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| Name of the indicator | 6.4.2 Level of water stress: freshwater withdrawal as a proportion of available freshwater resources |
| Sustainable Development Goal | Goal 6. Clean water and sanitation |
| Target | 6.4 By 2030, substantially increase water-use efficiency across all sectors and ensure sustainable withdrawals and supply of freshwater to address water scarcity and substantially reduce the number of people suffering from water scarcity |
| Definition | Gross abstraction as percentage of total renewable resources. |
| Unit | percent [%] |
| Available dimensions | total |
| Methodological explanations | The intensity of use of freshwater resources (or water stress) refers to gross abstraction of freshwater taken from ground or surface waters expressed in % of total available renewable freshwater resources (including water inflows from neighboring countries). |
| Source of data | OECD |
| Data availability | Annual data; since 2010. |
| Notes | <p>OECD database:</p> <p>http://www.oecd-ilibrary.org/environment/data/oecd-environment-statistics/freshwater-abstractions_data-00602-en?isPartOf=/content/datacollection/env-water-data-en</p> <p>Data for 2007-2013 - estimated value.</p> |