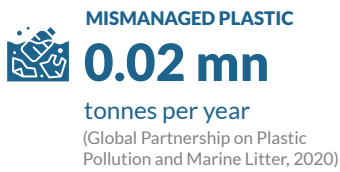
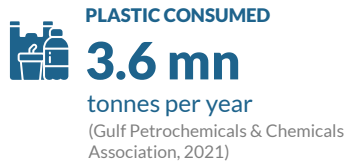
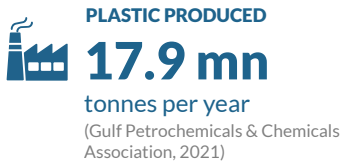




This country fact sheet presents the plastic material flow, policy, and investment landscapes, offering quick and easy access to a one-stop resource on tackling plastic pollution.

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**
- **Ban on Single-Use Plastics**
Plastic products entering Saudi Arabia have to be oxo-biodegradable
 (Customs Support, 2019)

MIDSTREAM

- **Deposit Return System Legislation**

DOWNSTREAM

- **Waste Segregation**
Waste producers must sort waste that can be reused or recycled
 (Bureau of Experts, 2021)
- **Extended Producer Responsibility**
The Waste Management Law stipulates that every producer and importer must bear extended producer responsibility
 (Bureau of Experts, 2021)
- **Plastic Waste Trade Restrictions**
- **Recycled Content Mandates**
- **Mandatory Recycling Targets**
Overall recycling target of 40% by 2040
 (International Trade Administration, 2024)
- **Disposal Bans/ Landfill Taxes**

■ Implemented ■ In progress ■ Not available

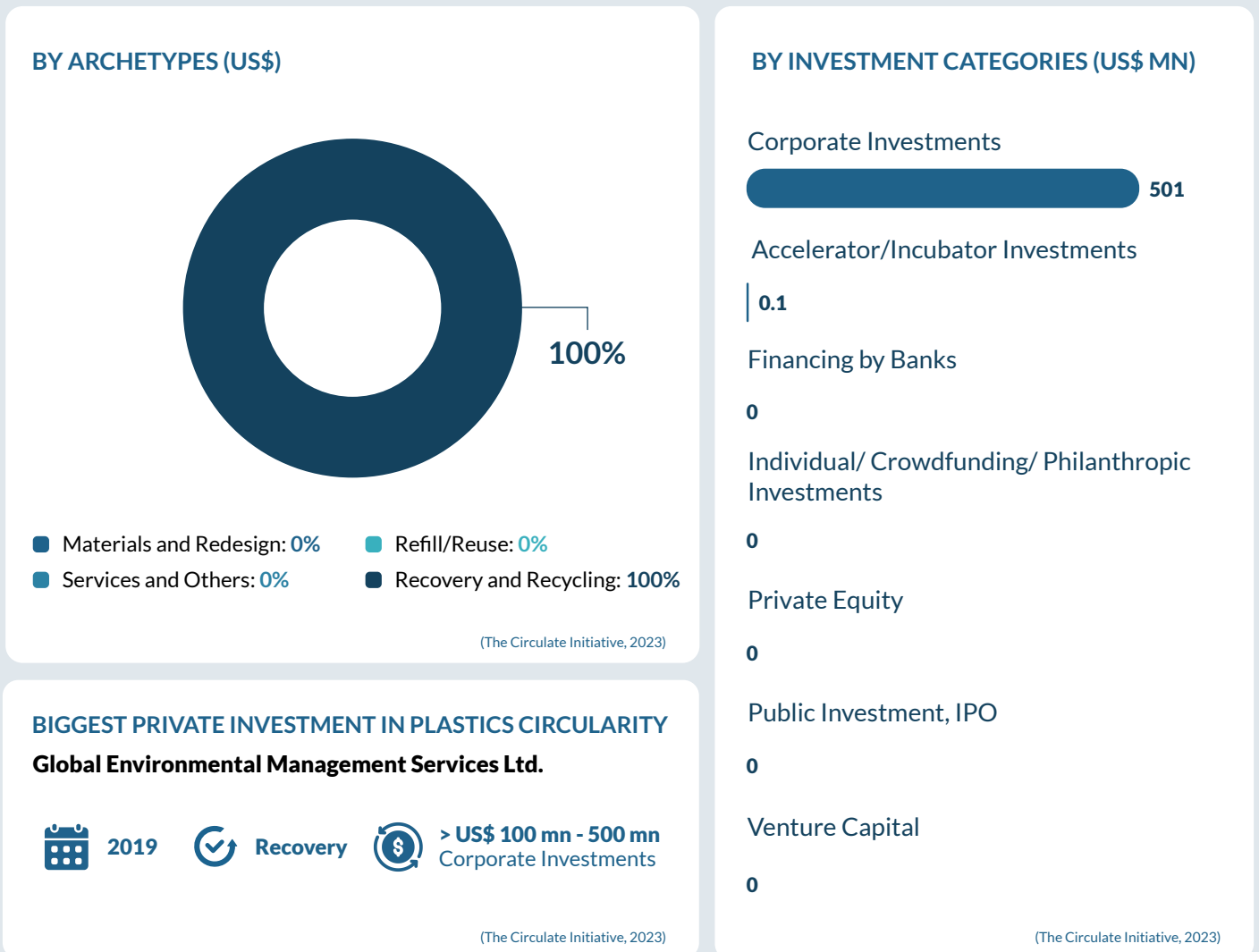
INVESTMENTS

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)



[i Glossary and Other References](#)