

# Sustainable distributed recycling via additive manufacturing (SDRAM): from a technical to systemic challenge

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Workshop: Responsible Design for AM



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# Outline

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1. Who I am?
2. Societal challenges for sustainable manufacturing
3. Approach of Distributed Recycling via Additive Manufacturing (DRAM)
4. Put in reality
5. Some Future considerations

# Who am I?



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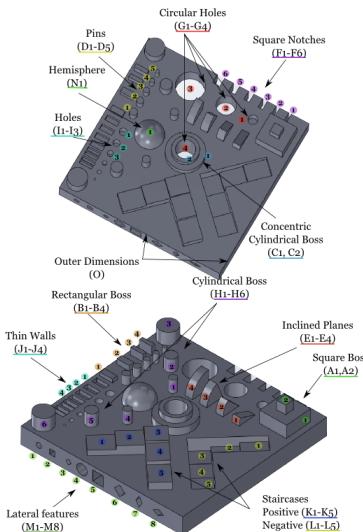
- As a product.
- As a process.
- As a complex system.
- As territorial asset.

# How I started in the 3D Printing world.?



A screenshot of the RepRap wiki page for the FoldRap project. The page includes a green RepRap logo, a navigation bar, and sections for Main Page, Recent Changes, and FoldRap Documentation. It also features a video player showing a person working on a 3D printer and a sidebar for the FoldRap4.0 release status.

## 1. Geometric Benchmarking Model



## 2. Design of Experiments

### Control Factors

Paramètres de contrôle	Symbole	1	2	3	Unités
L'épaisseur de couche	F1	0.127	0.178	0.254	mm
Largeur de route	F2	0.54	0.62	0.71	mm
Vitesse de mouvement de la tête	F3	25	50	75	mm/s

### Experiments

#	Facteurs			
	Essai	L'épaisseur de couche [mm]	Largeur de route [mm]	Vitesse de mouvement de la tête [mm/s]
1	0.127	0.54	25	
2	0.127	0.62	50	
3	0.127	0.71	75	
4	0.178	0.54	75	
5	0.178	0.62	25	
6	0.178	0.71	50	
7	0.254	0.54	50	
8	0.254	0.62	75	
9	0.254	0.71	25	

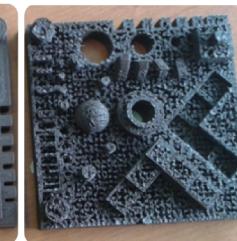
Taguchi method

## 3. Fabrication

Sample 1



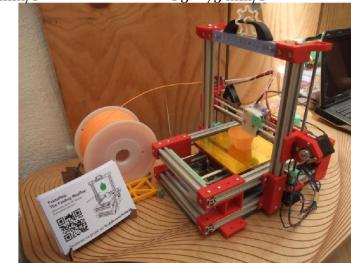
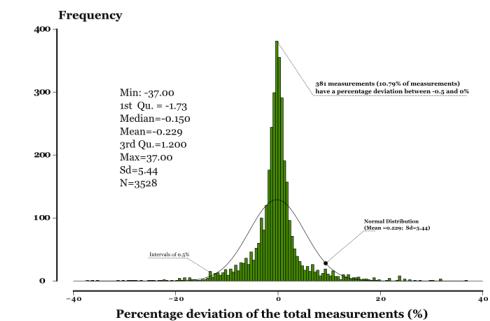
Sample 8



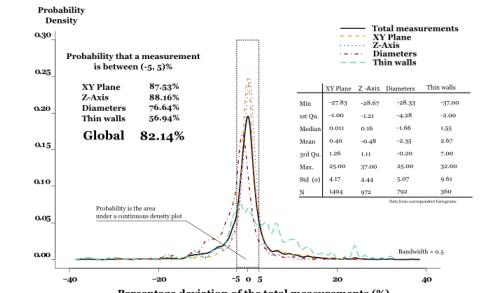
*Experimental protocol of geometrical performance evaluation in order to characterise OS 3D printers based on Design of Experiments (DoE), integrating different families of geometrical objects and ANSI-ISO's International Tolerance (IT) Grades*

## 4. Results

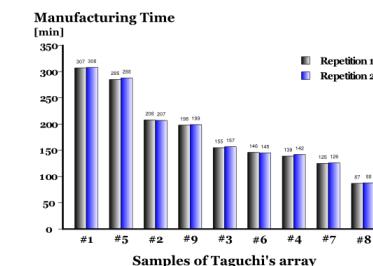
### Geometrical precision



Open Source 3D printer  
-FoldaRap-

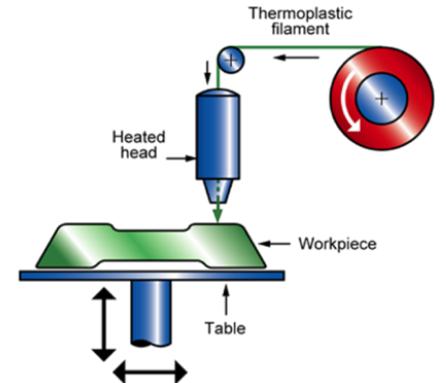


### Manufacturing time



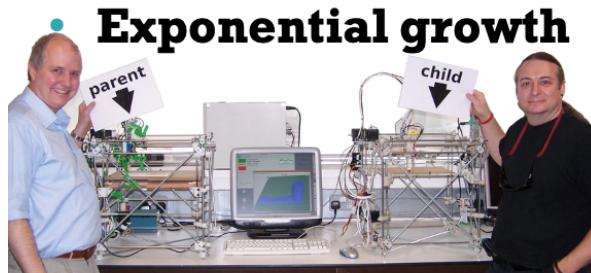
## Fused Deposition Modeling (FDM)

Deposits a thread of molten material usually from a plastic filament, onto a substrate with the use of a movable head.



## RepRap Project

- *FDM patent expired in 2005*
- Replicating Rapid-prototyper freely Available for the benefit of everyone
- Open source approach . (available Information)
- Global community / Global knowledge, local needs.
- Low cost (<\$5000)
- Quality? Standardization? Repeatability? ... (High enough)



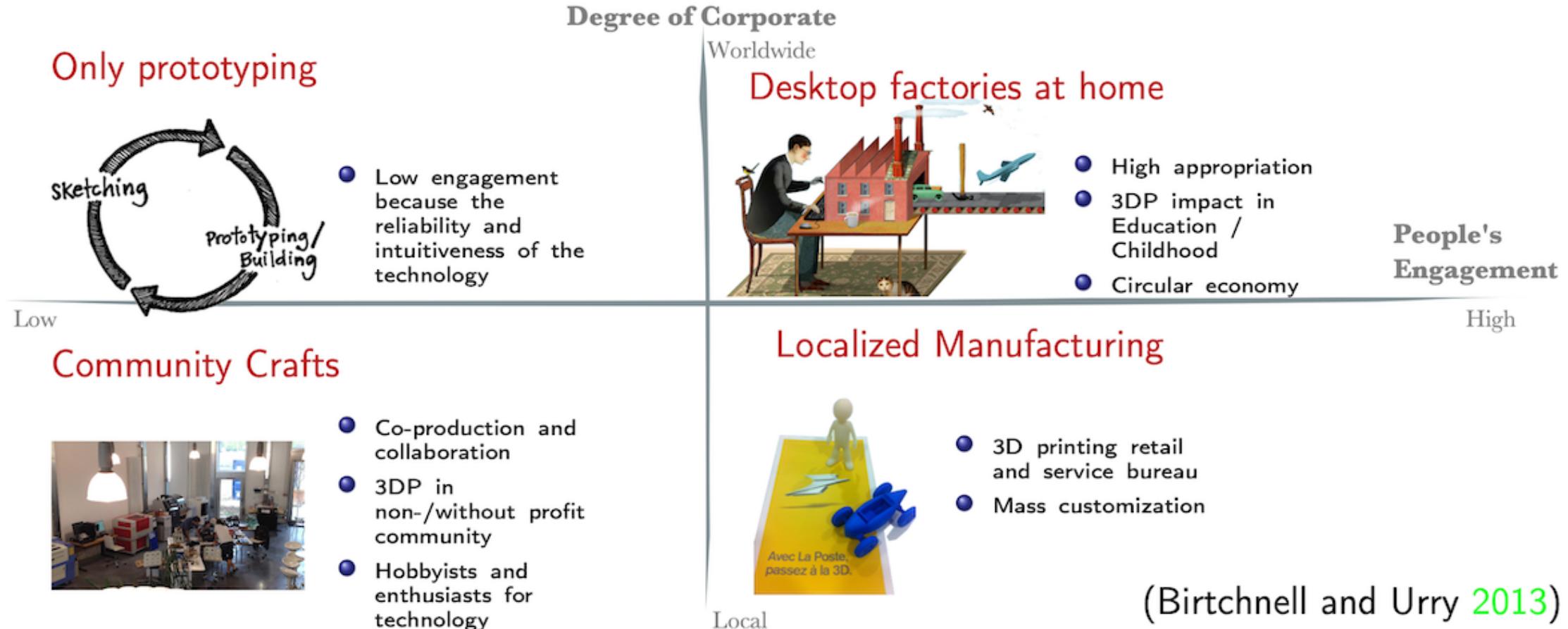
Materials: ABS / PLA

Google shopping results for 'rerap':

- rerap Prusa i3 3d imprimante kit bricolage avec commande d'affichage...  
399,99 € de LightInTheBox ★★★★ 2.110 reseñas de vendedores  
Matière:Plastique,Métal; Couleur:Blanc; Poids (kg):#; Capacité:0-50 PSC
- Mise à jour acrylique Transparent Frame Reprap Prusa I3 bureau  
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Self-replicating manufacturing machine --> **Paradox of Jevons?**

# Future of Additive Manufacturing



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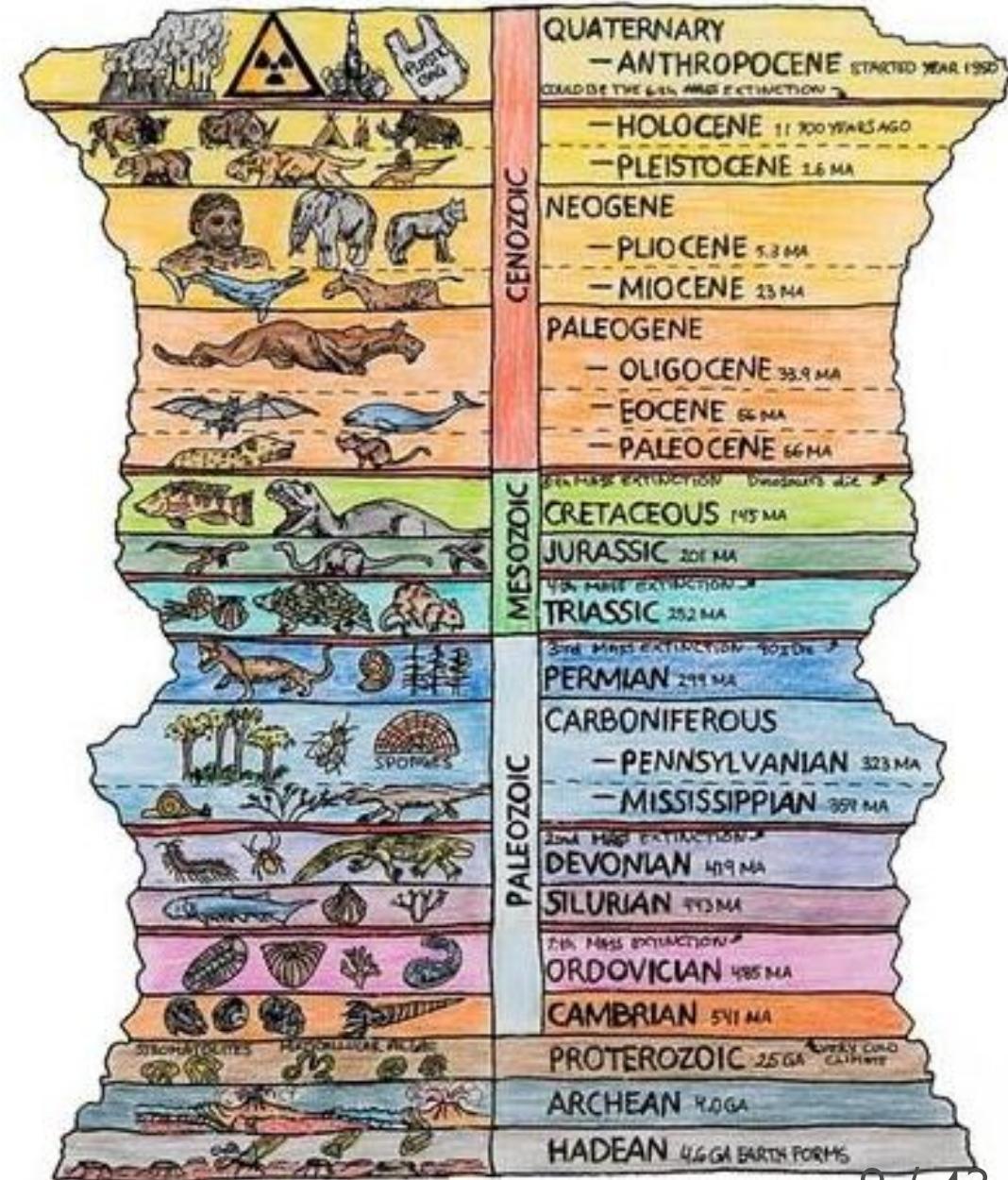
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- Earth is now moving out of its current geological epoch (Holocene)
- human activity is largely responsible for this exit



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- The Great Acceleration since 1950
- CO<sub>2</sub>: 311 ppm (1950) --> 369 (2000)
- Capitalocene rather than Anthropocene.

