





MLGP4Climate platform





### **POPULATION: 4.4 Million (2023)**



City AREA: 12.012 square km

#### LEADING ECONOMIC SECTORS IN IZMIR







Industry

Agriculture TRADE AND RETAIL

ENERGY PRODUCTION



MAIN SOURCES OF ENERGY GENERATED



WIND ENERGY

SOLAR POWER

**KEY INTERESTING FACTORS** 

100 Neutral Mission

award

Export and Industry

Strong renewables projects implementation

**Trade Location** 





## **Joined Covenant of Mayors**

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2015

**KEY AREAS FOR COOPERATION** 

Industrial Emissions

**Plastic Waste** 

Solar Energy

GLOBAL COVENANT of MAYORS for CLIMATE & ENERGY

#### **MOBILITY PATTERNS**





Mobility patterns in Izmir reflect the city's growing urban population and the associated challenges of transportation. Approximately 43% of residents use public transport, which includes buses, trams, and ferries, while private vehicle usage accounts for about 57% of daily travel. This reliance on private vehicles contributes to traffic congestion, particularly during peak hours

#### TOPICS OF INTEREST

Business Models and Financing Schemes

Financing Sustainability Projects

Izmir Municipality signed the Covenant of Mayors in 2015 and is preparing its Sustainable Energy and Climate Action Plan (SECAP) to enhance energy efficiency and reduce emissions



COORDINATING W/ LOCAL STAKEHOLDERS

COORDINATION W/ INTERNATIONAL



PARTNERS

COLLABORATION

NATIONAL GOVERNMENT

## Commitment to Sustainable Development and Innovative Solutions

Izmir is strongly committed to sustainable development, as evidenced by its participation in the Covenant of Mayors, which aims to reduce greenhouse gas emissions and enhance climate resilience. The city has set ambitious targets, including a 40% reduction in emissions by 2030, and has developed the Izmir Sustainable Energy and Climate Action Plan to guide its efforts. This plan, created with extensive stakeholder participation, focuses on practical actions to improve energy efficiency, promote renewable energy sources.

Izmir is advancing sustainability through initiatives like a smart waste management system that uses sensors in bins to monitor waste levels, optimizing collection routes and enhancing recycling while reducing emissions. The city has also introduced electric buses, expanded its tram network, and developed extensive bike lanes to promote ecofriendly public transport and cycling. Collectively, these efforts aim to decrease reliance on private vehicles, improve air quality, and enhance urban living conditions in İzmir.

POTENCIAL AREAS	
SOLAR POWER	
ECO-TRANSPORT	
WASTE MANAGEMENT	

ENTRAL PROJECT



# **Imlementation sustainable projects**



Solar Panel Project (2024)

Plastic Waste Management Project (2022)

