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International Packaging Registration and Labels | Europe & USA

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Packaging licensing and packaging labeling:
How to keep track of the regulatory jungle

Compressed overview of legislation and regulations as well as mandatory labels in 30 countries in Europe plus the USA

As an employee of a packaging manufacturer or as the person responsible for placing a packaged product on the market, you know how important it is to be familiar with the regulations governing the registration of packaging in different countries. After all, legislation and regulations are constantly changing and it is difficult to always be up to date. At the same time, your products need to reach the markets quickly.

We have therefore taken on the task of compiling the relevant information and legal requirements in Europe, the USA and other countries. Together with our partner Certify, the expert Norma Stangl from Forschgruen.de and other experts, we have created a detailed overview that provides all the important information on the registration of packaging and labels in a clear format.

Our registration compass gives you a condensed overview of the legislation and regulations as well as relevant labels per country.

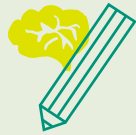
In addition, you will later have the option to purchase a biannual update when there are changes in legislation from different countries.



CERTIFY

In the sense of your system participation obligation:
Certify takes over discharge and full service according to Packaging Act and EU Directive
<https://www.certify-gmbh.de/>

KNOWLEDGE BUILDING



- Individual workshops
- Trainings
- Monitoring of legislative updates

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PACKAGING CONCEPTS



- Conception of sustainable packaging
- Project management
- (AI-driven) packaging optimization

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SUSTAINABILITY COMMUNICATION



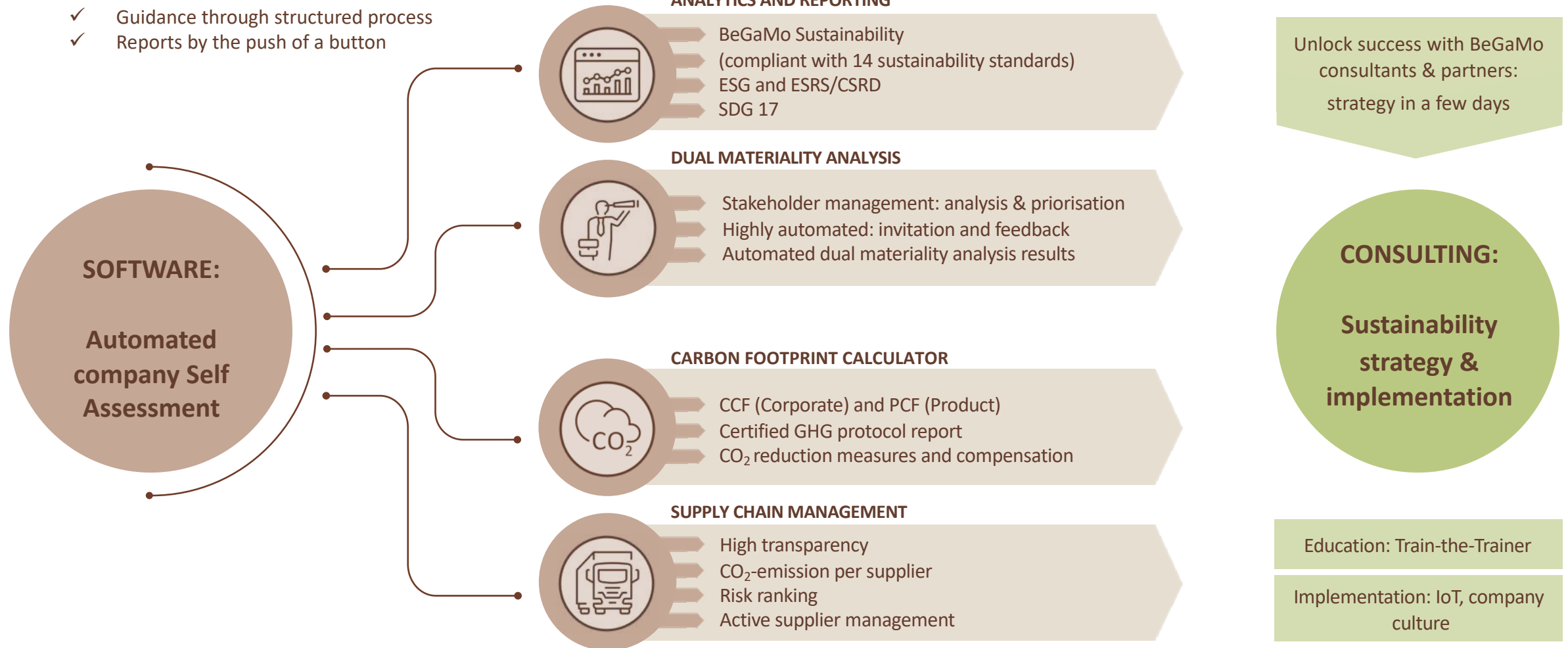
- Overview Labeling and Licensing
- Pacontent - Content Marketing Service
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- ✓ Automated SaaS web tool
- ✓ Guidance through structured process
- ✓ Reports by the push of a button



