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Intercommunity Development Association for Integrated Household Waste Management in Maramureş County (ADIGIDM)

- 76 territorial administrative units (cities and communes) of Maramureş county
- Maramureş County Council

PURPOSE - Construction and Management of SMID (Integrated Waste Management System)

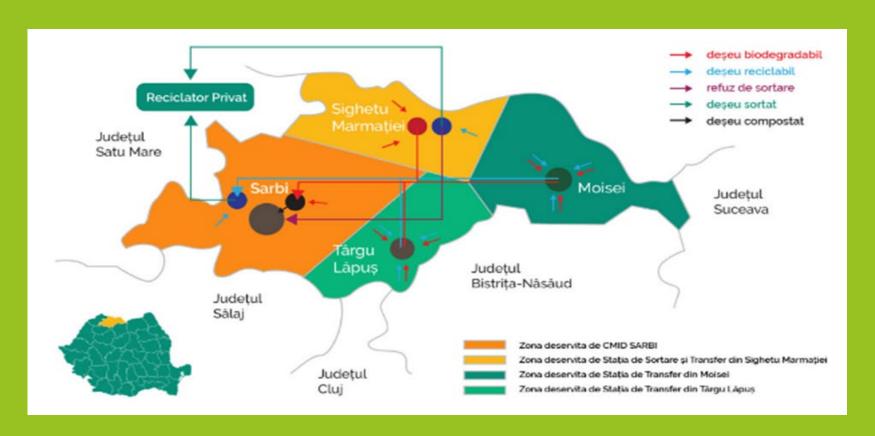
KEY ROLE - in promoting Circular Economy in Maramures County

OUR VISION FUNCTIONAL - GREEN - EFFICIENT - DURABLE





Architecture of the SMID - Maramures







6 STEPS FOR CREATING A FUNCTIONAL AND EFFICIENT WASTE MANAGEMENT SYSTEM

- **Step 1. Creating the infrastructure (2015 to present)**
- Step 2. Identification of waste collection operators (2017-2019)
- **Step 3. Recipients Distribution (2019-2020)**
- Step 4. Launch of selective collection (1th of December 2019)
- Step 5. Setting up Extended Producer Responsibility (EPR) (During 2019- 2020)
- Step 6. Launch the campaign to stimulate composting at source (summer 2020)





YEAR 2020 – THE YEAR of ACTION

EPR implementation and Composting

A difficult year for the world, but a good one for CE – in Maramures

THE RESULTS FACED UP





Basic Principle of EPR

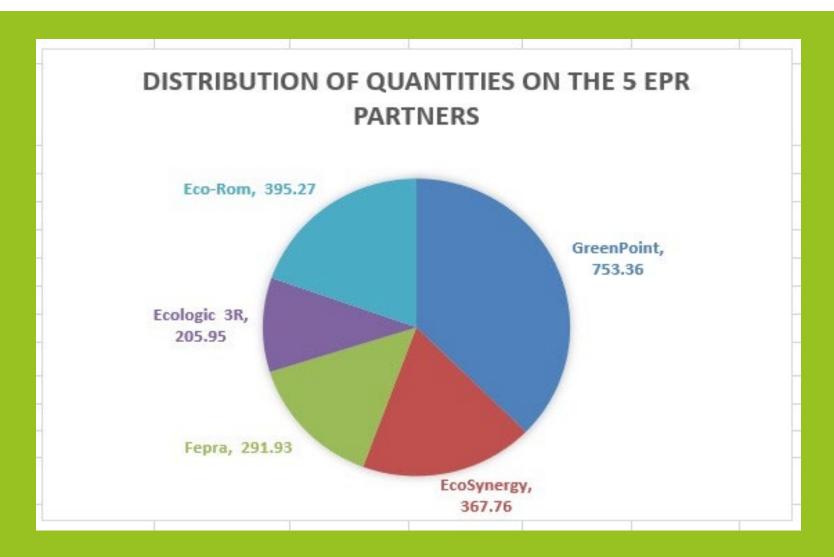
(Extended Producer Responsibility)

