

### **RecyClass Unwrapped**



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Recyclability of personal care packaging

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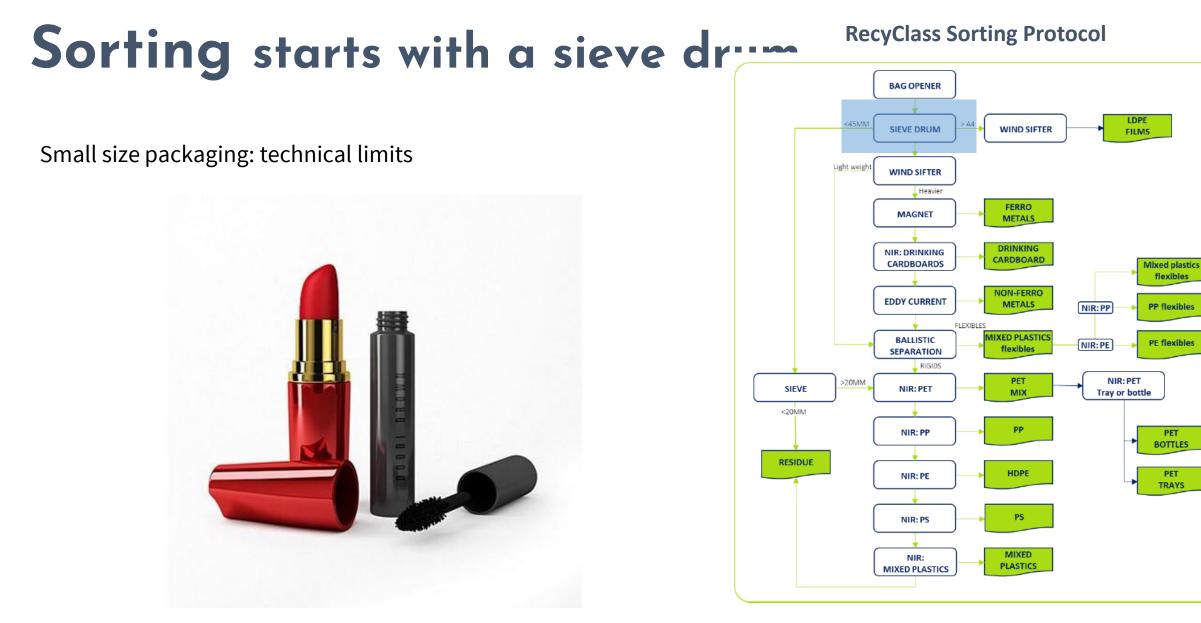




## Moving towards circular plastic packaging for cosmetics

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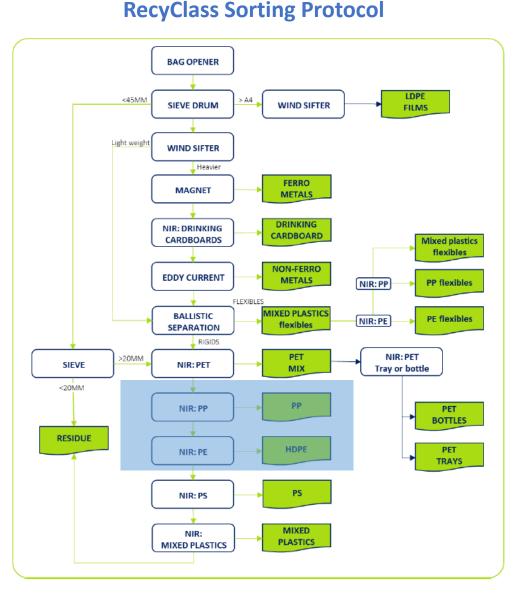
## Sorting: NIR detection

Round shape, very rigid and hard to compact

Several tubes tested and sorted in the HDPE or PP streams with bottles







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OTHER COMPONENTS

**RECYCLED CONTENT** 

\*\* Polymer resin can be either fossil- or bio-based.

