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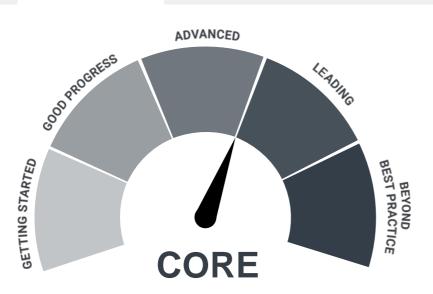
### Holman Industries

Bookleaf Pty Ltd as trustee for the Eden Unit Trust

Website www.holmanindustries.com.au **Primary Industry Sector** Chemicals, hardware and machinery **Packaging Supply Chain Position** Manufacturer

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#### DASHBOARD













#### **SUMMARY**

For the 2021 APCO Annual Report, Bookleaf Pty Ltd as trus tee for the Eden Unit Trust has achieved Level 4 (Leading) f or the core criteria. All seven core criteria were answered an d six out of six recommended criteria were answered. In addi tion, Bookleaf Pty Ltd as trustee for the Eden Unit Trust has either achieved or put in place seven out of ten relevant pac kaging sustainability targets, and is publicly reporting progre ss against zero of these targets.

#### **INDICATORS**

This Annual Report shows the organisation's performance against the APCO Packaging Sustainability Framework.

CORE: All core criteria.

**RECOMMENDED:** All answered recommended criteria. TOTAL: Sum of all core and answered recommended criteria.

LEADERSHIP: All criteria that defines leadership on packaging sustainability.

**OUTCOMES:** All criteria that lead to direct improvement in packaging sustainability.

**OPERATIONS:** All criteria related to business operations for improving packaging sustainability.

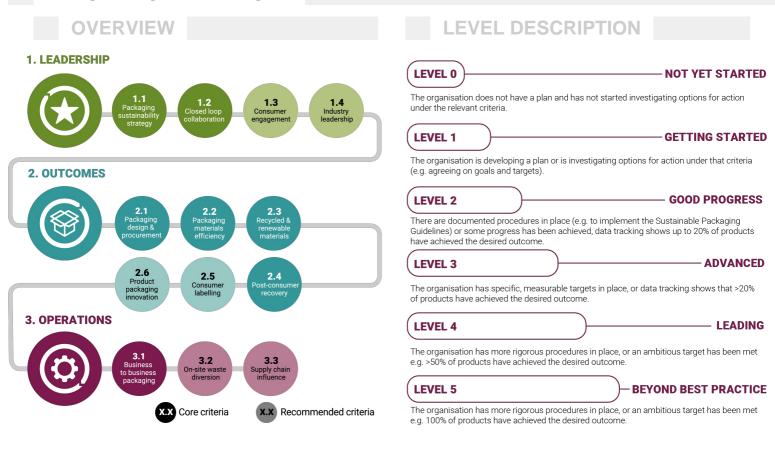




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#### REPORTING FRAMEWORK



#### ABOUT THE APCO FRAMEWORK

The APCO Packaging Sustainability Framework (the Framework) aims to provide a consistent and transparent framework for assessing and tracking packaging sustainability across organisations. The Framework consists of thirteen independent criter ia that belong to three separate categories. These categories are (i) Leadership, (ii) Packaging Outcomes and (iii) Operation s. The diagram above shows the different criteria included within each of these three categories.

There are two types of criteria within the Framework:

- Core criteria are mandatory and must be answered by all Members when completing the Annual Reporting Tool.
- **Recommended criteria** are not mandatory, but Members are encouraged to complete as many recommended criteria as possible.

Each criteria is divided into five levels of performance ranging from 'getting started' to 'beyond best practice'. The diagram ab ove illustrates the key differences between performance levels. Please see www.packagingcovenant.org.au for more information.

#### **ABOUT APCO**

APCO is a co-regulatory, not for profit organisation that partners with government and industry to reduce the harmful impact of packaging on the Australian environment. APCO promotes sustainable design and recycling initiatives, waste to landfill re duction activities and circular economy projects. APCO Annual Reports are a key Membership obligation, providing Member organisations with a transparent method to track their packaging sustainability performance. Annual reporting also supplies A PCO with valuable data and information to identify industry trends and advancements.





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#### FREE FORM QUESTIONS

Describe initiatives, processes or practices that you have implemented during your chosen reporting period that have improved packaging sustainability.

Created a process to assess every new packaging to either reduce packaging size and material and also look at using I ess virgin raw material.

Describe any opportunities or constraints that affected performance within your chosen reporting period.

Retail landscape and on shelf impact compared to competitors. Falling dollar and supplier shortage has slowed some in itiatives for a little.

Uncertainty due to COVID-19

#### TARGETS

Do you have specific targets to review new products against the SPGs or equivalent?

Evaluating with the supplier what packaging materials can be used to ensure usage of recycled materials and optimise t he aim for all packaging to be 100% recyclable.

Do you have specific targets to review existing products against the SPGs or equivalent?