The basic principle for EPR is the same in most countries:

- The producer or importer already pays a fee for the disposal of their goods' packaging when they are introduced on the market
- The fee is used for collecting, recycling and disposing the respective wastes
- There are exceptions that partially apply to some packaging materials (e.g. industrial or transport packaging) that is immediately taken back by the supplier

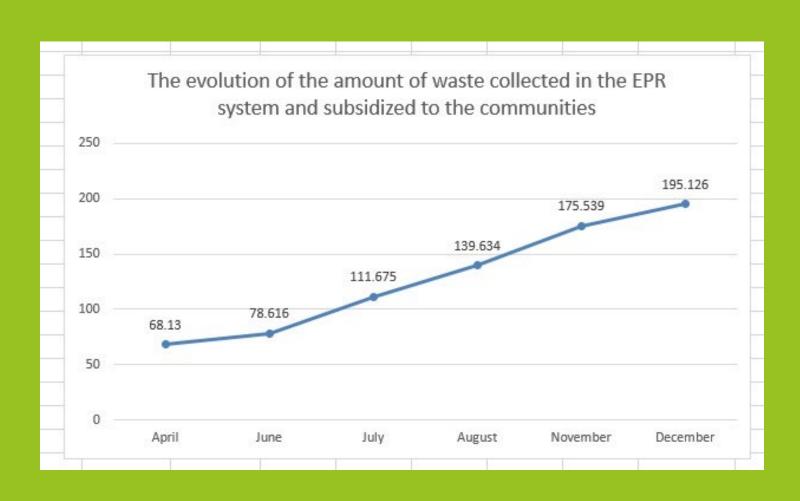
















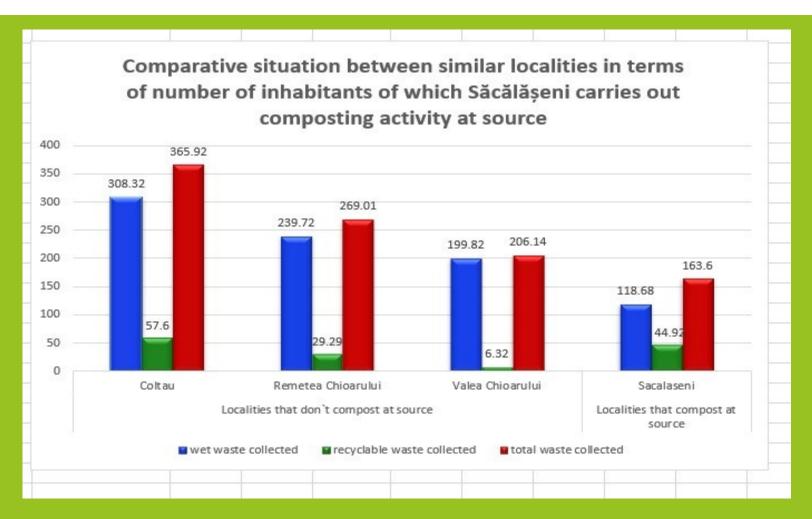
Composting

A form of waste disposal where organic waste decomposes naturally under oxygen-rich conditions



