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# Tooltechnic Systems (Aust) Pty Ltd

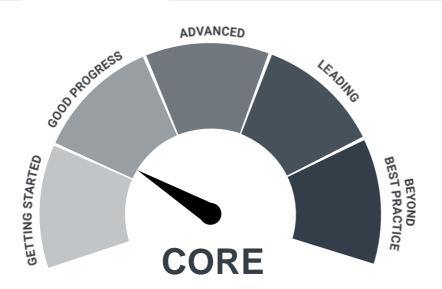
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**Primary Industry Sector**Chemicals, hardware and machinery

Packaging Supply Chain Position Importer / Supplier

**ABN** 85 090 458 576

### **DASHBOARD**







LEADERSHIP



OUTCOMES



**OPERATIONS** 

## **SUMMARY**

For the 2021 APCO Annual Report, *Tooltechnic Systems (A ust) Pty Ltd* has achieved Level 2 (Good Progress) for the c ore criteria. All seven core criteria were answered and zero out of six recommended criteria were answered.

## **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.

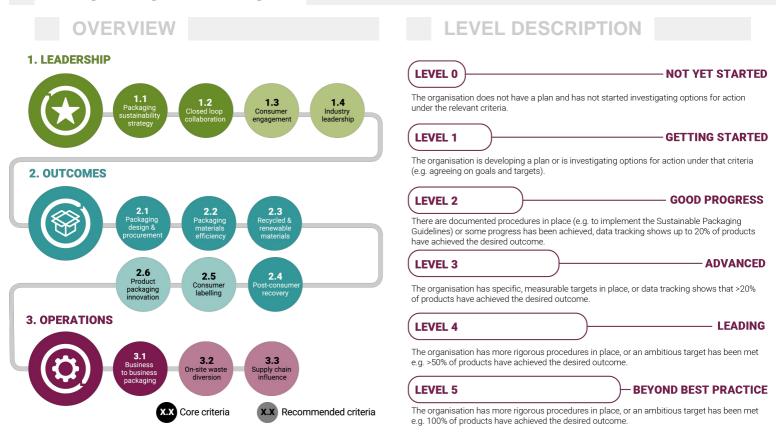
**OPERATIONS:** All criteria related to business operations for improving packaging sustainability.





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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.

We will continue to encourage our distributors to re-use or recycle the secondary packaging. Most of the products sold to the end consumer is without any secondary packaging. Most of the product packaging is regarded as part of the product itself tool e.g. plastic tool boxes or an accessory is sold in a blister packaging and it will be used to store the product

We are also continuing with our "paperless" initiative. More departments have gone paperless such as the Logistics De partment. All import shipping documents and related invoices are now being stores electronically and are no longer bein g printed. This was an initiative following COVID 19 and staff have been working remotely from home, hence there was no point in printing documents for the office any longer. This was a good opportunity to reduce paper within the offices.

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

Being an importer of finished products, we have very little control over the primary packaging of our products we purcha se from our European suppliers. Where appropriate, we do provide feedback on packaging or improvement ideas. We have very little influence as all R + D processes are handled at an parent company level in Europe.

However dealing with German Power Tools companies the standard are already high in order to comply with their own I ocal laws, requirements and own company policies.

#### 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)

#### 2. Good progress

Your organisation is committed to: Integrating your packaging sustainability strategy into business policies and proc esses.

Criteria 1.2 CLOSED-LOOP COLLABORATION (core)

#### 1. Getting started

**Your organisation is committed to:** Investigating options to join or start a collaborative initiative to address barriers t o the recovery of waste packaging.

Criteria 1.3 CONSUMER ENGAGEMENT (recommended)

#### Not relevant

Your organisation has indicated that this criteria is not relevant.





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### COMMITMENTS

Criteria 1.4 INDUSTRY LEADERSHIP (recommended)

#### Not relevant

Your organisation has indicated that this criteria is not relevant.

Criteria 2.1 PACKAGING DESIGN & PROCUREMENT (core)

#### 3. Advanced

**Your organisation is committed to:** Reviewing at least 20% of packaging with reference to the Sustainable Packagin g Guidelines (SPG) or equivalent.

Criteria 2.2 PACKAGING MATERIALS EFFICIENCY (core)

### 1. Getting started

Your organisation is committed to: Developing a documented plan to optimise material efficiency.

Criteria 2.3 RECYCLED & RENEWABLE MATERIALS (core)

#### 1. Getting started

Your organisation is committed to: Investigating opportunities to increase the use of recycled and/or renewable mat erials in packaging.

Criteria 2.4 POST-CONSUMER RECOVERY (core)

#### 1. Getting started

Your organisation is committed to: Investigating opportunities to improve recoverability in packaging.

Criteria 2.5 CONSUMER LABELLING (recommended)

### Not relevant

Your organisation has indicated that this criteria is not relevant.





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### COMMITMENTS

Criteria 2.6 PRODUCT-PACKAGING INNOVATION (recommended)

#### Not relevant

Your organisation has indicated that this criteria is not relevant.

Criteria 3.1 BUSINESS-TO-BUSINESS PACKAGING (core)

### 1. Getting started

**Your organisation is committed to:** Developing a plan or investigating opportunities to reduce the amount of single-u se business-to-business (B2B) packaging used internally or sent to customers.

Criteria 3.2 ON-SITE WASTE DIVERSION (recommended)

#### Not relevant

Your organisation has indicated that this criteria is not relevant.

Criteria 3.3 SUPPLY CHAIN INFLUENCE (recommended)

#### Not relevant

Your organisation has indicated that this criteria is not relevant.

### SIGN OFF

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Friday, 28 May 2021

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