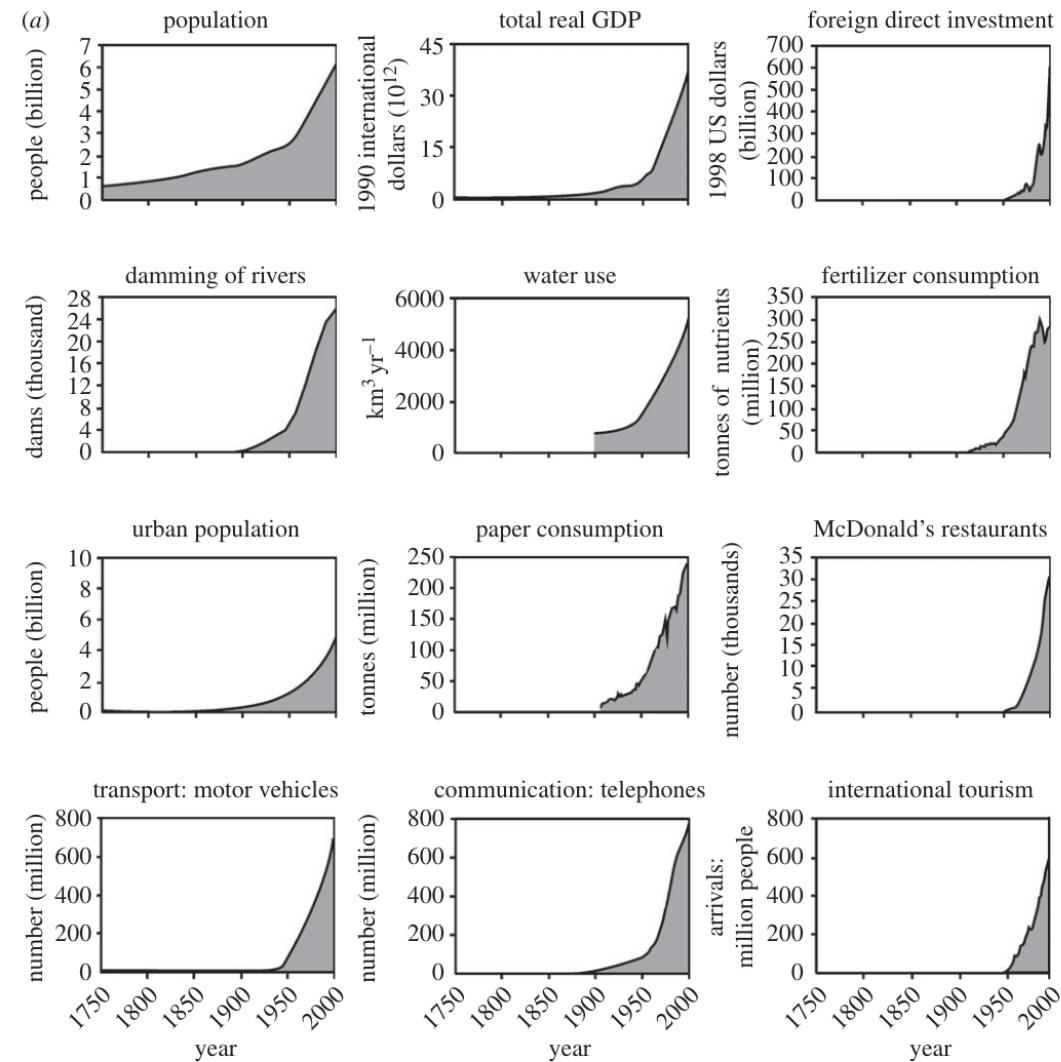
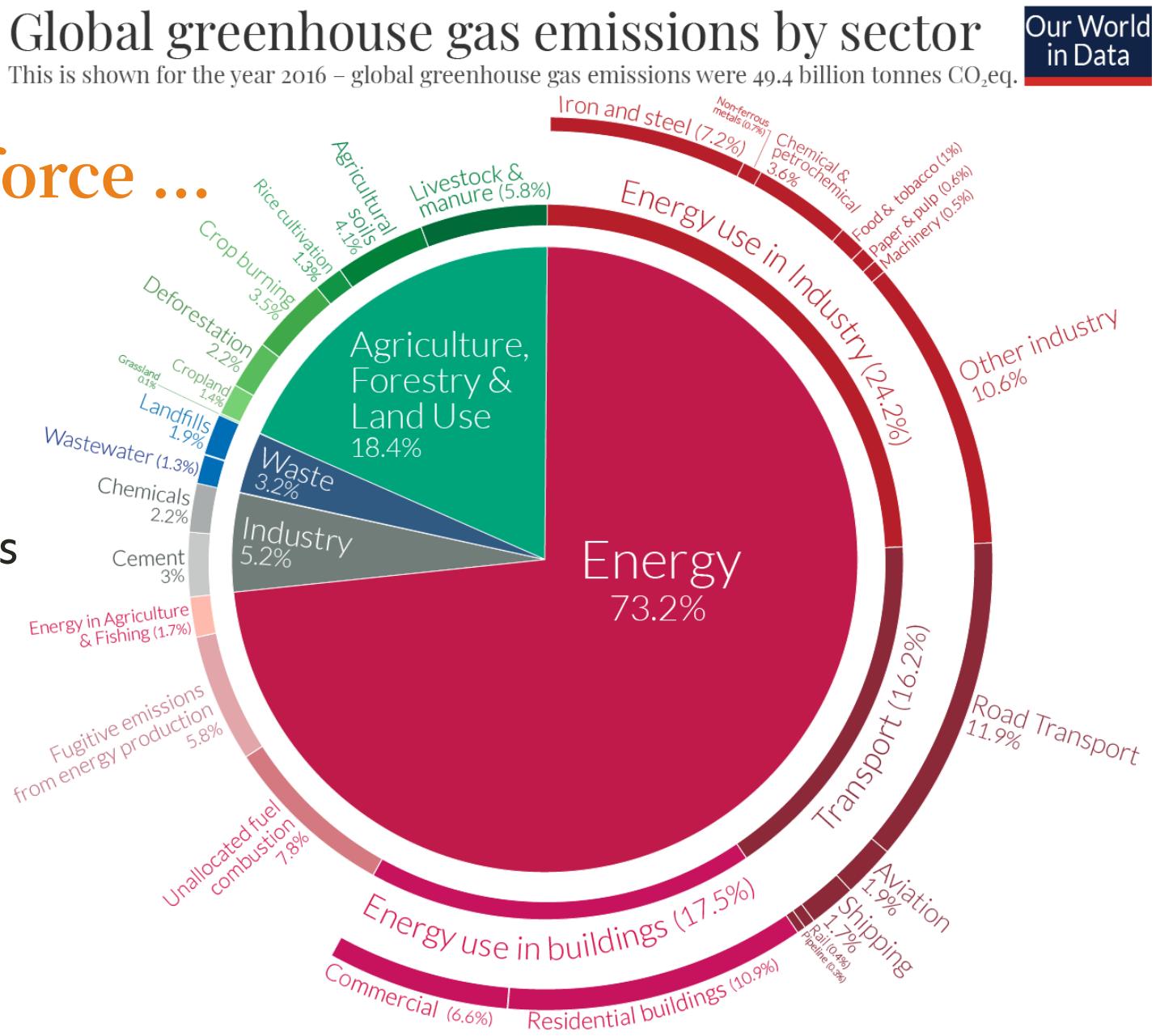


Figure 1. (a) The increasing rates of change in human activity since the beginning of the Industrial Revolution. Significant increases in rates of change occur around the 1950s in each case and illustrate how the past 50 years have been a period of dramatic and unprecedented change in human history.

# Anthropocène: Humans as a geological force ...

- [in CO<sub>2</sub>].
- Climate neutrality & decarbonization
- Improvements in sector counts



# Anthropocène: Humans as a geological force ...

- [in CO<sub>2</sub>]
- [in Plastic pollution].

De-la-Torre, G. E., Dioses-Salinas, D. C., Pizarro-Ortega, C. I. & Santillán, L. New plastic formations in the Anthropocene. Science of The Total Environment 754, 142216 (2021).

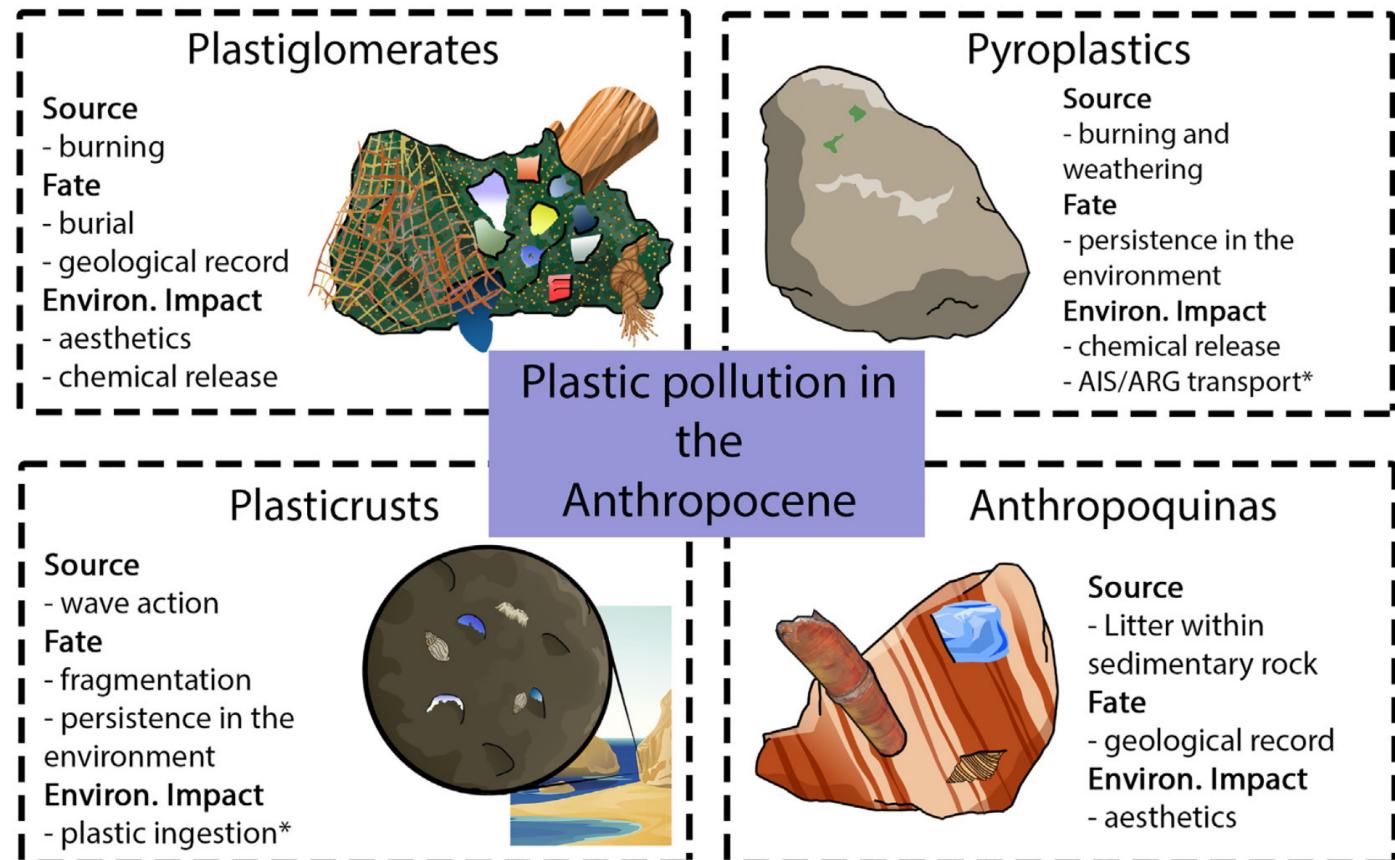


Fig. 3. Visual representation and main characteristics of the new plastic formations described in the literature. \*: Suspected environmental impact.

