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PLANT BASED CUTLERY

The Problem

The Plastic Crisis Unveiled

Every sip, every bite, every choice tainted by our toxic pact with plastic.



Governments are drawing the line, challenging industries to evolve.





City Initiatives:

Washington DC and New York City ban select noncompostable items and require requests for SUPs⁷.

Federal Ambition:

The White House targets 90% bio-based plastics by 2050⁸.



Plants Are The New Plastic



The Blulabs Solution

Blulabs offers a biopolymer that is superior to incumbent alternative plastics in cost, performance and scalability.

Blulabs' flagship CompostZero PHA resin is marine and soil biodegradable and home and industrial compostable.

The Process











Partnering with Blulabs

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Spec Sheets

Product Specifications

Product Description	6" Compostable Fork - Bulk packed
Part Number	PSW-U-6F1000
Color	Natural
Product Dimensions	6" x 1" x 3/4"
Product Weight	4.65g - medium
Material	CompostZero Gelidus 0WR35
Compostability 100%	Industrial approved, home pending
Case Count	1,000
Container Loadability	5,780 cartons



Product Specifications Product Description 5" Compostable Fork - Bulk packed Part Number PSW-U-5F1000 Color Natural Product Dimensions 5" x 1" x 3/4" 3.74g - small Product Weight CompostZero Gelidus 0WR35 Material Compostability 100% Industrial approved, home pending Case Count 1,000 Container Loadability 6,904 cartons





Supply Chain + Manufacturing

Manufacturing

4 x facilities globally

 \cdot 1 x located in NC (USA)

 \cdot 3 x located in China

Port of Export • Yantian (SZ China) • Within 1.5 hours of all facilities • Transit time to USA ±30-35 <u>days</u>





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Unlocking a Sustainable Tomorrow, Together





Testing and Certification

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Compostability of CompostZero

External testing results from the BPI-certified testing laboratory

Results after just 4 weeks of industrial composting as per ASTM D6400



Compostability of CompostZero

External testing results from the BPI-certified testing laboratory

Results from disintegration testinghome composting after just 8 weeks



All pieces: few small cru**fraghimenea**sily, soft and very fragile Not visually obvious in compost



CompostZero vs. PLA

Higher impact strength of Injection-Molded CompostZero than PLA Higher bending resistance at

tempigratures with CompostZero than PLA



Marine Biodegradation Testing

Biodegradation in seawater, in accordance with the ASTM D6691 standard, is 90% carbon to CO2conversion to be reached within six months.



CompostZero reached 55% biodegradation in seawater in just 14 days

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Heavy Metals and Fluorine

All values lay well below the maximum levels as prescribed by the standards –EN 13432

(2000), NF T51-800 (2-15), ASTM D 6400 (2023) and CAN/BNQ 0017-088 (2010)

Analysis	Resin A	Resin B	Limit values				
			Еигоре EN 13432 (2000)	France NF T51-800 (2015)	USA** ASTM D6400 (2023)	Canada CAN/BNQ 0017-088 (2010)	Test procedure
Heavy metals*							
As	< 1.00	< 1.00	≤ 5	≤ 5	< 20.5	< 9.5	NBN EN ISO 11885
Cd	< 0.40	< 0.40	≤ 0.5	≤ 0.5	< 19.5	< 2.5	NBN EN ISO 11885
Co	< 2.00	< 2.00		≤ 38	-	< 19	NBN EN ISO 11885
Сг	< 5.00	< 5.00	≤ 50	≤ 50	-	< 132.5	NBN EN ISO 11885
Cu	< 5.00	< 5.00	≤ 50	≤ 50	< 750	< 94.5	NBN EN ISO 11885
Hg	< 0.10	< 0.10	≤ 0.5	≤ 0.5	< 8.5	< 0.5	NBN EN ISO 11885
Mo	< 0.50	< 0.50	≤ 1	≤ 1	-	< 2.5	NBN EN ISO 11885
Ni	< 5.00	< 5.00	≤ 25	≤ 25	< 210	< 22.5	NBN EN ISO 11885
Pb	< 25.0	< 25.0	≤ 50	≤ 50	< 150	< 62.5	NBN EN ISO 11885
Se	< 0.75	< 0.75	≤ 0.75	≤ 0.75	< 50	< 2	NBN EN ISO 11885
Zn	< 20.0	< 20.0	≤ 150	≤ 150	< 1400	< 231.5	NBN EN ISO 11885
Fluorine							
F	< 10	< 10	≤ 100	≤ 100	-	-	DIN 51723 mod.

ited on the sample according to DIN EN 13656 Mod. for all heavy metals

** Maximum levels for USA (according to ASTM D6400 (2023) heavy metals content must be less than 50% of those prescribed for sludges or composts in the country where the product is sold; specifically in the United States, the regulated metal concentrations are found in Table 3 of 40 CFR Part 503.13)



Compostability of CompostZero (Relative Biodegradation from COevolution)

As per Biodegradable Products Institute (BPI) standard –Aerobic

biodegradation test under controlled composting conditions –58°C

(Industrial) and 28°C (Home)







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