### HDPE COLOURED CONTAINERS AND TUBES

	YES - FULL COMPATIBILITY	CONDITIONAL -
CLASS RANKING*	A-B	
DESCRIPTION (Test Protocol)	Materials that passed the testing protocols with no negative impact OR materials that have not been tested (yet), but are known to be acceptable in PE recycling	Materials that passed the test materials that have not been test
CONTAINER**	HDPE; Multilayer HDPE with other PE (LLDPE, LDPE, MDPE)	
MATERIAL COMPOSITION	A when PE content is > 95%; B when PE content is > 90%	C when PE content is > 70%
COLOURS	All colours	Black inner layer and dark colour
SIZE		Items compacted < 5 cm
PRODUCT RESIDUES (Easy to Empty index)	A if the index is < 5%; B if the index is < 10%	C if the index is < 15%
BARRIER	EVOH < 6.0%wt + PE-g-MAH tie layers with MAH > 0,1%wt and EVOH:tie layers ratio ≤ 2; Enkase (fluorination)	EVOH > 6.0%wt + PE-g-MAH tie la and EVOH:tie layers ratio ≤ 2; EVOH < 1% with any other tie lay
ADDITIVES	Additives that are unavoidable in processing (stabilizers, antioxidants, lubricants, nucleating agents, peroxides) and density remains < 0,97 g/cm <sup>3</sup>	Mineral fillers (CaCO <sub>3</sub> , talc) not in
CLOSURE SYSTEM	HOPE; LIDPE; LIDPE; MOPE	PP; PET; PETG; PLA; PS (all with a de
LINERS, SEALS AND VALVES	HDPE; LDPE; LLDPE; MDPE; TPE-PE	PP; TPE-PP; PET, PETG, PLA, PS (all with a der Removable aluminium lidding; Removable silicon with a density
LABELS	Labels in HDPE, LDPE, LLDPE, MDPE (all with density < 1 g/cm <sup>2</sup> )* * with a print and/or barrier that does not hinder the recognition of the underlaying PE- polymer	Labels in PP (with density < 1 g/cl Labels in PET, PETG, PEA, PS (all Labels in Paper without fibreloss PO-foamed labels* * with a size, a print and/or barries underlaying PE-polymer: - Indication label size on containen - Indication label size on containen
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ADHESIVES FOR LABELS	Water soluble or water releasable adhesive (@ less than 40°C)	Pressure sensitive labels
INKS	Non taxic following the EuPIA Guidlines	
DIRECT PRINTING	Laser marked; Production or best-before date	Any other direct printing

HDPE, LDPE, LLDPE, MDPE

#### LIMITED COMPATIBILITY

#### B-C

sting protocols if certain conditions are met OR ated (yet), but pose a low risk of interfering with PE recycling

urs (NIR-detectable)

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increasing density more than 0,97 g/cm<sup>3</sup>

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(/cm<sup>3</sup>)\*; all with density >1 g/cm<sup>3</sup>)\*

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PET; PETG; PLA; PS all with density > 1 g/cm<sup>3</sup>

No change in the recyclability assessment. A separate 'Recycled Content Traceability Certification' based on a Chain of Custody approach is available with RecyClass

#### **NO - LOW COMPATIBILITY**

### D-E-F

Materials that failed the testing protocols OR materials that have not been tested (yet), but pose a high risk of interfering with PE recycling

Multilayers HDPE with PLA; PVC; PS; PET; PETG

D when PE content is > 50%; E when PE content is > 30%; F when PE content is < 30%

Non NIR-detectable colours

Items compacted < 2 cm

D if the index is < 20%; E < if the index is 25%; F if the index is > 25%

EVOH > 1% with any other tie layers; PA; PVDC; Aluminium Additives changing the material density > 1 g/cm3; Flame-retardant additives, plasticizers; Bio-/oxo-/photodegradable additives Non-PO and/or foams with density < 1 g/cm<sup>3</sup>; Aluminium; Metal; PVC Non-PO and/or foams with density < 1 g/cm<sup>2</sup>; Any other TPE; Aluminium; Metal; Foiled paper; PVC

Labels that hinder the recognition of the PE; Labels in non PO-materials with density < 1 g/cm<sup>3</sup>; Paper labels with fibreloss during recycling process; Aluminium; Metallised labels; PVC

Sleeves that hinder the recognition of the PE; Sleeves in non PO-materials with density < 1 g/cm<sup>2</sup>; Aluminium; Metallised sleeves; Heavily inked steeves; PVC

Non water soluble or non water releasable adhesives inks that bleed; Toxic or hazardous inks

Aluminium; PVC; Glass components; Foams with density < 1 g/cm<sup>3</sup>

## Material composition

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LDPE, LDPE, MDPE)

nen PE content is > 90%

ex is < 10%

Monomaterial solutions are preferred: ensure the package is designed with at least 90% in one polymer.

