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### **Institute for European Environmental Policy (IEEP), July 2019: Assessing and accelerating the EU progress on Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs) in 2019**



This IEEP briefing provides a review of the European Union's progress towards the Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs), in advance of the UN High-level Political Forum (HLPF) at the United Nations (UN) headquarters in New York on 9 – 18 July 2019 and followed by the SDG Summit in September 2019.

The briefing provides an overview of the key issues at stake in the UN meetings and on the progress made on the implementation of the SDGs by the EU. It focuses in particular on the SDGs that will be reviewed in depth at the July Forum and that are of particular immediate significance to the environment (SDGs 13 and 16).