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SUSTAINABILITY ASPECTS OF ACTIVE AND INTELLIGENT PACKAGING

Traditional definition of sustainable development was developed by the Brundtland Commission in 1987. It states that sustainable development is a development that meets the needs of the present without compromising the ability of future generations to meet their own needs. Sustainable development comprises three elements - economic, social and environmental – which have to be considered in equal measure in a whole life cycle of given product, service or economic process. Active and Intelligent packaging solutions tackle sustainability in a variety of interesting ways, depending on where the interaction takes place in full packaging value chain. This article explains various sustainability aspects and benefits and challenges related to active and intelligent packaging.



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RETAIL PACKAGING TESTING

- **Physical and mechanical tests**

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- **Examination of packaging provided with closures making it difficult for children to open**

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TRANSPORT PACKAGING TESTING

- **UN certification testing**

- **B certification testing**

- **Expertise testing**

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CERTIFICATION

CERTIFICATION FOR AC 016 ACCREDITATION

- **Certification for UN**

- **Re-processing**

- **Certification of packaging protected against opening by a child**

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CERTIFICATION OUTSIDE THE SCOPE OF ACCREDITATION

- **Certification for B**

- **Certification of compliance with the requirements of standards**

- **Certification of products suitable for composting**

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- **Certification of the content of renewable raw materials**

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ECOLOGY

- **Assessment of conformity with the requirements of the packaging**

- **LCA (Life Cycle Assessment)**

- **Calculation of greenhouse gas emissions (carbon footprint)**

- **Initial assessment of compostability**

- **Certification of the content of renewable raw materials**

- **Color measurement test**

- **COBRO recommendation: recovery organizations**

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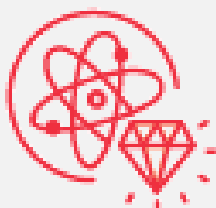
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