Limit Product Residues: ensure consumers can empty the package to limit residues

Limit the amount of barrier where necessary (functional packaging) and use grafted MAH tie layers.

## **Closures Guidance**

#### CLOSURE SYSTEM

HDPE; LDPE; LLDPE; MDPE

LINERS, SEALS AND VALVES

HDPE; LDPE; LLDPE; MDPE; TPE-PE

# PP; PET; PETG; PLA; PS (all with a density > 1 g/cm<sup>3</sup>). PP; TPE-PP; PET, PETG, PLA, PS (all with a density > 1 g/cm<sup>3</sup>); Removable aluminium lidding; Removable silicon with a density > 1 g/cm<sup>3</sup>

Use PE cap on HDPE package and PP cap on PP package
 In case of complex closures always prefer polyolefin and maximize the PE concentration for HDPE and PP for PP package

✓ Prefer TPE-PO and SEBS-based to silicone or any other TPE options

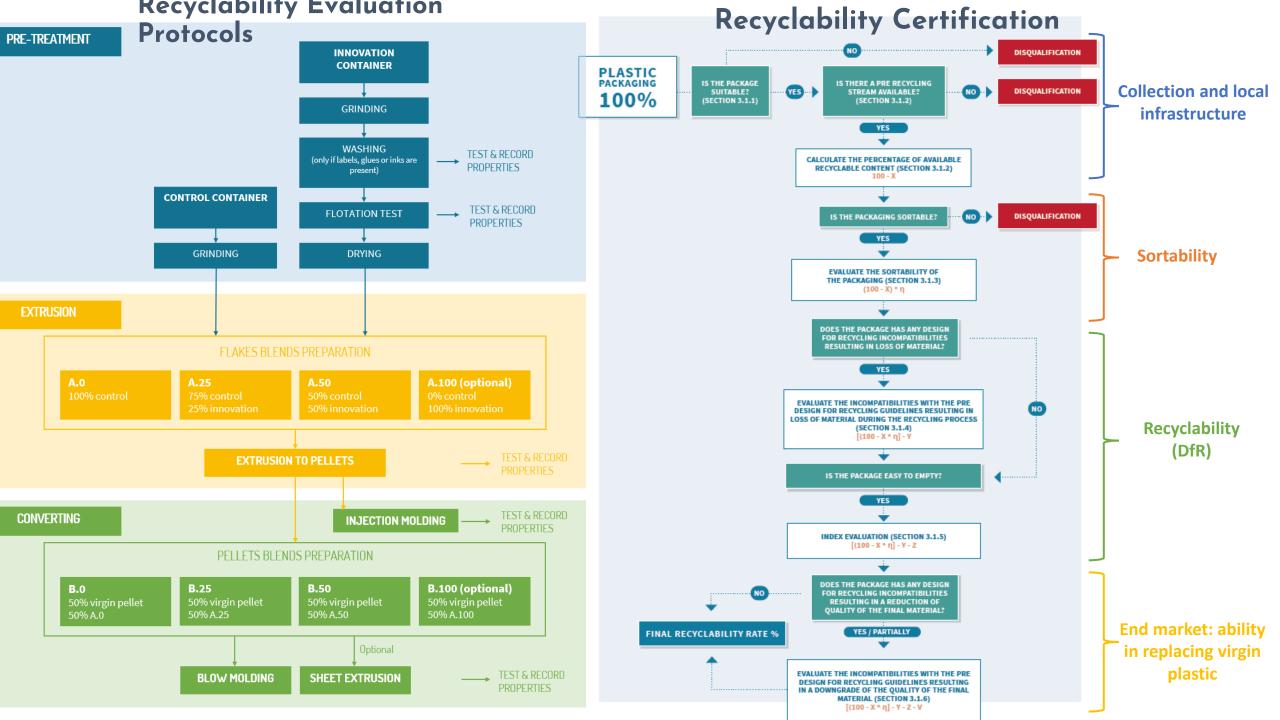
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## **Decorations Guidance**



