

Neste's approach to renewable and circular carbon solutions

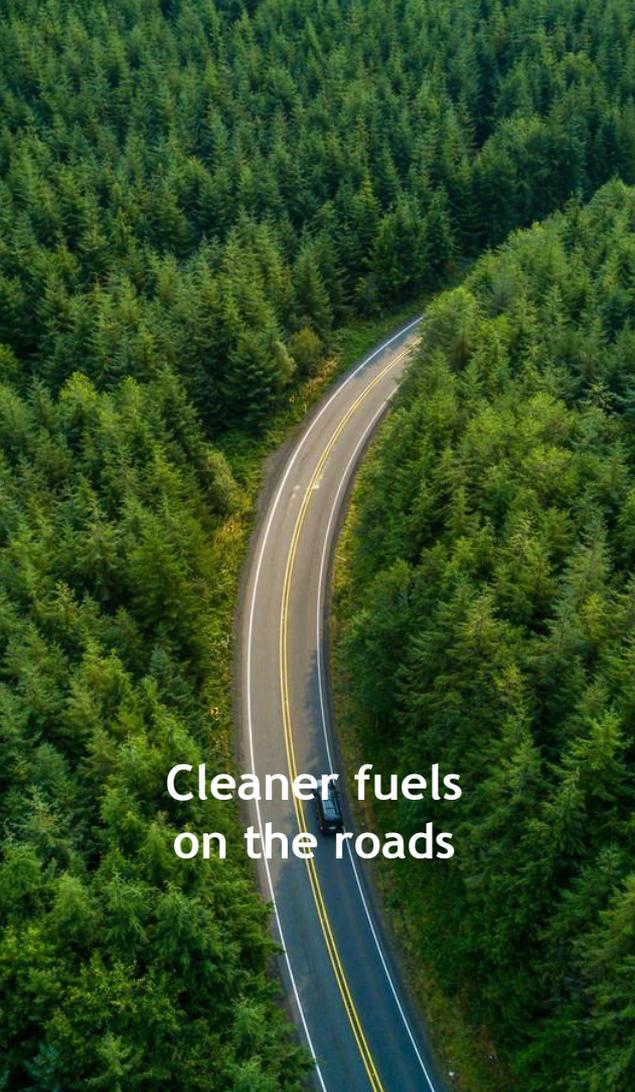
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Our purpose
is to create a healthier
planet for our children.



Cleaner fuels
on the roads



Renewable
jet fuel in
the air



Renewable and
circular solutions for
polymers and
chemicals

NESTE

Founded in
1948

to secure oil supply
for the state of
Finland

3rd

most sustainable
company in the
world (2020 Global
100)

World's

#1

producer of renewable
diesel and sustainable
aviation fuel (SAF)