Today, we need to include circularity in a  
micro/meso/macro level !!

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# Towards Circularity

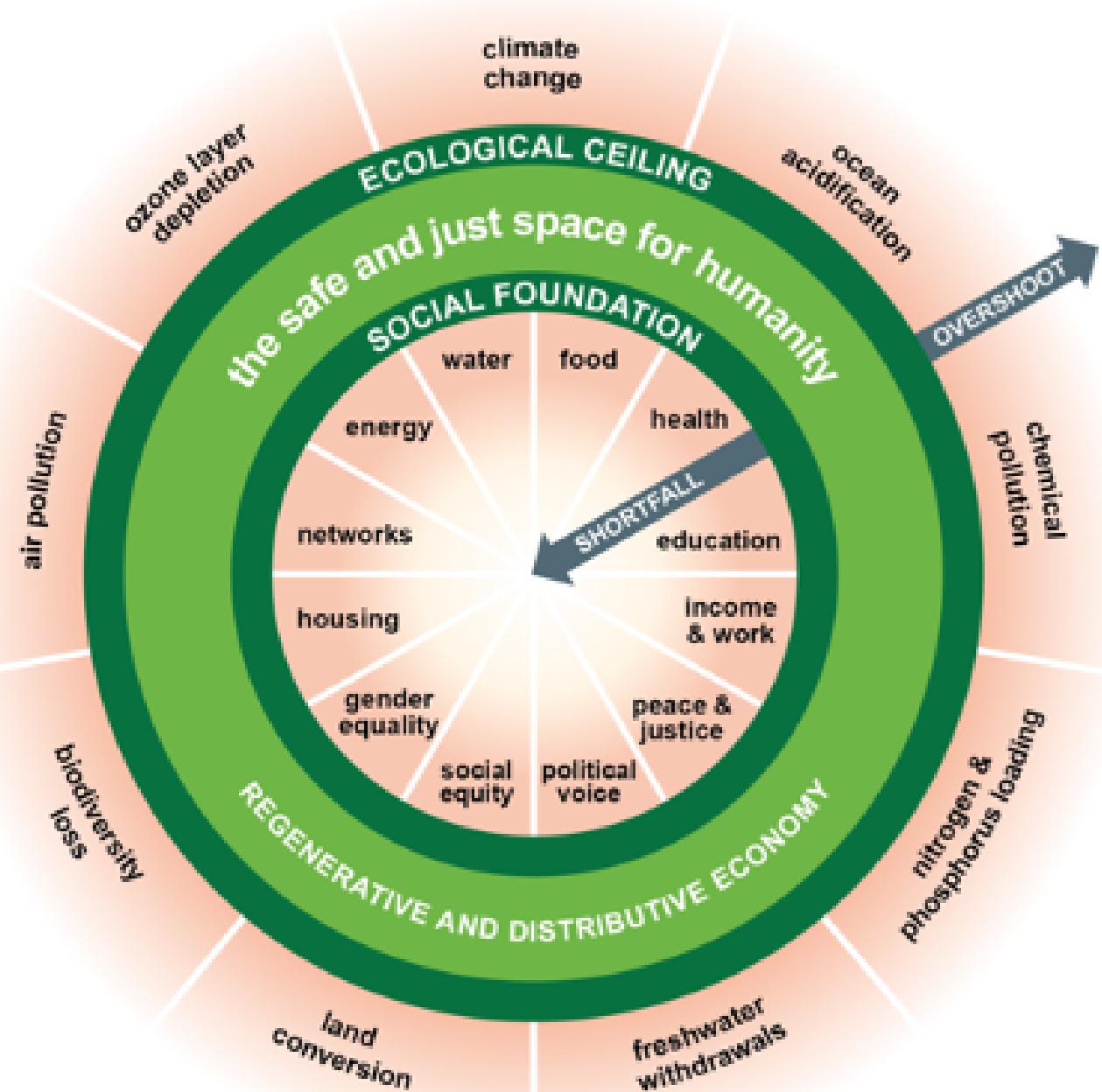
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**Table 2**  
Concepts within each circularity discourse type.

Discourse	Concepts from the Timeline	
<b>Reformist Circular Society (20 concepts)</b>	<b>N. 20 Circularity 3.1 concepts:</b> 1. Rio Declaration on Environment and Development (UN, 1992) 2. Regenerative design (Lyle, 1994) 3. Natural Capitalism (Hawken et al., 1999) 4. Sound Material-Cycle Society (Government of Japan, 2000) 5. Cyclical Economy (Young et al., 2001) 6. Materials Matter (Geiser, 2001) 7. Cradle to Cradle (McDonough and Braungart, 2002) 8. The Natural Step (Robèrt, 2002) 9. Performance Economy (Stahel, 2010)	10. Blue economy (Pauli, 2010) 11. Material Efficiency (Allwood et al., 2011) 12. Third industrial revolution (Rifkin, 2013) 13. Eco-system economy (Scharmer and Kaufer, 2013) 14. Regenerative capitalism (Fullerton, 2015) 15. Sharing Economy (Frenken, 2017) <b>16. Doughnut Economics (Raworth, 2017)</b> 17. Symbiotic Economy (Delannoy, 2017) 18. Social Circular Economy (Social Circular Economy, 2017) 19. Spiral Economy (Ashby et al., 2019) 20. Coviability (Barrière et al., 2019)
<b>Transformational Circular Society (30 concepts)</b>	<b>N. 13 precursor concepts:</b> 1. Gandhian economics (Kumarappa, 1945) 2. The Economics of the Coming Spaceship Earth (Boulding, 1966) 3. The entropy law and the economic process (Georgescu-Roegen, 1971) 4. The Closing Circle (Commoner, 1971) 5. Social Ecology (Bookchin, 1971) 6. Ecological Design (Papanek, 1972) 7. Limits to Growth (Meadows et al., 1972) 8. Small is Beautiful (Schumacher, 1973) 9. Conviviality (Illich, 1973) 10. Steady-state economics (Daly, 1977) 11. Permaculture (Mollison and Holmgren, 1978) 12. Décroissance (Gorz, 1980) 13. Deep Ecology (Ness and Rothernberg 1989) <b>N. 17 Circularity 3.2 concepts:</b> 1. Transition Movement (Hopkins, 2008)	2. Degrowth (Latouche, 2009) 3. Eco-socialism (Löwy, 2011) 4. Laudato Si' (Pope Francis, 2015) 5. Transition design (Irwin, 2015) 6. Economy for the Common Good (Felber, 2015) 7. Post-growth (Jackson, 2016) 8. Permacircular Economy (Bourg, 2018), 9. Voluntary Simplicity (Trainer and Alexander, 2019) 10. Convivalism (Caillé, 2019) 11. Buen Vivir/ Sumark Kawsay (Government of Ecuador, 2008) 12. Ubuntu (Shumba, 2011) 13. Ecological Civilization (Zhang et al., 2011) 14. Ecological Swaraj (Kothari et al., 2014) 15. Suma Qamaña / Vivir Bien (Artaraz and Galestani, 2015) 16. Buddhist, Confucian and Taoist ecology (Arler, 2018) 17. Radical Pluralism/ Pluriverse (Kothari et al., 2019)
<b>Technocentric Circular Economy (19 concepts)</b>	<b>N. 15 concepts from Circularity 2.0:</b> 1. Industrial Ecology (Frosch and Gallopolous, 1989) 2. Circular Economy (Pearce and Turner, 1989) 3. Eco-design /Design for environment (Ryan et al., 1992) 4. Cyclic Economy (Tibbs, 1993) 5. Industrial Metabolism (Ayres and Simonis, 1994) 6. Cleaner Production (Baas, 1995) 7. Reverse Logistics (Rogers and Tibben-Lembke, 1998) 8. Eco-industrial parks and networks (Côté and Cohen-Rosenthal, 1998)	9. Biomimicry (Benyus, 1998) 10. Product Service System (Goedkoop et al., 1999) 11. Extended Producer Responsibility (Lindqvist, 2000) 12. Industrial Symbiosis (Chertow, 2000) 13. Closed-loop Supply Chain (Guide et al., 2003) 14. Biobased Economy / Bioeconomy (OECD, 2004) 15. The Biosphere Rules Unruh, 2008 <b>N. 4 Circularity 1.0 concepts:</b> 1. Waste-Water Treatment (Holcomb, 1970) 2. Integrated Solid Waste Management and Recycling (Levick and Davies, 1975) 3. Bio-Digestion (Hughes, 1975) 4. Energy Recovery (Boyle, 1977)
<b>Fortress Circular Economy (3 concepts)</b>	<b>N. 3 precursor concepts:</b> 1. The tragedy of the Commons (Hardin, 1968) 2. The Population Bomb (Ehrlich, 1968) 3. Overshoot (Catton, 1980)	

# Doughnut Economics

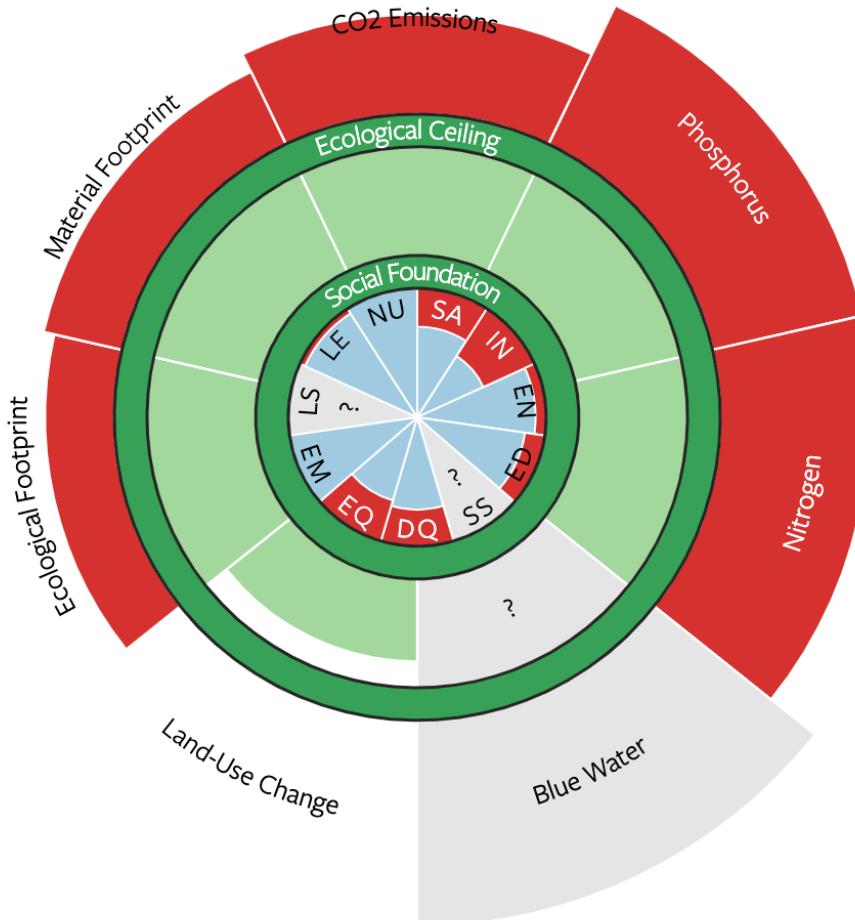
- Beyond GDP growth
- 'Sweet spot'  
minimal social requirements **AND**  
Planetary earth's boundaries.



