

**Resources potential  
certification of  
demanufacturing  
facilities via the concept  
SuperDrecksKëscht® ac-  
cording to the  
standard DIN ISO 14024**

## More than an alternative to traditional recycling quotas

Demanufacturing facilities are traditionally evaluated based on recycling and recovery rates. This approach takes into account only the input flows in a recycling process, so recycling rates of > 90% are the rule rather than the exception.

As a result of this situation and the resource efficiency strategy of the European Union and its member states, the **SuperDrecksKëscht®** has developed **the concept of resources potential certification** that takes the idea of resource efficiency fully into account.

## Certified according to standard DIN EN ISO 14024

The concept of the resource potential certification of demanufacturing (recycling) facilities complies with the requirements of the standard DIN EN ISO 14024 and thus enables **a transparent, comprehensible, neutral and product-related assessment** of treatment, recovery and disposal facilities. The use of this resource indicator enables the demanufacturing facilities to show the effective amounts of recovered raw materials as well as the amount of energy used or usable and thus to visualize the resource potential for saving primary resources.

For the calculation within the resources potential certification both the input and the output streams are considered. The adjacent color coding is used in the output streams.

# CERTIFICATE

The resources potential certification of the **SuperDrecksKëscht®**

**SDK** RESSOURCEN  
POTENTIAL  
ZERTIFIKATION  
& SPEZIALLABOR 

**SuperDrecksKëscht®**

complies with the requirements of eco-labels and declarations in terms of the standard

**DIN EN ISO 14024**  
relating to the criteria about resources potential certification of demanufacturing plants

Date of first certification: 09.07.2018  
The certificate is valid until 21.07.2020

**Organism of certification**  
**SuperDrecksKëscht®**  
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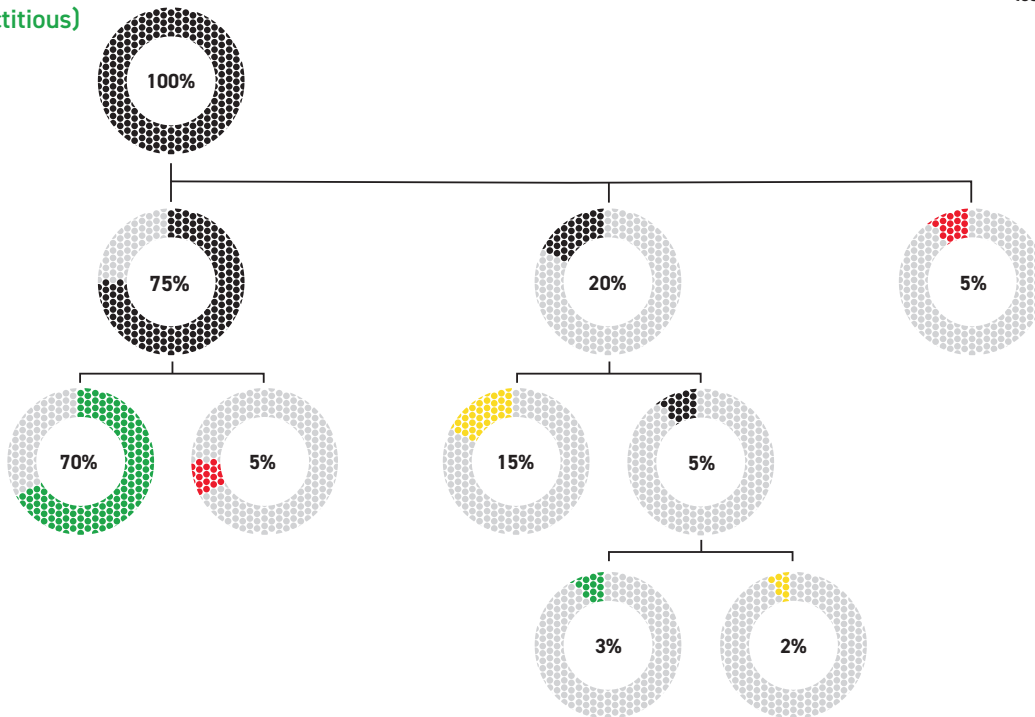


