

# **Aerosol Association Breakfast**

## **Brad Gray** 18<sup>th</sup> September 2014



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## Introduction



Aerosol Research

National Recycling Week



#### **Our Values**

Planet Ark has a vision of a world where **people live in balance with nature.** 

We help people, businesses and governments work together to protect our planet's ability to thrive.



#### National Tree Day



- Australia's largest community nature care event in schools.
- 200,000+ participants
- 4,000+ sites and events
- 21 million trees planted
- 17 years of success



#### 'Cartridges 4 Planet Ark'



25 million+ cartridges recycled by business, gov't and schools since 2003



#### **Recycling Information Services**





2.3million+ visits in 2013 nation-wide coverage



#### **National Recycling Week**

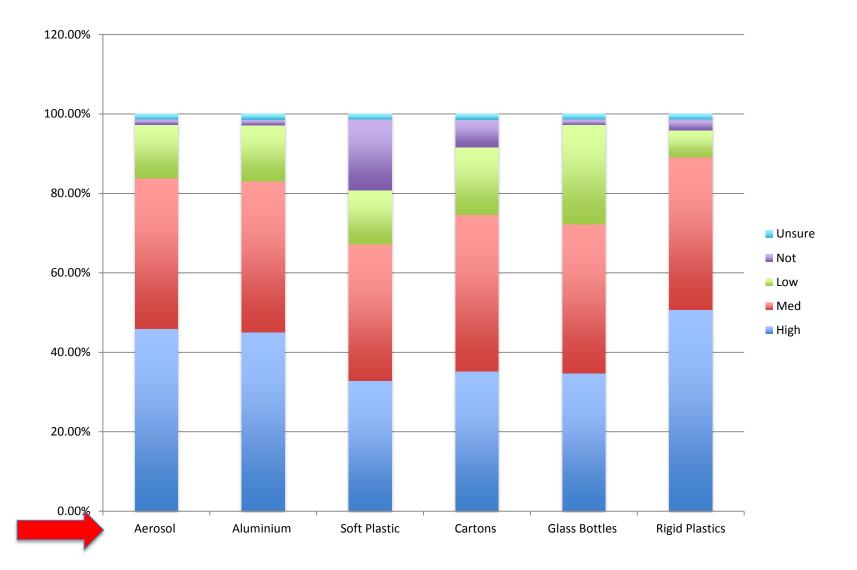


70,000 students 4,000 workplaces \$3.4 million media 14 million audience





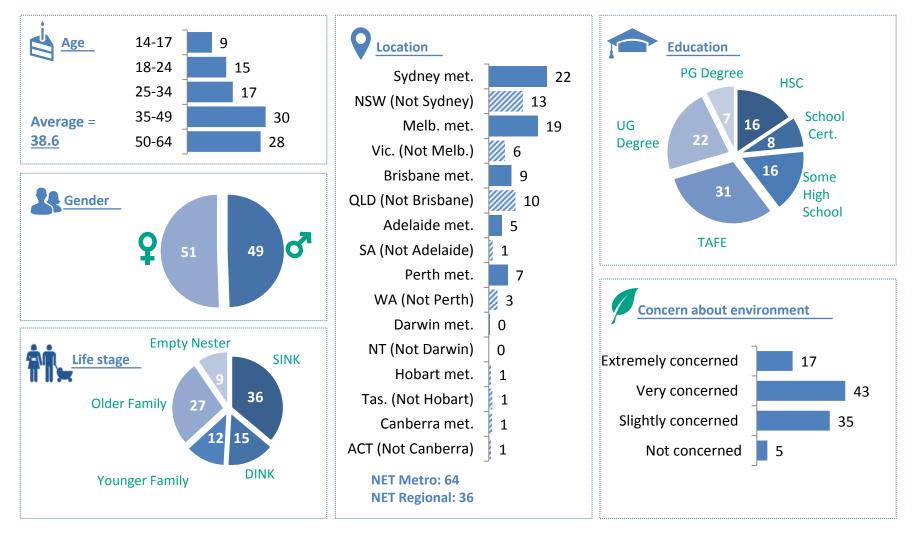
#### **Council Priority**





#### **Consumer Research**

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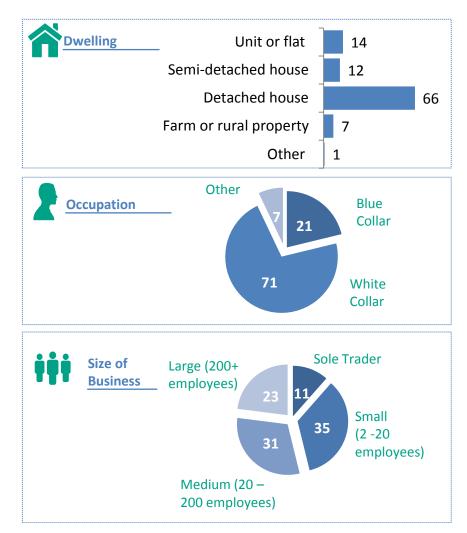