# Doughnut Economics

## World at 2015

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LS - Life Satisfaction  
IN - Income Poverty  
DQ - Democratic Quality

LE - Life Expectancy  
EN - Access to Energy  
EQ - Equality

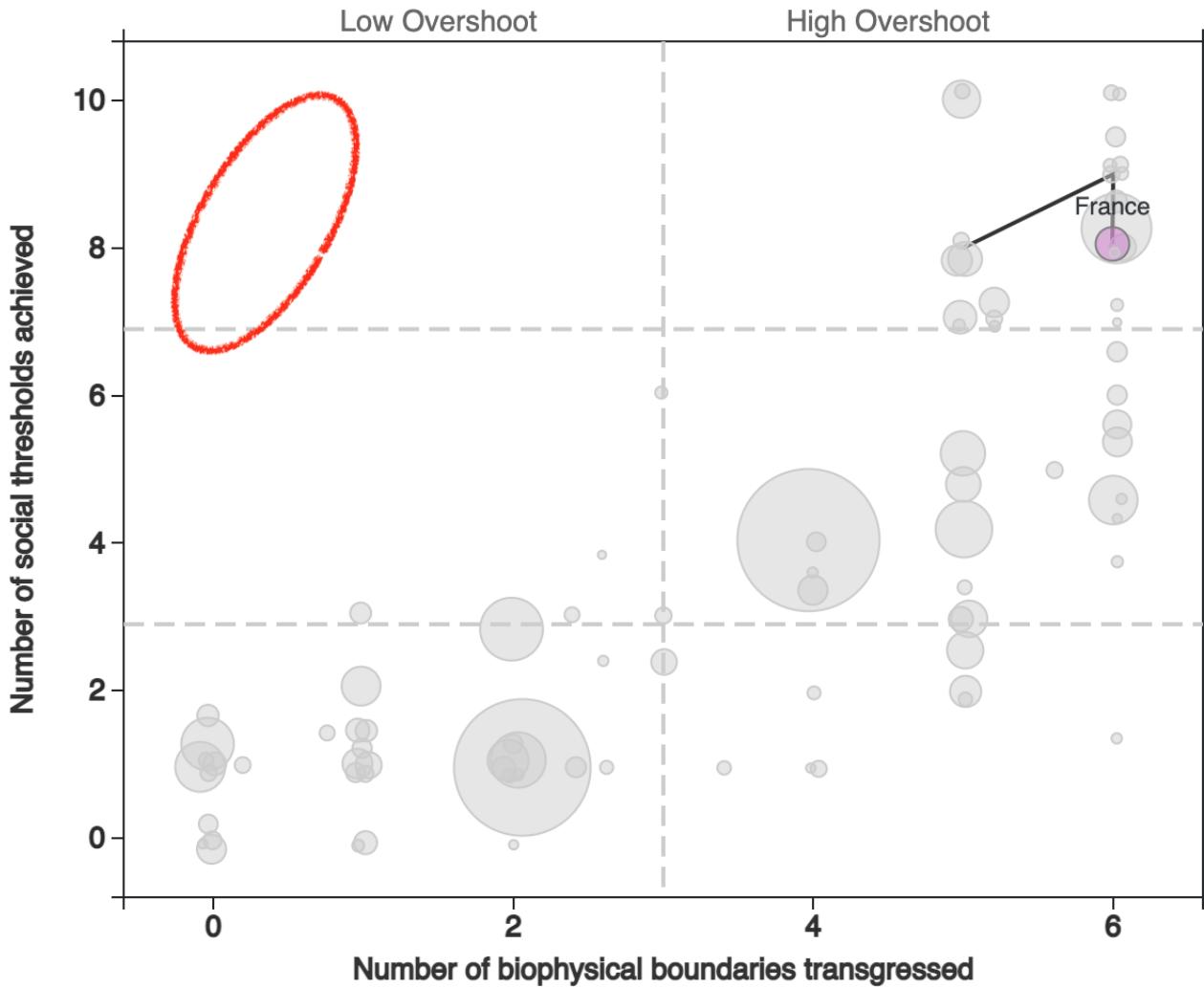
NU - Nutrition  
ED - Education  
EM - Employment

SA - Sanitation  
SS - Social Support

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# Doughnut Economics: World at 2015

- No country satisfy the basic needs without transgression



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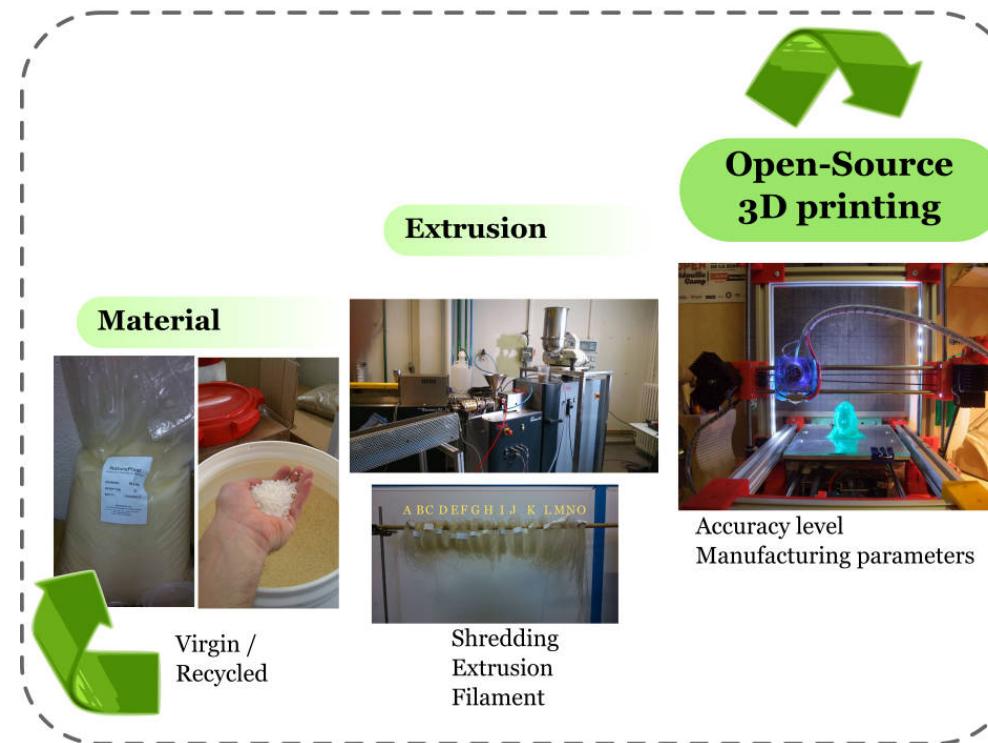
# Distributed recycling via additive manufacturing

- Local closed-loop → Virgin / recycled → FFF / FGF

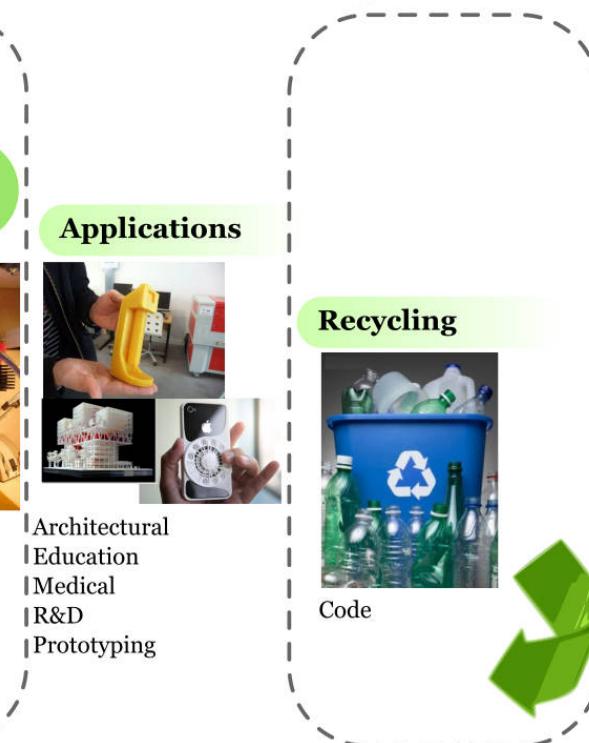
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## Technical

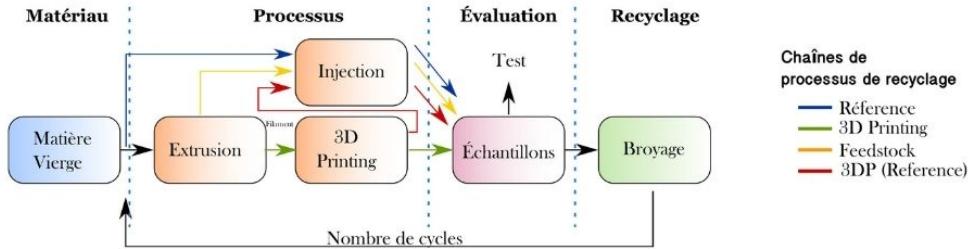
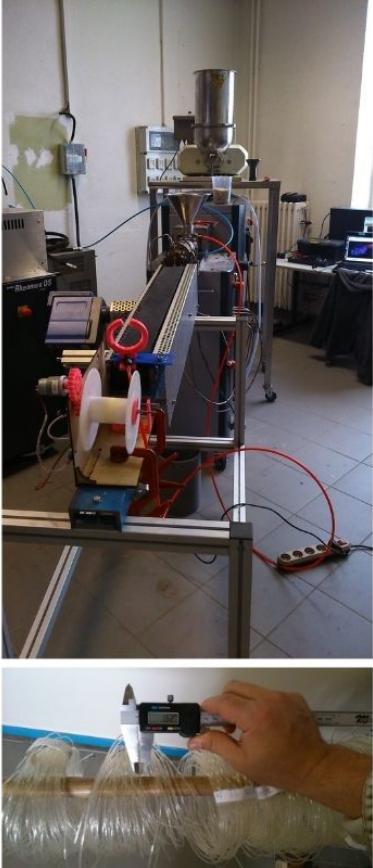


## Logistical



# Technical validation of DRAM

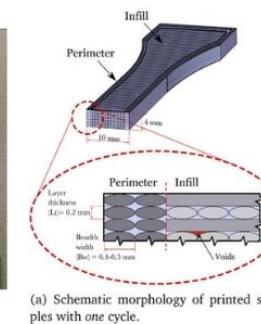
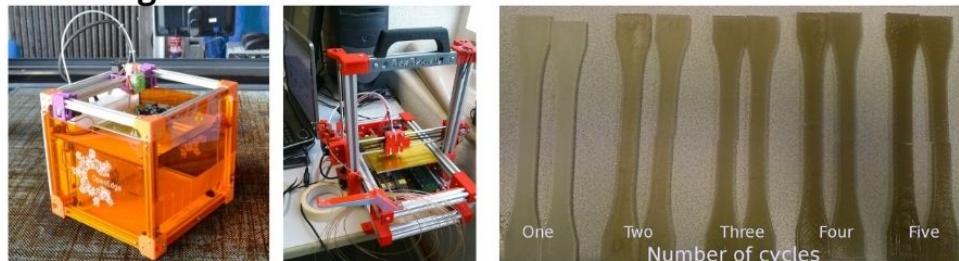
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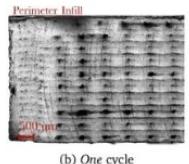
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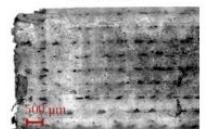
## 3D Printing



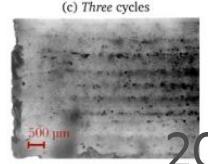
(a) Schematic morphology of printed samples with one cycle.



(b) One cycle



(c) Three cycles

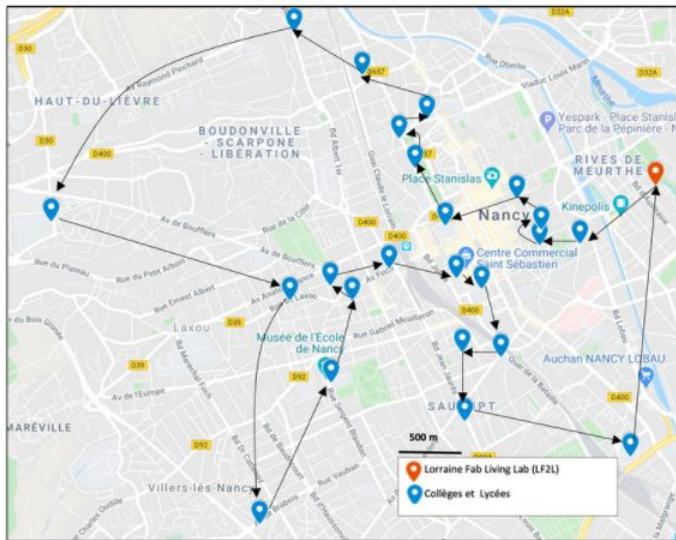


(d) Five cycles

Polymer recycling in an open-source additive manufacturing context: Mechanical & chemical perspective

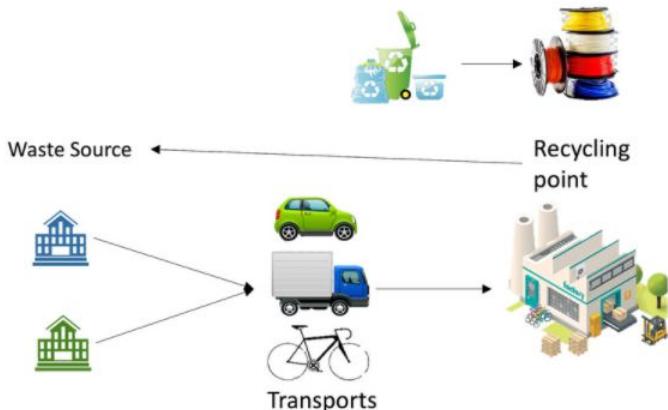
# Logistical validation of DRAM

Pavlo Santander



(Santander et al., 2020)