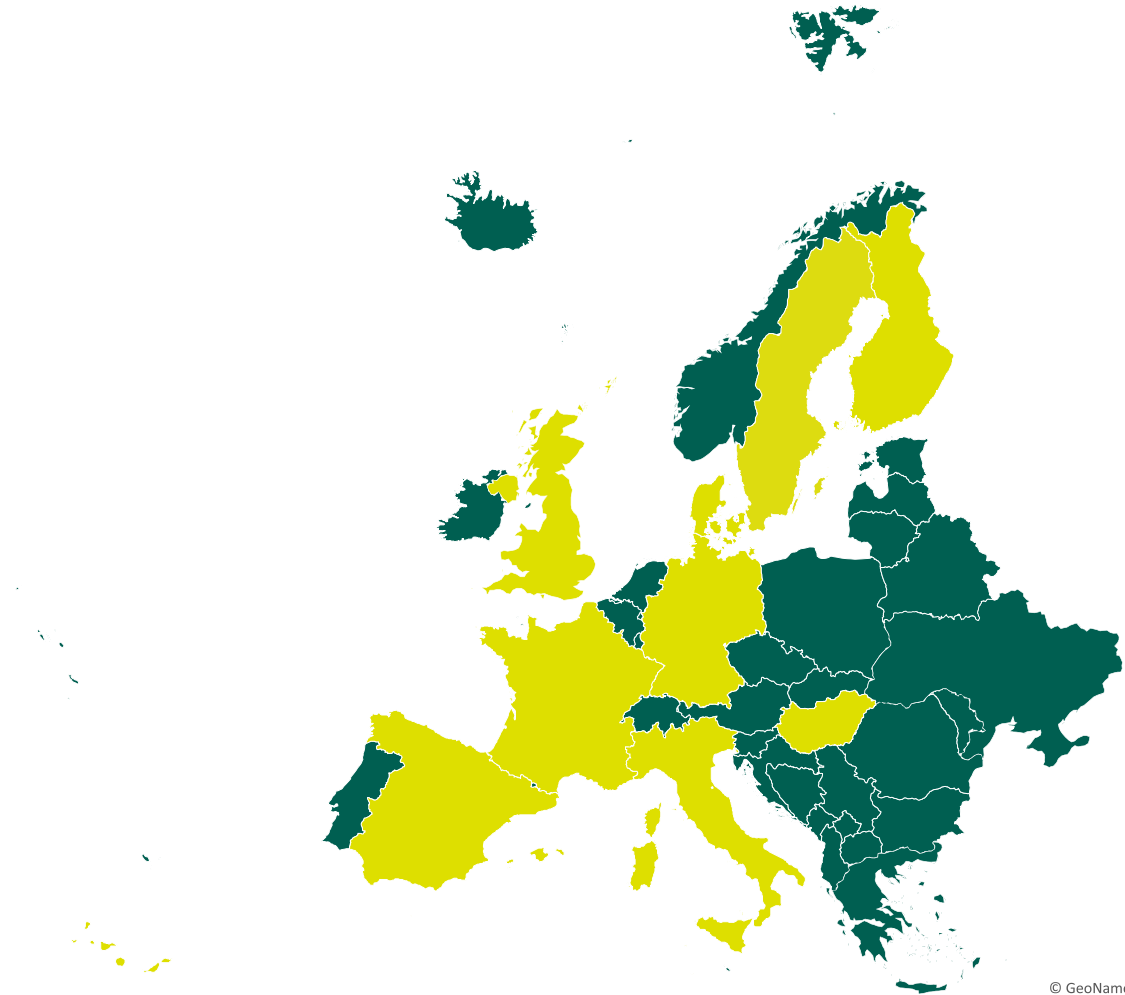
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Updates to Version 1.0