In 2019,
Neste's revenue
stood at EUR

15.8

billion

Renewable
products production
capacity

3.2 → 4.5

Mt/a

in 2023

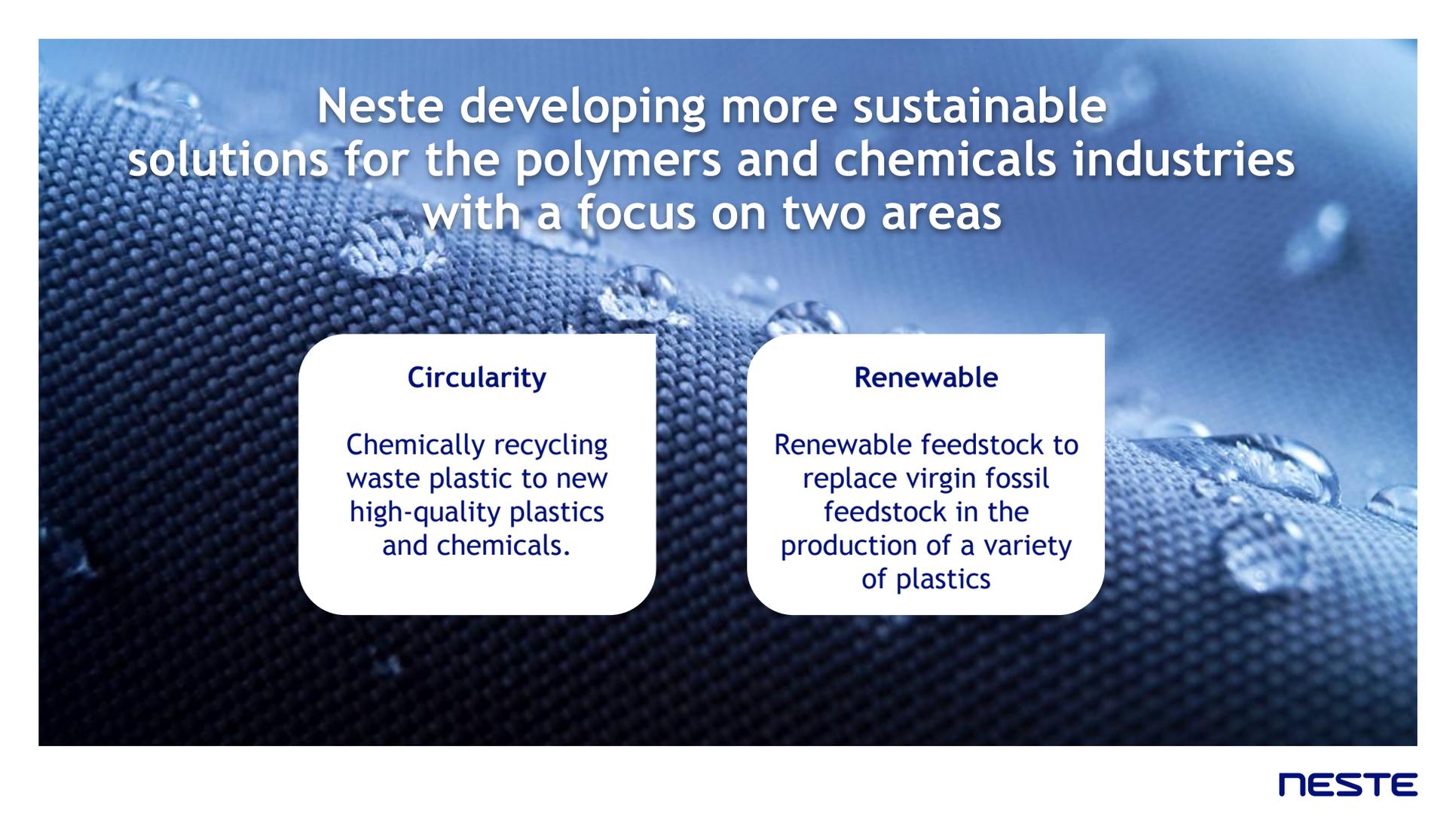
25%

of employees
working on R&D,
engineering and
innovation



Renewable and recycled - the future of plastics

We need to **reduce** the amount of carbon released in the atmosphere. We also need to innovate circular solutions where carbon is **reused**, again and again.



Neste developing more sustainable solutions for the polymers and chemicals industries with a focus on two areas

Circularity

Chemically recycling waste plastic to new high-quality plastics and chemicals.

Renewable

Renewable feedstock to replace virgin fossil feedstock in the production of a variety of plastics

Global oil consumption (4,200 Mt/a) in 2030

“6% of the global oil production is used to produce plastics, by 2050, this share could reach 20%.”

(Source: European Commission)

Significant positive climate impact possible
by replacing virgin fossil oil use
with renewable & recycled alternatives



Demand for sustainable chemicals and polymers is growing, driven by consumers, governments, and brand owners

Stakeholders driving the demand for renewable polymers



Public/consumer awareness

- Is increasing with high media attention and campaigns



Regulatory pressure

- EU ban on single-use plastic products
- European Green Deal - roadmap for becoming climate-neutral by 2050



