

Sustainable Packaging Opportunities: Meeting Demand, Ensuring Compliance

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EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

Unwrapping sustainable packaging communication Key findings

SUSTAINABLE PACKAGING OVERVIEW

Key facts to share

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Opportunities to accelerate sustainable packaging solutions Redesigning for circularity is key to curbing waste and emissions What is driving sustainable packaging development?

CLOSING THE LOOP ON RECYCLABILITY

Growing demand to boost recycling rates and enhance recycled content quality
Global regulatory push for recyclability
Recyclability communication regaining momentum
Recycled content is expanding across categories, yet not at the proper speed

Sustainability communication: Recyclability examples

EMBRACING ALTERNATIVES TO REDUCE WASTE

Moving beyond the path of least resistance is key to unlocking adoption of alternatives Global regulatory push for packaging optimisation and waste reduction Consider category-specific challenges, sourcing and disposal in the shift to alternatives Unlock optimisation triple impact: Less materials, waste and costs Sustainability communication: Examples of alternative materials

APPROACHING CIRCULARITY THROUGH REUSE/REFILL

Circular models can boost convenience, loyalty and sustainability
Global regulatory push for reuse/refill systems: Business implications
Reusable/refill solutions can lower sustainable purchase barriers
Maximising sustainability and consumer engagement: Right model, right category
Sustainability communication: reuse/refill examples

CONCLUSION

Recommendations/opportunities for growth Evolution of sustainable packaging Questions we are asking

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