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DIRECT PRINTING	Laser marked; Production or best-before date	Any other direct printing

Prefer PE labels/sleeves on HDPE packaging and PP on PP packaging
 Test the compatibility of your adhesive for labels with RecyClass Quick Test Protocols
 Follow the size recommendations in case of different material (Sorting test)
 Reduce the use of printing as much as possible (both on the labels and in case of direct printing)



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## Key design advice

Prefer monomaterial (including caps/closures): the highest concentration in one polymer is a prerequisite for a high <u>recyclability score</u>

Replace foreign ingredients following the <u>DfR guidelines</u>

Prefer transparent or light coloured to extensive printing/decoration

<u>Test innovative solutions</u> by following RecyClass Sorting and Recyclability Protocols

Self-assess the packaging recyclability for free by using the <u>RecyClass Tool</u>

RecyClass Certification schemes available for <u>Recyclability</u> (also Country specific) and for <u>Recycled Content</u> (based on Traceability and Chain of Custody)

Join the RecyClass Community!

Thank you

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## RecyClass recyclability evaluation of POLYFOIL<sup>™</sup> MMB barrier tubes





NEOPAC THE TUBE

Peter Bossert 23.06.2021







### **Eco Benefits**

- >95% HDPE optimized mono material structure, including HDPE closure
- MDO-PE based barrier technology enables minimal foreign material content
- Fully compatible with existing HDPE recycling stream
- Reduced material
- Incorporation of PCR Material
- Significant CO<sub>2</sub> footprint reduction

### **Estetical Advantages**

- Polyfoil technology for 360° decoration
- Metallized high end look possible
- High quality haptics
- Compatible with all common tube decoration methods

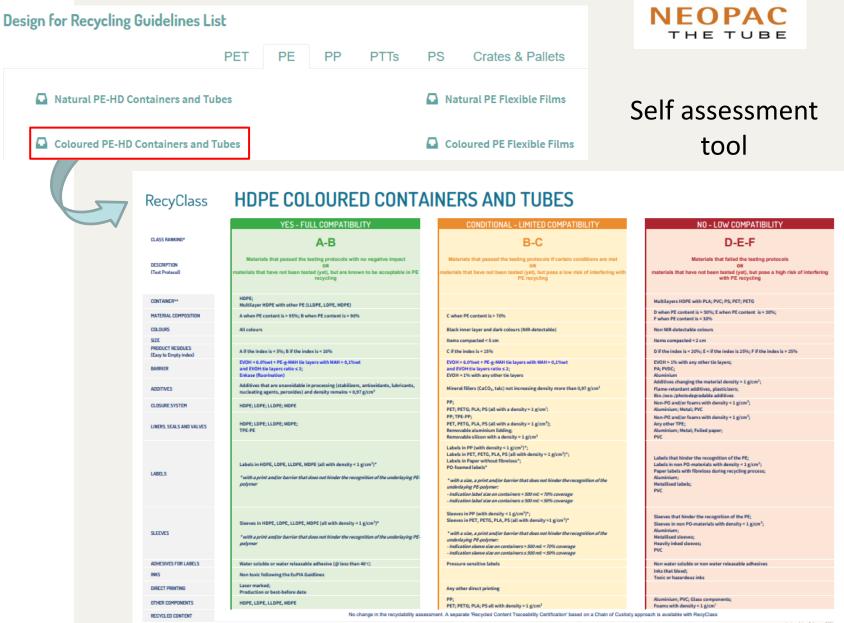
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#### **Technical Aspects**

DESIGN

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- Product safety
- High barrier
- Extended shelf life
- Excellent Product compatibility
- Easy processability on existing hot air tube fillers
- Pharma and food grade compliant
- Adhesive laminated structure



