

Tool 5.1 – Overview of Recyclable Waste Management

Table T 5.1 A: overview of recyclable waste management

Who are the actors involved in the current system of recyclable recovery, and what are their roles? ☐ Local government. Role: _____ ☐ Service provider. Role: _____ ☐ Informal waste pickers. Role: _____ ☐ Social enterprise. Role: _____ ☐ Cooperative. Role: _____ ☐ Private sector. Role: _____ ☐ Humanitarian responders. Role: _____ ☐ Other: _____
Is there a formal service for recyclables recovery? ☐ Yes: _____ ☐ No: _____
Is there an informal sector active in recyclables recovery? ☐ Yes: _____ ☐ No: _____
Are the recyclables segregated at source? ☐ Yes ☐ No
Is there a collection and transportation system in place, and how often are recyclables collected? ☐ Yes ☐ No ☐ Other: _____ ☐ Frequency: _____
Where are the recyclable materials transported to? ☐ Sorting and storage facility (MRF) ☐ Other: _____
Is there a specific infrastructure in place to store the collected recyclables? Describe. ☐ Yes: _____ ☐ No: _____
Which recyclables are being recovered? Be precise about the material. For example, <u>PET</u> bottles or <u>aluminium</u> cans. ☐ Plastic: _____ ☐ Glass: _____ ☐ Metal: _____ ☐ Paper: _____ ☐ Cardboard: _____ ☐ Other: _____

What is done with the collected recyclables?

Informal sector. Share of collected recyclables: _____ %

- ☐ Directly sold or handed in to the recycling market
- ☐ Pretreated and then sold or handed in to the recycling market
- ☐ Reused or processed on site
- ☐ Other: _____

Formal sector. Share of collected recyclables: _____ %

- ☐ Directly sold or handed in to the recycling market
- ☐ Pretreated and then sold or handed in to the recycling market
- ☐ Reused or processed on site
- ☐ Other: _____

If recyclables are pretreated, how are they pretreated before further management?

- ☐ Cleaning
- ☐ Sorting (by material type and/or colour)
- ☐ Shredding
- ☐ Compacting (manually or mechanically)
- ☐ Other: _____

If recyclables are reused or processed on site, describe what is done with them.

Are there relevant laws, policies, regulations, plans and strategies for SWM and specifics regarding recyclable waste management and marketing of recyclables?

- ☐ National level: _____
- ☐ Local level: _____
- ☐ Institutional level: _____