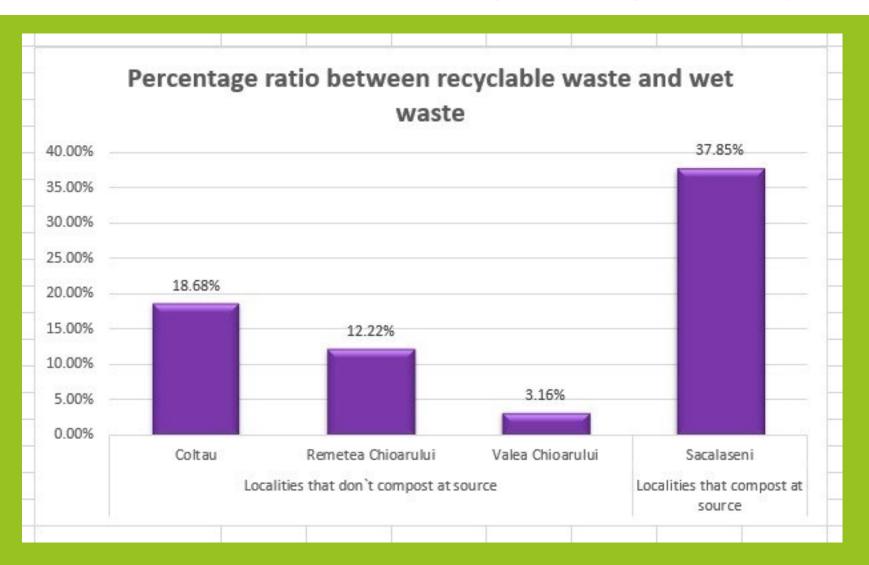






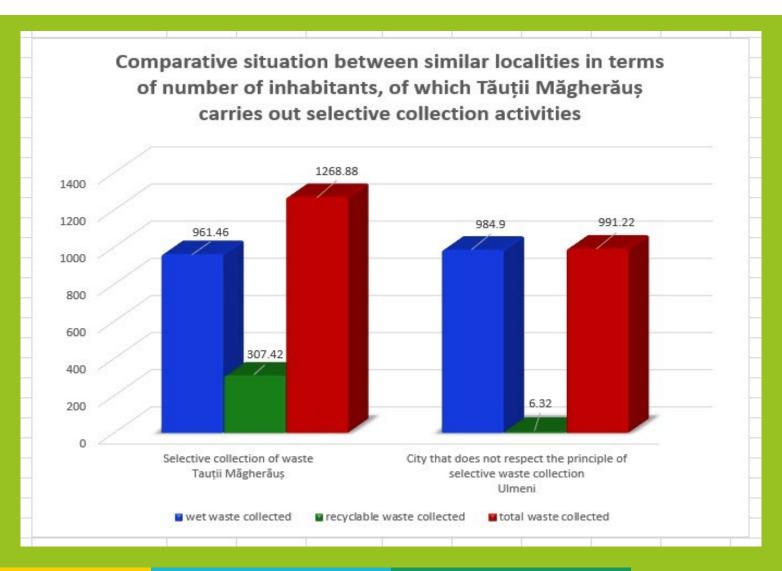






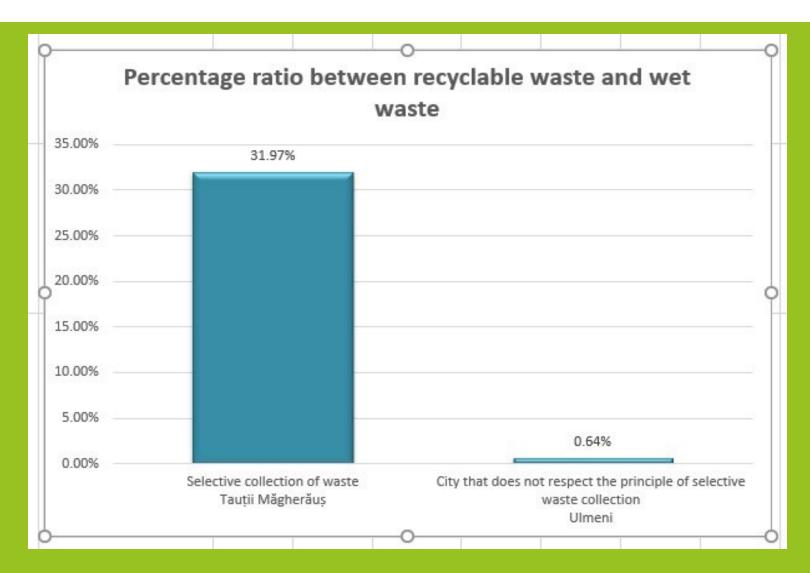






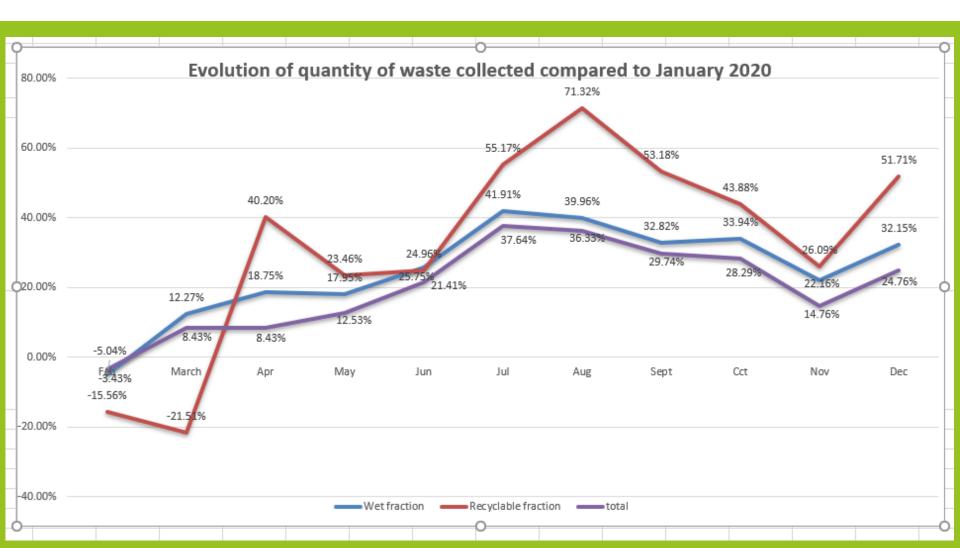






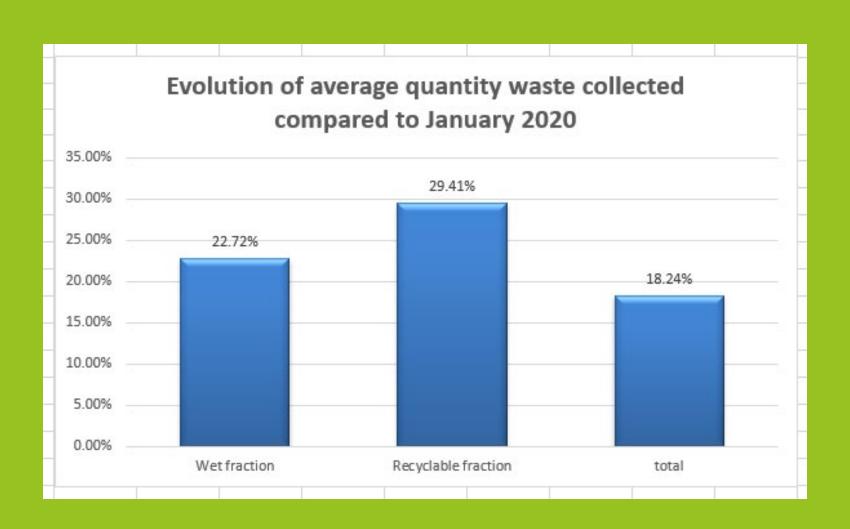
















Conclusions

- Maramures County is at the beginning of the road, nevertheless has encouraging results
- Focusing on composting at source can be a solution for significantly reducing the total amount of waste, but also for increasing the compliant recyclable fraction.
- The relationship with EPRs is very dynamic and has begun to be seen by communities as a very serious lever for reducing costs with waste management.
- The population is becoming more involved and more aware of the ecological but also economic value of a high-performance waste management, and especially of the need to reduce the amount generated by any methods.





THANK YOU!

