# Indicator: WAS

### Abstract

Waste excluding major mineral wastes serve as a proxy for trends in total waste production and treatment. It reflects general trends more accurately than statistics on total waste and increases comparability across countries. In fact, total waste generation and treatment are mainly driven by mineral waste from construction/demolition and from mining activities. Waste excluding major mineral wastes reflects waste originating from all economic sectors and households, thus including waste generated from both production and consumption. It does not cover mineral waste and soil, of which 90% originate from the mining and construction sectors.

### Labels

None

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Status:

Key indicator

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#### Territorial information:

| Spatial Extent            | Nomenclature name | Nomenclature version | Nomenclature level |
|---------------------------|-------------------|----------------------|--------------------|
| EU28+4+CandidateCountries | NUTS              | 2013                 | 2                  |

#### Name:

Total waste generation, excluding major mineral wastes

Code:

WAS

Is standard?:

True

Is base indicator?:

False

Years:

2006, 2014

Type:

Single

Data type:

Integer

Unit of measure - Numerator / Denominator Name:

Metric tonnes

Unit of measure - Numerator / Denominator Scale:

1

Is a ranking?:

False

Main Theme:

Environment and Energy

Constraints - Access classification:

unclassified (default)

Constraints - Access condition:

None

Constraints - Use constraint:

copyright (default)

Constraints - Other constraints:

None

Nature type:

Stock

## Files

- Data (JSON, browse webservice) (/api/public/indicator-data/1059/)
- Metadata INSPIRE (XML) (/indicator/1059/metadata-inspire.xml)
- Metadata ESPON (PDF) (/indicator/1059/metadata-espon.pdf)
- Indicator package (CSV+XLS) (ZIP 45.7 KB) (/private-media/object/1059/ind\_1059\_was\_csv.zip)
- Indicator package (SHAPE) (ZIP 176.2 KB) (/private-media/object/1059/ind\_1059\_was\_shp.zip)

