

IF NOT NOW, WHEN?

Action for our children's future

IMPACT OF THE BAN ON SINGLE USE PLASTICS

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The Main Event

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Workshop 1 - Impact of the ban on Single Use Plastics

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Agenda

- Introduction to WRAP and The UK Plastics Pact – 5 minutes
- With new legislation due to come into force this October banning single use plastics across foodservice and hospitality, what will be the impact on the service and what are the alternatives available to school caterers? – 10 minutes
- What happens to my recycling? – 5 minutes
- Q&A – 10 minutes

Introduction to WRAP and The UK Plastics Pact



WRAP is...

- A climate action NGO working with governments, businesses and people in 40+ countries to tackle the climate crisis.
- The charity that founded the UK Plastics Pact (UKPP) in 2018 – the first of a global network of national initiatives.

OUR VISION

A thriving world in which climate change is no longer a problem.

OUR MISSION

To make the world a more sustainable place: bring people together, act on facts, drive change.

OUR CORE PURPOSE

To help you tackle climate change and protect our planet by changing the way things are produced, consumed and disposed of.

Introduction to WRAP and The UK Plastics Pact

Focus areas



Climate change
(food waste, GHG & water)



Plastic Packaging



Clothing & Textiles



Introduction to WRAP and The UK Plastics Pact

**THE UK
PLASTICS
PACT**

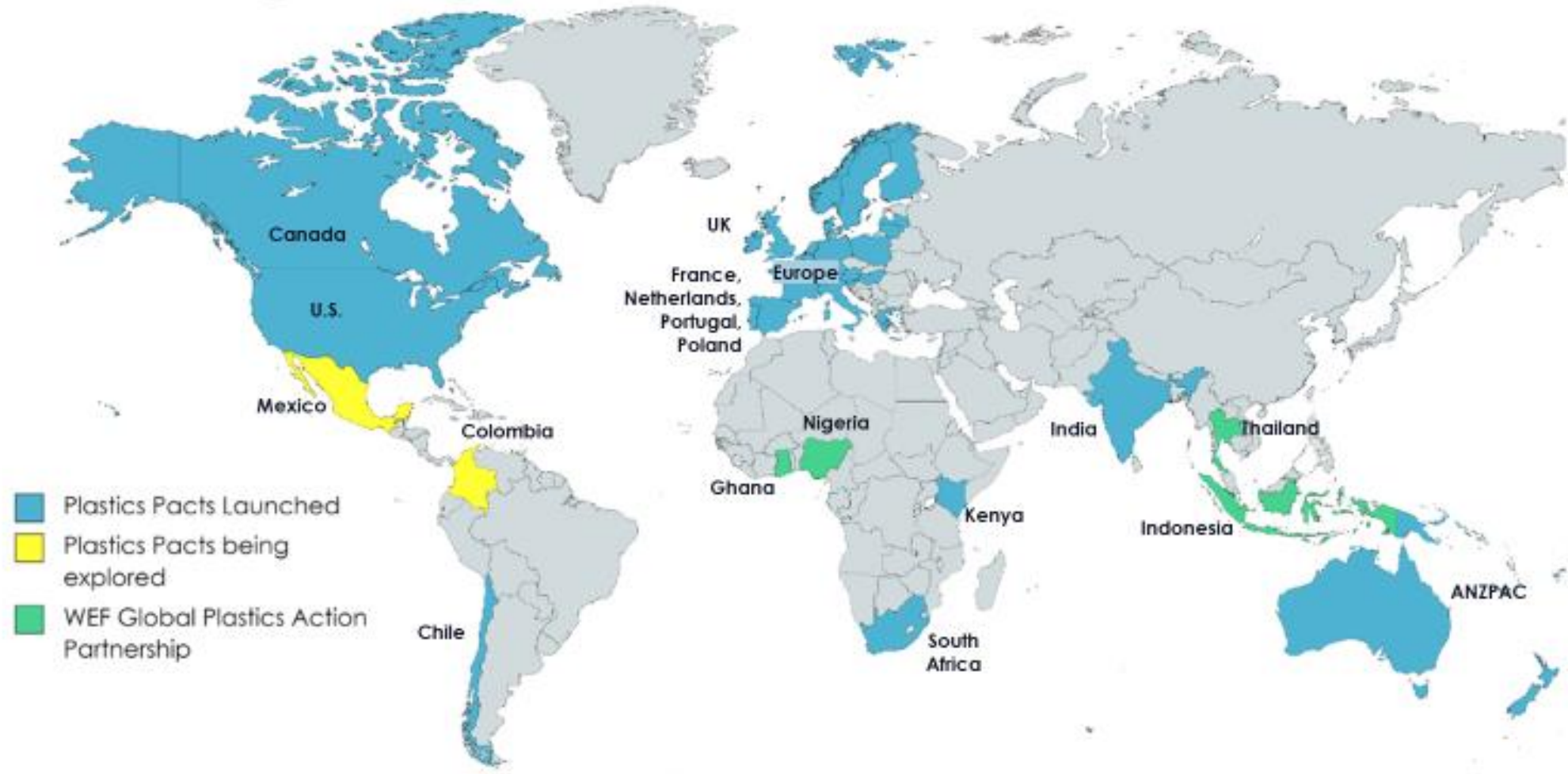


**A world where
plastic is valued and
doesn't pollute the
environment**

Introduction to WRAP and The UK Plastics Pact



WRAP's global plastics work



UK Plastics Pact Membership

100+ business members from
across the value chain

40+ supporting members
amplifying messaging and extending
reach

>95% UK grocery market

2/3 of all household plastic
packaging placed on the UK market

Signatories of the UK Plastics Pact

Retailers:



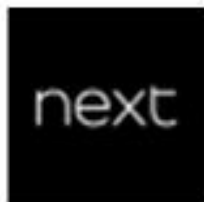
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Signatories of the UK Plastics Pact

Brands / Manufacturers:



AB WORLD FOODS

Abel & Cole



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GROUP

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Aston Manor
Cider



BAKKAVÖR

BARFOOTS
fresh thinking



brakes

BRITVIC



Cauldron

CRANSWICK
Great British Taste

Coca-Cola
