



REFRESH: Community of Experts

Knowledge sharing platform

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CoE and DG SANTE collaboration





Objectives of the REFRESH: CoE

Digital
platform

Share best practice

Enable replication

Host tools and resources

Promote cross-sector collaboration

....to address the topic of food waste along
the whole supply chain



Demonstrations:

- Searching for resources
- Contributing resources
- Engaging with members

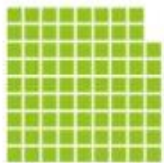
Welcome to the Refresh **Community of Experts**

An online platform to find and share information and best practice on food waste prevention

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A third of food is wasted, making food waste the third-biggest carbon emitter globally.



88 million
tonnes of food waste
a year produced by
EU-28



€143 billion
estimated financial
loss a year



70%
EU food waste
arises at household,
foodservices &
retail sector



47 million
tonnes food waste
contributed by
household sector
alone.

Across the globe, nearly 30% of food is wasted throughout the agrifood supply chain. According to the latest

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Courtauld Commitment 2025

Chase Ford

Courtauld 2025 is a voluntary agreement that brings together organisations from across the food

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Costing dimensions of food

Food Loss and Waste Protocols

Dave Jones

The Food Loss and Waste Accounting and reporting standard is a global standard that provides

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Waste prevention

Framework for Action - Spain proposal

Liam Preston

Spanish Refresh signatories commit to a nonbinding agreement to contribute to the reduction of food

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Grace Louw

Use the Think.Eat.Save tool to receive clear and comprehensive guidance on scoping, planning and

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Waste prevention

Champions 12.3 Business case for reducing food waste

Kevin Smith

Champions 12.3 encourages business leaders to act on food waste to make a real change. The

Costing Dimensions of Food

EU Fusions Food Waste Quantification Manual

Abby Brie

The EU Food Waste Quantification Manual sets out a series of initiatives to reduce food waste

Waste prevention

Best Practice Assessment Consumer Level Food Waste

Jennifer Laren

Food waste quantification is challenging, but two recently published sets of guidelines will help

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Common Qualitative Research Protocol

Joe Sommers

Common qualitative research protocol for application in other countries as part of the Community



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Overview

This report was produced through the EU-funded H2020 project REFRESH (Resource Efficient Food and Drink for the Entire Supply Chain) and records the progress of four European countries (Hungary, Germany, the Netherlands, and Spain) in the establishment of Frameworks for Action to tackle food waste along the whole supply chain.

The report focuses on the first twenty months of the Refresh project (July 2015 to February 2017). It begins with a summary of the purpose of this work, and goes on to explain what is meant by a Framework Agreement (FA) within the context of REFRESH. The report continues with four Country Reports, providing standalone accounts of each country's progress through key stages

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Hungary partners agree on the main goals and priorities set out in their Framework for Action document.

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Review of building voluntary agreements (D2.1) 2025

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Industry-led voluntary (Framework) Agreements can be an alternative way of effecting change, without the

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We are part of larger EU research project taking an innovative, systematic approach to curb food waste through a holistic "Framework for Action"

REFRESH aims to develop, evaluate, and ensure the spread of social, technological, and organisational insights and practices related to food waste. This is underpinned with guidance to legislators and policy makers to help support effective governance to tackle food waste

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We have partnered with the EU Platform on Food Losses and Food Waste (FLW) to share research, innovative approaches and tools.



Supporting the EU-28 with the aim to contribute to Sustainable Development Goal (SDG) target 12.3 to halve per capita food waste at the retail and consumer level by 2030, and reduce food losses along the food production and supply chain.

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In addition to accessing our library of resources, registering as a member includes the following benefits:

Benefits of becoming a member

- ✓ Access to library of resources.
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Dave Jones | 2 Days Ago

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Nora Bruggeman | 2 Seconds Ago

We first identified the mix of business and government and other stakeholders we wanted to involve. Then we had a series of bilateral discussions with each one to find out about their priorities and whether they would participate in such an agreement. As key stakeholders agreed, we found it was easier to persuade others to join.

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Benefits of the Community



Single point for
knowledge sharing

Ability to comment
on resources



Support from other
members

Upload and share
resources and
information





Key dates

- 🥬 **20-22 June:** content population
- 🥬 **22-27 June:** user testing
- 🥬 **3 July:** soft launch to stakeholders
- 🥬 **8 September:** public launch



Thank you for your time

Questions?