

# How is the EU progressing towards the circular economy?

A circular economy aims to maintain the value of products, materials and resources for as long as possible and minimise the generation of waste. The European Commission publishes today a Communication on the monitoring framework for the circular economy and an accompanying Staff working document. In order to underpin this initiative, **Eurostat, the statistical office of the European Union**, is launching [a new website section dedicated to circular economy](#) reporting all the indicators of the monitoring framework, updated with latest data, as well as supporting visualisation tools.

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