➤ Local Closed-loop recycling network



## Hypothesis



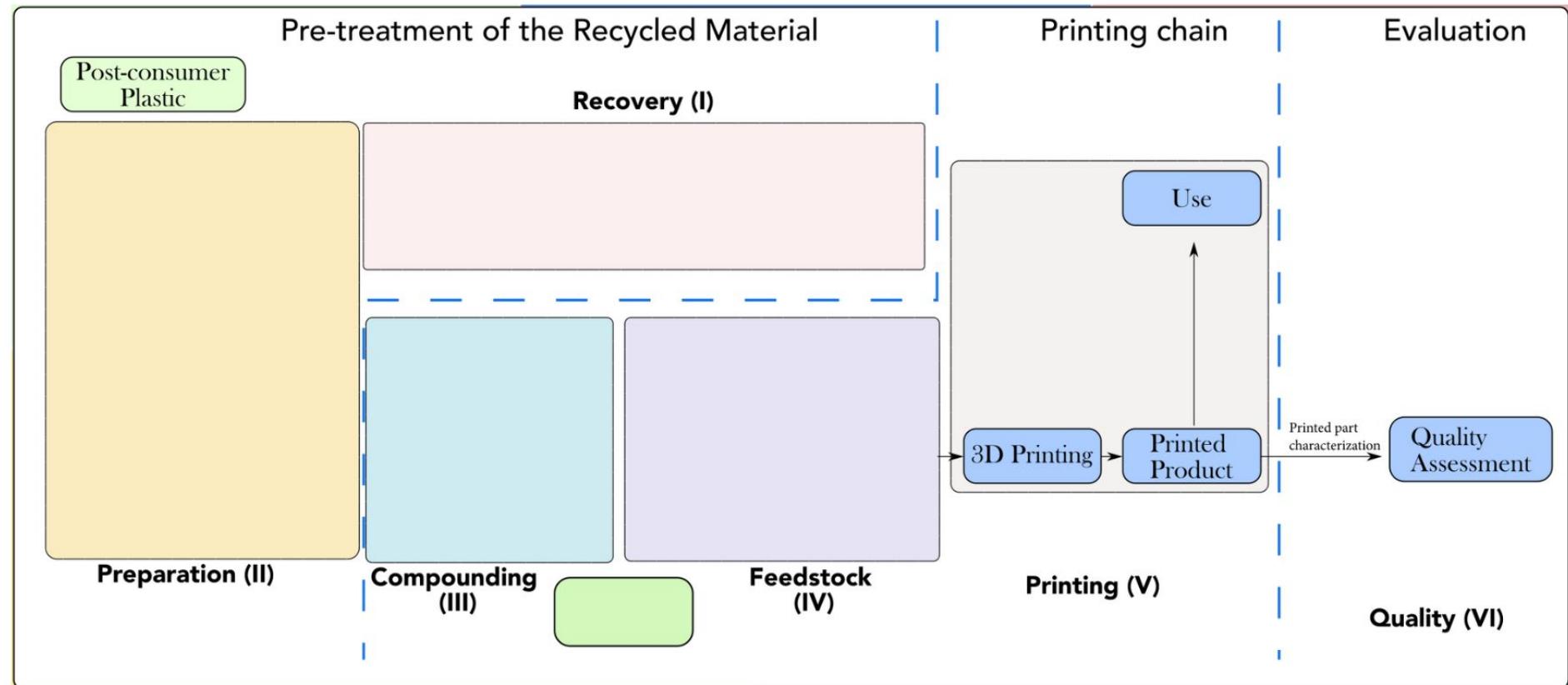
- One type of plastic to collect
- Non contaminated plastic



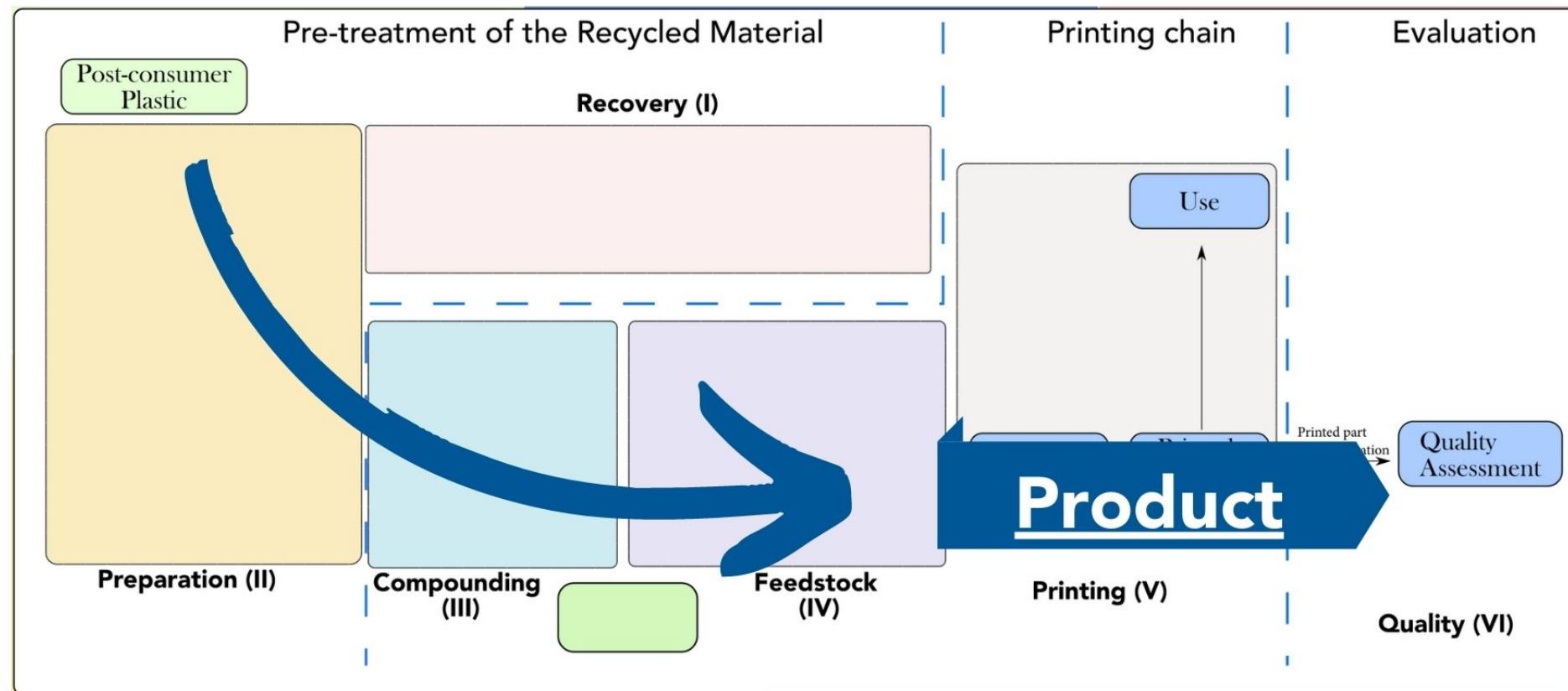
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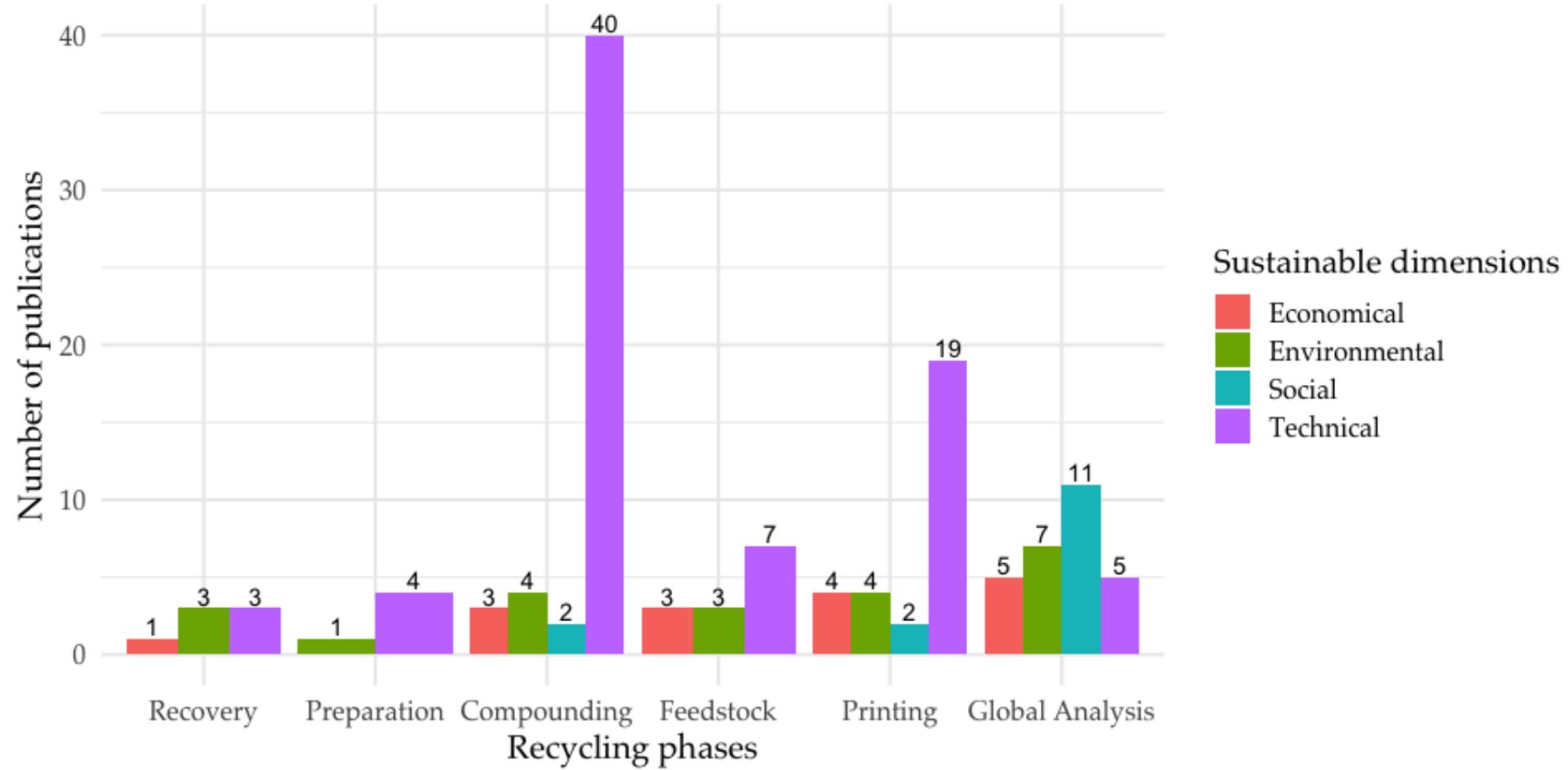
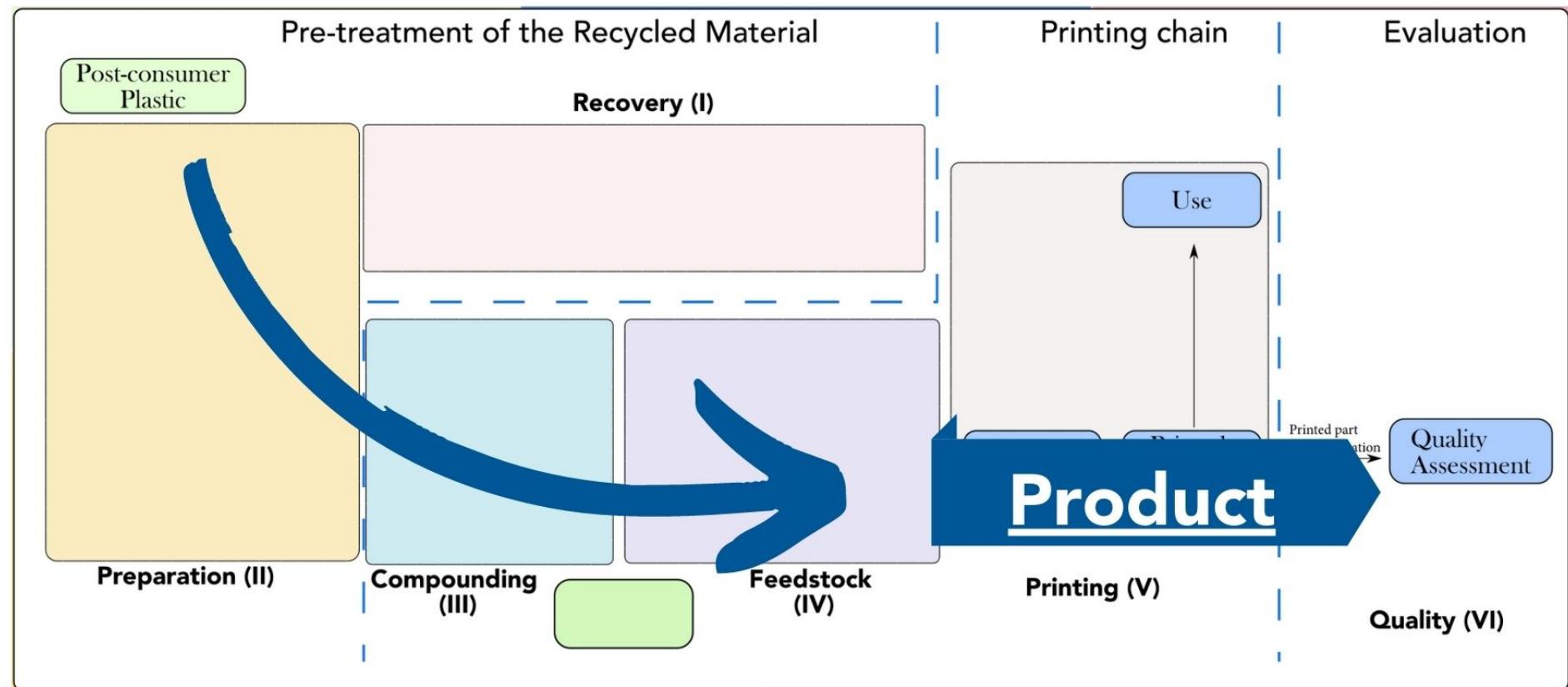
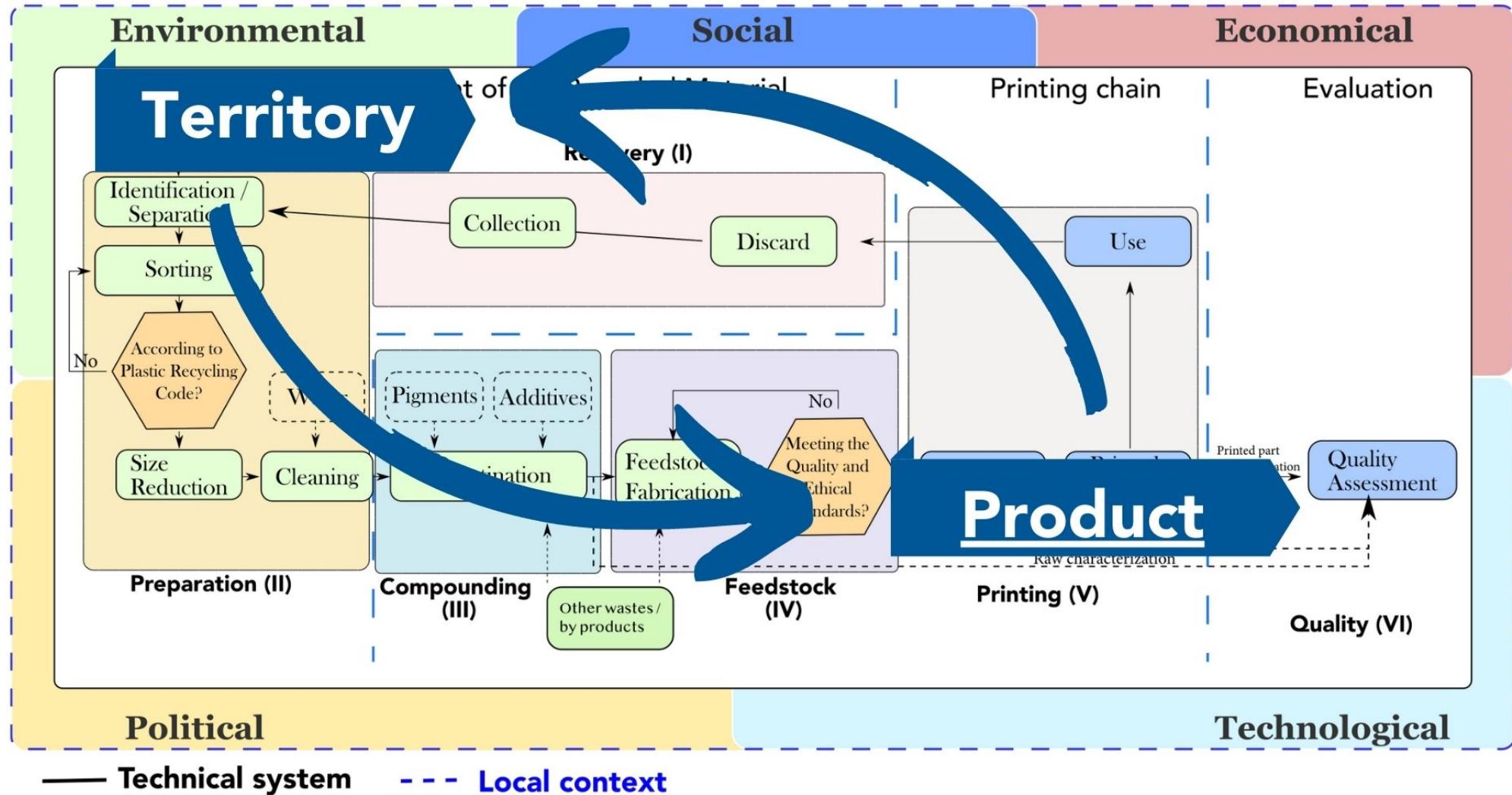


