9 INNOVATION

Patents on waste and recycling

10 A-B GLOBAL SUSTAINABILITY

Consumption footprint and GHG emissions from production activities

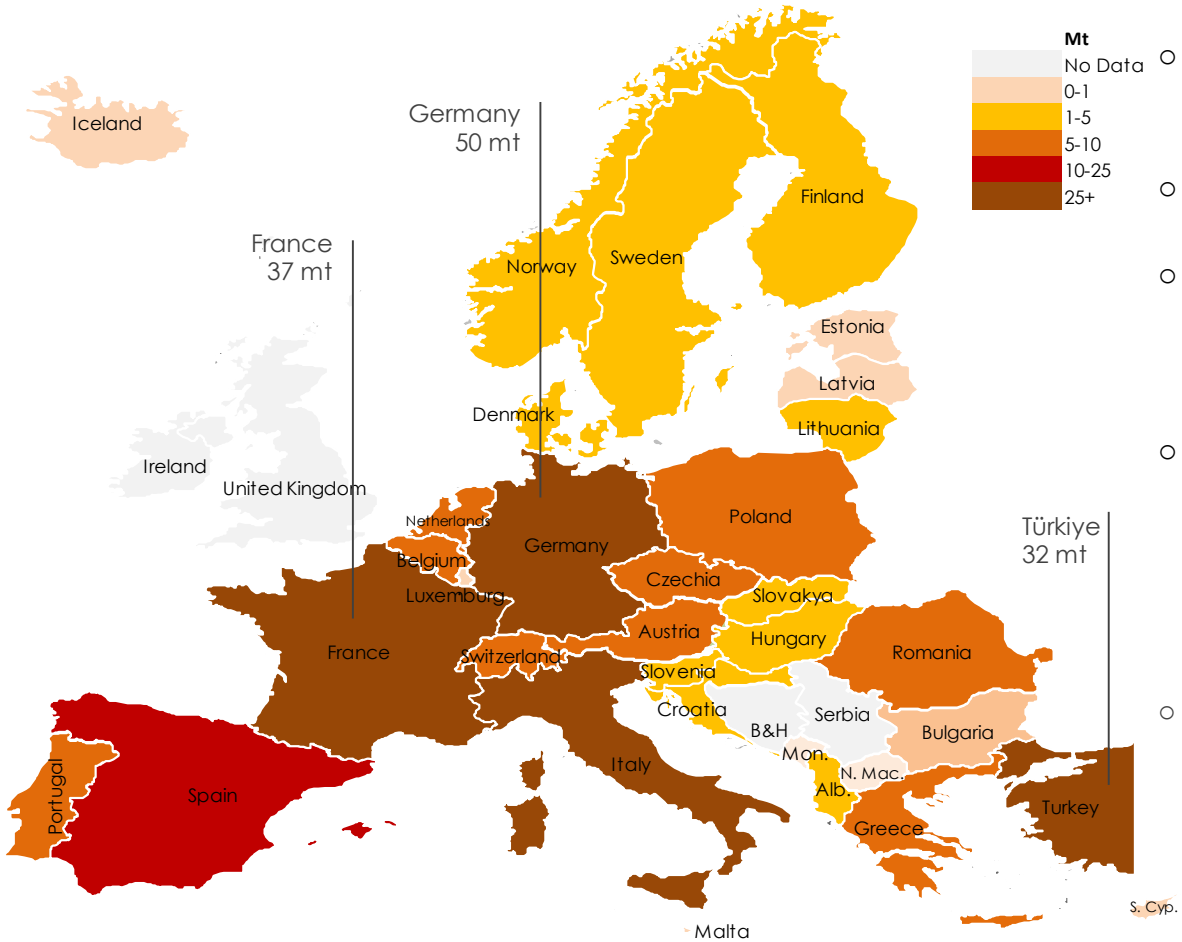
11 A-B RESILIENCE

Material import dependency and EU self-sufficiency for raw materials

Key indicator trends

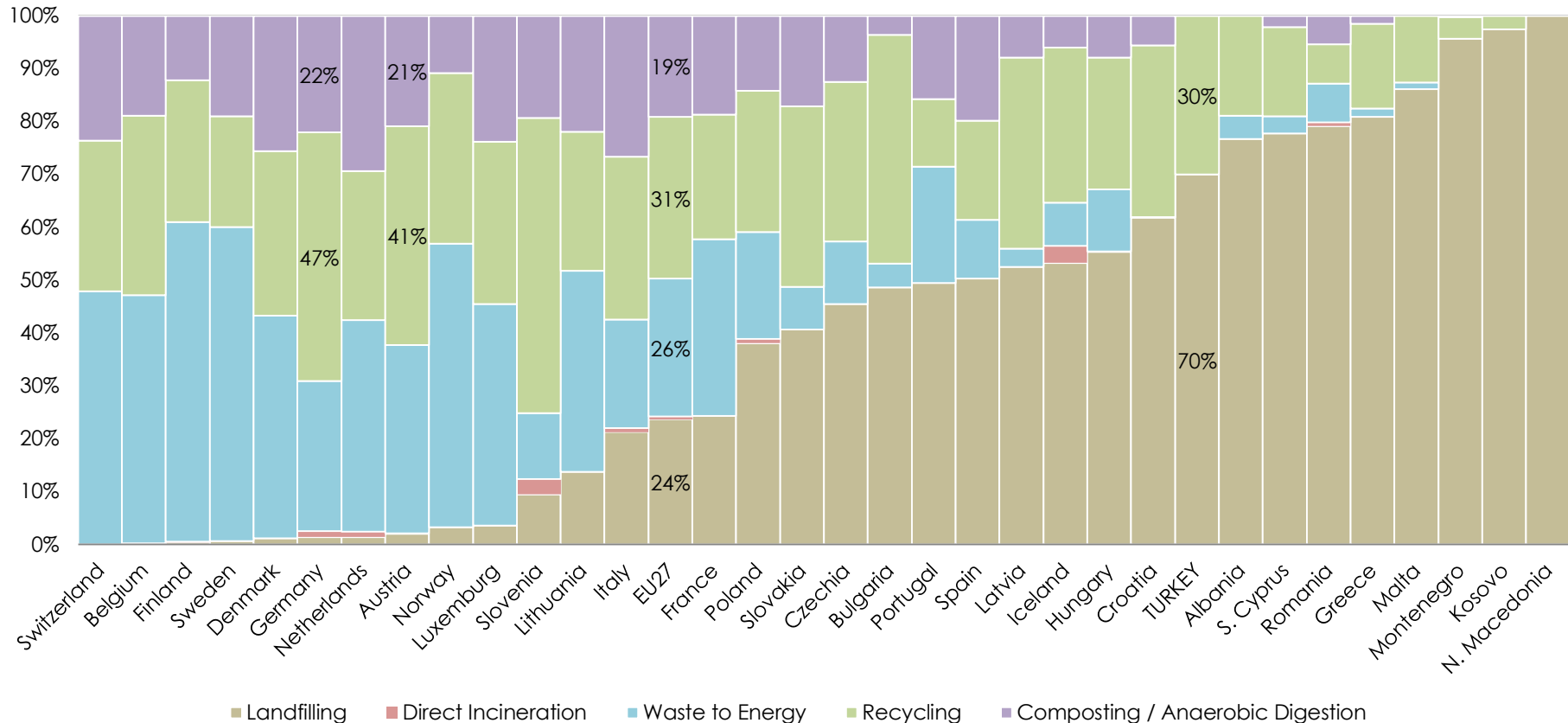


Municipal Waste Generation in the EU and Türkiye (2022)



- In 2022, a total of **229 million tons (mt)** of **household waste** was generated in the EU27.
- In the EU, there was a **3.4% reduction** in 2021 to 2022.
- EU countries with the highest waste generation
 - Germany 50 mt
 - France 37 mt.
- In the same year, **32 million tons of household waste** was generated in Türkiye. In the same period, the amount of household waste generated in Türkiye decreased by **7.4%**.
- *Data for Bulgaria, Czechia, Greece, Italy, Latvia, Austria, Portugal, Finland, Iceland, are for 2021.*

Municipal Waste Management in the EU and Turkey (2022)



