

WEEELABEX Organisation - OFFICIAL STATEMENT	
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Issue Name:	CRT glass - calculation of Recycling and Recovery rates
Issue Description:	<p>Case 1: CRT glass is used for production of construction materials or for production of materials substituting gravel. Can this use of CRT glass be calculated towards the “Reuse and recycling targets”?</p> <p>Case 2: CRT glass is used for backfilling. Can this use of CRT glass be calculated towards the “Reuse and recycling targets” or towards the “Recovery targets”?</p>
WEEELABEX Organisation Statement	<p>Case 1: CRT glass that is used for production of construction materials or for production of materials substituting gravel can be calculated towards the “Reuse and recycling targets”. However, only in case if the glass is used for a “defined product” for a “defined process”, it means if there is a clear specification of the product and a clear specification of the intended process. Moreover, the product shall meet legislative requirements.</p> <p>Case 2: CRT glass that is used for backfilling cannot be calculated towards the “Reuse and recycling targets” but can be calculated towards the “Recovery targets” only.</p> <p>Explanation based on a definition stated in legislation:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Use of CRT glass can be calculated towards the “Reuse and recycling targets” in case of any recovery operation by which waste materials are reprocessed into products, materials or substances whether for the original or other purposes. It includes the reprocessing of organic material but does not include energy recovery and the reprocessing into materials that are to be used as fuels or for backfilling operations; ➤ Use of CRT glass can be calculated towards the “Recovery targets” in case of any operation the principal result of which is waste serving a useful purpose by replacing other materials which would otherwise have been used to fulfil a particular function, or waste being prepared to fulfil that function, in the plant or in the wider economy. This includes also the energy recovery and the reprocessing into materials that are to be used as fuels or for backfilling operations.
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