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a division of Dunelm Mills

Ella's
kitchen



FOOD

gousto

HARIBO



HOTEL
Chocolat.
BRITISH CACAO GROWER



Innocent



RYVITA

KERRY
FOODS

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Signatories of the UK Plastics Pact

Home & Personal Care:



Targets of The UK Plastics Pact



Delivering ambitious targets

TARGET 1

BY 2025

**ELIMINATE
SINGLE-USE
PACKAGING**

Take actions to eliminate problematic or unnecessary single-use packaging items through redesign, innovation or alternative (reuse) delivery models.



TARGET 2

BY 2025

100%

of plastic packaging to be reusable, recyclable or compostable



TARGET 3

BY 2025

70%

of plastic packaging effectively recycled or composted



TARGET 4

BY 2025

30%

average recycled content across all plastic packaging



Single use plastics ban- October 2023

- From 1 October 2023 businesses must no longer supply, sell or offer certain single-use plastic items in England:
 - Plates, bowls and trays
 - Cutlery and balloon sticks
 - Polystyrene food and drink containers



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Single Use Plastics Ban

The ban on these items will include:

- online and over-the-counter sales and items from new and existing stock
- all types of single-use plastic, including biodegradable, compostable and recycled
- items wholly or partly made from plastic, including coating or lining

‘Single use’ means the item is meant to be used only once for its original purpose.

Single Use Plastics Ban

Plates, bowls and trays:

From 1 October you must not supply single-use plastic plates, trays and bowls to members of the public

Exemptions - You can still supply single-use plastic plates, bowls and trays if either of the following apply:

- you are supplying them to another business
- the items are packaging (pre-filled or filled at the point of sale)

Examples of this type of packaging include:

- a pre-filled salad bowl or ready meal packaged in a tray
- a plate filled at the counter of a takeaway
- a tray used to deliver food

Single Use Plastics Ban

Cutlery and balloon sticks:

From 1 October you must not supply single-use plastic cutlery or balloon sticks

There are no exemptions to this ban

Single Use Plastics Ban

Polystyrene food and drink containers:

From 1 October you must not supply ready-to-consume food and drink in polystyrene containers. This includes in polystyrene cups.

