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HOW TO manage YOUR eco-Fee 2026 eco-modulation guide

Meet your obligations
and manage your
eco-fee via eco-design

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PRODUCTS concerned

FURNISHING ITEMS



Kitchen and accessories - Storage and fit-out components - Furnishing and bedding hardware and accessories - Childcare - Outdoor and pet furniture - Bedding and bedroom - Bathroom and accessories - Lounge and living room - Technical and office furnishings - Decorative textile items.

EXCLUDED PRODUCTS

- Luggage, suitcases, canteens
- Prams
- Car seats, including child seats
- Technical aids
- Non-furniture childcare products
- Non-textile decorative items
- Fitted carpets
- Fixed textile decorative items
- Household linen
- Technical non-decorative carpets
- Non-decorative panels

DIY AND GARDENING PRODUCTS



CATEGORY 3

Hand tools and accessories - Large non-electric, non-combustion items and machinery - Tools and supports for working at height - Personal protection equipment and accessories for DIY - Tarpaulins for DIY - Buckets, troughs and containers



CATEGORY 4

Garden upkeep hand tools - Personal protection equipment for gardening - Flower pots and containers - Tarpaulins, covers, films and nets - Outdoor equipment - Non-masonry outdoor structures



CATEGORY 1

Painting tools



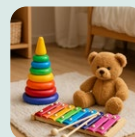
CATEGORY 2

Combustion engine-powered machinery and equipment

EXCLUDED PRODUCTS

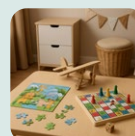
- Products designed exclusively for professional use
- Hardware (Building EPR)
- Masonry constructions (Building EPR)
- Decorative garden ornaments
- Electrical and electronic devices (WEEE EPR)
- Paddling pools covered by the Toys EPR channel
- Swimming pools covered by the Building EPR channel

GAMES & TOYS



CATEGORY 1

Outdoor games, Indoor games (dolls, teddy bears, construction sets, action games, etc.), Board games and puzzles (less than 500 pieces), Free toys (i.e. toys offered free of charge to the consumer in connection with the purchase of another product, for example a children's meal or magazine).



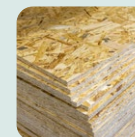
CATEGORY 2

All models, puzzles (over 500 pieces) and board games for children aged 14+ that fall outside the scope of French Decree No. 2010-166 but are covered by the Toys EPR channel.

EXCLUDED PRODUCTS

- Writing and drawing implements
- Toys classified as electrical and electronic equipment (WEEE EPR)
- Sports and leisure equipment
- Pet toys

BUILDING PRODUCTS AND MATERIALS



CATEGORY 2

Non-inert materials: Metal - Wood - Mortars, coatings, paints, varnishes, resins - Joinery with glazing, glazed walls and related building products - Plaster - Plastics - Bitumen membranes - Glass wool - Rockwool - Materials of plant or animal origin or other



CATEGORY 1

Inert materials: Concrete and mortar or materials contributing to their preparation - Lime - Limestone, granite, sandstone and volcanic rock - Terracotta or raw earth - Slate

EXCLUDED PRODUCTS

- Excavated land
- Products and materials of provisional use associated with the installation of building sites
- The structures and equipment inseparable from the process
- Products exclusively intended for public works



