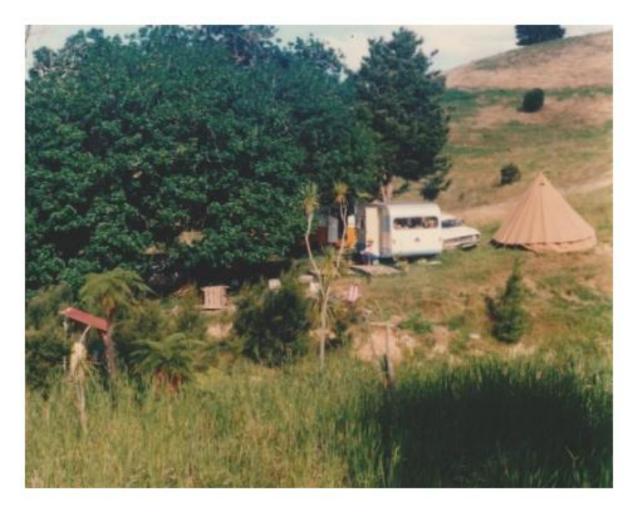
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Rise of the conscious consumer





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Revealing the source

Revealing the source of the single-use plastics crisis



In the next five years, global production of virgin single-use plastic polymers from fossil fuels is forecast to increase by over 30 per cent.

NZ is the 15th higher per capita producer of plastic waste around the world!

#	Countries	Single use plastic per person (Kg)
1	Singapore	76
2	Australia	59
3	Oman	56
4	Netherlands	55
5	Belgium	55
6	Israel	55
7	Hong Kong	55
8	Switzerland	53
9	United States	53
10	United Arab Emirates	52
11	Chile	51
12	South Korea	44
13	United Kingdom	44
14	Kuwait	40
15	New Zealand	39



per person, per year

Urgency required to eliminate plastic waste in NZ



- the average New Zealand household uses
 941 plastic containers or bottles a year
- That's 1.76 billion plastic containers disposed of annually
- 39% of which is not recycled.

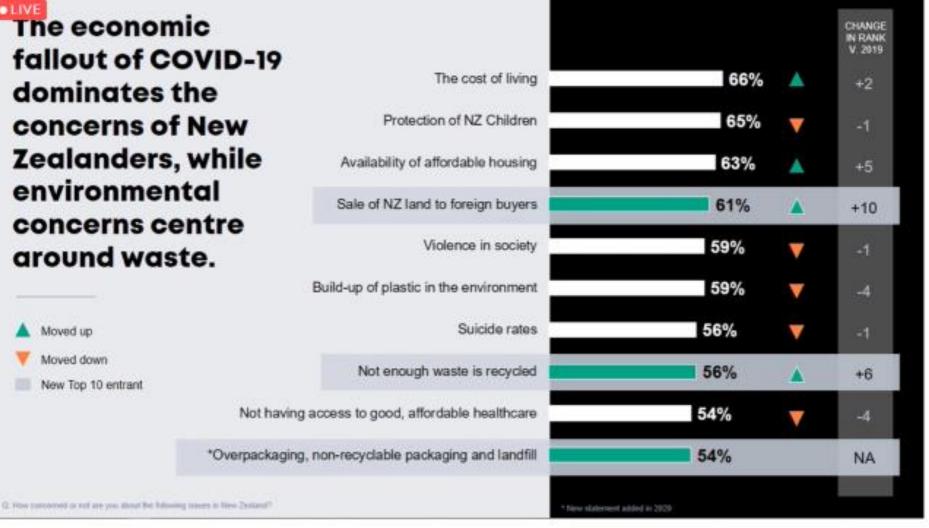
Waste remains paramount in the top 10 concerns

The economic fallout of COVID-19 dominates the concerns of New Zealanders, while environmental concerns centre around waste.

Moved up

Moved down

New Top 10 entrant



Despite a challenging 2020, people are trying to live more sustainably



36%

of Kiwi's are highly committed to leading a sustainable lifestyle.

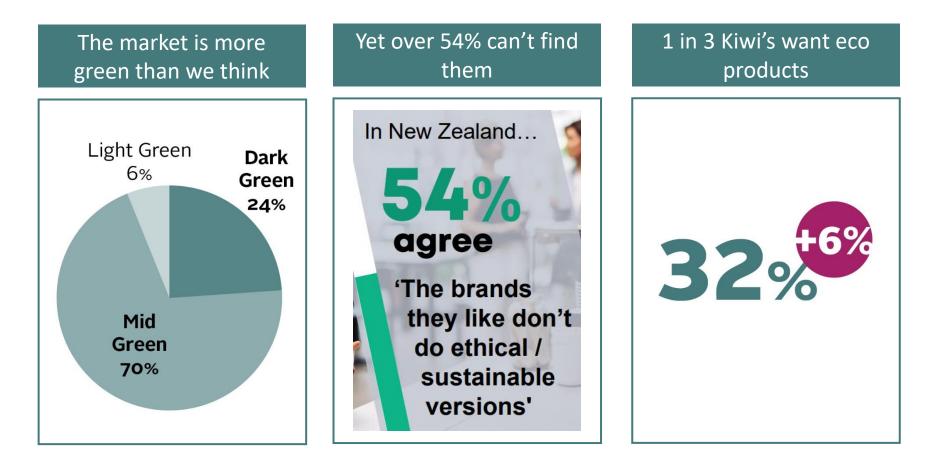
And are increasingly trying to do their bit

More of us are trying to do the right thing on an everyday basis – recycling, reusing, reducing, repairing...



Recycle paper, plastics, glass, and tins Dispose of clothing and household items through online community groups (e.g. Facebook, Neighbourly) rather than throwing items out Buy locally produced and grown products rather than imported ones Repair or maintain an item to avoid buying new stuff

It's a great and important time to innovate



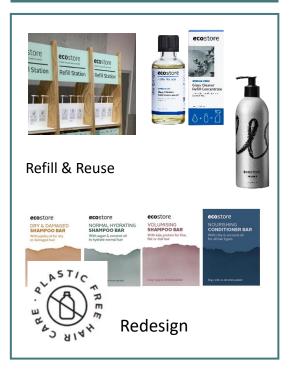
Do good and drive business growth

Address the source



Renewable sugar plastic vs petrochemical plastic

Design out waste



Keep materials in use



Create demand for recycled plastic



Remove the need for plastic bottles



Find a different way to clean

