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2020 PET market, Collection & Recycling Rates

Where are we headed with curbside collection

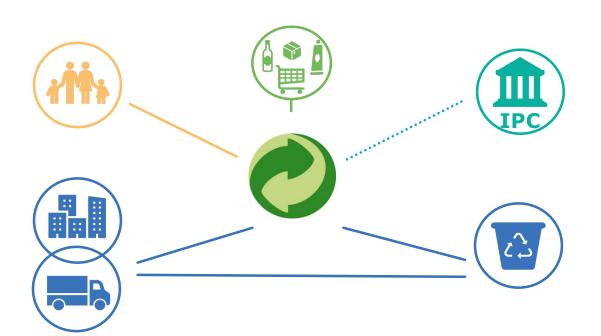
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About Fost Plus



Fost Plus, motor of the circular economy



Our recipe for success:

- 1. Uniform collection scenarios
- 2. Uniform sorting scenarios
- 3. Contracting power
- 4. Control of data flows
- 5. Control of material flows

Our ambitions







Fost Plus seeks to offer recycling solutions for <u>all</u> household packaging

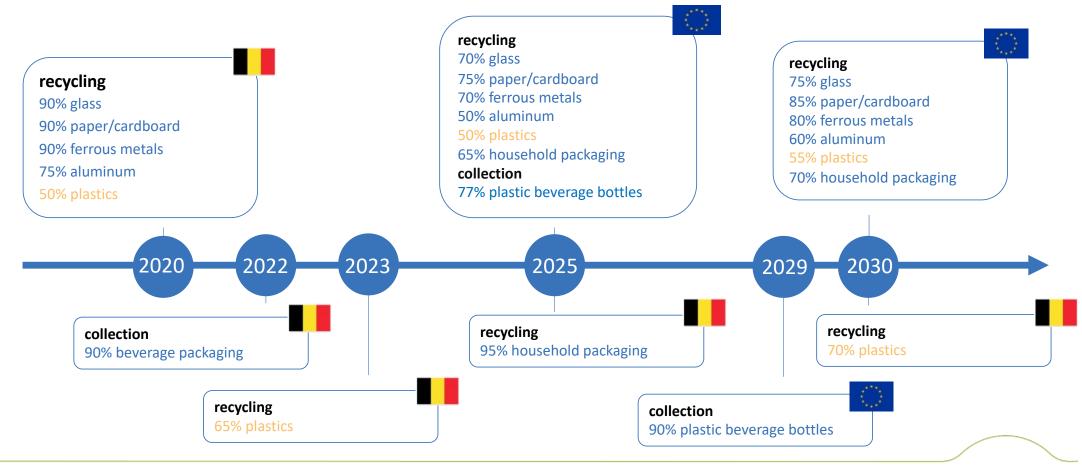
More tons, a higher recycling rate and more efficient systems

