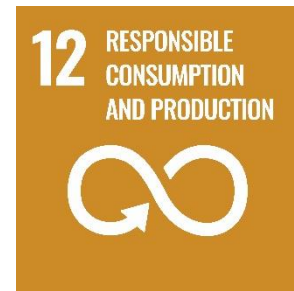


## Food bank “Die Tafel“

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Meisenbornweg 8/10  
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### THE PROBLEM

In Germany, a large amount of food is wasted daily, even though it could still be consumed. At the same time, there are millions of people who do not have enough food.

### THE IDEA

The idea of the food bank is to combat food waste on the one hand and to give people in need better access to food on the other. The food is collected through donations, mainly from retailers, and distributed to the people.

### FACTS

- Almost 1000 food banks and 2000 food bank distribution points in Germany
- the food bank in Gießen has 5 more locations in the district
- about 5600 needy people receive food from the food bank in Gießen

Finally, the food banks relate to goal 12 of the SDGs because they contribute to more responsible consumption and help to reduce food waste.

