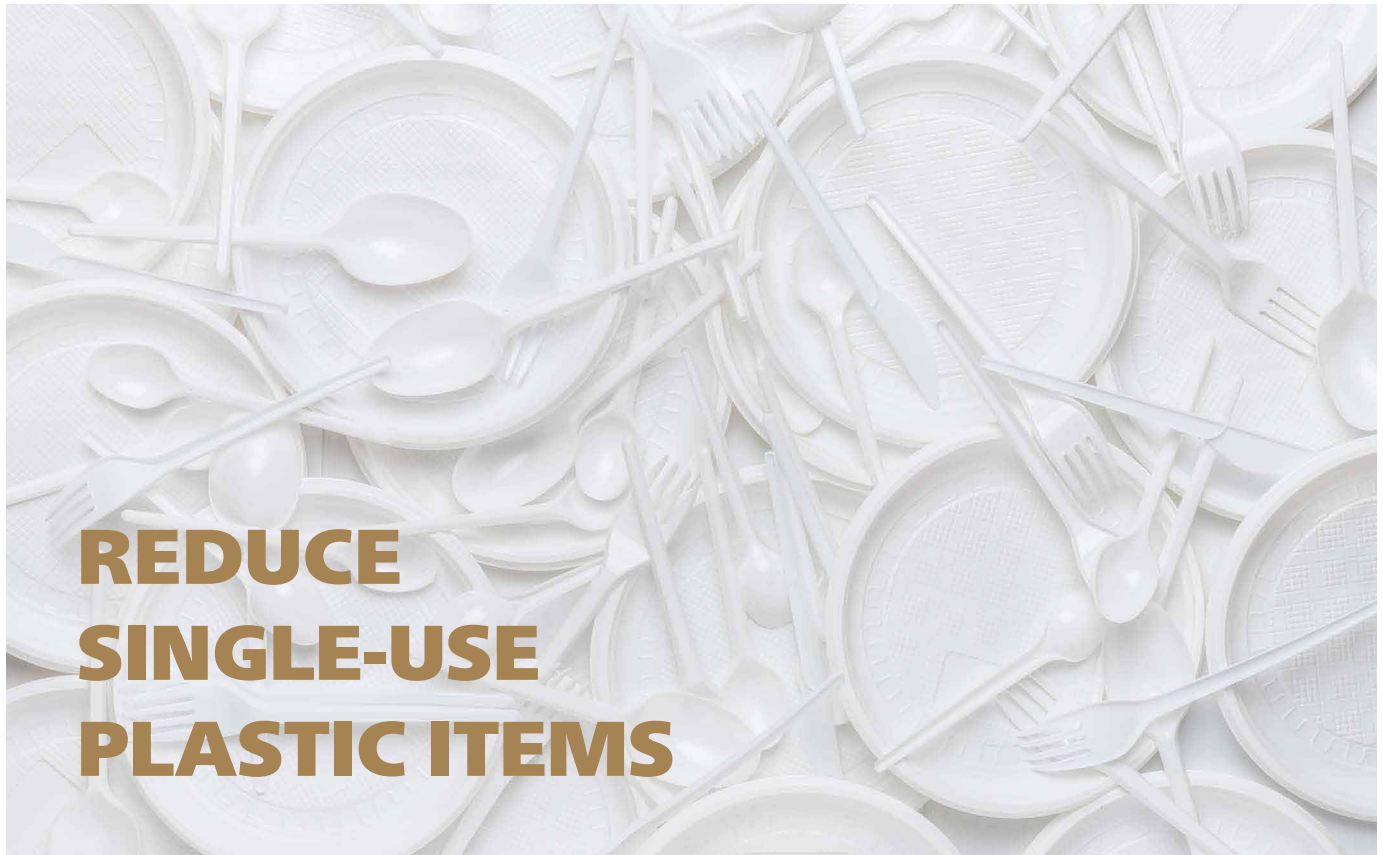


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Taking care of guests, employees and the planet are the main principles of Kazan Palace by TASIGO. Achieving our goals in these areas is possible if we pay attention to everything surrounding us. Adhering to the principles of responsible consumption, we started by following the basic rule – the reduction and reuse of items we use every day. Disposable plastic is one of the materials that cause serious harm to humans and the environment.