Digitalisation as a cornerstone of the system

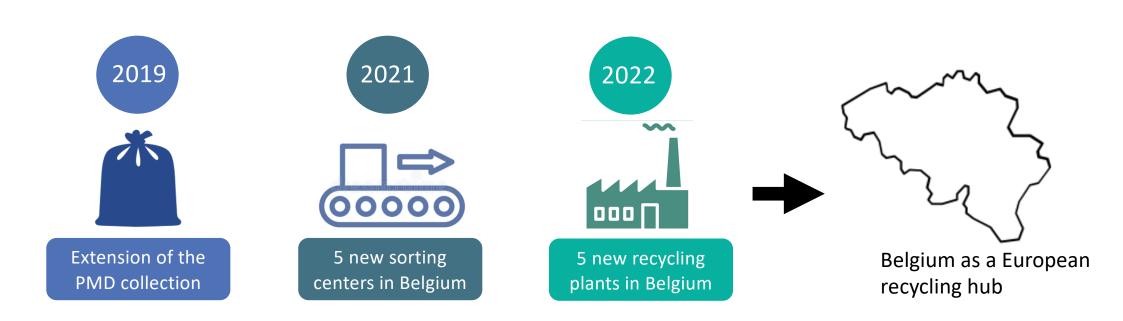
Objectives, above and beyond EU targets

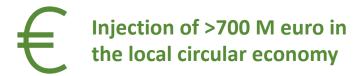


Belgium sets increasingly ambitious recycling targets



The New Blue Bag as a catalyst for the circular economy







Results 2020

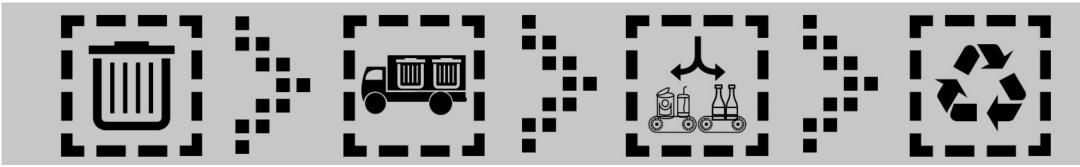


Measurement & calculation point

Measurement & Calculation point for PMD

Current situation





Household packaging waste

Future situation

Collection

Sorting

Measurement point for PMD

Recycling

Calculation point for all materials











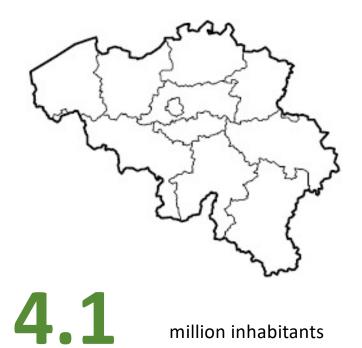
15,8 kg

RECYCLING RATE

94,9%

Further expansion of the New Blue Bag



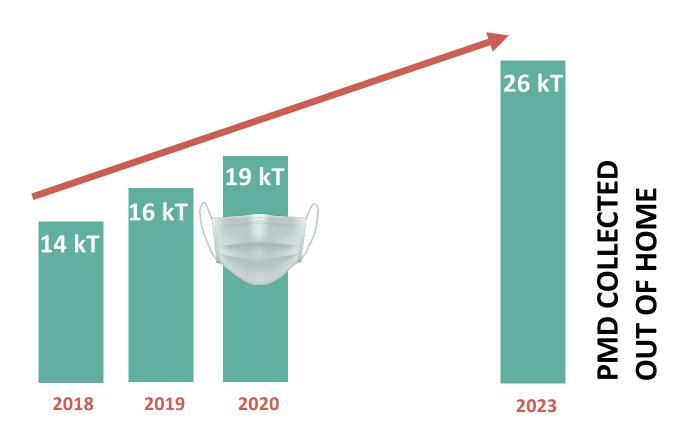


23,1

kg PMD per inhabitant



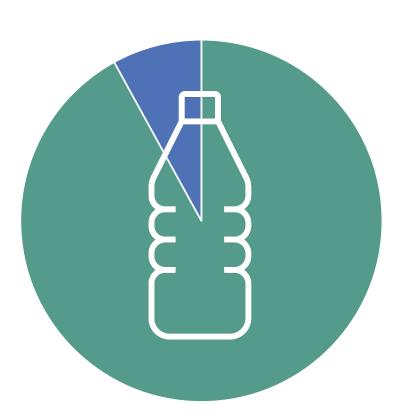




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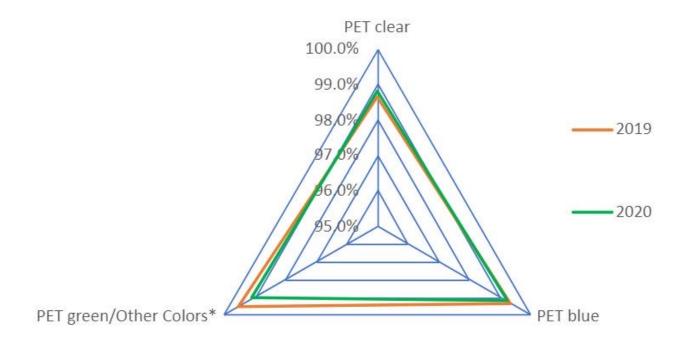


Collection rate for PET beverage bottles





Purity of sorted PET bales



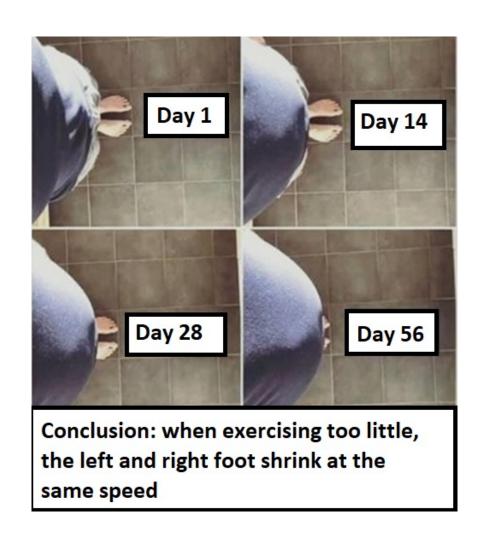
Conclusion



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With the Fost Plus New Blue Bag curbside collection system Belgium is ahead of the curve in realising the EU-targets for collection and recycling of plastic household packaging waste, and more in particular for PET (beverage) packaging.

The Fost Plus EPR system is the best guarantee for the lowest deficit in the circular packaging economy in Belgium.



Be careful with interpretation of numbers and take into account all boundary conditions and uncertainties!

Thank you!

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