Brand owners' commitment

- Continues to build up through sustainability pledges of industry players



Examples of brand owners' commitment



100% recyclable,

reusable or compostable packaging by 2025



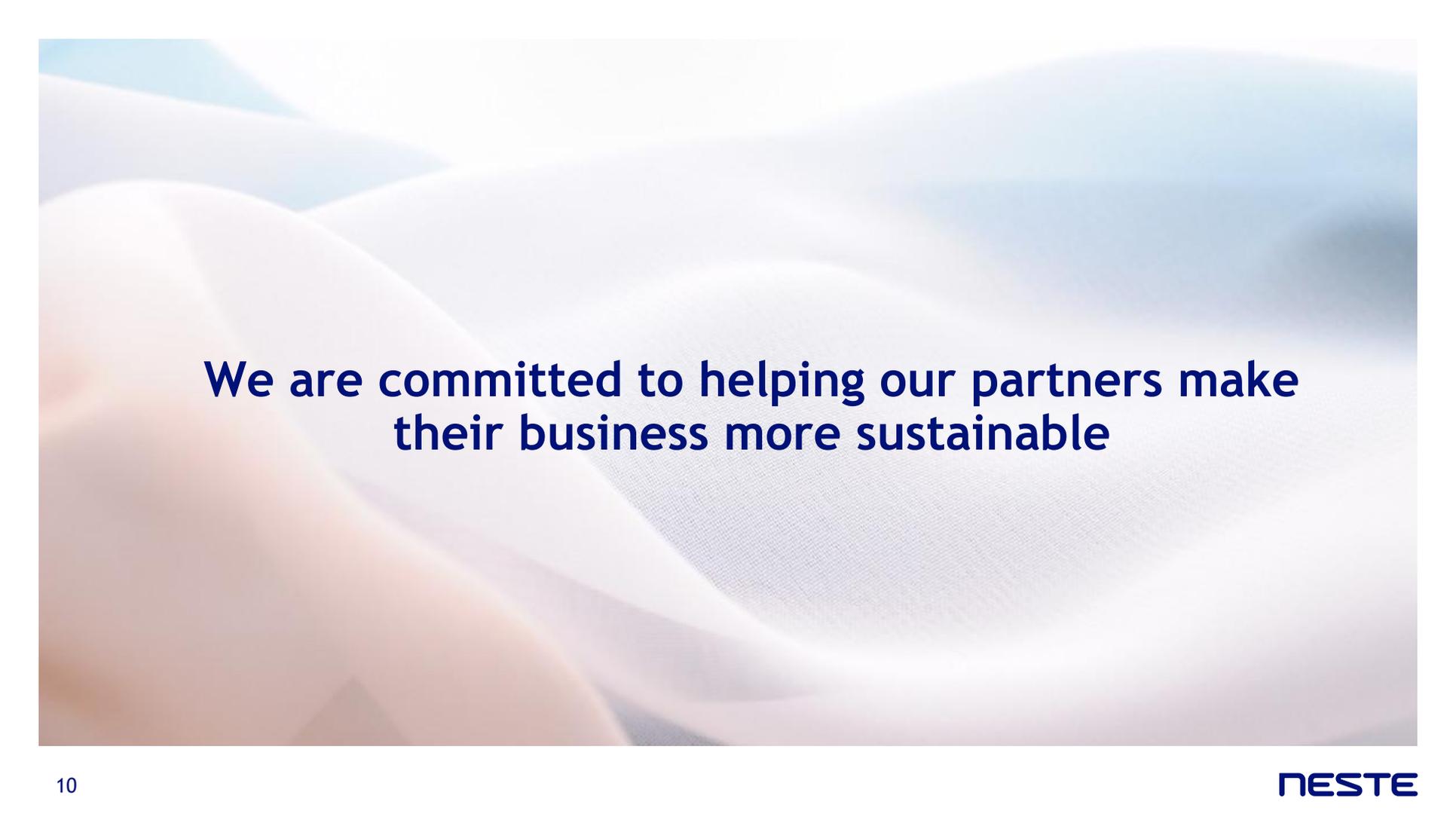
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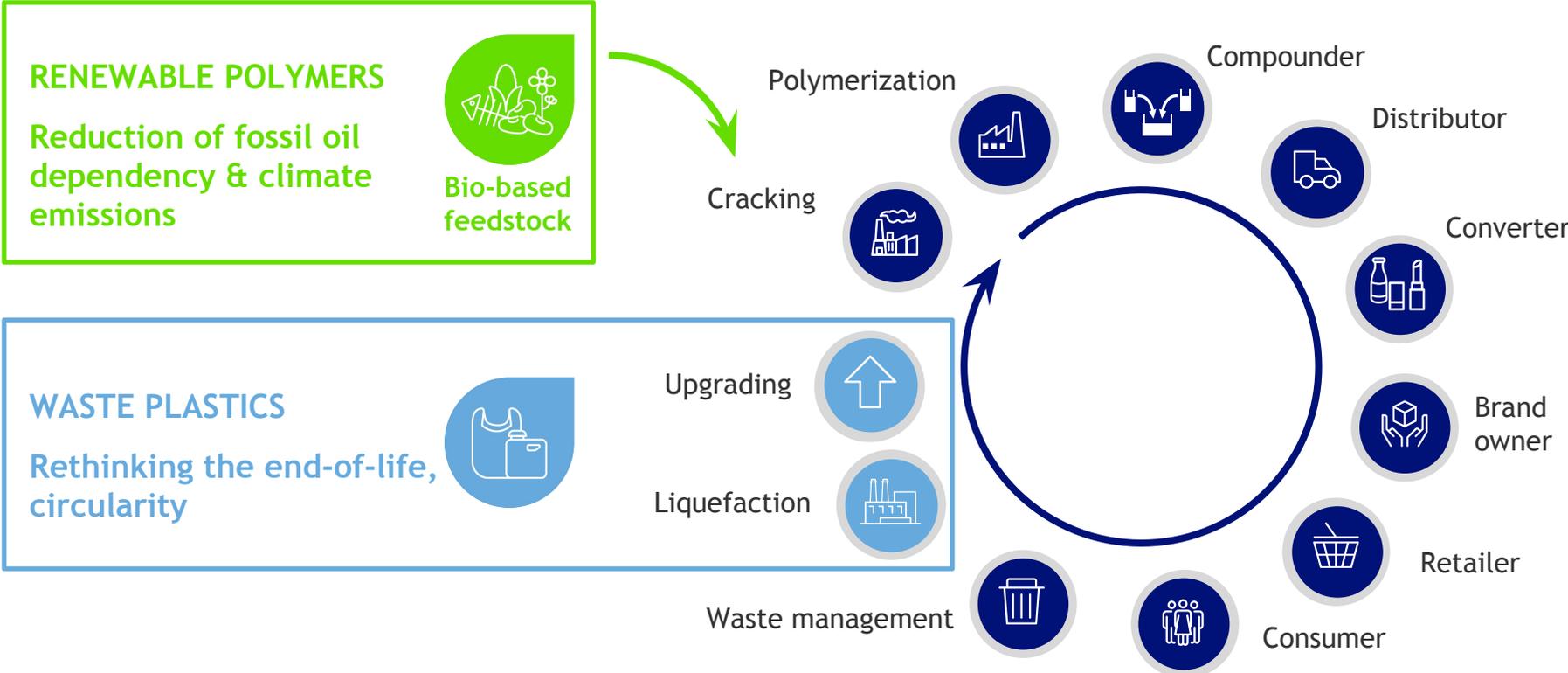
100% renewable

