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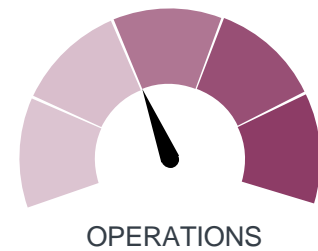
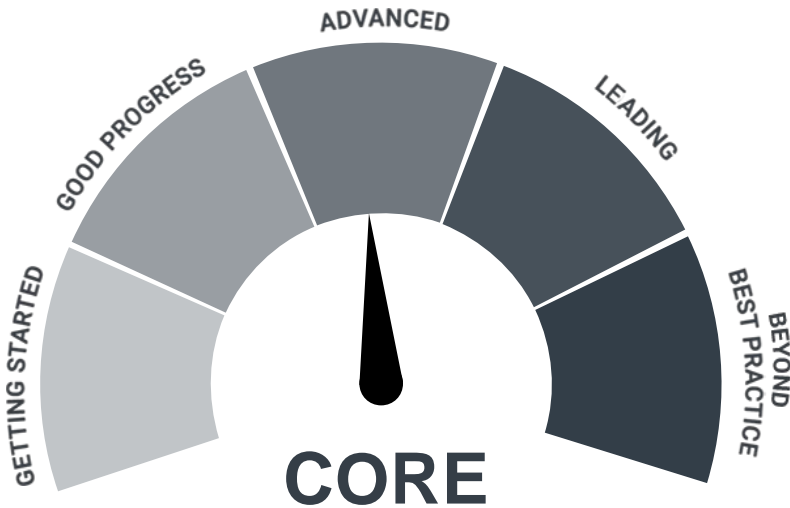
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Primary Industry Sector
Food & Beverage

Packaging Supply Chain Position
Manufacturer

ABN
52166135486

DASHBOARD



SUMMARY

For the 2019 APCO Annual Report, *Saputo Dairy Australia Pty Ltd* has achieved Level 3 (Advanced) for the core criteria. All seven core criteria were answered and five out of six recommended criteria were answered. In addition, *Saputo Dairy Australia Pty Ltd* has either achieved or put in place ten out of ten relevant packaging sustainability targets, and is publicly reporting progress against zero of these targets.

INDICATORS

This Annual Report shows the organisation's performance against the APCO Packaging Sustainability Framework.

CORE: All core criteria.

RECOMMENDED: All answered recommended criteria.

TOTAL: Sum of all core and answered recommended criteria.

LEADERSHIP: All criteria that defines leadership on packaging sustainability.

OUTCOMES: All criteria that lead to direct improvement in packaging sustainability.

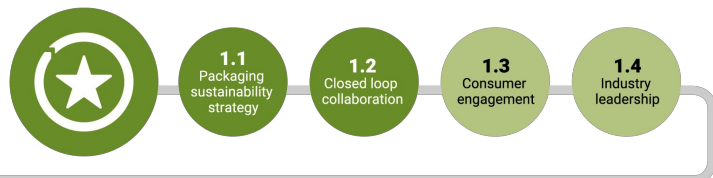
OPERATIONS: All criteria related to business operations for improving packaging sustainability.

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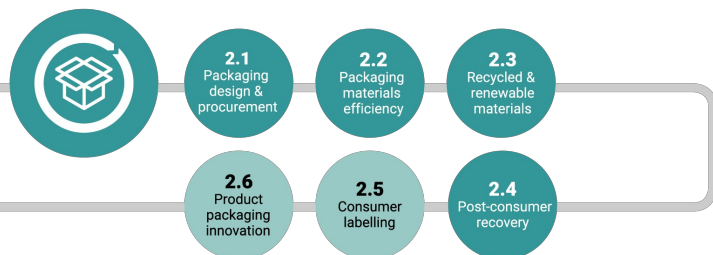
REPORTING FRAMEWORK