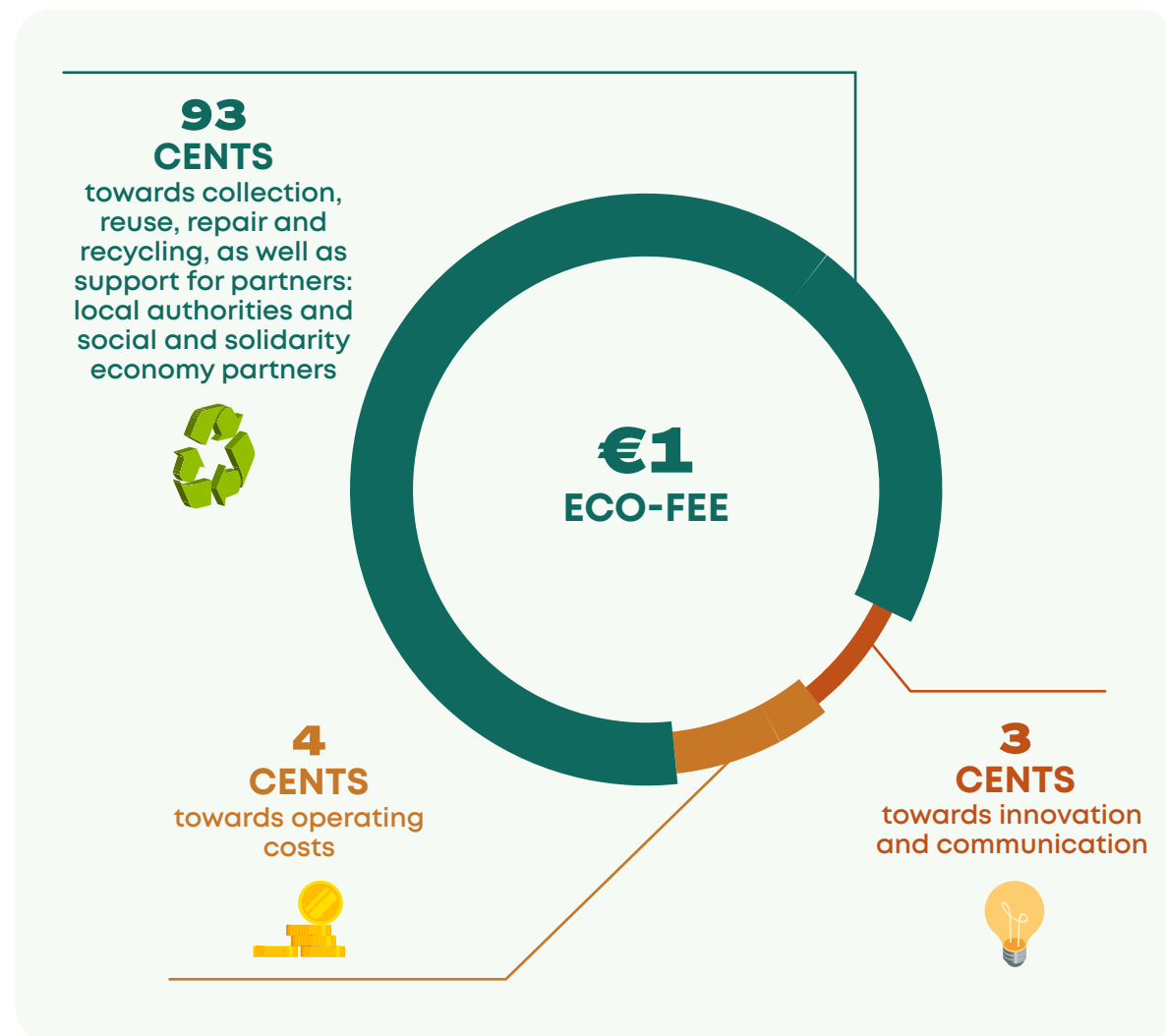
NB: In these three sectors, the product list provided represents a non-exhaustive segmentation for information purposes. The allocation of a given product to a given sector and category is solely determined on the basis of the regulatory definition, which is based on product function and professional or private use, and not on the commercial designation.

A person with a beard, wearing a red and black plaid shirt, is sitting at a wooden desk in a workshop. They are using a silver laptop. The desk is cluttered with papers and a folder. In the background, there are shelves with various items, including what looks like a stack of wood or paper. The lighting is warm and focused on the person and their work.

**WHAT HAPPENS TO
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The eco-fee allows Ecomaison to organise and **fund the collection** of building and housing products and materials, as well as **the repair, reuse and recycling** of sorted products.



Source: key figures 2024

PRICING IS CALCULATED BASED ON 3 CRITERIA:

› Product features

The rate depends on the product type, weight, materials used and the product's recyclability or recycling disruptors.

› Management costs

The rate reflects the real costs of the sector, including product collection, sorting, transportation and processing. The smaller the object, the more logistics required to collect it, resulting in higher costs.

