

National Workshop on Circular Economy

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Create opportunities with circular



Founded in 1830, Scott & Co Ltd has been in the business for more than 190 years.

Scott & Co Ltd is one of the leading importers and distributors of FMCG (Fast Moving Consumer Goods), pharmaceuticals and healthcare products in Mauritius.



CATEGORIES

Our Scott Consumers Categories

Wines & Spirits



Beers & Cigarettes



Drinks



Food



Household & Personal Care



Reflexion & Starting point



As an importer & distributor in Mauritius, should we take accountability for the waste generated?

What are the type of potential waste I have and how to find local recycling solutions?

What are the benefits for my company to dive into circularity?

CIRCULARITY



Why choose LOCAL Circular Economy

S o c i a l
B e n e f i t s

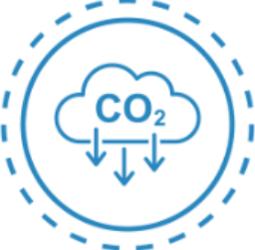
Competitiveness



W a s t e
R e d u c t i o n



J o b
C r e a t i o n



C a r b o n
R e d u c t i o n



E n e r g y
S a v i n g



P r o t e c t
R e s o u r c e s

TRANSPARENCY

Challenge

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- Find local reliable entrepreneurs working in the circular economy sector and define what can be transformed.
- Are these entrepreneurs benefiting from any support or schemes from the government to make sure they can sustain in the long term?
- Collection of the used products with the B2B and B2C.
- Who is going to bare the cost for all solutions implemented to reduce waste in Mauritius at our level?



Challenges

- I did not find any incentives from the public sector to encourage private & public sector to dive into circularity.
- Convince Scott Management into circularity, Change behaviors and processes.





OUR RESPONSIBILITY

OUR ACTIONS

- A Recycling Unit
- A Recycling Van
- A dedicated, passionate & Self-driven team
- Collaborate & Nurture relationship with the right partners
- Programs available for hotels & restaurants
- Programs available for individuals
- Full transparency, data tracking & new procedures for the various programs
- Awareness session for Scott Group and the stakeholders

LDPE / HDPE INTO ELECTRICAL PIPES



Recycling of Plastic Wrap and Sunquick 2L Bottles into 700 meters of Electrical Pipe.

COFFEE GROUND INTO COMPOST



More than 2 millions Nespresso capsules collected in Mauritius

4 tons of coffee ground turned into compost

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END TO END SUSTAINABLY MANAGED ALUMINIUM

- Source towards 100% of our permanent coffees through the AAA Sustainable Quality™ Program
- Increase the share of certified coffees in AAA
- Expand our value proposition to rare origins and pursue innovative solutions to better livelihoods for farmers
- Offer convenient recycling solutions to all our consumers
- Continue to increase our recycling rate and unlock the circular use of aluminium



WINE CORK INTO DECORATIVE ITEMS

More than 12 kg
collected.



Beautiful Local Hands is a project aiming to help local artisans to have an additional salary by recycling different materials. The project focus on women empowerment and entrepreneurship.

PALLET INTO TRAYS

Our old pallets are turned into trays instead of being thrown away. It brings a new value to the pallets as the trays are being sold on our online shop.



A NEW PURPOSE FOR FOOD WASTE

Since April 2020 we have a partnership with Foodwise to avoid any Food waste, so the products can be re-distributed to different NGO around Mauritius instead of being thrown away.



More than 18 Tons saved

25,000 meals redistributed to
more than 32 NGOs

Benefits

- Build a resilient and autonome Mauritius
- Build new partnerships and collaborations
- Create value from something we thought wasted
- Encourage research and innovation
- Build capacity



- Encourage entrepreneurship
- Re-design the economy
- Reinforce stakeholder engagements
- Create job

For us

- Interaction with stakeholders to understand the needs
- Reinforce stakeholder engagements mainly our customers B2B and B2C and our employees.
- Great partnerships and collaborations
- We go beyond thinking
- Full traceability of the process



- Competitive advantage
- Gain trust from our stakeholders
- Help reduce our carbon emission
- More efficient in our process
- Employees engagement

Recommendations

- Create a platform where actors in the Circular Economy can promote their expertise and solutions.
- Encourage through schemes and incentives the local entrepreneur's sector so that they can invest and have a long term planification.
- Support local players in the local circular economy sector to be more competitive against imported products through financial support – tax advantage – subsidies....
- Incentives and tools for public & private sector
- More accessibility to research and innovation by encouraging start-ups to come to Mauritius



- Integrated recycling zones for the different recycling programs available in Mauritius.
- A big emphasis on education for all audience.
- Help make circular economy profitable for a company.