OVERVIEW

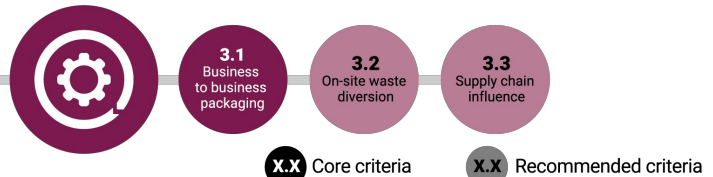
1. LEADERSHIP



2. OUTCOMES



3. OPERATIONS



X.X Core criteria

X.X Recommended criteria

LEVEL DESCRIPTION

LEVEL 0

NOT YET STARTED

The organisation does not have a plan and has not started investigating options for action under the relevant criteria.

LEVEL 1

GETTING STARTED

The organisation is developing a plan or is investigating options for action under that criteria (e.g. agreeing on goals and targets).

LEVEL 2

GOOD PROGRESS

There are documented procedures in place (e.g. to implement the Sustainable Packaging Guidelines) or some progress has been achieved, data tracking shows up to 20% of products have achieved the desired outcome.

LEVEL 3

ADVANCED

The organisation has specific, measurable targets in place, or data tracking shows that >20% of products have achieved the desired outcome.

LEVEL 4

LEADING

The organisation has more rigorous procedures in place, or an ambitious target has been met e.g. >50% of products have achieved the desired outcome.

LEVEL 5

BEYOND BEST PRACTICE

The organisation has more rigorous procedures in place, or an ambitious target has been met e.g. 100% of products have achieved the desired outcome.

ABOUT THE APCO FRAMEWORK

The APCO Packaging Sustainability Framework (the Framework) aims to provide a consistent and transparent framework for assessing and tracking packaging sustainability across organisations. The Framework consists of thirteen independent criteria that belong to three separate categories. These categories are (i) Leadership, (ii) Packaging Outcomes and (iii) Operations. The diagram above shows the different criteria included within each of these three categories.

There are two types of criteria within the Framework:

- **Core criteria** are mandatory and must be answered by all Members when completing the Annual Reporting Tool.
- **Recommended criteria** are not mandatory, but Members are encouraged to complete as many recommended criteria as possible.

Each criteria is divided into five levels of performance ranging from 'getting started' to 'beyond best practice'. The diagram above illustrates the key differences between performance levels. Please see www.packagingcovenant.org.au for more information.

ABOUT APCO

APCO is a co-regulatory, not for profit organisation that partners with government and industry to reduce the harmful impact of packaging on the Australian environment. APCO promotes sustainable design and recycling initiatives, waste to landfill reduction activities and circular economy projects. APCO Annual Reports are a key Membership obligation, providing Member organisations with a transparent method to track their packaging sustainability performance. Annual reporting also supplies APCO with valuable data and information to identify industry trends and advancements.

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TARGETS

Do you have specific targets to review new products against the SPG or equivalent?

Saputo undertakes to a review of its management processes to enable new or updated packaging released to the market to be evaluated according to the SPG during each reporting period.

Do you have specific targets to review existing products against the SPG or equivalent?

Saputo undertakes to increase the number of packaging reviews per annum, for existing SKUs, and identify improvement opportunities to reduce packaging materials or improve sustainability.

Do you have specific targets to reduce (optimise) the quantity of material used in packaging?

Saputo is committed to a reduction of up to 2.5% in packaging material use by 2021.

Do you have specific targets to improve recoverability of packaging (e.g. reuse, recycling, recoverability)?

Saputo aims to improve recoverability (via reuse and/or recycling) of packaging by up to 2.5% by 2021.

Do you have specific targets to use sustainable (e.g. renewable and recyclable) materials in packaging?

Saputo aims to increase the use of recycled and recyclable materials for secondary packaging and, where possible, recyclable materials for primary packaging (food contact). No hard target as yet, given we are starting this journey now.

Do you have specific targets to include on-pack labelling for disposal or recovery?

Saputo undertakes to amend its packaging artwork review process to enable appropriate on pack disposal or recovery labelling on primary and secondary packaging by 2021.