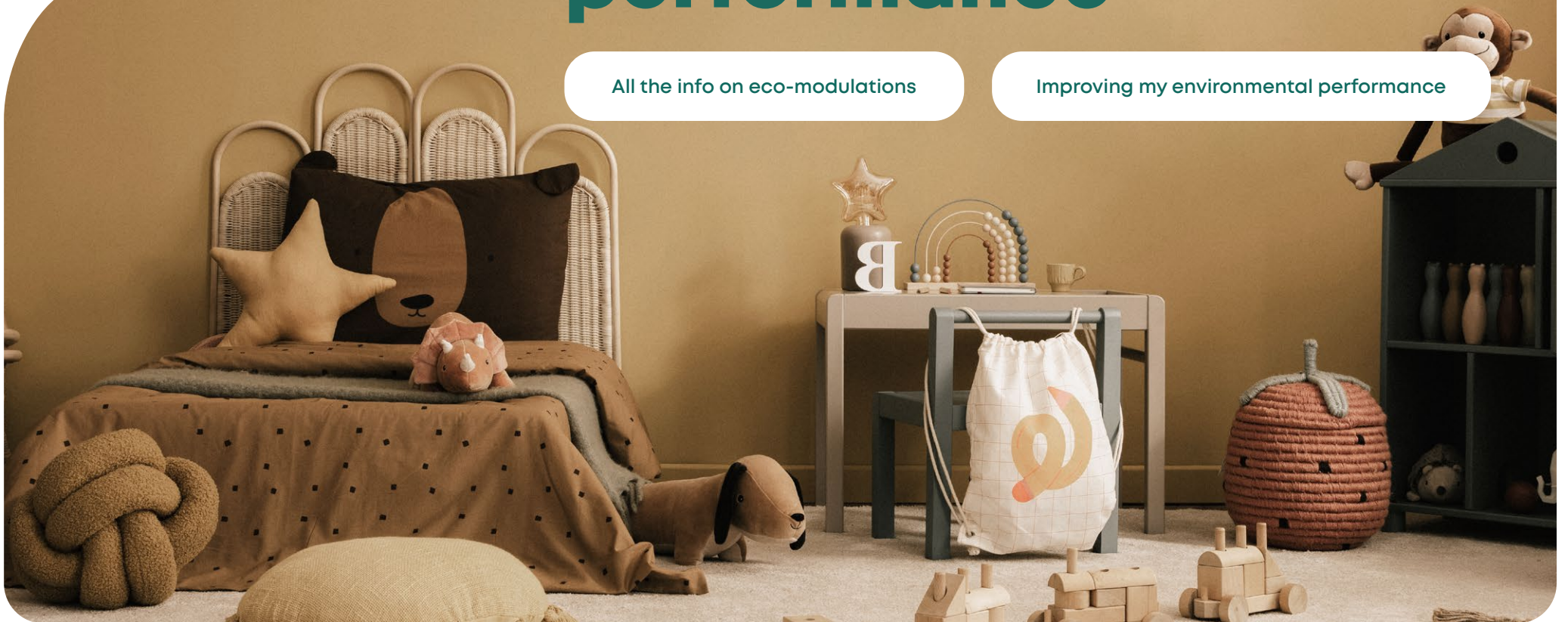
› Eco-modulations

Bonuses and penalties may apply depending on eco-design criteria (extension of useful life, incorporation of recycled materials, recycling disruptors, etc.).

CALCULATING my eco-fee and IMPROVING my environmental performance

All the info on eco-modulations

Improving my environmental performance



what are eco-MODULATIONS?

- › Eco-modulations are a scheme provided by Ecomaison to **reward the circular efforts** of our most virtuous members.
- › By sourcing raw materials from renewable or recycled resources, extending product useful life and implementing a circular purchasing policy, you can **improve your eco-fee and/or benefit from bonuses**.
- › By adopting these practices, you can optimise your obligations, **make your business more circular and drive your industry's performance**.

My Ecomaison invoice

	Total
Eco-fee for initial market launch on French territory (new or second-hand) I owe Ecomaison	€A
Reduction of eco-fee due to eco-modulations	€B
My total eco-fee	A-B = €C
Bonuses for incorporating recycled materials Ecomaison owes me	€D
TOTAL OF MY CONTRIBUTION PAID	C-D = €E

How can I improve my contribution?

