

Certification of plastic recycling industries in Argentina

A project under the Small Grants Programme (SGP) on Plastic Waste (2021-2022)



OBJECTIVE

Improving the ESM of plastic waste and preventing and minimizing the generation of plastic waste through the strengthening of traceability and certification process of the recycling plastics and the commercialization chains



PARTNERS

- Implemented by the Basel Convention Regional Centre in Argentina
- In cooperation with the National Institute of Industrial Technology (INTI, Argentina) and the Chamber of the Plastic Recycling Industry (CAIRPLAS, Argentina)
- Facilitated by the Secretariat of the Basel, Rotterdam and Stockholm Conventions
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ACTIVITIES

- Review and adjust the Certification Protocol
- Listing of plastics recycling industries in Argentina
- Dissemination of the certification model throughout Argentina
- Certification of plastics recycling industries
- Regional Auditor's trainings workshops
- Promote and disseminate the replication of Certification Model in Latin America and the Caribbean (LAC)



ACHIEVEMENTS TO DATE

A new version of the Certification Protocol made

A list of plastic recycling industries made

Contact with industrial chambers and environmental organizations established

Training of regional auditors started

3 plastic recycling industries certificated



18 technical meetings held with the industries interested in the certification



Promotional brochure of the protocol prepared and sent to the recycling industries

The protocol promoted in all regions of the country

Dissemination of the protocol carried out in LAC during **2** events



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