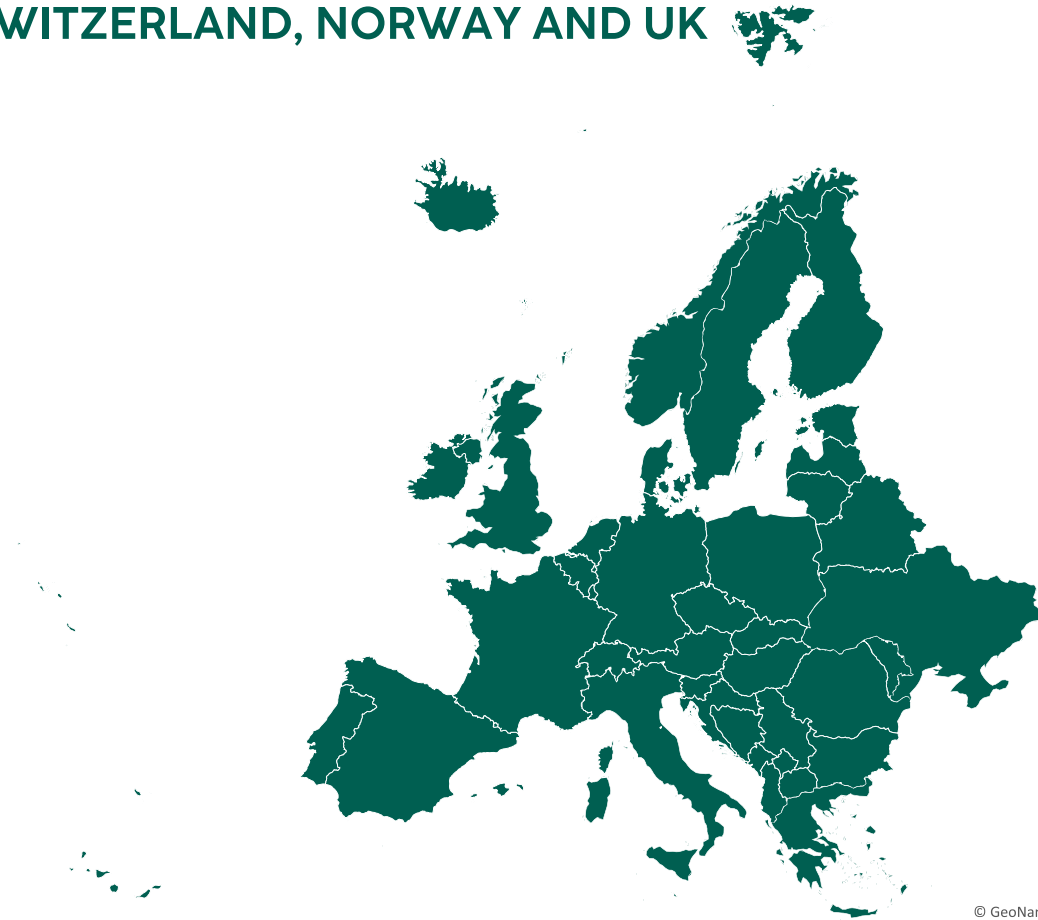
In the following countries changes to version 1.0 – December 2022

- Bulgaria
- Denmark
- Finland
- France
- Germany
- Hungary
- Italy
- Spain
- Sweden
- United Kingdom
- USA

Changes are marked in **yellow**



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Changes in
legislation



Cardboard, paper,
carton



Plastic



Compostable packaging



Metal



Glass

CZECH REPUBLIC



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Legal basis	✓
Official registration	✓
Reporting	quarterly
Infrastructure for collection (regional/national)	nat
De minimis limit	✓