or recycled plastics in the long-term



**We are committed to helping our partners make
their business more sustainable**

Neste closing the plastics loop together with value chain partners



We can support brand owners to fulfill their sustainability commitments

NESTE

RENEWABLE
Waste and residue oils as well as vegetable oils

RECYCLED
Liquefied and purified waste plastics

NESTE
HYDROCARBONS

Cracker

C2

C3

C4

C1

C5-9

C10+

Polymers
Composites

Ingredients
Surfactants
Emollients

Adhesives
Coatings
Sealants

Packaging

Fashion

Furniture

Personal care

Construction

Automotive

Toys

Electronics

CONTINUOUS
PORTFOLIO EXPANSION
WHILE MEETING
SUSTAINABILITY
CRITERIA

NESTE



**More sustainable plastics
from renewable raw materials**

Renewable feedstock - NEXBTL technology



Raw materials:

Around 10 different raw materials are sourced around the world

Pre-treatment:

The renewable raw materials are purified

NEXBTL process:

Pre-treated raw materials are processed based on Neste proprietary NEXBTL technology; 4 production units globally

Output:

3.2 million tons of Neste Renewables per year
→ 4.5 million tons in 2023

Renewable raw material mix

Neste's renewable raw material portfolio consists of **waste and residue oils and fats** as well as **vegetable oils**

Waste and residues account for **80%** of Neste's renewable raw material use annually

All renewable raw materials Neste uses are **sustainably produced*** and **traceable** to the place of origin

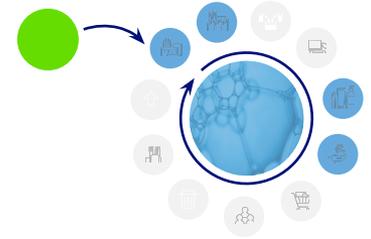
Independent of raw materials used, our renewable feedstock for polymers and chemicals have **consistent high quality**

*Meeting or exceeding e.g. EU RED requirements

Targeting
100%
wastes and
residues
by 2025



Drop-in solution for renewable polymers proven at commercial scale and ramping up to the demand of leading brands



Achievements with partners

	World's first commercial scale production of bio-based polypropylene from Neste renewable hydrocarbons
	World's first commercial scale production of propylene from bio-propane
	Introduction of 11 new additives based on Neste renewable hydrocarbons
	Collaboration to produce renewable plastics
	Product launch of cling film with bio-based based content
	Collaboration to produce sustainable packaging solutions



Strong pipeline going forward

- Developing additional partnerships and moving to regular business with current partners
- Continued brand owner pull for drop-in solutions
- Expansion of offering for polymer and chemical industry



Solutions to speed up transition to a circular plastic economy

- Chemical recycling of plastic waste



In Europe, some
29 million tons
of post-consumer plastic
waste is generated
annually.