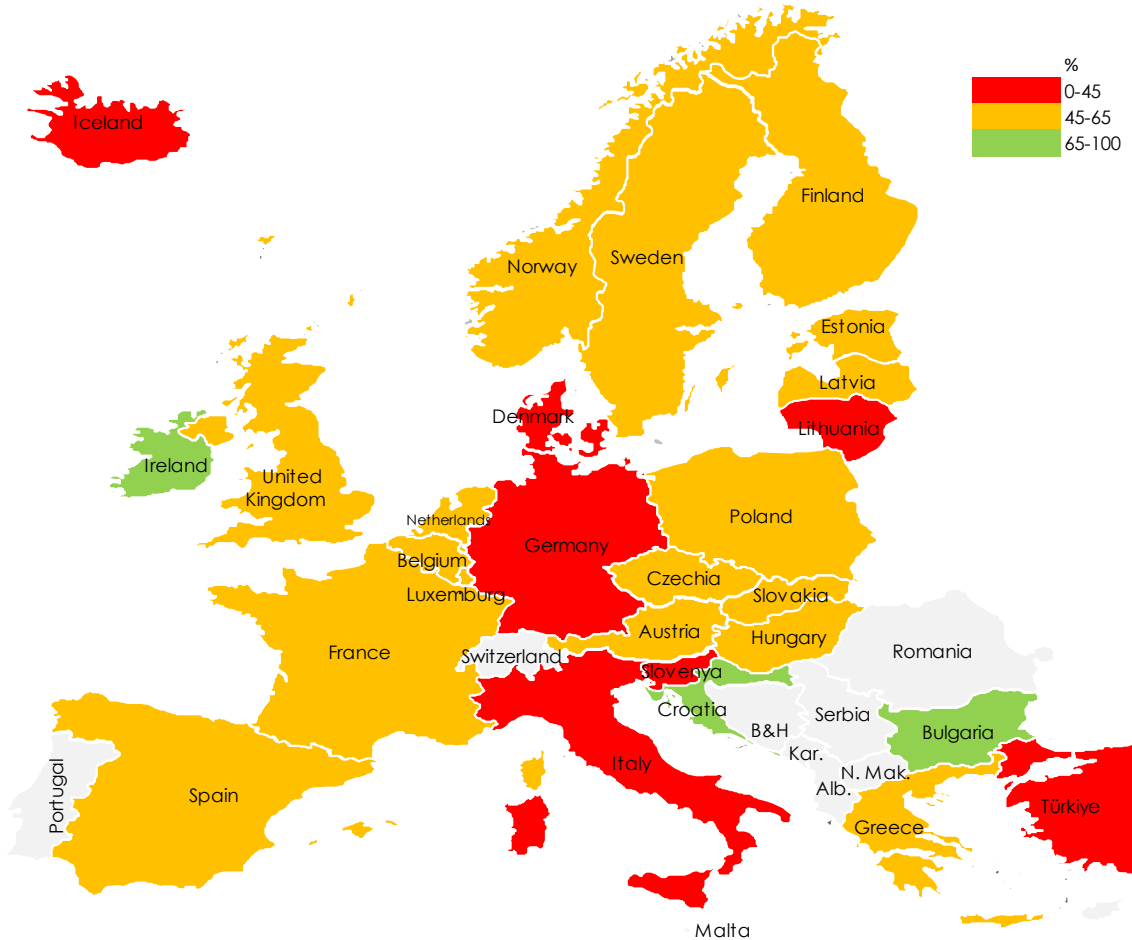
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WEEE Collection Rates in the EU (2018→2021)

- The EU collected a total of 4 million tons of WEEE, **47%** of the total, **barely meeting the pre-2019 target (45%)**.
- The target for 2019 and beyond (**65%**) is **expected to be difficult**.
- Croatia 83%, Bulgaria 73%, Ireland 65
- France 46%, Poland 45%, Greece 45
- Denmark 44%, Germany 43%, Italy 43
- **Türkiye 3%**

Based on EU WEEE Directive WEEE Collection Rate Calculation Methodology;

WEEE Collection Rate = Amount of WEEE Put on the Market (2015, 2016, 2017 average) / Amount of WEEE Collected (2018)



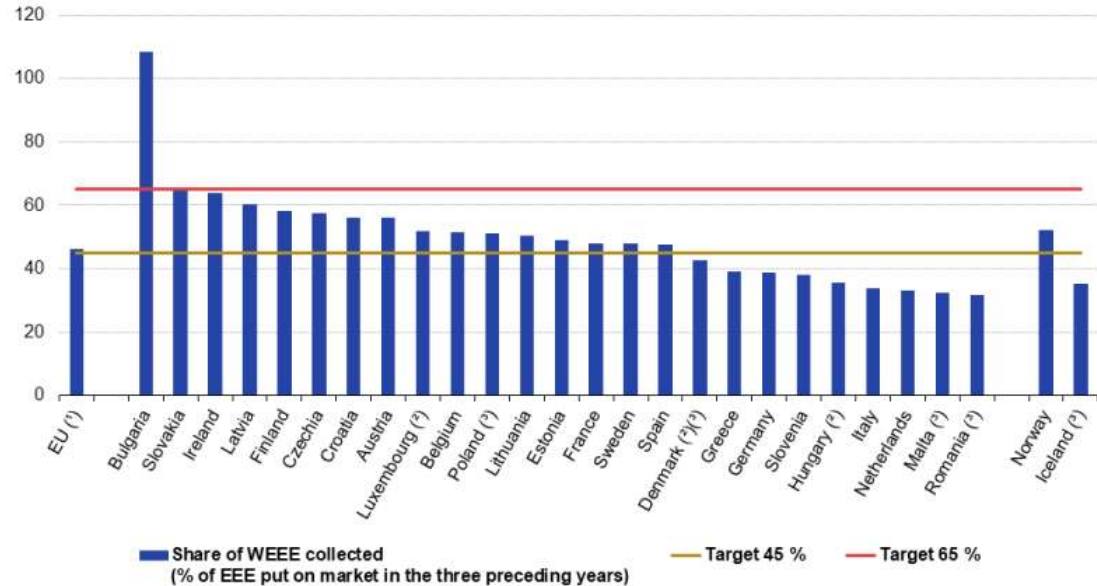
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Total collection rate for waste electrical and electronic equipment (EEE), 2021
(% of average weight of EEE put on the market in the three preceding years)



(*) Eurostat estimate.

(*) 65 % target not applicable. Country applies calculation methodology based on WEEE generated: see Figure 2b.

(*) 2020.

Source: Eurostat (online data code: env_waseleees)

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