

Evaluation Criteria**The judges would be looking for:****Score Range****Project-related criteria - max. 80 % of total score****Planning**

1. Correct problem identification	Single-use plastic (SUP) consumption trends and habits within the organization has been identified through waste audit and procurement analysis. - Types of plastics, quantities and circumstances of plastic generation within the business/organization; - Barriers and motivations for reducing consumption and procurement of SUP.	0-10 points
2. Relevant strategy/solution	An efficient strategy has been selected to reduce/avoid the usage of single-use plastic items and the generation of plastic waste within the business/organization.	0-10 points

Implementation

3. Comprehensive approach and activities	Efficient and diversified activities were implemented; complex approach in terms of resources invested and strategies applied; consistency of the effort.	0-10 points
4. Management	Effective management of the project; Whether and how the company monitors, measures and improves.	0-10 points
5. Engagement and communication	Engagement of the relevant stakeholders and partnership approach; involvement of the company employees; communication about the project with stakeholders.	0-10 points

Results and Impact

6. Results and impact	The entry clearly identifies measurable results and impact; real change has been achieved: - How much plastic waste was reduced? Through what channels reduction or recycling? (percentage of plastic reduced by units or weight or procurement) - Has the company worked to change the awareness? Within and outside of the company? - Has the attitudes, beliefs and behavior of employees / consumers changed?	0-10 points
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7. Sustainability of the project results	The project results are sustainable and have the potential to exist in the long term; Entry clearly demonstrates what has been done to ensure sustainability	0-10 points
8. Potential for development	The company has clear plans for future improvements and activities in the area. The project has the potential to develop and expand.	0-10 points
Overall strategy and performance – max. 20% of the total score		
9. Overall environmental policy and strategy	The company has a well-articulated consistent environmental policy; focus areas are clearly defined and respond to the company's major environmental impacts; Company fully implements the requirements of the environmental permit (if the company has such a permit)	0-8 points
10. Overall environmental performance	Projects/activities are implemented and results achieved; efficient management systems are in place.	0-8points

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Week: 0-2 points	Fair: 3-4 points	Good: 5-7 points	Excellent: 8-10 points
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