Do you have specific targets to reduce on-site waste sent to landfill?

Saputo aims to work with suppliers to reduce and minimise its on-site packaging waste sent to landfill by 2025, aligned to APCO targets.

Do you have specific targets to improve packaging sustainability through procurement processes?

Saputo is committed to ensuring 100% of our major packaging and waste management suppliers demonstrate a commitment to the SPG (Sustainable Packaging Guidelines) within their own businesses and have their own APCO Action Plans.



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Do you have specific targets to engage in closed loop collaboration(s) with stakeholders?

Saputo is committed to reviewing its waste management supply chain across the Saputo Dairy Australia network and working towards to maximising its closed loop recover and recycle efforts for all recyclable packaging.

Do you have specific targets to reduce (optimise) business-to-business packaging?

Saputo undertakes to reduce by up to 2.5% all packaging materials by 2021 in line with targets specified above (all Saputo activities are classified as B2B).

COMMITMENTS

The Action Plan detailed below, is a public commitment to advancing packaging sustainability outcomes as a Member of APCO. Members are encouraged to have a comprehensive internal plan with the steps they will take to fulfill their commitments.

Criteria 1.1 PACKAGING SUSTAINABILITY STRATEGY (core)

1. Getting started

Your organisation is committed to: Having a strategy to improve packaging sustainability.

Criteria 1.2 CLOSED-LOOP COLLABORATION (core)

4. Leading

Your organisation is committed to: Regularly monitoring quantifiable outcomes of your closed loop collaborations, and identifying areas for further improvement within existing or new initiatives.

Criteria 1.3 CONSUMER ENGAGEMENT (recommended)

1. Getting started

Your organisation is committed to engaging consumers about packaging sustainability by: (1) Applying labels that encourages active consumer engagement.



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COMMITMENTS

Criteria 1.4 INDUSTRY LEADERSHIP (recommended)

Not relevant

Your organisation has indicated that this criteria is not relevant.

Criteria 2.1 PACKAGING DESIGN & PROCUREMENT (core)

1. Getting started

Your organisation is committed to: Preparing a procedure that requires the use of the Sustainable Packaging Guidelines (SPG) or equivalent to evaluate packaging during design or procurement.

Criteria 2.2 PACKAGING MATERIALS EFFICIENCY (core)

5. Beyond best practice

Your organisation is committed to: Reducing packaging weight or optimising packaging material efficiency in all products.

Criteria 2.3 RECYCLED & RENEWABLE MATERIALS (core)

4. Leading

Your organisation is committed to: Incorporating or optimising recycled and/or renewable content in more than 50% of products.

Criteria 2.4 POST-CONSUMER RECOVERY (core)

4. Leading

Your organisation is committed to: Having more than 50% of primary packaging be recoverable through existing post-consumer recovery systems and achieving the highest potential environmental value.

Criteria 2.5 CONSUMER LABELLING (recommended)

4. Leading

Your organisation is committed to: Labelling more than 50% of products with disposal or recovery information.

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COMMITMENTS

Criteria 2.6 PRODUCT-PACKAGING INNOVATION (recommended)

1. Getting started

Your organisation is committed to: Investigating opportunities to change the design or delivery of at least one product to improve packaging sustainability.

Criteria 3.1 BUSINESS-TO-BUSINESS PACKAGING (core)

1. Getting started

Your organisation is committed to: Developing a plan or investigating opportunities to reduce the amount of single-use business-to-business (B2B) packaging used internally or sent to customers.

Criteria 3.2 ON-SITE WASTE DIVERSION (recommended)

3. Advanced

Your organisation is committed to: Investigating opportunities to divert more than 20% of solid waste generated at facilities (factories, warehouses, offices, retail stores etc.) from landfill.

Criteria 3.3 SUPPLY CHAIN INFLUENCE (recommended)

2. Good progress

Your organisation is committed to engaging its supply chain about packaging sustainability by: (1) Communicating goals and guidelines. (2) Collaborating with key suppliers to share knowledge.

SIGN OFF

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