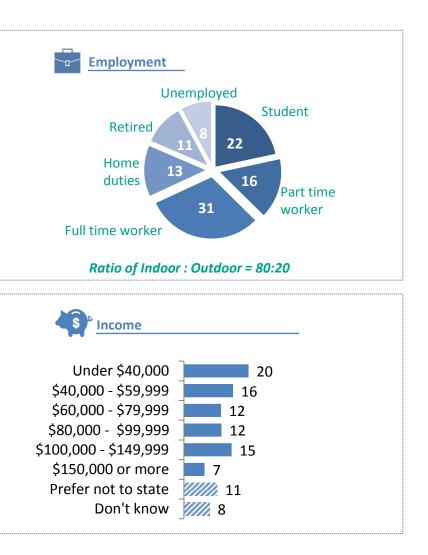
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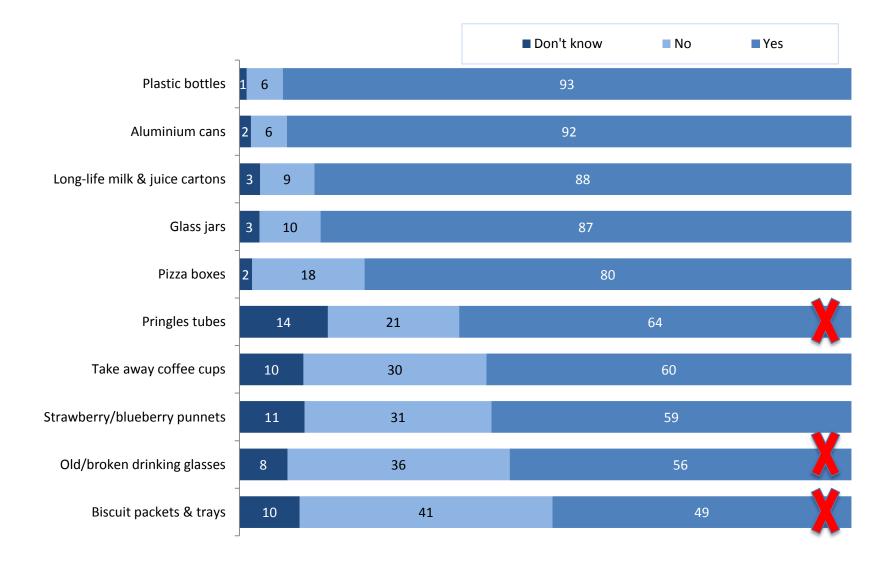




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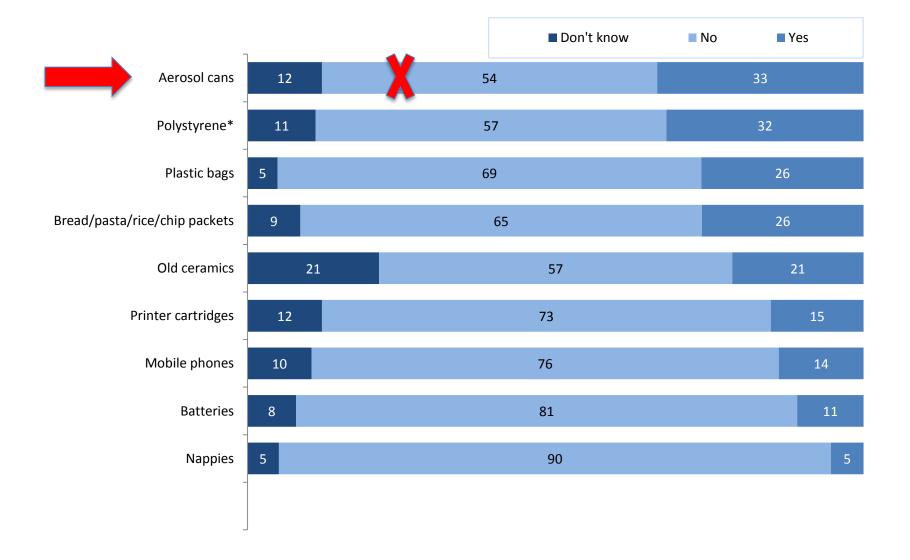