Figure 7: Global results of the literature review.

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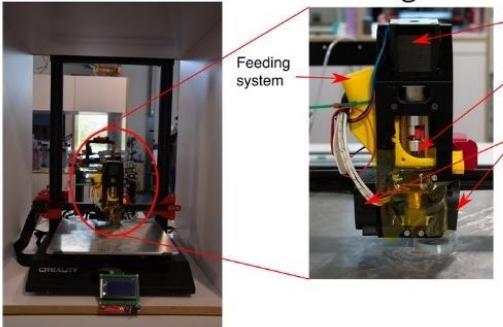
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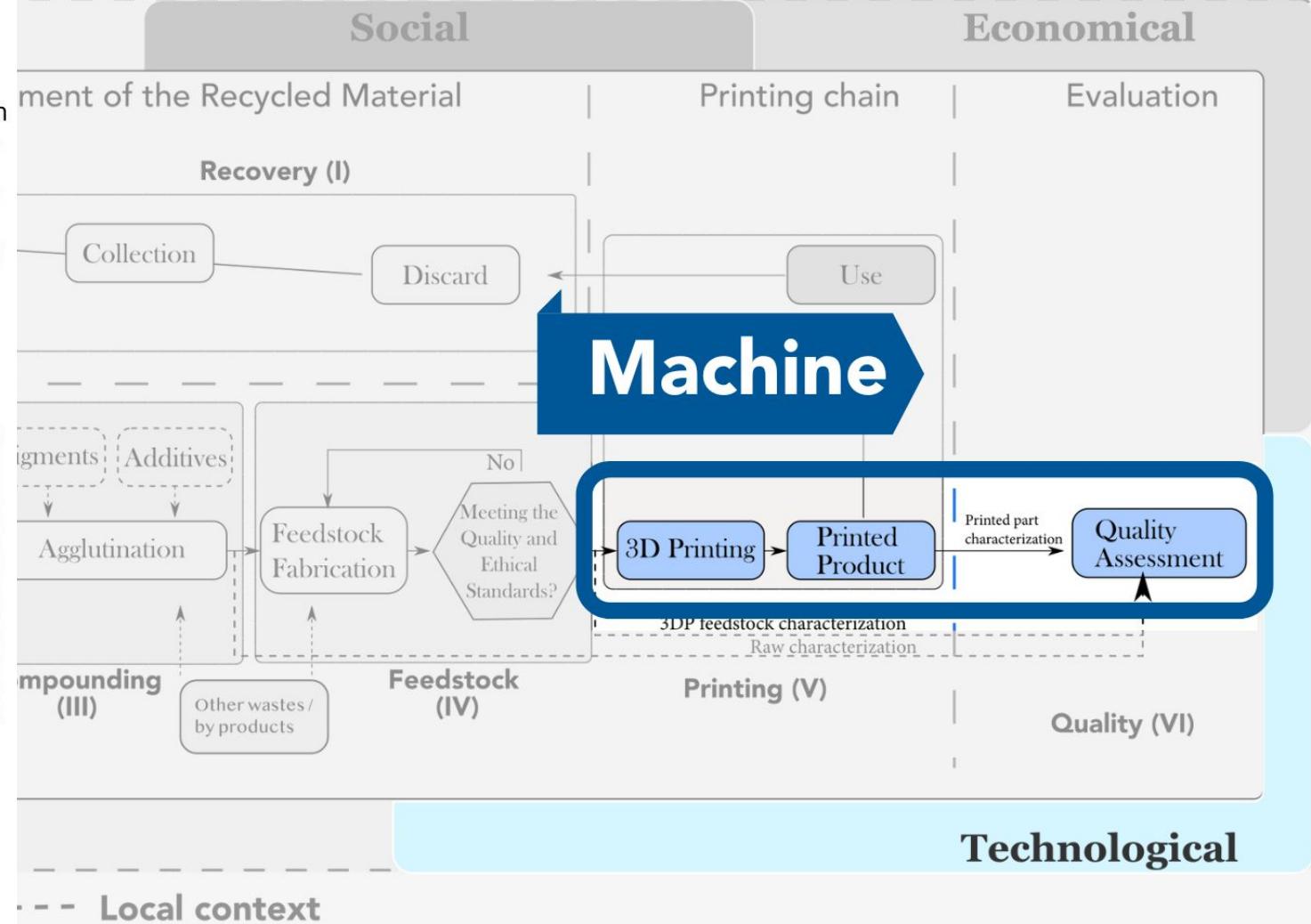


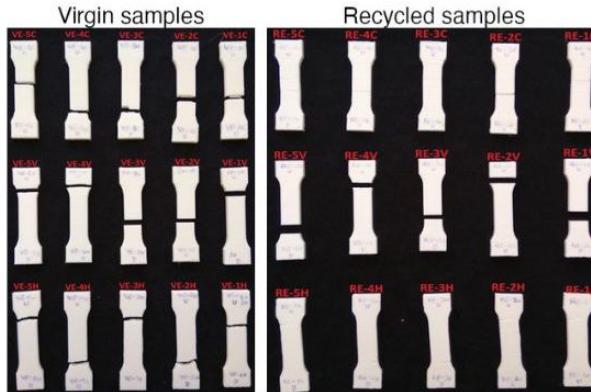
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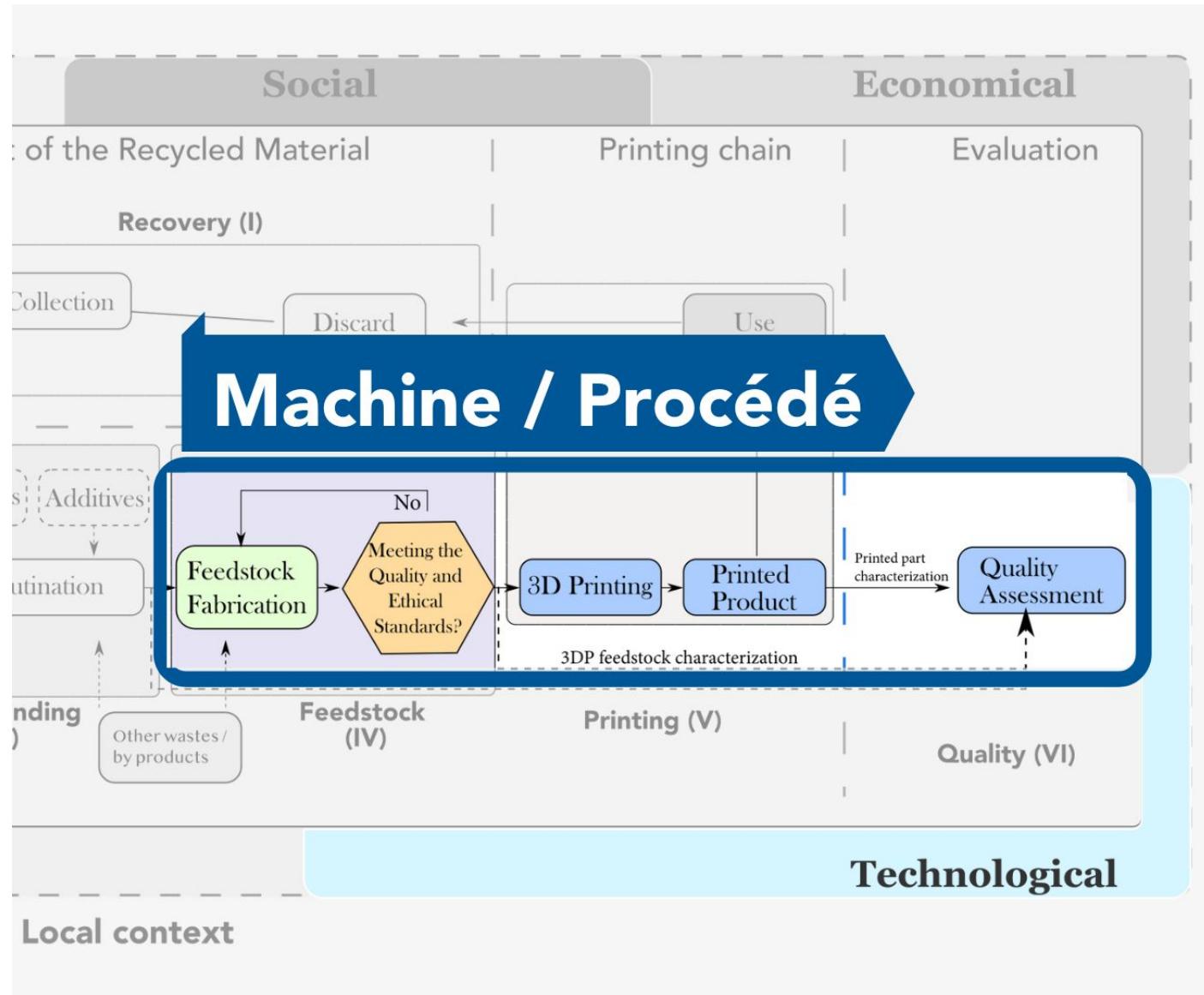
Fused Granular Fabrication