1/3 collected for recycling
1/10 actually recycled

EU's Strategy for
Plastics in a
Circular Economy:
increase recycling
of plastic and
reuse of plastic
packaging by 2030.

In the EU Waste
package, recycling
target for plastic
packaging:
50% by 2025
55% by 2030

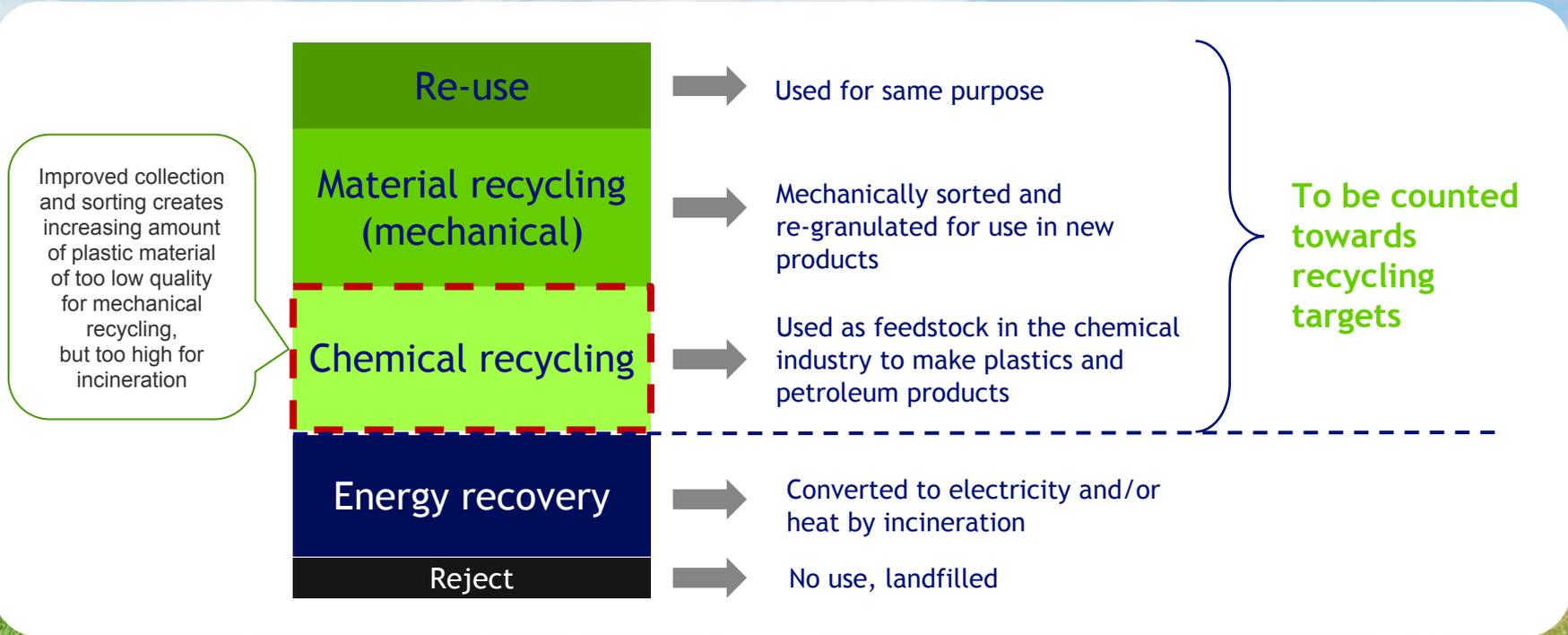


Neste's ambitious goal
is to process

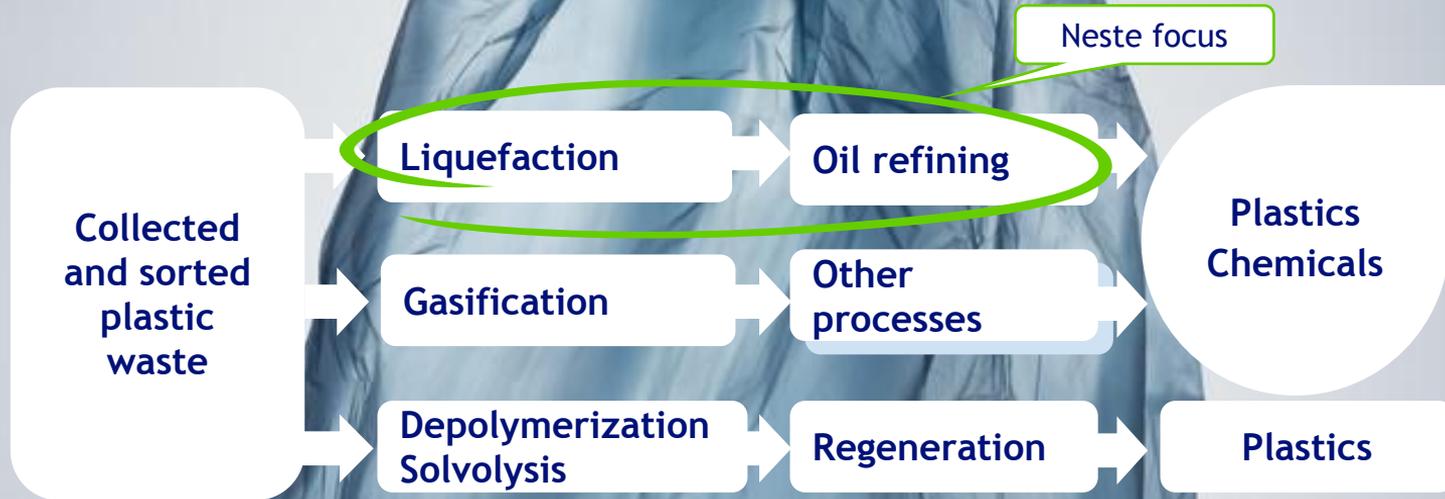
>1 Mt/a

of waste plastic
from 2030 onwards.

Creating a higher value alternative for incineration and complementing mechanical recycling



Focus on chemical recycling



Thermochemical recycling of plastics means converting plastics by thermochemical liquefaction or gasification to feedstock for the chemical industry.

This feedstock can replace crude oil based feeds in the production of plastics and other petroleum products, such as lubricants, bitumen and solvents.



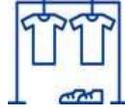
**Identical to conventional,
fossil plastics and suitable for
a variety of applications, e.g.**



Furniture



Packaging



Textile



Consumer
goods



Toys



Construction



Automotive

CASE

Neste driving circularity

Two new partnerships in chemical recycling

REMONDIS[®]

WORKING FOR THE FUTURE

One of the world's largest privately-owned recycling, service and water companies.



The world's leading distributor and recycler of polymers.

- Aim is to **develop chemical recycling capacity**, each collaboration project targeting an annual capacity to process over 200,000 tons of plastic waste (**altogether 400,000 t/a**).

CASE

Brand owner & Liquefaction technology provider

In March 2020, Neste and Althelia Funds made a combined EUR 10 million investment into Recycling Technologies. The investment and technology development collaboration aims to accelerate technology commercialization

