



BE PART OF THE PET FAMILY . . .

JOIN PETCO

PETCO is the trading name of the PET Plastic Recycling Company (Pty) Ltd, a non-profit industry association that promotes the use, development and especially the recycling of post consumer PET containers. PETCO has come a long way since its establishment in 2004. Our target is to collect increasing tonnage of post consumer PET, assist with the establishment of more collection and drop off centres and steadily build awareness through consistent and focused messaging.

The # 1 Success Story

The most common container in the soft drink market today in South Africa is the plastic bottle, or more specifically, the polyethylene terephthalate (PET) bottle. PET is the type of plastic resin labeled with the # 1 code on or near the bottom of bottles and containers. As a polymer manufactured from oil based raw material, PET is tough and resilient and is 100% recyclable. The PET container is recognisable as the transparent, rigid container used to package bottled water, carbonated soft drinks, sports drinks, water, juice, household cleaners and food trays.

**It takes 19 x 500ml
PET bottles to make
the fibre for a
standard pillow.**

Why join?



Because you are:

- Concerned about the wellbeing of our planet
 - Interested in recycling and behaviour change
 - Involved in PET packaging
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Then it makes sense that you would wish to protect and promote PET growth, awareness, recycling and reuse.

How will you benefit from being a PETCO member?

PETCO'S MISSION IS TO:

- 1 Secure a fully accessible market for PET packaging without unfair obstacles created by legislation, regulation or taxation;
- 2 Achieve sustainable growth for both PET containers and post consumer PET collection, recycling and new use;
- 3 Create awareness about PET recycling amongst consumers and youth

WORKING TOGETHER, THE PET INDUSTRY IS STRONGER AND CAN ACHIEVE MORE SUCH THAT IT HAS A SUSTAINABLE FUTURE.

More specifically, membership provides companies with:

OPPORTUNITY OF SHAPING THE FUTURE OF PET PACKAGING

Members can participate in setting the objectives for PETCO by attending AGM's and being represented on committees or task teams that the Board may establish,

ABILITY TO INFLUENCE NATIONAL ENVIRONMENTAL AUTHORITIES

When it comes to advising national decision-making bodies, PETCO has developed a pro-active approach. It keeps up to speed with both national and provincial environmental issues offering advice on all aspects of PET recovery.

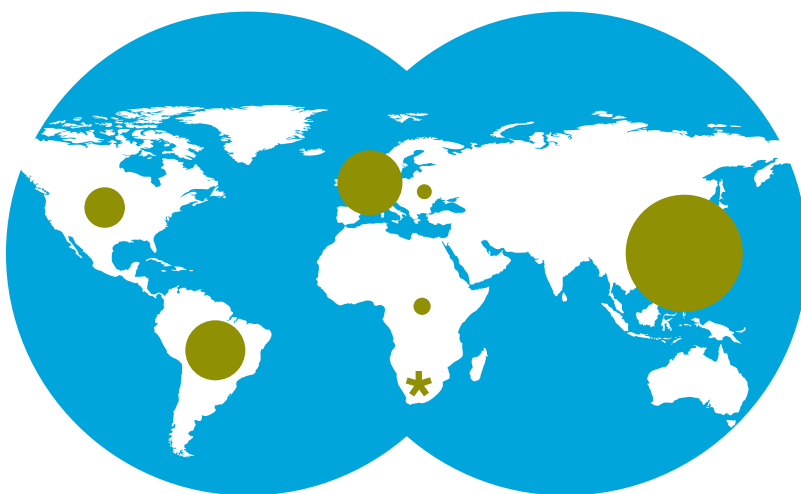
PROVISION OF INFORMATION ON PET

With its breadth and depth of expertise on PET and PET recycling, PETCO can be your sole point of reference with regards to the latest packaging developments, environmental issues, waste recovery and recycling and regulatory issues. Exclusive news alerts and PETCO's e-newsletters keep you up to date and informed.

VISIBILITY AND CREDIBILITY OF THEIR COMPANY AS ENVIRONMENTALLY CONSCIENTIOUS

Companies will benefit from appearing in the PETCO list of members available on the PETCO website. All members will have their logo, a description about their business and a link to their own website.

% PET BLOWMOULDED CONTAINERS COLLECTION RATES PROJECTED FOR 2008



37.4

WEST EUROPE

8.6

EAST EUROPE

34.5

SOUTH AMERICA

67.3

ASIA PACIFIC

23.3

NORTH AMERICA

9.9

AFRICA / MIDDLE EAST

24

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SOUTH AFRICA

In terms of worldwide projected PET collection rates for 2008, Africa / Middle East are behind the rest of the world, but South Africa is on a par with a projected PET blowmoulded collection rate for 2008 of 24%.

What are the categories of PETCO membership?

There are two broad categories of PETCO Membership:

SHAREHOLDER MEMBERSHIP

companies who pay levies and grants, and for whom shareholding and voting is reserved

WHO WOULD BE ELIGIBLE FOR SHAREHOLDER MEMBERSHIP?

- **PET RESIN CONVERTERS/BOTTLERS**
 - **RESIN PRODUCERS,**
 - **BRAND OWNERS (LARGE)**
 - **RETAILERS (LARGE)**
- Converters, bottlers and importers who contribute PET recycling levies, as and when they purchase PET resin.
 - Brand owners, resin producers and retailers who contribute to PETCO by way of annual shareholder membership fees, previously called grants.
 - Percentage of shareholding in PETCO is allocated according to annual continuous membership contributions, including levies which is paid monthly.
 - A single payment of membership fees will be due at the beginning of the PETCO financial year.
 - In the first year, membership fees will be allocated pro rata (i.e. if a member joins in July 2008 they will pay pro rata fees until January the following year).
 - Shareholders will lose their shares if they fail to contribute annually, and these will be re-allocated.
 - Annual inflation escalations will apply.

ASSOCIATE MEMBERS

organizations who are not represented in the shareholding of PETCO but desire to become part of the PETCO family

WHO WOULD BE ELIGIBLE TO BECOME AN ASSOCIATE MEMBER OF PETCO?

- **RECIPROCAL MEMBERS**
Industry Associations,
Recycling Associations etc.
- **SPECIAL MEMBERS**
Schools, Students, Section 21 Companies,
Drop off Centres, etc.
- **FRIENDS OF PETCO:**
Suppliers to PETCO, Waste Companies,
Recycling Consultants, etc.
- **PROFESSIONAL AND CORPORATE MEMBERS**
Recyclers, Machine Manufacturers,
Small Brand Owners, Medium to Small
Retailers, etc.
- In the first year, membership fees will be allocated pro rata (i.e. if a member joins in July 2008 they will pay pro rata fees until January the following year).
- Associate Members would not be allocated shares in PETCO and would have no voting rights, but all the other benefits would apply.

GREEN IS IN!



Show that you are part of the PETCO family



Azores Crickley Dairies, Bizee Corporation, Bottle It, Bowler Metcalf, Boxmore Plastics, Brenkyle Preforms, Cinqpet, Coca-Cola Fortune, Coca-Cola Cannery, Coca-Cola SA, Coca-Cola Shanduka Beverages, Consol Plastics, Crystal Pack, Designa Plastics, Dimar Plastics, GA Plastics, Hilfort Plastics, Hosaf, Inter Afrika, Mondi Plastics Wadeville, Peninsula Beverages, Nampak Liquid and Petpak, New Age Plastics, PETech, Pigments and Masterbatch, Polyoak, Purple Line Plastics, SANS Fibres, SAB Miller Ltd (ABI Soft Drinks Division), Tsitsikamma Crystal Spring Water, Winplas.

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