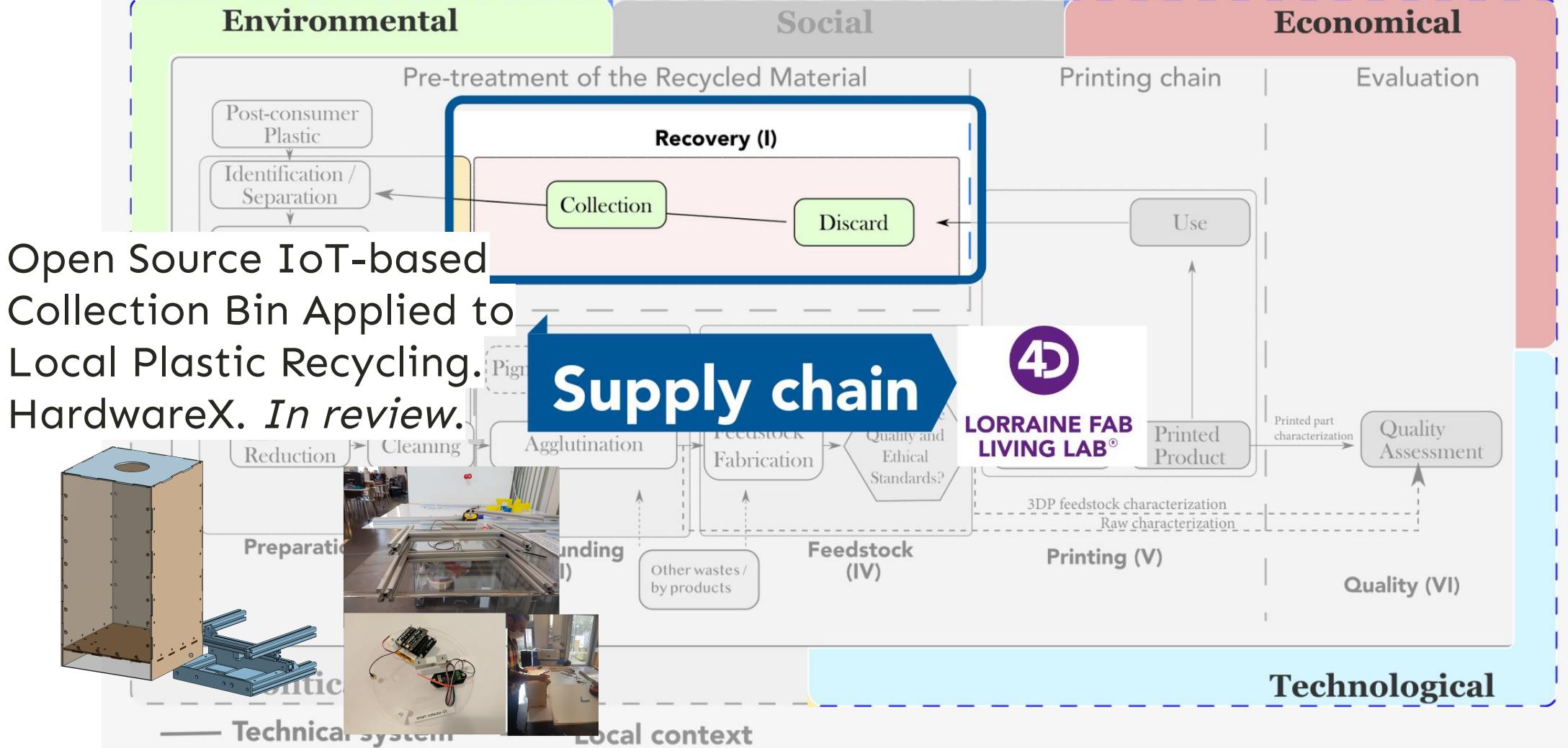
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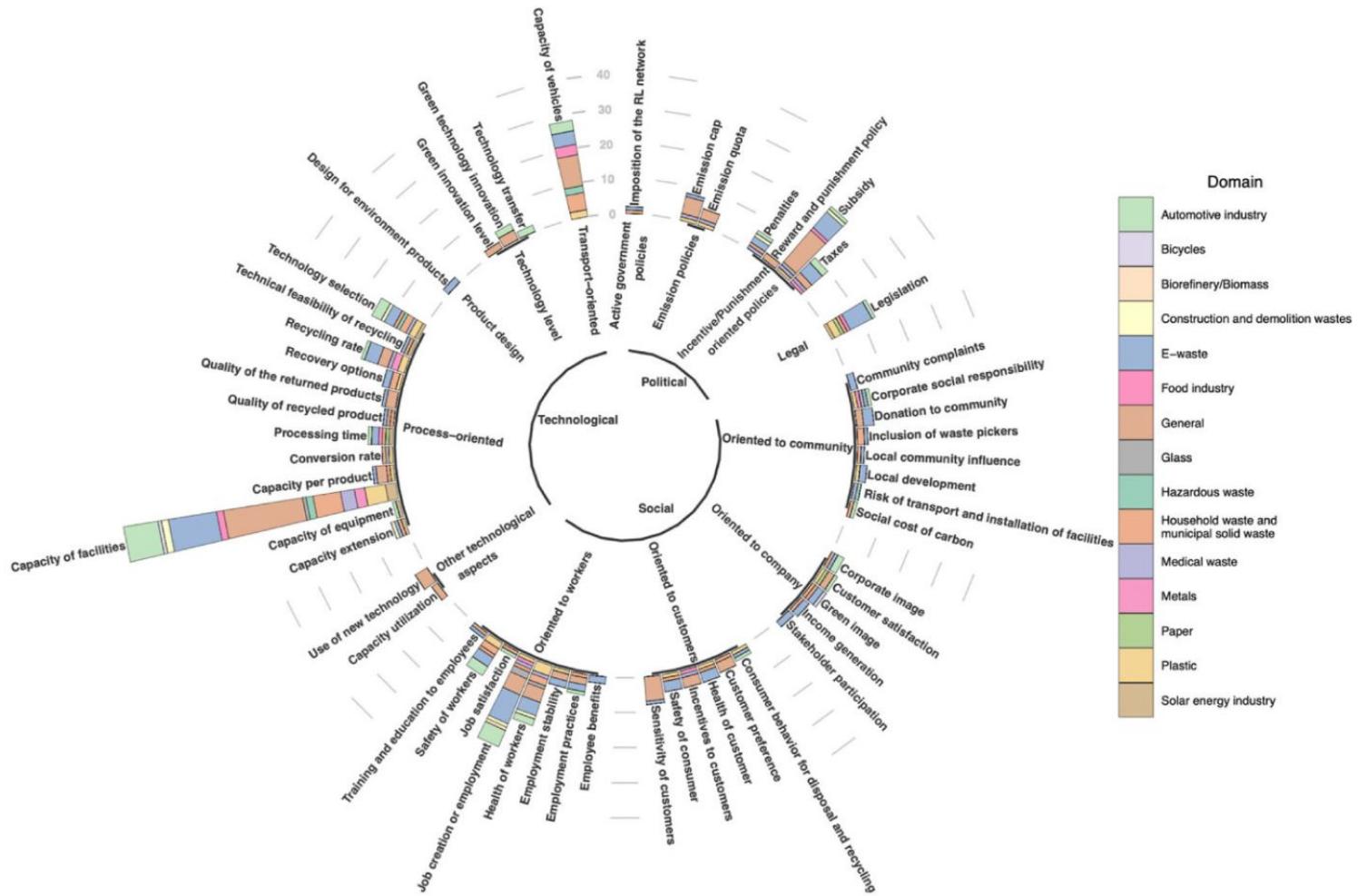
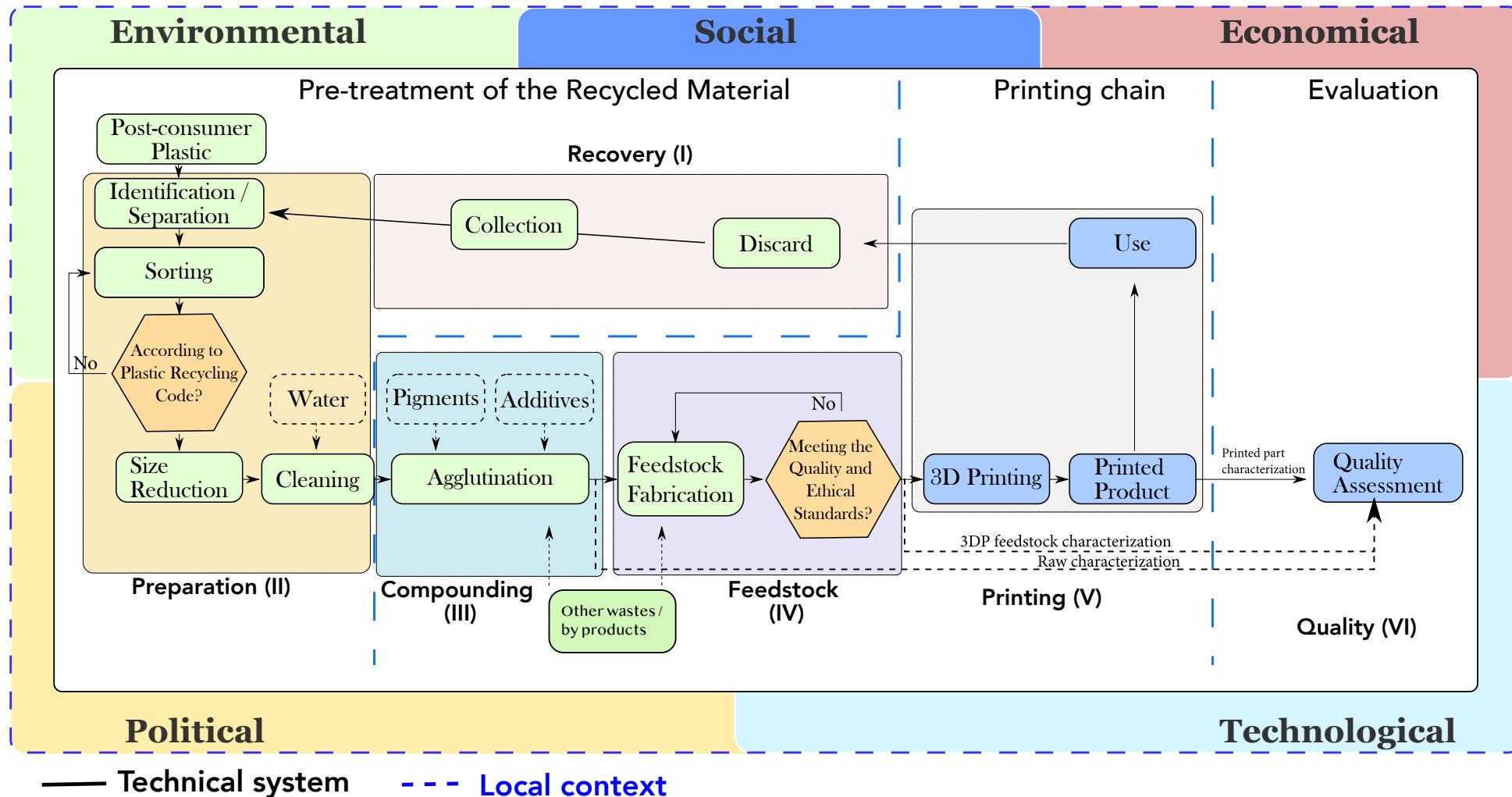


Fig. 12. Global analysis of main criteria and application domains per dimension-orientation.