Polystyrene means expanded and extruded polystyrene

Exemptions - You can still supply food or drink in polystyrene containers if it needs further preparation before it is consumed. For example, further preparation could mean:

- adding water
- microwaving
- toasting

Single Use Plastics Ban

How to prepare for the ban:

You can prepare your business for the new rules by:

- using up existing stock before 1 October
- finding re-usable alternatives to single-use items
- using different materials for single-use items

If you continue to supply banned single-use plastics after 1 October, you could be fined

What happens to my recycling?

Material Recovery Facility (MRF)



Paper



Plastic

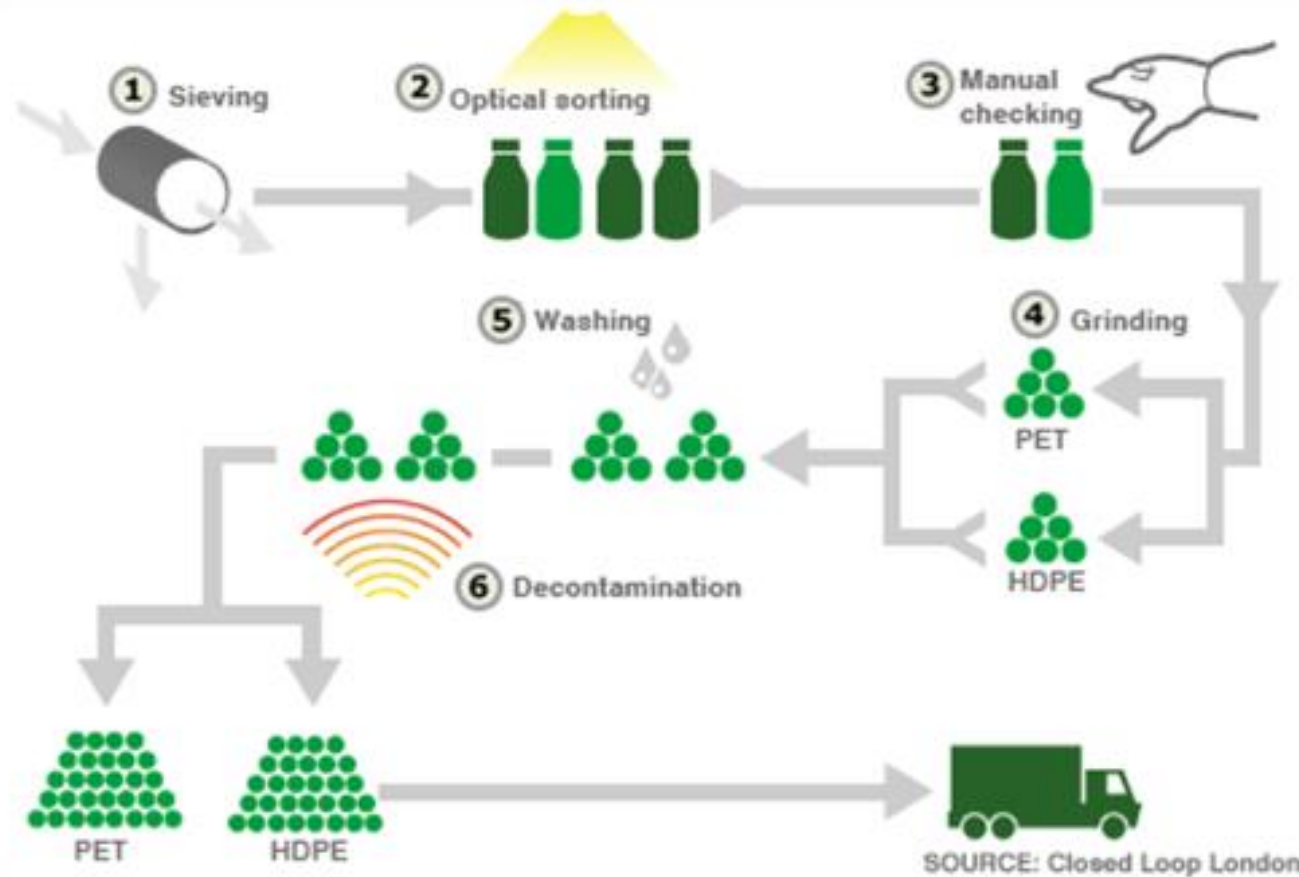


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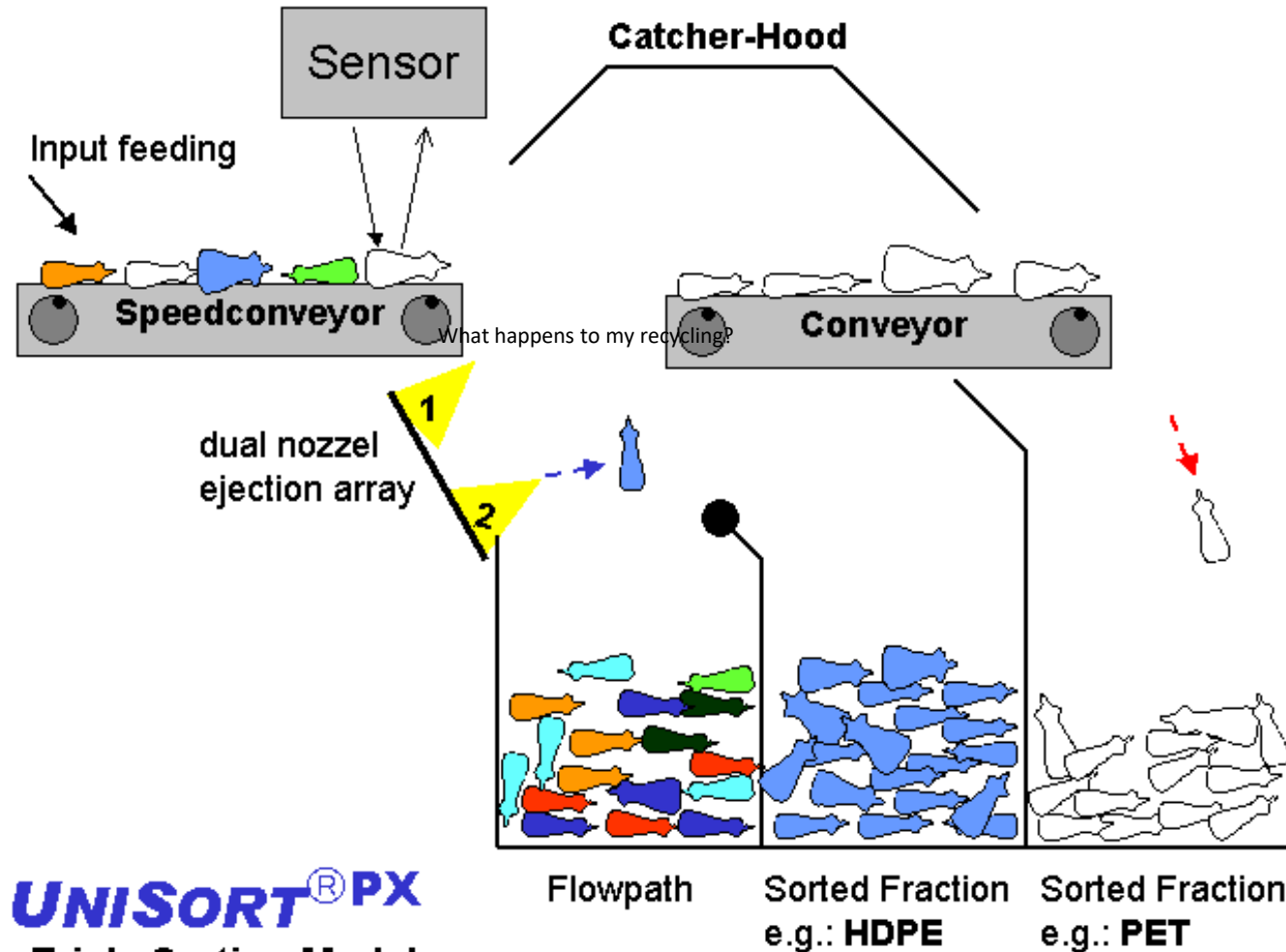


Cans and metals

What happens to my recycling?



What happens to my recycling?



UNISORT® PX
Triple Sorting Modul

What happens to my recycling?

Plastics sorting: float - sink

Float /
Sink
Test



PVC issue!

Q&A

Thank you

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