



## Tui Brewery's Movement Towards Social Responsibility



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### CATEGORIES ENTERED

Environmental Impact



### SPECIAL FEATURES



Tui Brewery is part of the DB Group of which Heineken is a major shareholder. As part of the Heineken family, Tui Brewery is committed to supporting its global policy of efficient use of raw materials, water and energy reduction of solid waste and pollution, recycling all waste materials where possible.



Targets are set annually in consultation with production units incorporated into a rolling 3 year plan:

- water saving
- waste water treatment
- reduction in CO<sup>2</sup> emissions
- reduction in non recycled waste



Parameters affecting environmental performance are energy consumption (fuel/electricity), water consumption, recycled solid waste output. Programmes have been developed for each.



Tui Brewery carries out all its own water and waste water treatment.



By products (yeast/spent grain) are collected and used as animal feed. Plastics, cardboard, glass and wood are separated for recycling. This equates to an average 50% less waste to landfill from 2006.



Plastics/glass have been recycled since 2002 however in 2006 cardboard was recycled resulting in 12 tonnes per annum diverted from landfill. Plastics return \$250/tonne and used to offset more expensive recycling costs.



Glass goes to Palmerston North and is crushed by Higgins for roading - 2 tonnes per month is recycled.



Shrink wrap is baled and sold. Plastic drums and keg seals are recycled thru the same organisation.