# SDRAM: .... Work in progress ...



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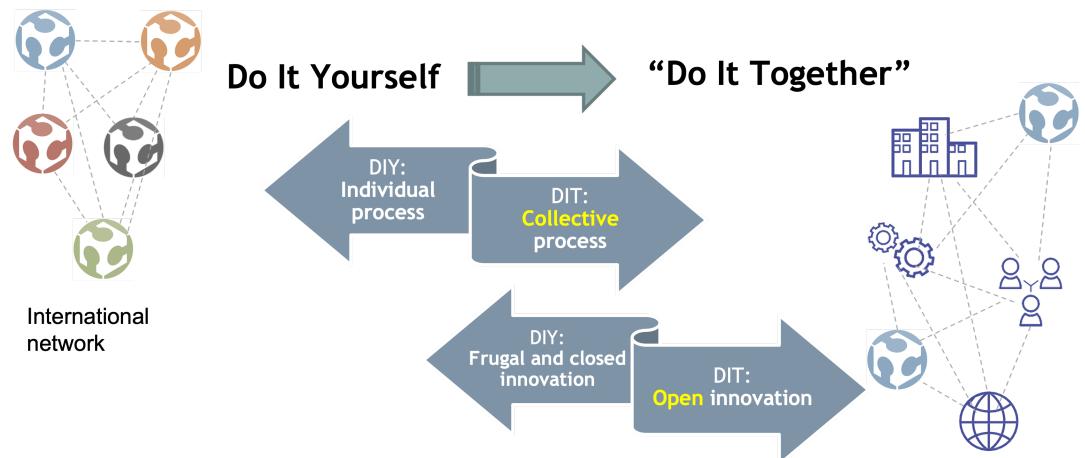
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Mode Do-It-Together

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## Open INnovation Ecosystem for Do-It-Together process



- From DYI to the definition DIT ✓
- Formalisation DIT ✓
- Open Manufacturing Demonstrator (OMDF) ⚡
- **Demonstrator (UL)** ⚡

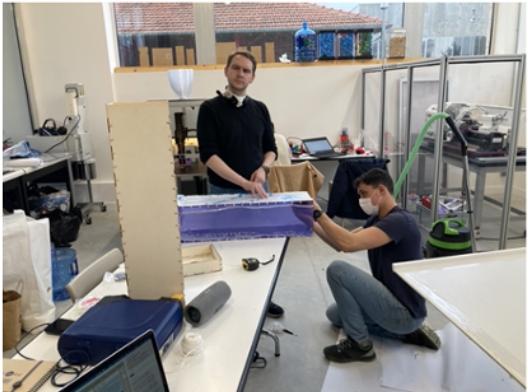
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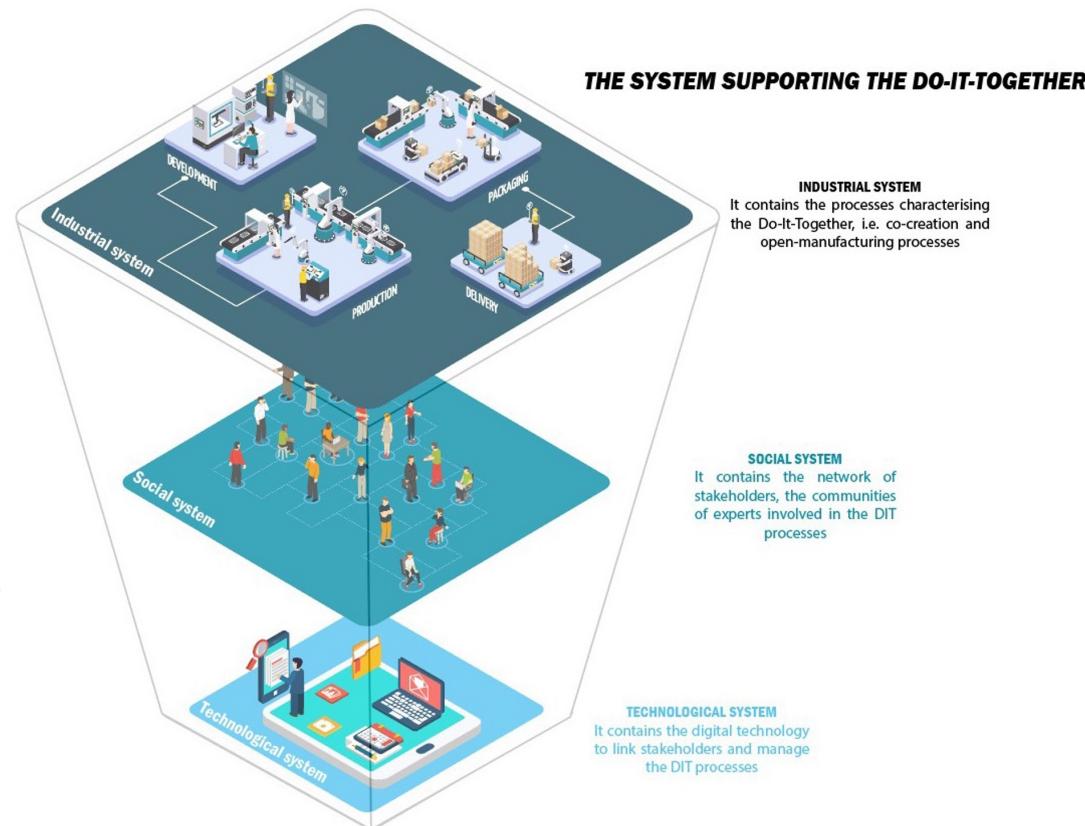
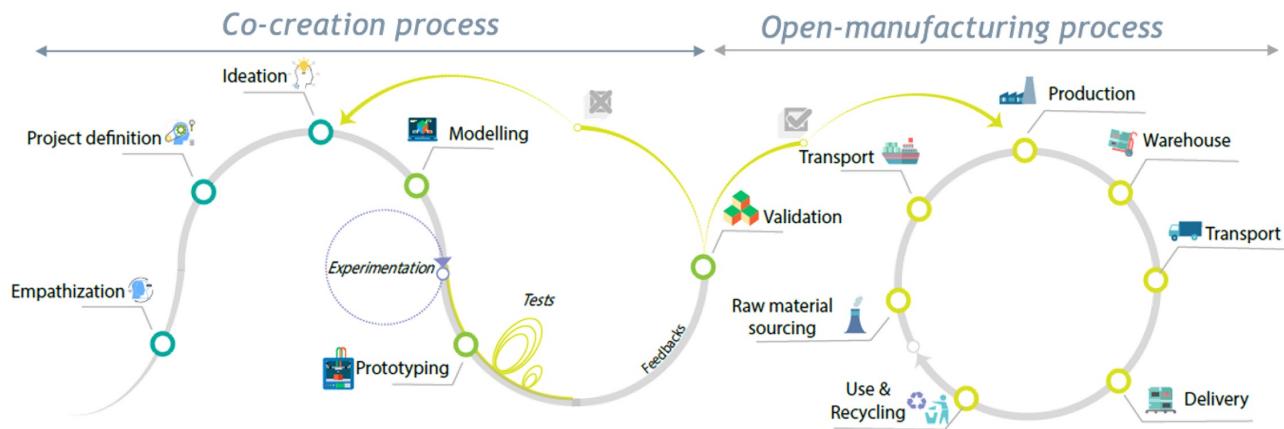


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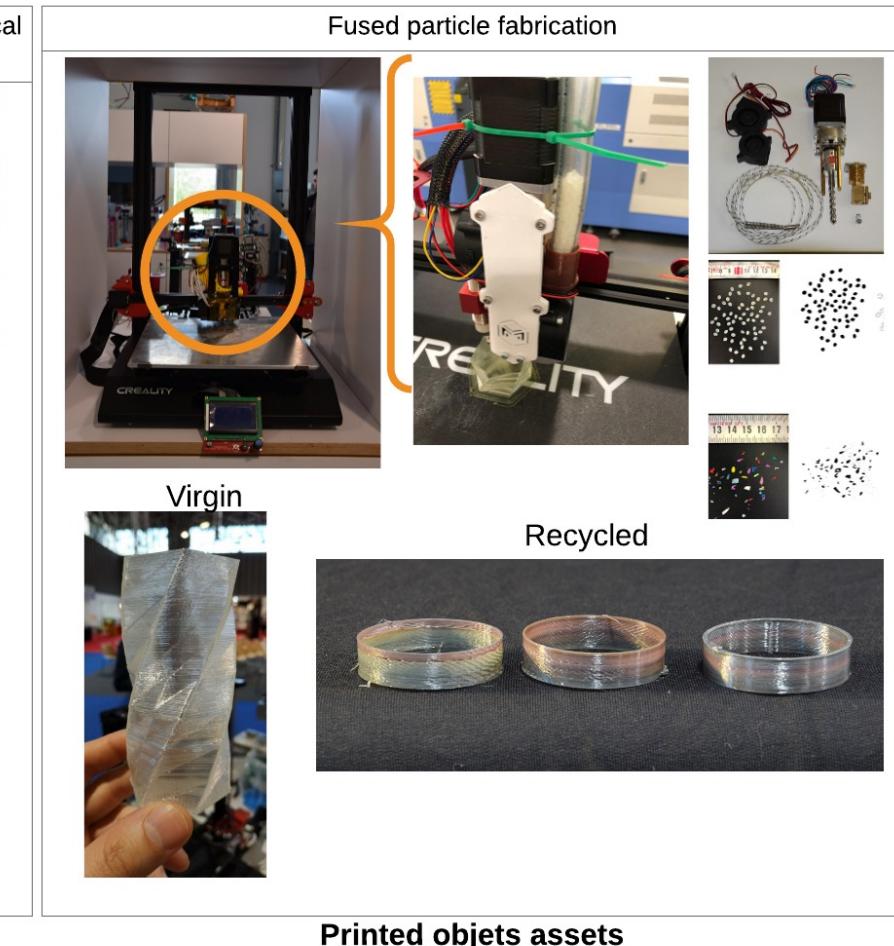
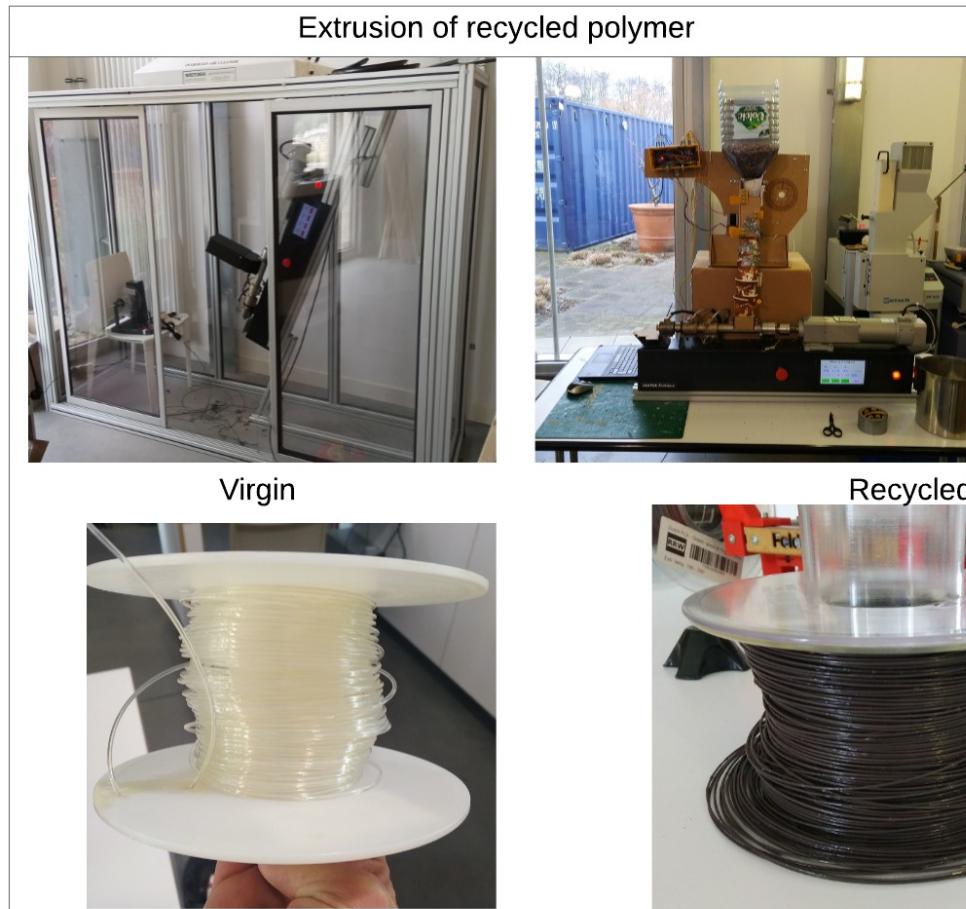


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