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Finland is leading the global charge to transition from a linear to a circular economy, prioritising investments that promote the full utilisation and recyclability of all materials to help deal with critical issues such as dwindling natural resources and the effects of climate change.

New Biomaterial Applications

One key area where this has been seen for some time in Finland is the paper industry, where almost everything generated that is not directly used for the production of paper is utilised either to create another form of product or as a source of renewable energy.





Home Recycling

Finland has a superior system for home recycling that goes above and beyond what most of us would expect. The Finnish government is now looking into further methods for recycling materials such as metals and plastics, following success in recycling common household items such as paper and drinks containers.

Reducing Food Waste

Innovative methods of reducing food waste have been implemented in Finland, including a pioneering scheme to produce biofuel from residuals from the food industry.



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To learn more about the efforts being made to create a circular economy in the UK and around the world, visit the blog of Marcel Kooter.