Sustainable management

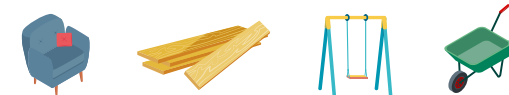
Recyclability

Extension of useful life
Provision of spare parts
Scalable design

Incorporation of recycled materials (IRM)

SUSTAINABLE resource management

Applied to the sectors:



The sustainable product management criterion relates to the material of which the product is made.

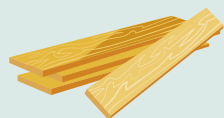
Sustainable management means that:

- › the product meets a minimum threshold concerning the amount of its materials sourced from **sustainably managed resources**;
- › the products or their constituent materials are **certified** or carry a corresponding label.



*NB: the sustainable management bonus is subject to the absence of recycling disruptors.

Eligible materials:



Wood



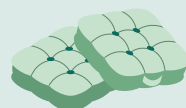
Foam

(furnishing sector)



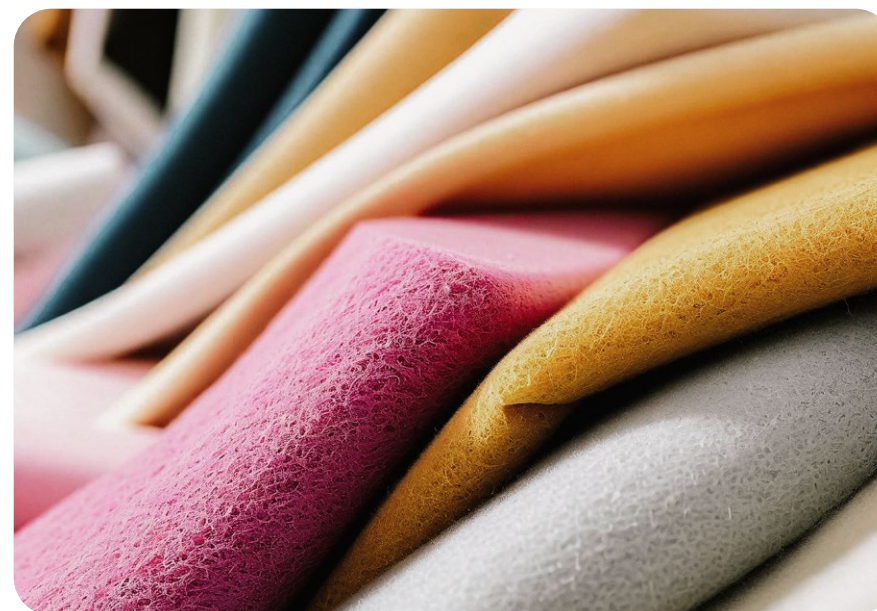
Bio-based materials

made from plant or animal fibres other than wood, wood derivatives, paper and cardboard



Textile

(furnishing sector)



WE PROVIDE TOOLS:

To view the list of recycling disruptors, see the [dedicated page](#) (in French only).



WE PROVIDE SUPPORT:

The item code incorporates eco-modulation for sustainable management.

It's easy!

RECYCLABILITY

The recyclability of a product is established according to **5 cumulative criteria** depending on either the sector (eco-organisation's responsibility) or the product (manufacturer's responsibility) (according to [Article 13 of the AGECE Law](#)):



Sector dependent

1

The possibility of efficient **collection** on a regional scale via public access to local collection points.

2

The possibility of **sorting**, i.e. being directed to recycling channels to be recycled.

3

The absence of elements or substances in the material, product or packaging that **disrupt sorting** or recycling, or limit the use of the recycled material.



Product dependent

4

The product is recyclable only if, after treatment, **at least 50% of its initial mass can actually become a usable material again.**



Sector dependent

5

The possibility of **recycling on an industrial scale** and in practice, in particular through a guarantee that the quality of the recycled material obtained is sufficient to guarantee **long-term use and that the recycling sector** can demonstrate a good **capacity to handle** the products that can be integrated into it.



