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| **Indicator: 36** | **% household waste that is reused, recycled or composted** |

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| **Responsible Statistician:** | Conor McCormack, Department of Agriculture, Environment and Rural Affairs | |
| **Web Link to Statistical Publication:** | Latest annual report: <https://www.daera-ni.gov.uk/sites/default/files/publications/daera/lac-municipal-waste-2019-20-report.pdf#page=3>  List of waste publications: https://www.daera-ni.gov.uk/articles/northern-ireland-local-authority-collected-municipal-waste-management-statistics | |
| **Frequency of update:** | Annual | |
| **Time lag:** | 7 months | |
| **Data Source:** | Administrative data | |
| **National Statistics Status** | National Statistics | |
| **Quality Report:** | Provided in the user guidance section of the report. <https://www.daera-ni.gov.uk/sites/default/files/publications/daera/lac-municipal-waste-2019-20-report.pdf> | |
| **Historic Data available from:** | 2006/07 | |
| **Time-series trend:** | **Percentage of household waste sent for preparing for reuse, dry recycling and composting by district council and waste management group**   |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | | Authority | 2006/07 | 2007/08 | 2008/09 | 2009/10 | 2010/11 | 2011/12 | 2012/13 | | Northern Ireland | 27.7 | 31.9 | 34.4 | 35.6 | 37.3 | 39.7 | 39.8 | | Authority | 2013/14 | 2014/15 | 2015/16 | 2016/17 | 2017/18 | 2018/19 | 2019/20 | | Northern Ireland | 41.4 | 42.0 | 42.2 | 44.3 | 48.1 | 50.0 | 51.9 |   *Source: Northern Ireland Environment Agency*  *Notes: Rates calculated by dividing total tonnage of household waste sent for preparing for reuse, dry recycling and composting by total household waste arisings.*  *Waste sent for preparing for reuse has been included from 2012/13 onwards and the impact was small adding* 0.1 - 0.2 *percentage points to the NI rate.*  Data tables can also be accessed from <https://www.daera-ni.gov.uk/publications/northern-ireland-local-authority-collected-municipal-waste-management-statistics-2019> Table 17a | |
| **For Survey Data**  **Sample size and confidence interval for the latest available year:** | Sample size: N/A  Confidence interval: N/A | |
| **Please indicate whether UK/RoI/International Comparisons are available:** | Not available | |
| **Please specify any issues in relation to this data. For example, data limitations, future data availability, any changes to methodology** | Data Limitations: Despite the intensive validation carried out on the data prior to publication, any administrative system involving manual data compilation will always be open to a degree of clerical error. However district councils have an incentive to maintain accurate data for their internal management purposes. Further information on data limitations is available in the user guidance section of the report.  Changes to methodology: Waste sent for preparing for reuse was included in this figure from 2012/13. The impact was small, adding 0.1 - 0.2 percentage points to the Northern Ireland rate. | |
| **Is this measure being used to monitor performance against your current/latest Departmental/ Agency Plan** | | There are targets in the revised Northern Ireland Waste Management Strategy, the Programme for Government and the Local Government (Performance Indicators and Standards) Order (NI) 2015 |
| **If yes, please specify any particular baseline point/year for the measure which is being for performance monitoring purposes** | | N/A |

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| **Technical Assessment Panel** |  |
| **Baseline Year** | 2014/15 – 42.0% |
| **Criteria for reporting change from the baseline** | ±0.5pps cumulative on an annual basis |

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| **Available groupings\*** | **Yes/No** | **Notes** |
| **NI Level** | Yes |  |
| **Parliamentary Constituency level** | No |  |
| **Local Government District (2014) level** | Yes | First report at 11 council level was published on 1st December 2016 reporting on 2015/16. |
| **Deprivation Quintile** | No |  |
| **NISRA Geography Urban/Rural Measure** | No |  |
| **Gender** | No |  |
| **Age** | No |  |
| **Marital Status** | No |  |
| **Religion** | No |  |
| **Political Opinion** | No |  |
| **Disability** | No |  |
| **Dependants** | No |  |
| **Sexual Orientation** | No |  |
| **Racial Group** | No |  |
| **Lowest level geography at which the measure is available:** | LGD | |

\* Due to confidentiality constraints, in some instances breakdowns may not be available due to small numbers