Last update - February 2021

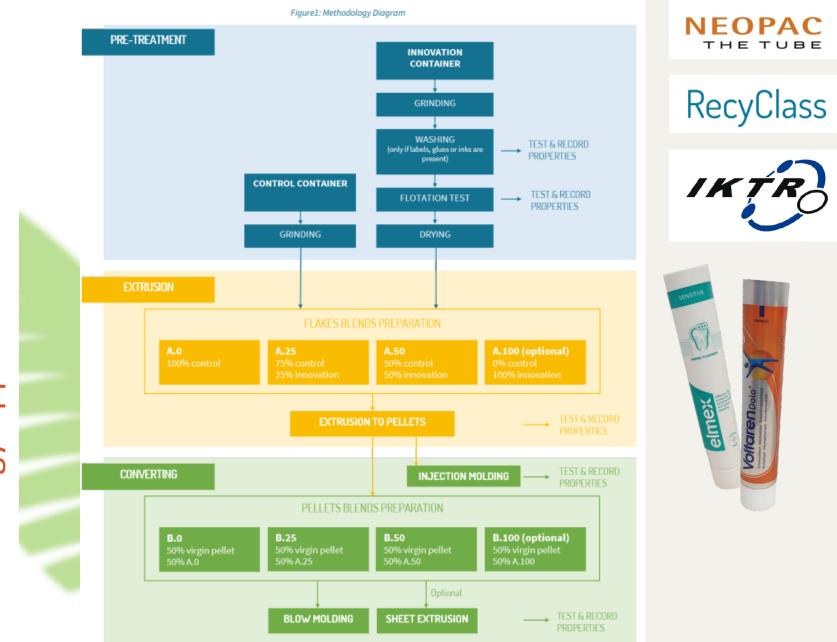
\* Class ranking resulting from the RecyClass assessment. B class is reported two times because of the 90-95% amount of PE in the packaging or because of slight incompatibilities in the design \*\* Polymer resin can be either fossil- or bio-based.

Guideline

Recycling

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Technology Approva

		IKTR		OPAC
	Pellets Characterization	A.0	A.25	A.50
	Weight fraction of innovation	0%	25%	50%
	Weight fraction of control material Hostalen ACP6031 D	100%	75%	50%
	PF525/623	PF542/642		
	Bottles Conversion	B.0	B.25	B.50
	Weight fraction of blends A.0-A.50	50% A.0	50% A.25	50% A.50
	Weight fraction of control material	50%	50%	50%
-	Weight fraction of innovation material	0%	12.5%	25%
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**Technology Approval** 

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- 1. Suitability: 100% suitable
- 2. PRE Stream availability: HDPE coloured Containers
- **3.** Packaging Composition: >95% HDPE tested without HDPE closure (Class A)
- 4. Sortability: clear NIR detection as HDPE, no interference by the incorporated metallisation, ballistic sorting into rigid stream, no ferro magnetic components. Sorting efficiency >70% (Class A)
- DfR incompatibilities: no removable incompatibilities. The amount of direct printing is below the threshold. -1 Class due to metallisation (Class B)
- 6. Easy to Empty index: not tested on semi-finished packaging. Assumption <5% (Class A)
- 7. Reach Compliance: no substances of Very High Concerns (SVHCs) (Class A)









**Reach Compliance:** not containing any substances of 7. Very High Concerns (SVHCs) according to Echa. (Class A)

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**DfR incompatibilities:** no removable incompatibilities.

The amount of direct printing is below the threshold.

**Packaging Composition:** >95% HDPE incl. HDPE closure 3. (Class A)

**PRE Stream availability:** HDPE coloured Contaiers

**Suitability:** 100% suitable

Link: RecyClass methodology UPDATED-1.pdf Chapter 03

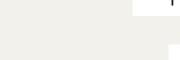
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First Technology Approval -Adhesive based laminate - MDO barrier technology - Thin film metallisation fully compatible with HDPE coloured stream