WE PROVIDE TOOLS:

Discover the [list of disruptors](#).

To support your eco-design efforts, Ecomaison has designed a [material recyclability](#) scale.



Levels of recyclability

Your product's recyclability depends on its constituent materials.

To benefit from this eco-modulation, you must take into account the materials used during the manufacture of the product.

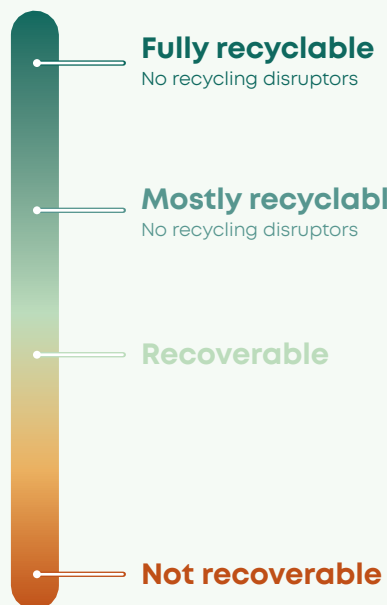
A product composed mainly of metal, wood, single-resin plastics or inert materials will entitle you to a **lower eco-fee, as it is more easily recyclable** than a product made from a combination of materials or multiple resins.

Applied to the sectors:



*NB: the recyclability bonus is subject to the absence of non-sustainable materials and recycling disruptors.

4 Ecomaison recyclability levels



WE PROVIDE SUPPORT:

The item code incorporates the eco-modulation for recyclability **It's easy!**

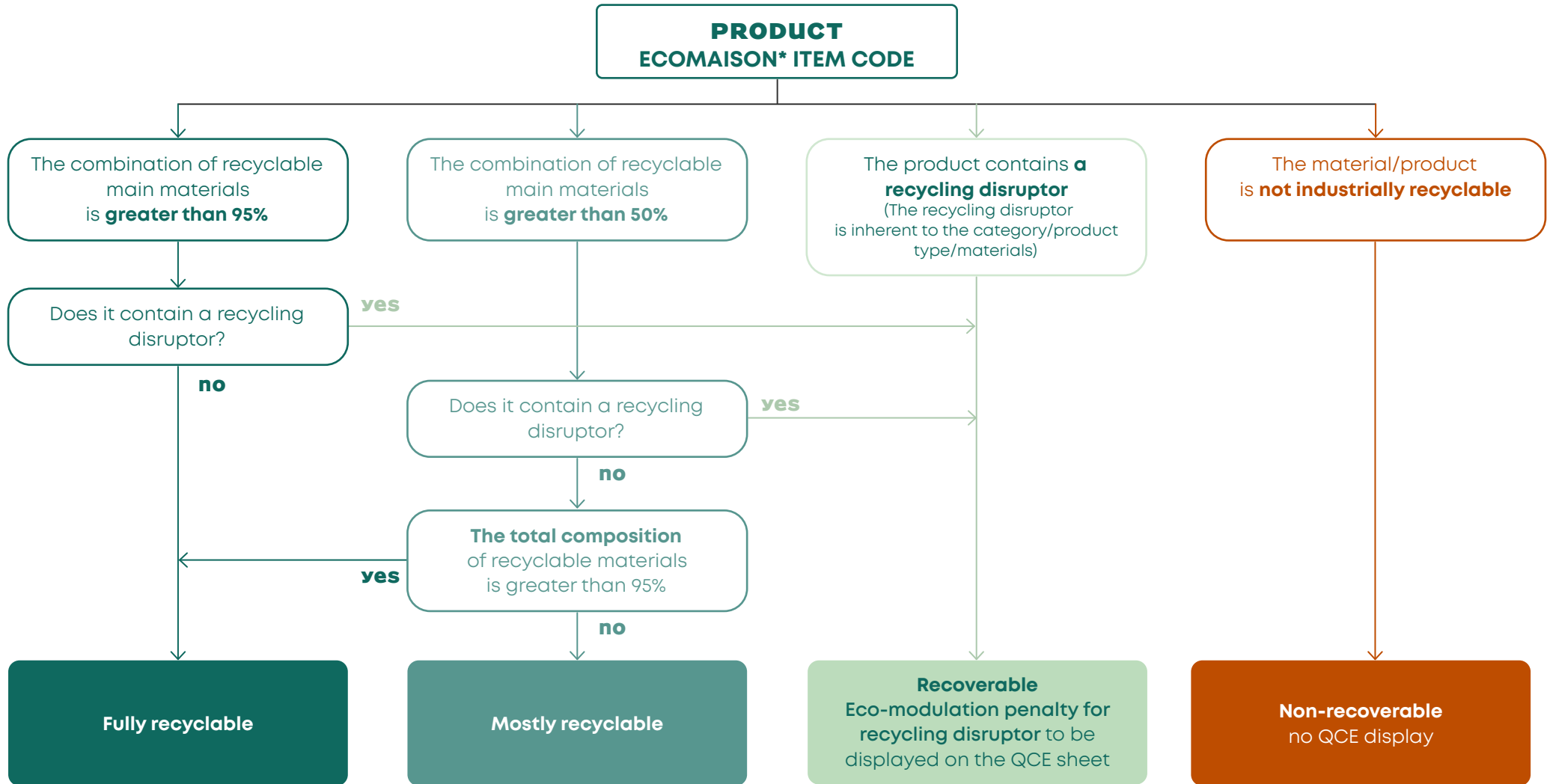


TO FIND OUT

about the recyclability of the products you launch onto the market, read the [relevant sector guide](#).

DEFINITION OF the level of recyclability

To help you determine the recyclability of your products, **Ecomaison provides a calculation tool** based on eco-fee codification according to the following reasoning:



***The Ecomaison item code contains the following information:**

- Product category;
- Type;
- Main material;
- Product weight.

PROVISION of spare parts

Applied to the sectors:



EXTENSION OF USEFUL LIFE:

Provision of spare parts:

This eco-modulation applies to sales of toys and DIY & gardening products.

It rewards the **provision of spare parts by the marketer** (manufacturer or distributor) to the consumer on request:

- › inherent to the main function of the product (excluding accessories);
- › available even after the final marketing of the product (for a duration of 2 years for toys and 5 years for DIY and gardening products).



*NB: the recyclability bonus is subject to the absence of recycling disruptors.



WE PROVIDE SUPPORT:

The item code includes the eco-modulation for extending the useful life.

It's easy!

Eco-modulated codes for spare parts end with the number 1.



REDUCTION OF eco-fee

Applied to the sectors:



SCALABLE DESIGN:

This eco-modulation applies to sales of **furnishing items**.

It rewards the sale of products **providing multiple successive uses** from the design stage.



*NB: the scalable design bonus is subject to the absence of non-sustainable materials and recycling disruptors.



Baby crib



Scalable mattresses



Sofa bed



WE PROVIDE SUPPORT:

The scalable design eco-modulation is directly applied in the item code
It's easy!

INCORPORATION of recycled materials (IRM)

Ecomaison rewards you for **incorporating recycled raw materials** into a product launched on the market⁽¹⁾.

This reward is calculated based on the amount of recycled materials incorporated into your product.

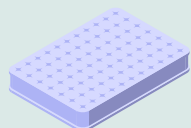
This concerns products containing the following materials⁽²⁾:



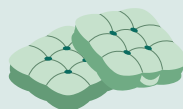
PLASTICS



WOOD

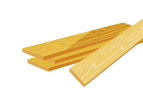


Foam



TEXTILE

Applied to the sectors:



These materials are eligible if they:

- are **exclusively sourced from end-of-life products** (post-consumer waste), from a holder listed with an approved eco-organisation in France;
- **do not contain** any substances that are hazardous or listed under REACH;
- reach a **set minimum threshold** (in %) of the product's material composition;
- fulfil the principle of proximity, meaning that the stages of collection, sorting, recycling and incorporation of **recycled materials are all carried out**:
 - within a 1,500 km radius of France's barycentre;
 - in an EU Member State.

