

CICLIC

Bringing sustainability and performance together through advanced mechanical recycling technology

Ciclic® represents the next generation of high-performance recycled polyolefins, designed to meet the demands of industries seeking sustainable, consistent, and high-quality materials. Our commitment is clear: reducing CO² emissions, lowering reliance on virgin plastics, driving circularity and providing tailor-made solutions for your business.



Transforming Recycled Plastics into High-Quality Solutions

Ciclic® delivers a fully certified portfolio of recycled and recyclable polyolefins, sourced from both pre-consumer and post-consumer (PCR) materials. Our high-quality grades help transform plastic waste into sustainable, value-added solutions for a wide range of applications.

rLDPE:

- Markets: Flexible packaging, agriculture, building & construction, personal care.
- Applications: Bags, shrink film, industrial film, pouches, mulch film, cover films, irrigation pipes, secondary packaging, tubes, etc.

rLLDPE:

- Markets: Flexible packaging, agriculture, building & construction, personal care.
- Applications: HDS, secondary packaging, stretch film, tubes, wrap film, irrigation pipes, cable, etc.

rHDPE:

- Markets: Flexible packaging, rigid packaging, building & construction, personal care.
- Applications: Cover films, protective cushion films, FFS (Form-Fill-Seal), crates, netting, pipes, playground equipment, bottles, caps, etc.

rPP

- Markets: Rigid packaging, building & construction, personal care, automotive, appliances.
- Applications: Household boxes and crates, buckets, pipes, drainage systems, geotextile sheets, parking walls, street furniture, cosmetic jars, caps & closures, bumpers, washing machine and vacuum cleaner parts, etc.

Ciclic[®] End Markets



Flexible Packaging



Rigid Packaging



_ _ Agriculture



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Personal



Building & Construction

Ciclic® Key Features



Customized Solutions

Tailored materials to meet unique applications requirements



Virgin Polymer Replacement

Virgin-like quality recycled content for diverse applications



Sustainable Impact

Up to **90%** CO² savings, aligned with the 3R approach



High-consistent quality

Reliable supply from selected recycled sources



Certified Portfolio

Meeting stringent regulatory requirements





High-Performance Mechanical Recycling at our Castellet Plant

Our Castellet plant sets new standards in mechanical recycling, combining scale, efficiency, and sustainability to deliver high-quality recycled polyolefins.

Europe's largest and most advanced plastic recycling facilities dedicated exclusively to **recycled polyolefins**.

• 15 years of experience in Compounding with Recycling.

Expanded production capacity and efficiency, ensuring a reliable and scalable supply.

- 100,000 mT/year of **post-consumer** recycled polyolefins: 20,000 mT/y Flexible & 80,000 mT/y Rigid.
- 30,000 mT/year of **pre-consumer** recycled polyolefins.

Low-energy, high-yield processing, designed to minimize environmental impact.

• Closed-loop water purification system, reducing consumption and placing us among the top 10% in water efficiency.

Stringent quality control to ensure consistency in every batch.

• Our in-house lab rigorously tests every batch with analytical methods and real-world simulations to guarantee top performance and quality.



Why choosing Ciclic®?

One of Europe's largest polyolefin recyclers

20+ years of recycling expertise with compounding capabilities

Large-scale production

- 100,000 mT/y post-consumer
- 30,000 mT/y pre-consumer polyolefins

Agile go-to-market developments

Reliable Strategic Sourcing & Consistent Supply

Certified sustainable portfolio

Innovation Hub

- ▼ Industrial Scale Pilot Plant
- **▶** 50+ specialists

- Advanced Lab technology
- ▼ Co-creation process

Certifications

Commitment to the highest standards

















High-Performance Mechanical Recycling **Process**

Consumption



Products



Recycled Material PCR & PIR



High-quality Pre-sorted Material



Material shredded into small flakes



Cold and hot water washing



Drying process



3. High Efficiency Washing

The material undergoes a thorough hot water and caustic soda wash to remove contaminants. Controlled dosages guarantee material quality at this stage.

Our hot washing capacity exceeds 75,000 metric tons annually, making us one of the largest in Europe.

Manufacturing

CICLIC Recycled

Polyolefins



1. Collection and Sorting:

The process starts with the careful sourcing and sorting of pre- and post-consumer polyolefins by material type, color, and quality. Full traceability is maintained as materials are prepared for processing.

2. Particle Size Reduction

High-capacity shredders reduce the material to a consistent particle size, maximizing productivity and ensuring uniform feedstock for the next stages.

Sorting by color & material composition



4. Sorting by color & material composition (Tomra Technology)

Advanced optical sorters separate flakes by polymer type and color. This ensures high-purity streams, optimizing recyclability and performance for demanding applications.

8. Delivery - Custom Solutions for Brand Owners and Value Chain

We deliver reliable recycled polyolefins through controlled sourcing, high-performance formulations, and consistent quality-tailored to the needs of brand owners and the value chain worldwide.



Laboratory testing



Deodorization Treatment Batch Homogenization



Pelletizing



Fed into processing line

7. Quality Control & Testing

Our in-house lab conducts rigorous testing-both analytical and applicationbased-to ensure each batch meets the highest standards of quality and performance.

6. Deodorization Treatment & **Batch Homogenization**

Post-consumer materials undergo specialized deodorization treatments to remove unwanted odors, meeting brand owner expectations for aesthetics.

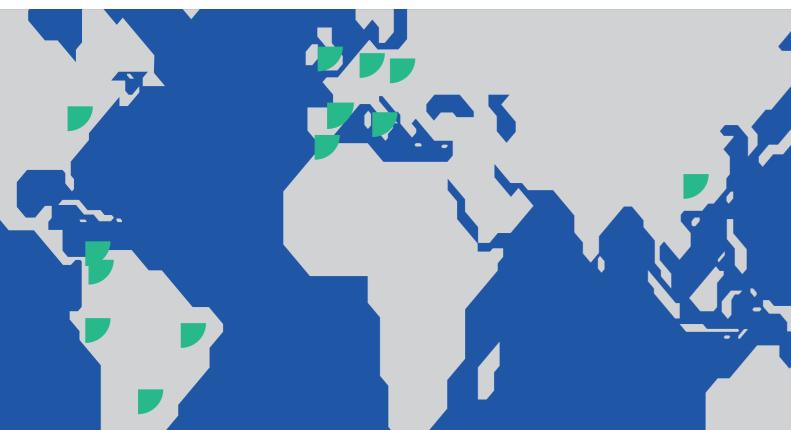
Batch homogenization guarantees color consistency and uniform properties across every production run.

5. Extrusion (Erema Technology):

Sorted flakes are processed through our EREMA extrusion lines, where they are melted, filtered, and compounded. Our technical expertise ensures formulations are tailored to meet material performance and processability needs.



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