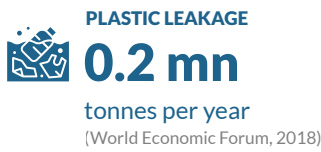
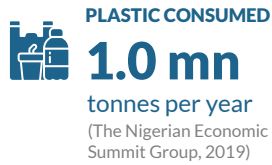
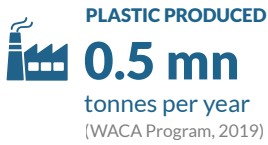




This country fact sheet presents the plastic material flow, policy, and investment landscapes, offering quick and easy access to a one-stop resource on tackling plastic pollution.

### 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**  
 10% tax on single-use plastics was suspended  
(Reuters, 2023)
- **Ban on Single-Use Plastics**  
 Lagos and Abia states have bans on usage and distribution of styrofoam and other single-use plastics. On a national level, a plastic bag prohibition bill was passed in 2019 but reportedly not yet implemented  
(Food Packaging Forum, 2024)

#### MIDSTREAM

- **Deposit Return System Legislation**  
 To introduce by law a nationwide bottle deposit requirement of 5% on beverage containers  
(Federal Ministry of Environment, 2020)

#### DOWNSTREAM

- **Waste Segregation**  
 State and local government to introduce multiple stream collection systems to allow separate collection of recyclables  
(Federal Ministry of Environment, 2020)
- **Extended Producer Responsibility**  
 Mandatory EPR schemes will be required, most notably on all packaging items  
(Federal Ministry of Environment, 2020)
- **Plastic Waste Trade Restrictions**
- **Recycled Content Mandates**  
 Legislations should be put in place to introduce recycled content standards  
(Federal Ministry of Environment, 2020)
- **Mandatory Recycling Targets**  
 There will be national and state-wide targets of 50% of all plastic waste to be recycled by 2030  
(Federal Ministry of Environment, 2020)
- **Disposal Bans/ Landfill Taxes**

■ Implemented    ■ In progress    ■ Not available



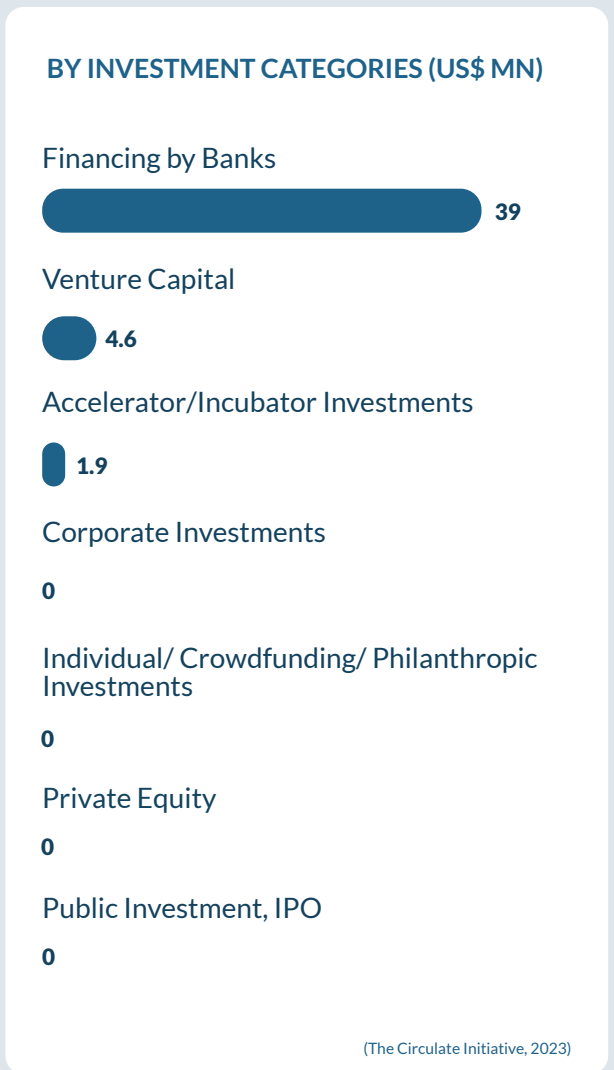
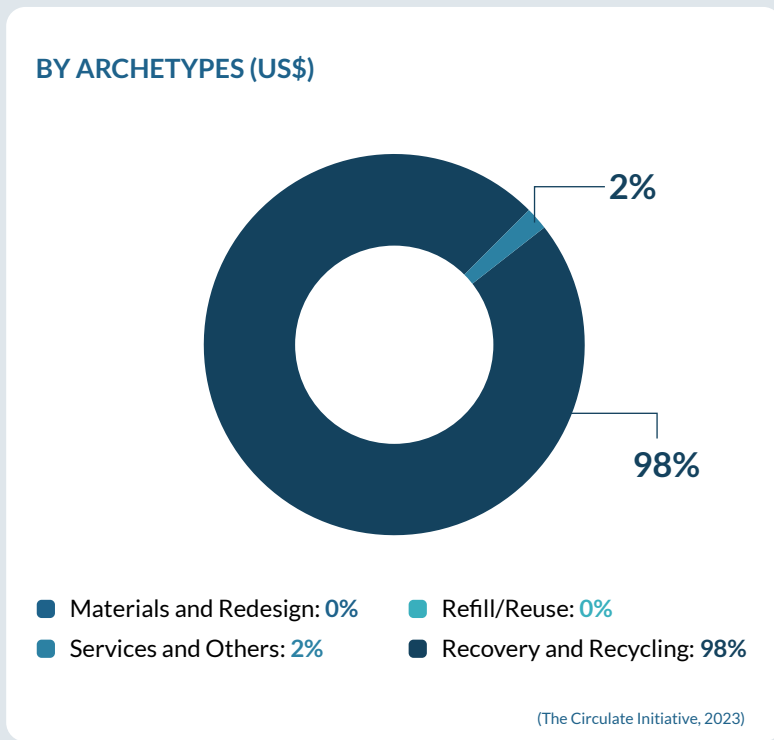
# INVESTMENTS

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)



**BIGGEST PRIVATE INVESTMENT IN PLASTICS CIRCULARITY**  
**Engie PET Manufacturing Company Nigeria Limited**

2020  
 Recycling  
 > US\$ 10 mn - 50 mn Financing by banks

(The Circulate Initiative, 2023)

[i Glossary and Other References](#)