Re-evaluating with the supplier what packaging materials can be used to ensure usage of recycled materials and optimi se the aim for all packaging to be 100% recyclable.

Do you have specific targets to reduce (optimise) the quantity of material used in packaging?

Every product runs through an evaluation process to ensure what minimum packaging can be used to reduce the footpr int.

Do you have specific targets to improve recoverability of packaging (e.g. reuse, recycling, recoverability)?

None provided.

Do you have specific targets to use sustainable (e.g. renewable and recyclable) materials in packaging?

Using corn starch for all OPP bag style packaging.

Do you have specific targets to include on-pack labelling for disposal or recovery?

Implementing on 100% of existing products by 2023.





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#### **TARGETS**

Do you have specific targets to reduce on-site waste sent to landfill?

None provided.

Do you have specific targets to improve packaging sustainability through procurement processes?

Working with several suppliers to find the best option.

Do you have specific targets to engage in closed loop collaboration(s) with stakeholders?

Taking old garden hose and farming film back to produce new hoses and poly pipe.

Do you have specific targets to reduce (optimise) business-to-business packaging?

None provided.





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#### COMMITMENTS

The Action Plan detailed below, is a public commitment to advancing packaging sustainability outcomes as a Member of APCO. Members are encouraged to have a comprehensive internal plan with the steps they will take to fulfill their commitments.

Criteria 1.1 PACKAGING SUSTAINABILITY STRATEGY (core)

#### 5. Beyond best practice

Your organisation is committed to: Publicly reporting progress towards packaging sustainability.

Criteria 1.2 CLOSED-LOOP COLLABORATION (core)

#### 3. Advanced

**Your organisation is committed to:** Ensuring that rigorous processes are implemented to collect data for the purpos es of monitoring the performance of the closed loop collaboration.

Criteria 1.3 CONSUMER ENGAGEMENT (recommended)

#### 4. Leading

Your organisation is committed to engaging consumers about packaging sustainability by: (1) Including packaging information on your website or other publications. (2) Applying on-pack claims or labels. (3) Designing packaging to reduce the impacts of consumption. (4) Running a marketing campaign.

Criteria 1.4 INDUSTRY LEADERSHIP (recommended)

#### 4. Leading

Your organisation is committed to: (1) Investigating collaborative or industry leadership actions to improve packagin g sustainability. (2) Being involved in a program or initiative to improve packaging sustainability through collaboration a nd leadership. (3) Being involved in multiple programs or initiatives to improve packaging sustainability through collabor ation and industry leadership. (4) Actively engaging with peers and/or the community to promote packaging sustainability, and sharing sustainability knowledge for non-commercial purposes.

Criteria 2.1 PACKAGING DESIGN & PROCUREMENT (core)

#### 4. Leading

**Your organisation is committed to:** Reviewing at least 80% of packaging with reference to the Sustainable Packagin g Guidelines (SPG) or equivalent.





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#### COMMITMENTS

Criteria 2.2 PACKAGING MATERIALS EFFICIENCY (core)

#### 4. Leading

**Your organisation is committed to:** Reducing packaging weight or optimising packaging material efficiency in more t han 50% of products.

Criteria 2.3 RECYCLED & RENEWABLE MATERIALS (core)

#### 5. Beyond best practice

Your organisation is committed to: Incorporating or optimising recycled and/or renewable content in all products.

Criteria 2.4 POST-CONSUMER RECOVERY (core)

#### 4. Leading

**Your organisation is committed to:** Having more than 50% of primary packaging be recoverable through existing po st-consumer recovery systems and achieving the highest potential environmental value.

Criteria 2.5 CONSUMER LABELLING (recommended)

#### 4. Leading

Your organisation is committed to: Labelling more than 50% of products with disposal or recovery information.

Criteria 2.6 PRODUCT-PACKAGING INNOVATION (recommended)

#### 4. Leading

Your organisation is committed to: Evaluating and optimising more than 50% of product-packaging systems using Li fe Cycle Assessment (LCA) or similar.

Criteria 3.1 BUSINESS-TO-BUSINESS PACKAGING (core)

#### 3. Advanced

**Your organisation is committed to:** Reducing consumption of single use business-to-business (B2B) packaging by more than 20% or optimising more than 20% of B2B packaging for efficiency and reuse.





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#### COMMITMENTS

Criteria 3.2 ON-SITE WASTE DIVERSION (recommended)

#### 1. Getting started

**Your organisation is committed to:** Investigating opportunities to divert solid waste generated at facilities (factories, warehouses, offices, retail stores etc.) from landfill.

Criteria 3.3 SUPPLY CHAIN INFLUENCE (recommended)

#### 4. Leading

Your organisation is committed to engaging its supply chain about packaging sustainability by: (1) Communic ating goals and guidelines. (2) Providing support to suppliers to improve their understanding of goals and strategies. (3) Collaborating with key suppliers to share knowledge. (4) Having business processes to monitor supplier compliance.

#### SIGN OFF

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