Unilever joined the collaboration between Neste and Recycling Technologies to develop and harness chemical recycling to recover and reuse plastic packaging that is currently either incinerated, landfilled or exported from the UK. Target is to improve circularity



”Our collaboration with Neste will allow us to refine and improve our technology to produce valuable feedstock from waste plastic that can be incorporated into the petrochemicals industry supply chain to increase the content of recycled plastic in new plastic production.”

ADRIAN GRIFFITHS, CEO & FOUNDER, RECYCLING TECHNOLOGIES LTD

Plastics from Neste's renewable raw materials and chemically recycled plastics

Fully compatible with existing production and recycling infrastructures.

Comparable quality to conventional plastics. There are no limitations to their applications.

Help reduce crude oil dependency by introducing bio-based or recycled content into end products.

Suitable for reuse and recycling, contributing to reduction of plastics waste.

With Neste as a partner for plastics, there is no need to compromise on product safety, processing efficiency or recyclability.

A photograph of two hikers walking away from the camera on a rocky mountain ridge. The hiker in the foreground is wearing a grey jacket and a large green backpack. The hiker in the background is wearing a light green jacket and a smaller backpack. The landscape is vast, with rolling mountains and a valley below, under a clear blue sky with some light clouds. The sun is low on the horizon, creating a warm glow.

Leading the way
towards a sustainable
future together

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