

DETAILED EXAMPLES OF WASTE AVOIDANCE AND WASTE REDUCTION MEASURES IN EUROPEAN CITIES

Take back stations for re-usable/recyclable products/materials

GENERAL				CASE SPECIFIC			
Measure	Country	measure in local language	Widespread application (Y/N)	Time span	City concerned	Details/remarks	Publication/contact
<i>Policy measures, initiatives, implementation activities</i>							
Take back stations for re-usable/recyclable products/materials	D	Recycling- oder Wertstoffhöfe	Y		Dresden, Darmstadt	The city of Dresden is running 7 facilities for this purpose in 2003	
	D	Sonderabfall-Annahmestelle			Darmstadt	Centres where WEEE and hazardous waste can be delivered	
	D	Elektronikschrott	Y			centres where WEEE can be delivered	
	B	?	?			In 1999, there were 39 recognised re-use centres in Flanders. In 1999, Flemish re-use centres collected 14,450 tonnes of re-usable goods and 1,215 tonnes of components. Furniture is the most important re-Usable product group (7,938 tonnes in 1999), whilst collection of white- and brown goods amounted respectively 1,480 and 711 tonnes	
	LT	Atliekų perdirbimo įmonės Kaune			Kaunas	In the Kaunas there are 8 of such enterprises	
	A		N			Used cellular phones can be returned to the phone shop or send by (free) mail	Project: 'Waste prevention in the city of Vienna'. Contact person: Elisabeth Mattes, tel.: +43-6643 3127, email: presse@mobilkom.at
	A	Wiener Mistplätze	Y		Vienna	In Vienna there are 19 civic amenities with special containers to collect recyclable and reusable wastestreams	http://www.wien.gv.at/ma48/mist1.htm
	NL	Milieustraat, afvalstation	Y			Present in most cities	

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