**Letter of Compatibility** for Semi finished Product - Class **B** 

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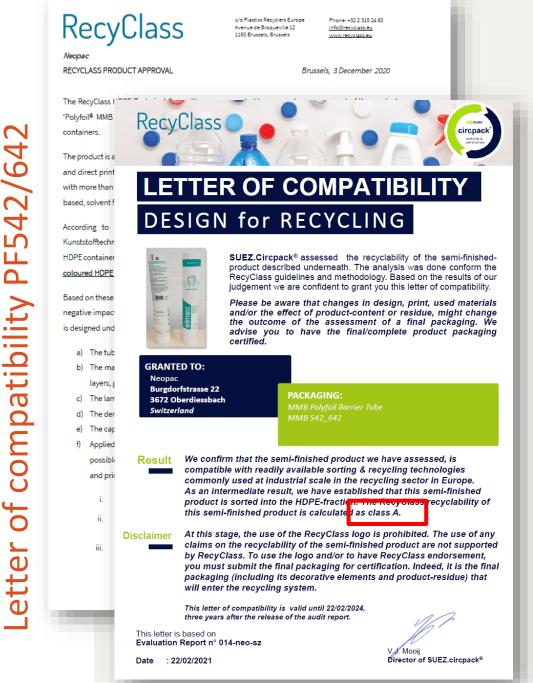
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First Product Approval -Adhesive based laminate - MDO barrier technology - HDPE closure included fully compatible with HDPE coloured stream

**Letter of Compatibility** for Semi finished Product - Class **A** 

Link: 2020-HDPE-018-Neopac-technology-approval-letter-1.pdf (recyclass.eu)

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### Thank you for your attention



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## THE SUSTAINABILITY JOURNEY IN COSMETICS

### RECYCLASS UNWRAPPED





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Sustainability Vision 2030 Commitment to Life

To address the Climate Crisis and protect the Amazon To defend Human Rights and be Human-Kind To embrace **Circularity** and **Regeneration** 

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To embrace

Regeneration

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# Full Circularity of Packaging



### **Formula Circularity**

**Regenerative Solutions** 

### NATURA & CO. PACKAGING SUSTAINABILITY TARGETS



100%

Recyclable, Reusable or Compostable Packaging





Of all plastics used to be of recycled content



20%

Less Packaging Material in Weight

# Our JOURNEY has already started



## We design BEAUTIFUL

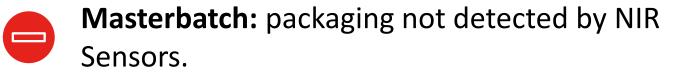
products



HOW to keep designing BEAUTIFUL products FOR RECYCLING?

### We have carbon black packaging





### We have small size packaging



Main material: PET Clear



**Size:** need infrastructure development for proper size sorting in all locations

### We have multi-material packaging





Main material: not recyclable



**Material combination:** plastics, metal and glass in the same packaging

















### We have small size AND multi-material packaging





Main material: combination of polyolefins



Brush: material selection is important!



**Size and Shape**: small size, round and hard to compact

### We have small size AND multi-material packaging





Main material: not recyclable (and black!)



**Different parts**: how to design them for recycling?



**Size and Shape**: small size, round and hard to compact

### We have products with pumps



Spray, Serum and Foaming Pumps Lotion Pumps, various formulas viscosities

## We have ready to recycle packaging... ...but need infrastructure development.

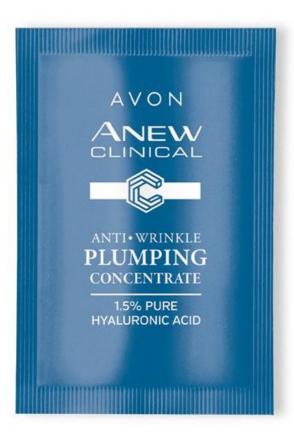


# We have innovative packaging... ...but they're not recyclable (yet!)





## Sampling is how consumers try our products... ...but they use multi-material flexibles



### **Decoration is KEY for beauty companies!**

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High Coverage Labels





Metal Caps on Plastic Bottles

### **Decoration is KEY for beauty companies!**



**Colored PET bottles** 



# RecyClass





Guidelines and Online Tool Technical Committees



**Product Certification** 



**Guidelines and Online** Tool



**Technical Committees** 



CecyClass	TRANSPARENT CLEAR & LIGHT-BLUE PET		
	YES - FULL COMPATIBILITY	CONDITIONAL - LIMITED COMP	
CLASS RANKING*	A-B	B-C	
DESCRIPTION (Test Protocol)	Materials that passed the testing protocols with no negative impact OB materials that have not been lested givet, but are known to be acceptable in PET recycling	Materials that passed the fecting protocols If cert on materials that have not been tested (yet), but pose a PET recycling	
BOTTLE**	PET		
MATERIAL COMPOSITION	A when PET content is > 95%; B when PET content is > 90%	C when PET content is > 70%	
COLOURS	Transparent clear; Transparent light blue		
SIZE			
PRODUCT RESIDUES (Easy to Empty index)	A if the index is < 5%; B if the index is < 10%	C if the index is < 15%	