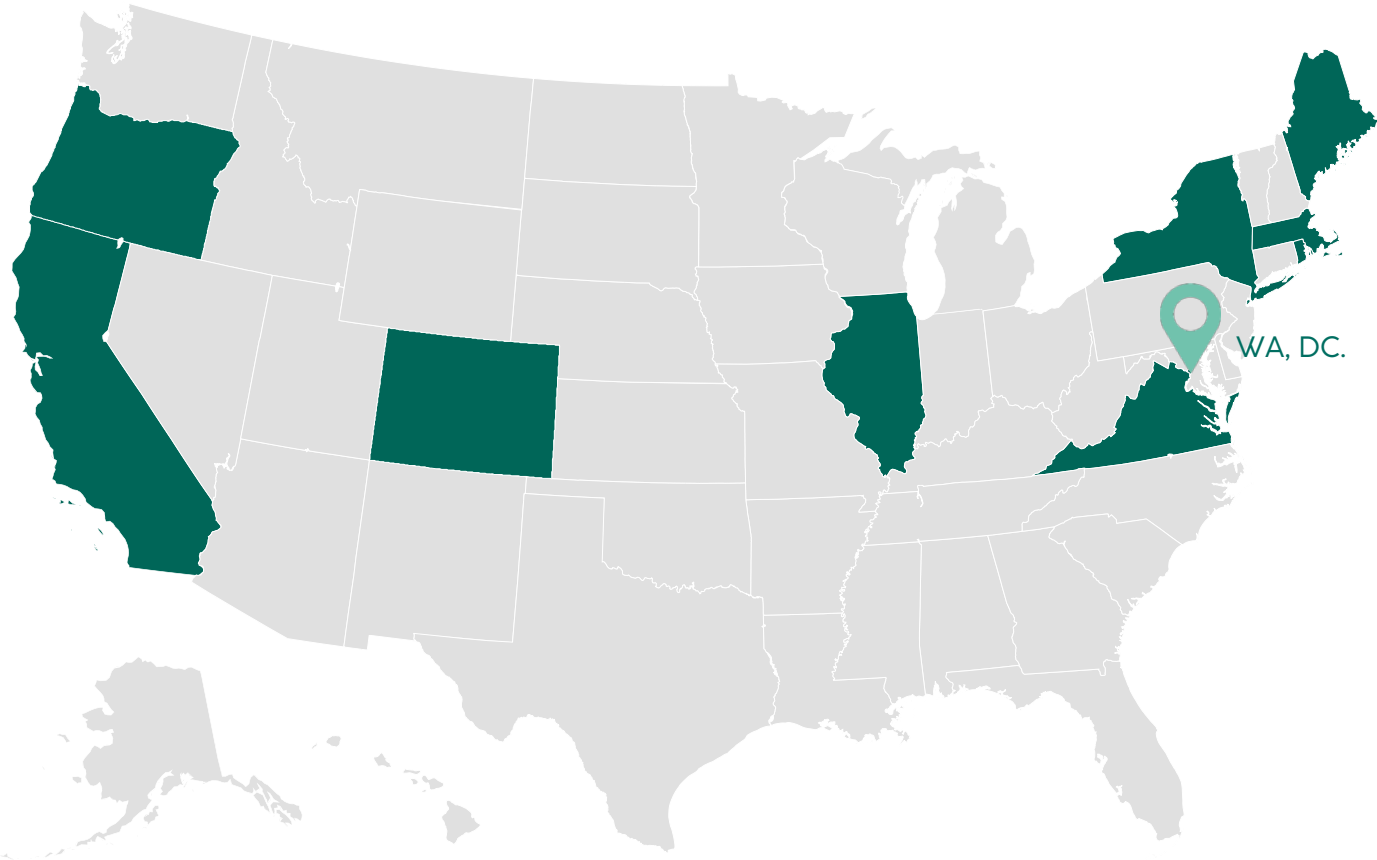
Legal basis	Packaging Act No. 477/2001 (Zakon 477/2001 Sbirky o Obalech) Regulation of the Ministry of Environment of the Czech Republic No. 641/2004
Functionality of the system	<p>Affected companies have the following obligations under the law:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> – Ensure the take-back and recycling or reuse – Participation in a dual system, licensing of packaging and keeping records of packaging types, quantity and packaging waste – Registration with the Czech Ministry of Environment – Annual evidence from the evidence management to the Czech Ministry of Environment <p>The fulfillment of these obligations can be ensured by licensing the respective annual quantities with the dual system EKO-KOM. It is the only system currently licensed in the Czech Republic. With the commissioning of EKO-KOM, the obligations of the Packaging Act, including the registration and reporting obligations with the Ministry of the Environment, are fully transferred to EKO-KOM. Manufacturers who place less than 300 kg of packaging on the market per year and whose annual turnover at the same time does not exceed CZK 4.5 million (approx. € 173 thousand) are exempt.</p>
Responsible	Person responsible for placing packaging on the Czech market (manufacturer, importer, distributor).
Affected packaging	Obligation to take back all packaging placed on the market or in circulation in the Czech Republic (B2C packaging); B2B packaging is exempt.
Financing/disposal	A registration fee of CZK 800 is payable for registration in the Initial Distributor List at the Ministry of Environment; a registration fee of the same amount per year is payable for registration in the list in subsequent calendar years.
Reporting requirement	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> – Quarterly statements of the quantity of packaging placed on the market – Quarterly remuneration for the services provided for the take-back and recovery of packaging waste – Payment of an annual fee – Connection to the system: payment of a quarterly and fixed fee
Non-compliance	Fines of varying amounts imposed depending on the severity of the violation.
Special features of online trading	The registration and licensing obligations also apply to all online retailers. Shipping cartons are also subject to the recycling obligation.
Special features for foreign companies	Foreign traders who ship to customers in the Czech Republic are affected by the Packaging Act and its obligations.

Mandatory labels

Identification code according to 97/129/EC



UNITED STATES OF AMERICA



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At the same time, we welcome any comments to improve the overview.