



Waste management at Audi

The Brand Group Progressive¹ controls waste management at its global sites according to clearly defined principles. All waste – from production and all other areas of the company – is recorded properly and fully, treated appropriately and, where possible, recycled to a high standard. Non-recyclable waste is disposed of safely in accordance with all applicable environmental regulations. Compliance with legal requirements is systematically monitored, assisted by digital systems, standardized process and regular internal checks.

As a producer of waste, the responsibility of the Brand Group Progressive¹ for disposal procedures extends beyond its own sites. Disposal partners, especially in the area of hazardous waste, are selected according to defined environmental and quality criteria and are only commissioned if they have been approved beforehand by the waste management officer.

Among other things, it is checked whether they have the necessary legal permits, comply with technical standards and reliably meet environmental requirements, including the traceability of the intended disposal method. Audits and targeted individual checks are also used where these are technically or legally required. In this way, the Audi Group ensures that all disposal procedures also comply with the applicable environmental requirements externally – across all sites within the Brand Group Progressive.¹

Waste management is part of the company-wide environmental program Mission:Zero. The aim is to achieve a long-term and measurable reduction in environmental impact. To this end, internal evaluation methods are used to make progress comparable across sites and to enable targeted management in terms of a resource-conserving circular economy.

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¹ The Brand Group Progressive describes the Audi Group with the brands Audi, Bentley, Lamborghini and Ducati.