BARRIER

ADDITIVES

LABELS

SLEEVES

INKS DIRECT PRINTING

TAMPER EVIDENCE WRAP

ADHESIVES FOR LABELS

OTHER COMPONENTS

RECYCLED CONTENT

CLOSURE SYSTEM LINERS, SEALS AND VALVES

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YES – FULL COMPATIBILITY	CONDITIONAL – LIMITED COMPATIBILITY	NO – LOW COMPATIBILITY		
A-B	B-C	D-E-F		
Materials that passed the testing protocols with no negative impact	Materials that passed the testing protocols if certain conditions are met	Materials that failed the testing protoools		
OR materials that have not been tested (yet), but are known to be acceptable in	OR materials that have not been tested (yet), but pose a low risk of interfering with	OR materials that have not been tected (yet), but pose a high risk of interfering		
PET recycling	PET recycling	with PET recycling		
PET		PLA; PVC; PS; PETG		
A when PET content is > 95%; B when PET content is > 90%	C when PET content is> 70%	D when PET content is > 50%; E when PET content is> 30%; F when PET content is < 30%		
Transparent clear; Transparent light blue		Other transparent colours; Opaque; Fluorescence; Metallic		
		< 4 cm (compacted);> 5 liter content		
A if the index is < 5%; B if the index is < 10%	C if the index is < 15%	D if the index is < 20%; E < if the index is 25%; F if the index is > 25%		
SiOx plasma coating	Carbon plasma-coating; PA-MXD6 multilayer with <5wt% PA-MXD6 and no tie layers; PGA multilayer; PTN alloy	PA-MXD6 multilayer with >5wt% PA-MXD6 or with tie layers; Monolayer PA-MXD6 blend; EVOH		
	UV stabililisers; Acetaldehyde (AA) blockers; Optical brighteners; Oxygen scavengers	Bio-/oxo-/photodegradable additives; Nanocomposites		
PE (with density <1 g/cm <sup>3</sup> ); PP (with density <1 g/cm <sup>3</sup> )		Materials and blends with density >1 g/cm <sup>3</sup> (e.g. highly filled PE, metals,); Non- detaching or welded closures		
PE; PE + EVA; PP; foarned PET (all with a density < 1 g/cm <sup>3</sup> )	Silicone with density <0.95g/cm <sup>3</sup>	Materials with density>1 g/cm <sup>3</sup> (e.g. PVC, silicone, metals)		
Labels in PE; PP; OPP; EPS; foarned PET (all with density <1 g/cm <sup>3</sup> ), with a size that does not hinder* the recognition of the underlaying PET-polymer	Lightly metallized labels;	Labels which hinder the recognition of the underlaying PET-polymer (e.g. too large, metallsod, heavily inked); Labels which density >1 g/cm <sup>2</sup> (e.g. PVC; PS; PET; PETG; PLA);		
* indication label size of bottles > 500 mč < 70% coverage * indication label size of bottles 5 500 mč < 50% coverage	Paper labels without fiberlosses	Metallized labels; Non-detaching or welded labels; Paper labels with fibreloss; Foamed PETG labels (even with density <1.g/cm <sup>1</sup> ); PET labels with washable inks		
Sloeves in PE; PP; OPP; EPS; foamed PET; LDPET (all with density <1 g/cm <sup>3</sup> ), with a size that does not hinder" the recognition of the underlaying PET-polymer	Full sleeves translucent for IR detection in PE; PP; OPP; EPS; foamed PET; LDPET; all with density <1 g/cm <sup>3</sup>	Sleeves which hinder the recognition of the underlaying PET-polymer (e.g. too large, metalised, heavily inked);		
* Indication slowe size of bottles > 500 mb < 70% coverage	INTERIM: Twin-perforated sleeves for household and personal care conform	Sleeves with density >1 g/cm <sup>3</sup> (e.g. PVC; PS; PET; PETG); Foamed PETG sleeves (even with density <1 g/cm <sup>3</sup> ):		
* Indication slove size of bottles < 500 mit < 50% coverage	guidelines by EPBP	PET sleeves with washable inks		
PE; PP; OPP; EPS, Foamed PET (all with density <1 g/cm <sup>3</sup> )		Materials with density>1 g/cm <sup>2</sup> (e.g metal; PVC; PS; PET, PETG); Metallised materials; Foamed PETG (even with density <1 g/cm <sup>2</sup> ); PET with washable inks		
Alkali/water soluble and alkali/water releasable adhesive at 60-80°C without reactivation	Hot-melts; Pressure-sensitive labels	Non-soluble in water or alkaline at 60-80°C; Non-releasable in water or alkaline at 60- 80°C		
Non-toxic (according to EUPIA guidelines)		Inks that bleed; Toxic or hazardous inks; Metallic inks		
Laser marked print	Production or expiry date	Any other direct printing		
Base cup, handles or other components which are separated by grinding and float/sink - all with density <1.g/cm <sup>3</sup> ; Unpigmented PET		Materials with density>1 g/cm <sup>3</sup> (e.g. metal, RFID tags); Non detaching or welded components Coloured PET		
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NO LOW COMPATIBILITY