These plastic products are not eligible if they:

- incorporate recycled plastic in a composite matrix, i.e. plastic resins associated with reinforcements forming a composite material with strengthened physical and mechanical properties;
- contain recycling disruptors identified by approved eco-organisations for the corresponding product category (2);
- contain less than 50% post-consumer recycled plastic incorporated into the finished product.

(1) Details by material are set out in the relevant [sector guide](#).

(2) The technical details of the materials concerned, recycling disruptors, minimum incorporation thresholds and the [list of hazardous or REACH-classified substances](#) can be found in the fact sheets included in the relevant sector guide.

INCORPORATION of recycled materials (IRM)



Eco-modulation

If the recycled proportion of the product exceeds the minimum threshold of Y% ⁽¹⁾, you will apply the item code with a reduced rate.



Bonus

If the recycled proportion of the product exceeds the minimum threshold of Z%⁽¹⁾, you will receive the bonus for the incorporation of recycled materials.

(1) Y is less than Z



Bonus

If the content of post-consumer recycled material incorporated (X%) is greater than the threshold (Y%), the IRM bonus is applicable over and above the threshold, i.e. at (X-Y)%. Otherwise, the bonus shall not apply.



WE PROVIDE TOOLS

Find all the details about the IRM bonus in the relevant sector guide:

- [Furnishings](#)
- [Games & Toys](#)
- [Building Products & Materials](#)
- [DIY & Gardening Products](#)

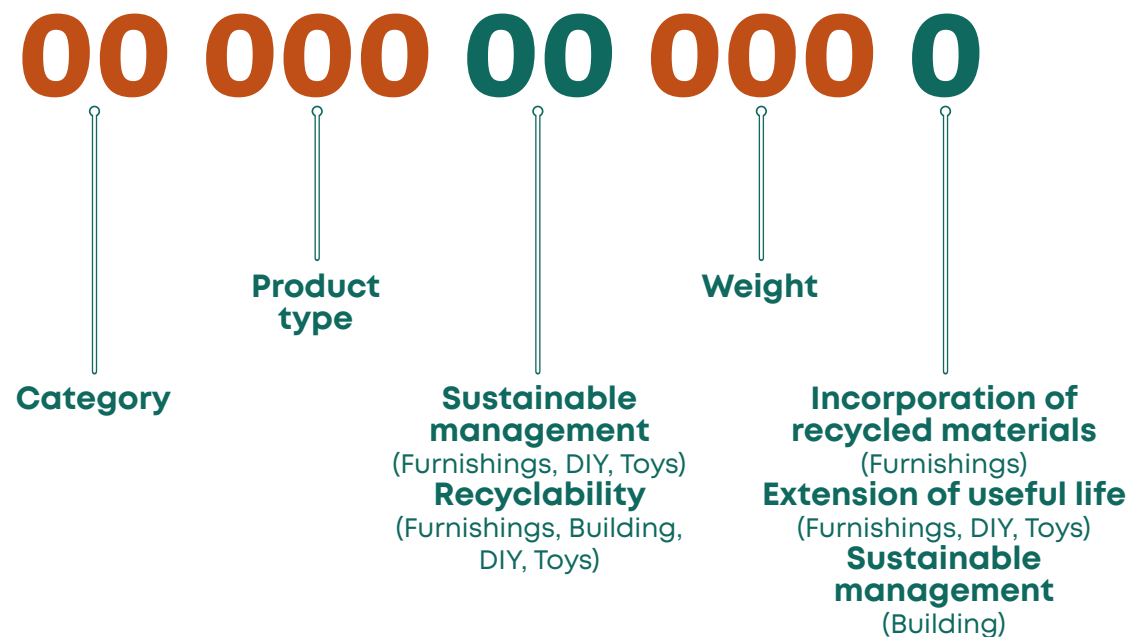
CODIFYING **my products**



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ONE PRODUCT = ONE 11-DIGIT ITEM CODE

The item code allows you to apply the corresponding **eco-fee pricing scales** and to declare the launch of products subject to regulation.



CONSULT OUR PRICING SCALES:

Item code and eco-fee generators are at your disposal.

> [Pricing scales applicable as of 01/01/2026](#)

(1) EPR: Extended Producer Responsibility



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