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ENVIRONMENT

**ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION'S CONTRIBUTION TO SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT GOAL 12:**

*Ensure sustainable consumption and production patterns*

**Supporting Target(s): 12.4**

**ICAO Activity**

ICAO develops and maintains guidance on eco-friendly airports and evaluates policies for aircraft recycling. The Organization thus directly contributes to SDG 12 by promoting the environmentally sound management of wastes through their life-cycle, preventing air, water and soil pollution, and consequently minimizing their adverse impacts on health and the environment.

ICAO's environmental SARPs, which are addressed and maintained in Annex 16 - *Environment*, and relevant guidance material, including the Environmental Technical Manuals and Doc 9184, Airport Planning Manual, contribute to enhancing sustainable consumption and production patterns.

In addition, a series of e-publications is being developed by the Committee on Aviation Environmental Protection ([CAEP](#)) and made publicly available under the "[Eco-Airport Toolkit E-collection](#)" and information on circular economy in aviation is included in the [ICAO Environmental Report 2019](#).