**Product Certification** 



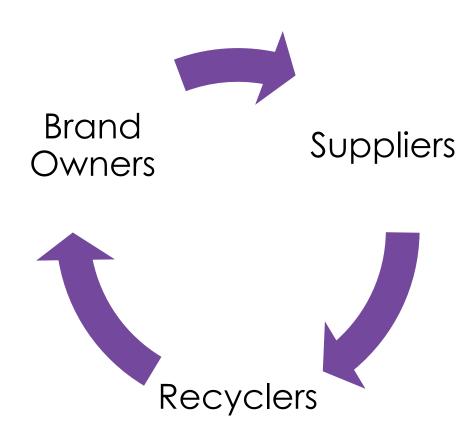
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**Product Certification** 





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**Product Certification** 





Certificate No. : 017-AVO-SZ : January 26th, 2021 Date



**Design FOR Recycling** 

**Recycling in Practice** 

High Quality Recycled Material Available





Of all plastics used to be of recycled content

**50**%



Of our plastic bottles are polyolefins



# #Sustainability



**#Recyclable** dispensing systems

**#Recyclable** flexible packaging



**#Reuse** of packaging



#Innovative

materials and solutions



**#Chemical** recycling of plastics



**#Elimination** of materials



**#Innovative** materials and solutions

### **Solid Bars** Personal Care Products





**#Innovative** materials and solutions

### Holy Grail 2.0

### **Personal Care Products**





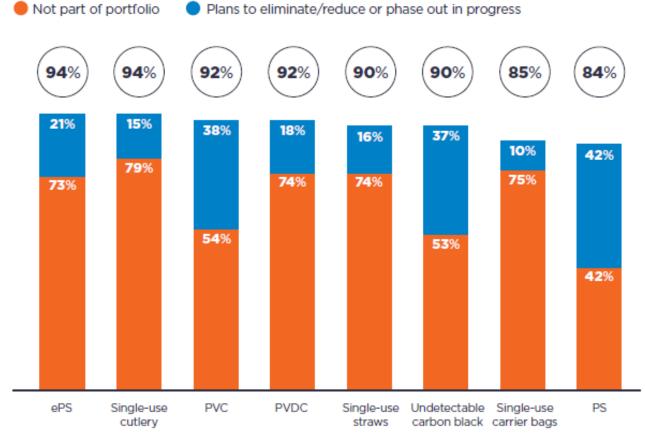


### **Refill Stations**





### **Problematic or Unnecessary Plastics**





### **BANNED** FROM AVON'S PORTFOLIO SINCE 2018

Source: Ellen MacArthur Foundation

Everyone needs to embrace the SUSTAINABILITY JOURNEY



### **RecyClass Unwrapped**

# Questions & Answers session



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# Thank you for participating & stay tuned!