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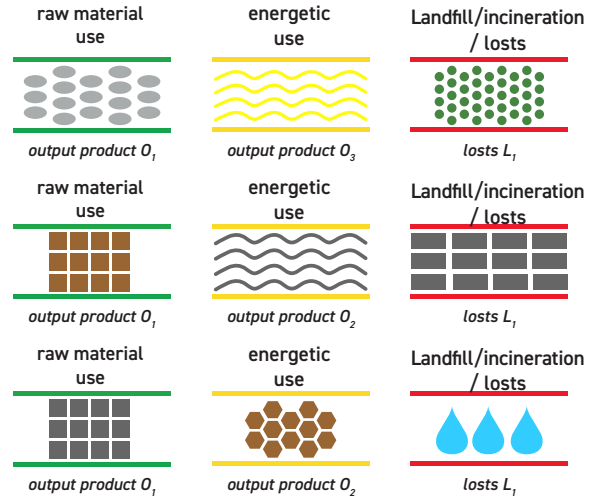
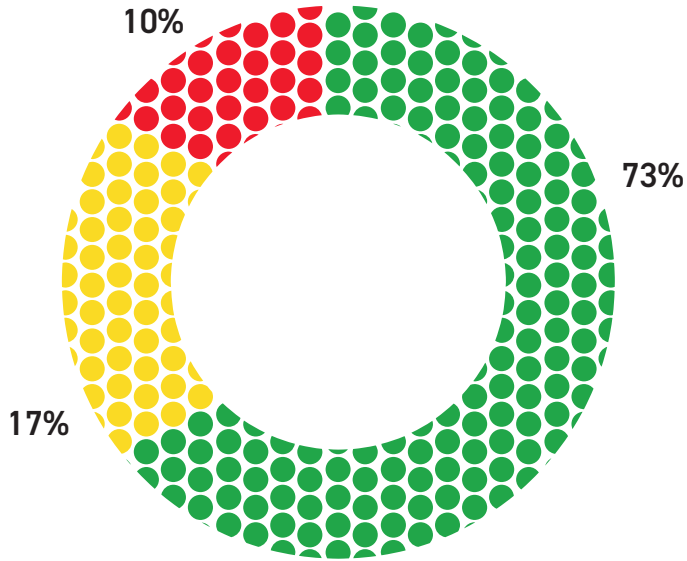
## Color coding

- input- and intermediate product
- Raw material use
  - > preparation for reuse
  - > material recycling
- Energetic use
  - > production of a substitute fuel
  - > energetic recovery
- Landfill/incineration/lost
  - > landfill
  - > incineration
  - > losts

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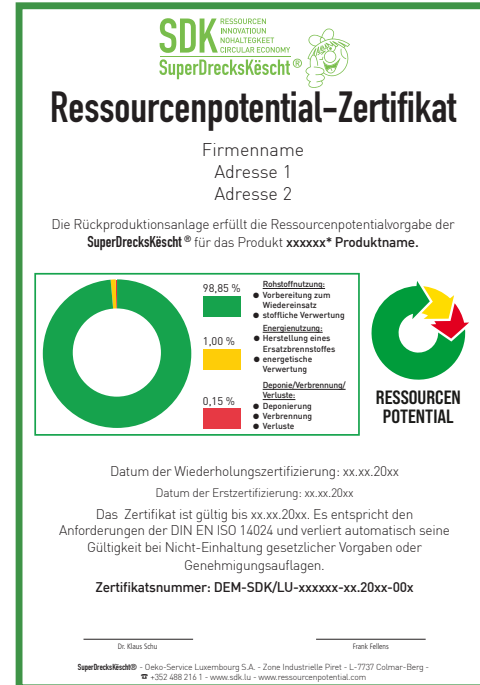


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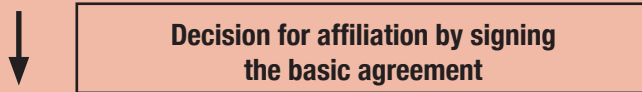
# Advantages of the resources potential certification for demanufacturing systems

- ➡ transparent, comprehensible, neutral and product-related review of demanufacturing facilities
- ➡ demonstration of the effective amounts of recovered raw materials and energy and visualisation of the saving of primary resources
- ➡ efficient calculation tool for the evaluation of different treatment processes of recycling/demanufacturing sites
- ➡ graphical visualisation of the final output products and their valence by color coding

