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15. Geographical analysis of WEEE (Waste Electrical and Electronic Equipment) dynamics

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Abstract

WEEE (Waste Electrical and Electronic Equipment) is one of the global rising problems due to its increasing volume in association with health and environmental hazards occurring where the disposal happens. Most WEEE is currently generated by the Organization for Economic Cooperation and Development (OECD) countries; nevertheless, all the studies suggest that developing countries will be producing a double amount of WEEE than the developed ones within the next 6–8 years.

In this framework this paper explores and accounts the status-quo of WEEE generation and handling situation in different countries, analyzing their impact on public health and environment.

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