

Eliminating pollution

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Zero pollution

To protect Europe's citizens and ecosystems, the Commission will adopt the zero-pollution action plan to **prevent pollution of air, water and soil**.



Clean water



Preserve **biodiversity** in our **lakes, rivers** and **wetlands**.



Reduce pollution from excess nutrients thanks to the **Farm to Fork** strategy.



Reduce particularly harmful pollution from **micro-plastics and pharmaceuticals**.





Clean air

- > Review **air quality standards** in line with the World Health Organization guidelines.
- > Provide **support to local authorities** to achieve cleaner air for our citizens.



Industry

- > **Reduce pollution** from large industrial installations.
- > **Improve prevention** of industrial accidents.



Chemicals

- > **Protect citizens** against dangerous chemicals with a new chemicals strategy for sustainability for a toxic-free environment.
- > Develop more **sustainable alternatives**.
- > Combine **better health protection** with **increased global competitiveness**.
- > **Improve rules on assessment of substances** launched on the market.

