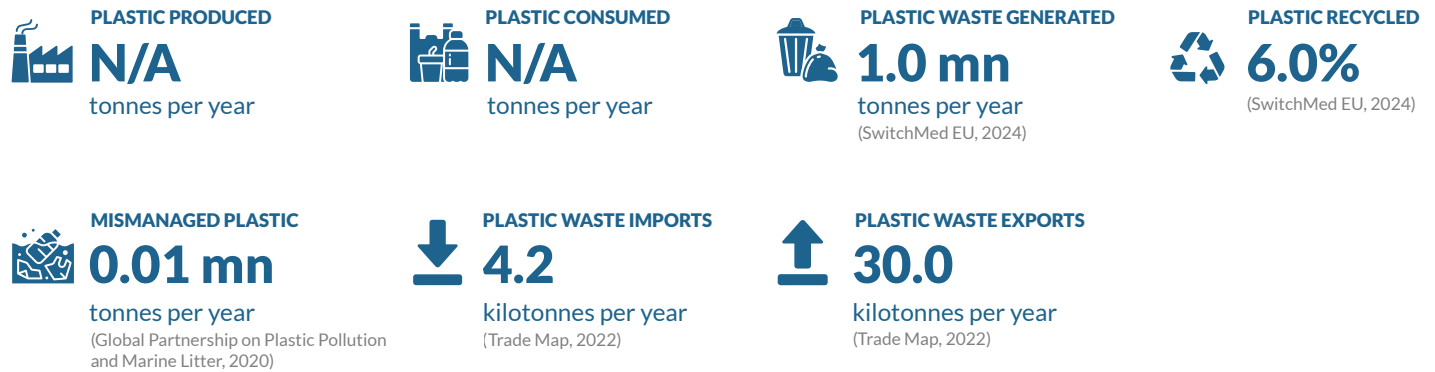




This country fact sheet presents the plastic material flow, policy, and investment landscapes, offering quick and easy access to a one-stop resource on tackling plastic pollution.

### PLASTIC MATERIAL FLOW

This section provides an overview of the plastic material flow within the country, offering a snapshot of the plastic waste landscape.



### POLICIES

This section highlights selected policies impacting plastic pollution in the country. Details on the status of development of the policy where relevant are also provided.

#### UPSTREAM

- **Tax on Single-Use Virgin Plastics**  
 Plastic Bags Law in 2017 requires large supermarkets to charge plastic bags between 20-50 microns at NIS 0.10  
(Ministry of Environmental Protection, 2020)
- **Ban on Single-Use Plastics**  
 Plastic Bags Law bans distribution of plastic bags with width of less than 20 microns at large supermarkets  
(Ministry of Environmental Protection, 2020)

#### MIDSTREAM

- **Deposit Return System Legislation**  
(Ministry of Environmental Protection, 2022)

#### DOWNSTREAM

- **Waste Segregation**  
 Separation at source of dry waste stream is under consideration  
(Ministry of Environmental Protection, 2021)
- **Extended Producer Responsibility**  
 There are five laws in Israel's EPR system, including laws related to beverage containers, packaging waste and plastic bag use  
(Ministry of Environmental Protection, 2020)
- **Plastic Waste Trade Restrictions**
- **Recycled Content Mandates**
- **Mandatory Recycling Targets**  
 The Packaging Law includes annual recycling targets of 22.5% for plastics  
(OECD, 2023)
- **Disposal Bans/ Landfill Taxes**  
 Landfill levy rates of 72.49 NIS/tonne for dry household waste in dry waste landfill  
(Ministry of Environmental Protection, 2021)