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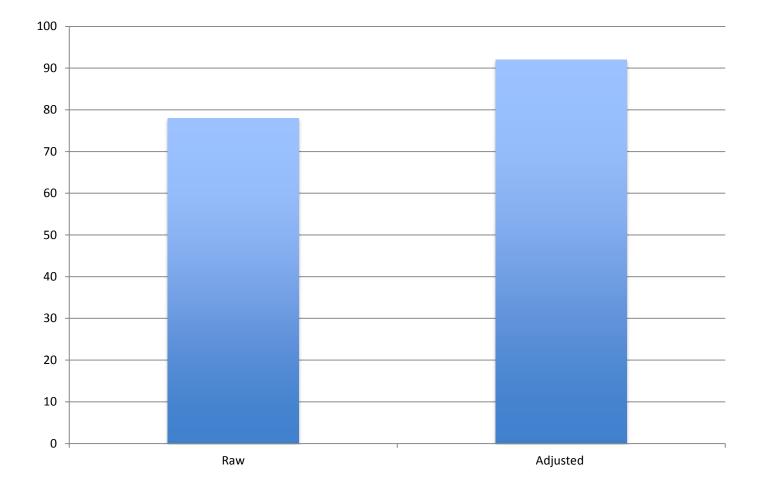


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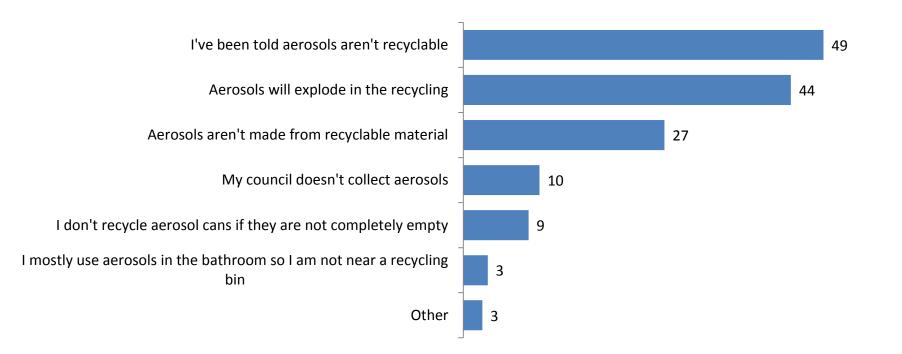


### % Population With Access to Aerosol Recycling





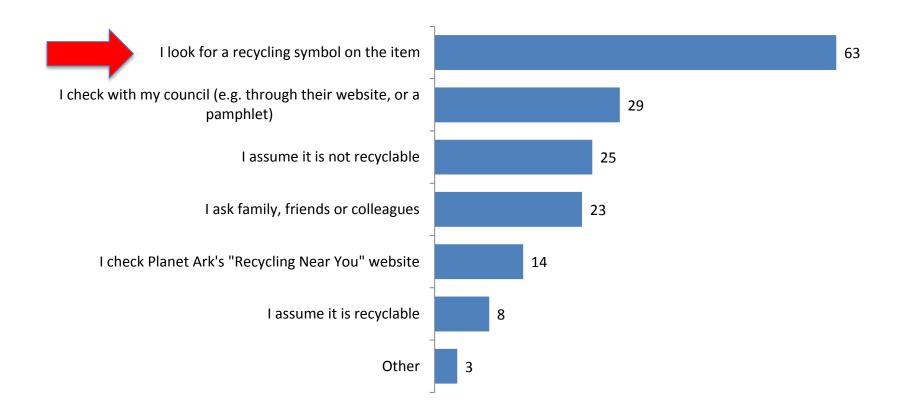
#### Why Don't You Recycle Aerosols



People don't recycle aerosol cans because they don't believe they're recyclable, or they think they'll explode