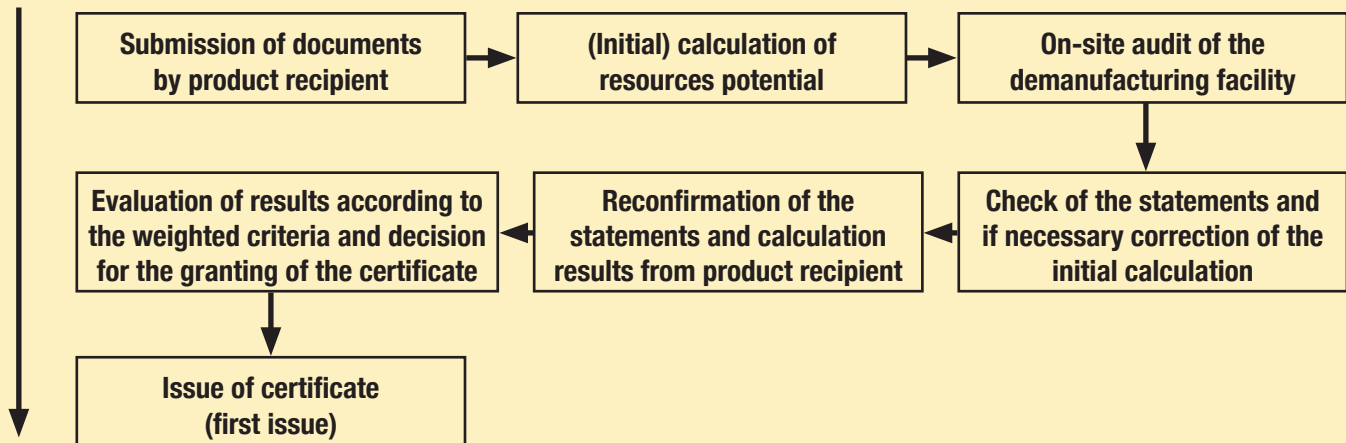


## Affiliation and certification procedure

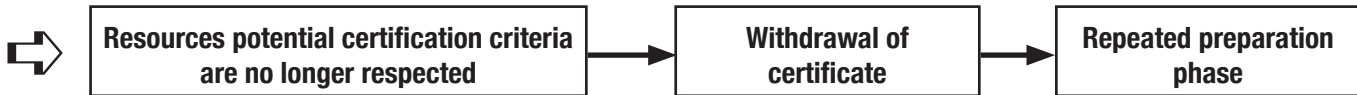
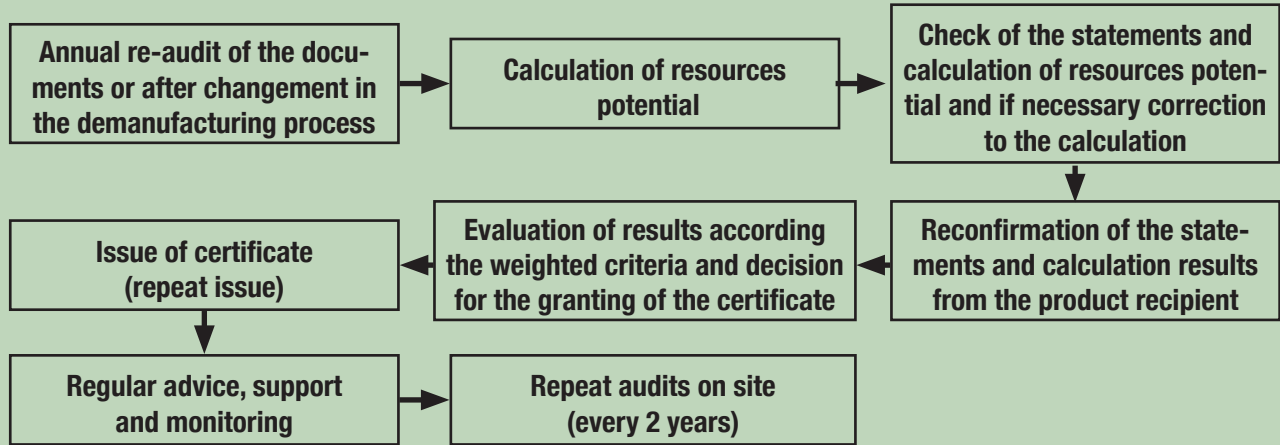
### Affiliation phase



### Preparation phase for the resources potential certification



## Certified demanufacturing plant



### ***Remark:***

- After consultation with the product recipient, the (initial) calculation of the resources potential may be done after the on-site audit (in the case of first issue).
- Concerning the repeat audits, a tolerance of 3 months is allowed.
- The criteria for the issue of the resources potential certificate are reviewed annually by the steering committee of the **SuperDrecksKëscht®** and if necessary updated.

Informations :

[www.resources-potential.com](http://www.resources-potential.com)

The **SuperDrecksKëscht**® in Luxembourg is an activity of the Ministry of the Environment, Climate and Sustainable Development in cooperation with the municipalities, the Chamber of Crafts and the Chamber of Commerce in the framework of national waste management.

**Resources - Innovation - Sustainability - Circular Economy** - these four values define the activities of the **SuperDrecksKëscht**®.

The **SDK**® is a brand that has been developed as part of the Luxembourg State's waste management tasks. It is based on the strategy prescribed by the EU commission. This places prevention first, followed by preparation for reuse, recycling and any other recovery (e.g. energy recovery) and finally waste disposal.



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