■ Implemented   
 ■ In progress   
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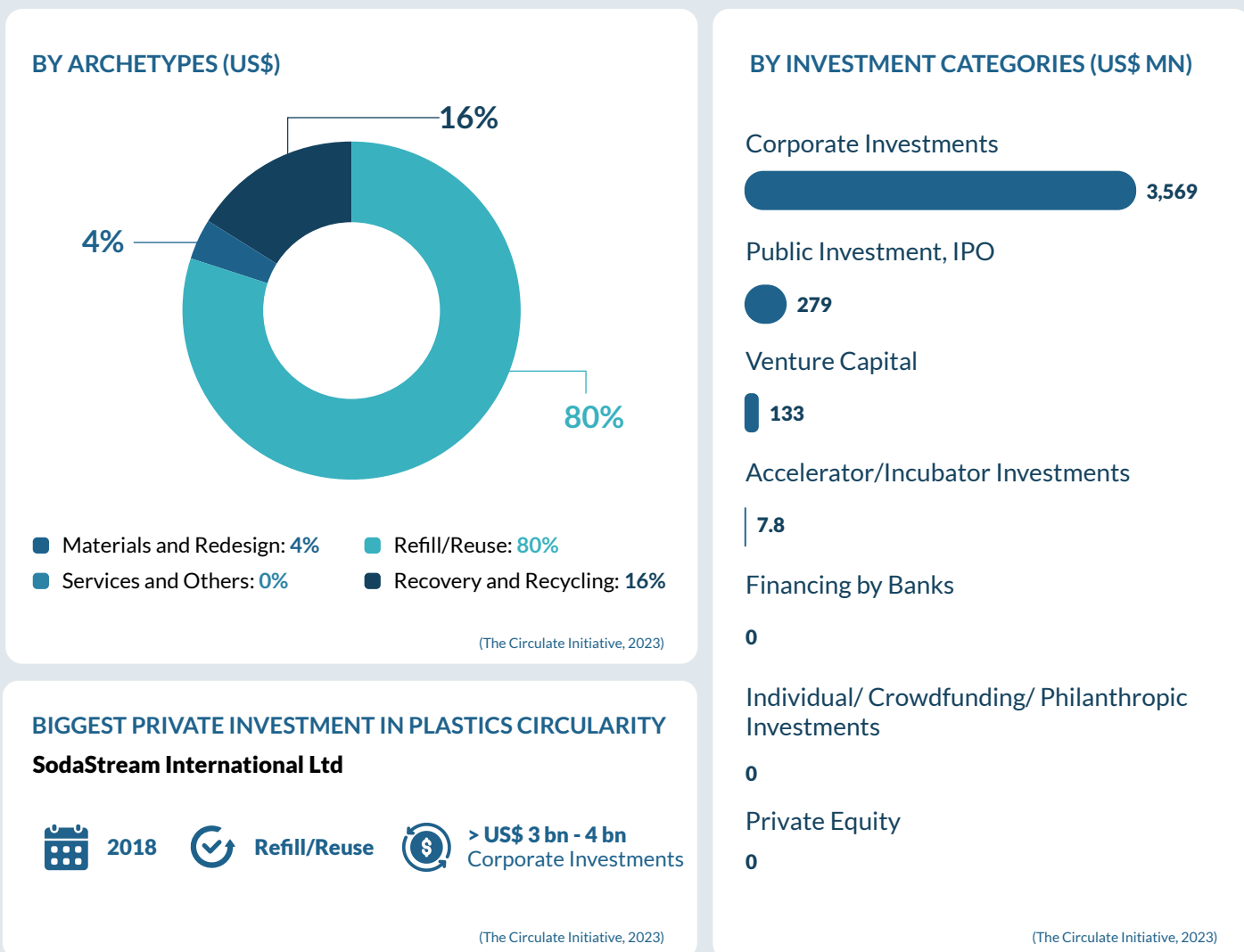
## INVESTMENTS

This section provides a summary of public and private investments in waste management, plastic waste management, and plastics circularity. Further breakdown of private investments in plastics circularity solutions by archetypes and investment categories is also provided.

### Investments in Waste and Plastic Waste Management (2018 - 2021)



### Private Investments in Plastics Circularity (2018 - 6M 2023)



[i Glossary and Other References](#)