## How Do You Know If Something Is Recyclable





#### Around the House

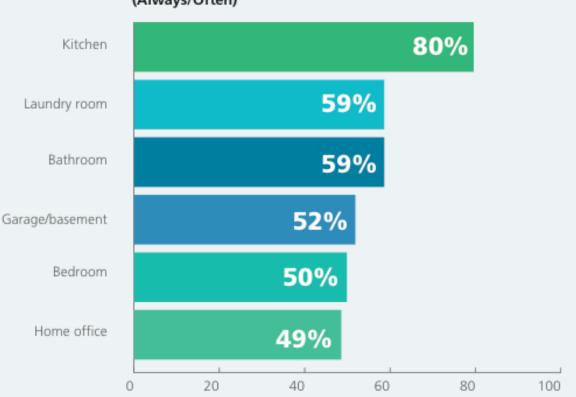




#### Kitchen Hub

The kitchen is the recycling hub of the home, as it's the room in which consumers most frequently recycle:<sup>1</sup>



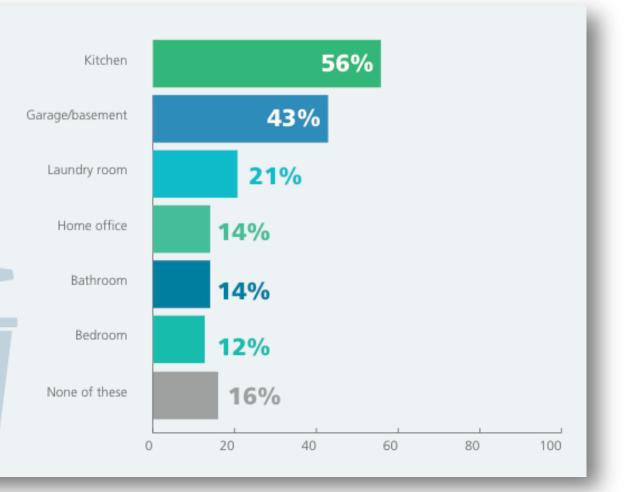


(Always/Often)



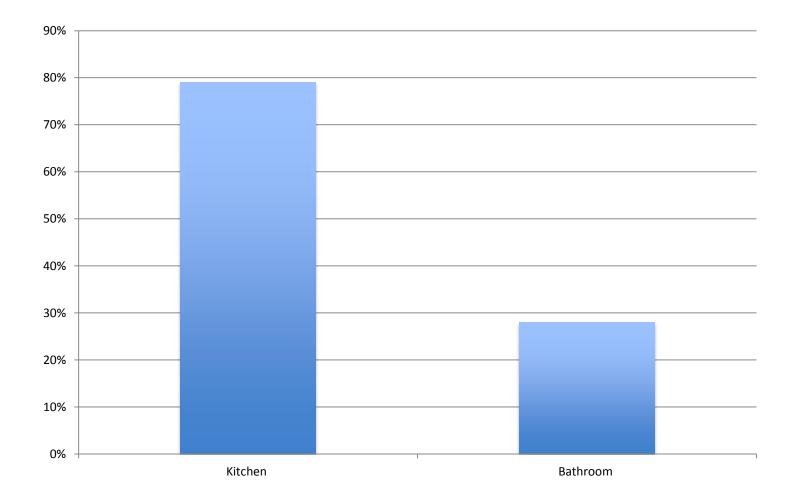
#### **Limited Bins**

Bins to collect recyclables are limited throughout the home. When asked in which rooms they keep bins, consumers said:<sup>1</sup>





#### Plastic Bottles Kitchen v's Bathroom





#### Unilever





### **Council Comms and Resources**



#### Hi Brad,

I'd like to thank the 100 council respondents that provided input to the consumer research that Planet Ark has commissioned for National Recycling Week. Common themes include reducing plastic bag contamination and increasing recycling of rigid plastics, as well understanding the recyclability of aluminium, steel and aerosol can.

Preparations for National Recycling Week (10-16 November), under the theme of The Seven Habits of Highly Effective Recyclers, is moving along quickly. As we get closer to the date we will provide councils with resources like adaptable media releases, advertisements, and posters to help

Activities could include:

- MRF or facility tours,
- Workshops,
- Community stalls,
- 👯 PR, media and advertising (Planet /
- Hosting a workplace or public Swap
- Molding a Friday File Fling in the off
- Check out our Council Acvitity Guid

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#### **Register Your Event**

improve these recycling habits.

Now is a great time to register your event with us. It only takes a few minutes to register and your event will appear on the RecyclingWeek.PlanetArk.org and RecyclingNearYou.com.au websites to make it easier for your residents to find it.



Centre on 1300 733 712 or recycling@planet

Regards and thanks,

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#### PR & Media





### Social Media