About 300 million tons of plastic are turned into waste every year around the world. The entire population of the Earth is about the same weight. Less than a fifth is recycled, a quarter is incinerated, and more than half ends up in landfills.

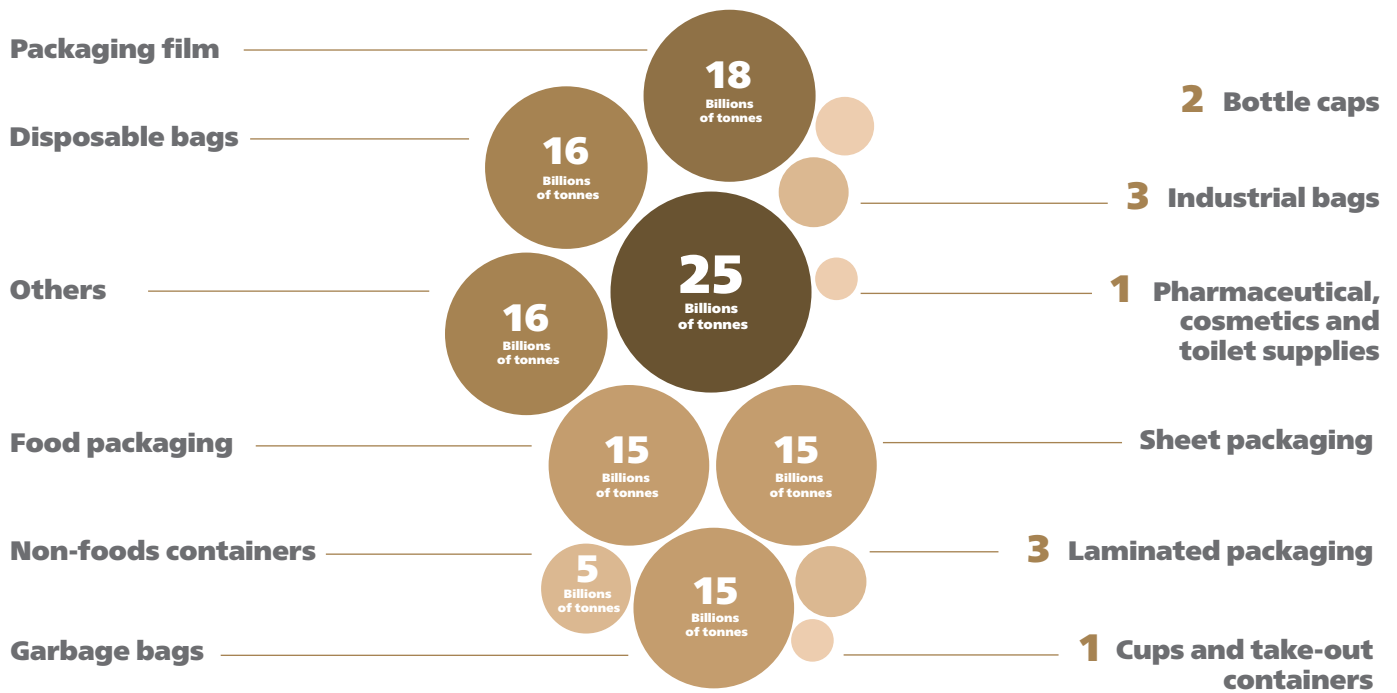
Since 1950, about 9.2 billion tons of plastic have been produced worldwide. Production volumes increased from 2 million tons in 1950 to 438 million tons in 2017. By 2050, they will increase to 1.1 billion tons per year. 76% of the plastic produced since 1950 has been thrown into the environment or buried in landfills.

The impact of plastic is spreading to new areas of the environment and food chains, as plastic products break down into smaller particles that concentrate toxic chemicals. Most people around the world are exposed to the negative effects of plastic at various stages of its life cycle.

The use of plastic products leads to the ingestion and/or inhalation of a large number of microplastics and hundreds of toxic substances, including known and suspected carcinogens, substances that disrupt the development and functioning of the endocrine system.

Amount of single-use plastic waste

Billions of tonnes



Source: Minderoo Foundation, 2021 (2019 data)



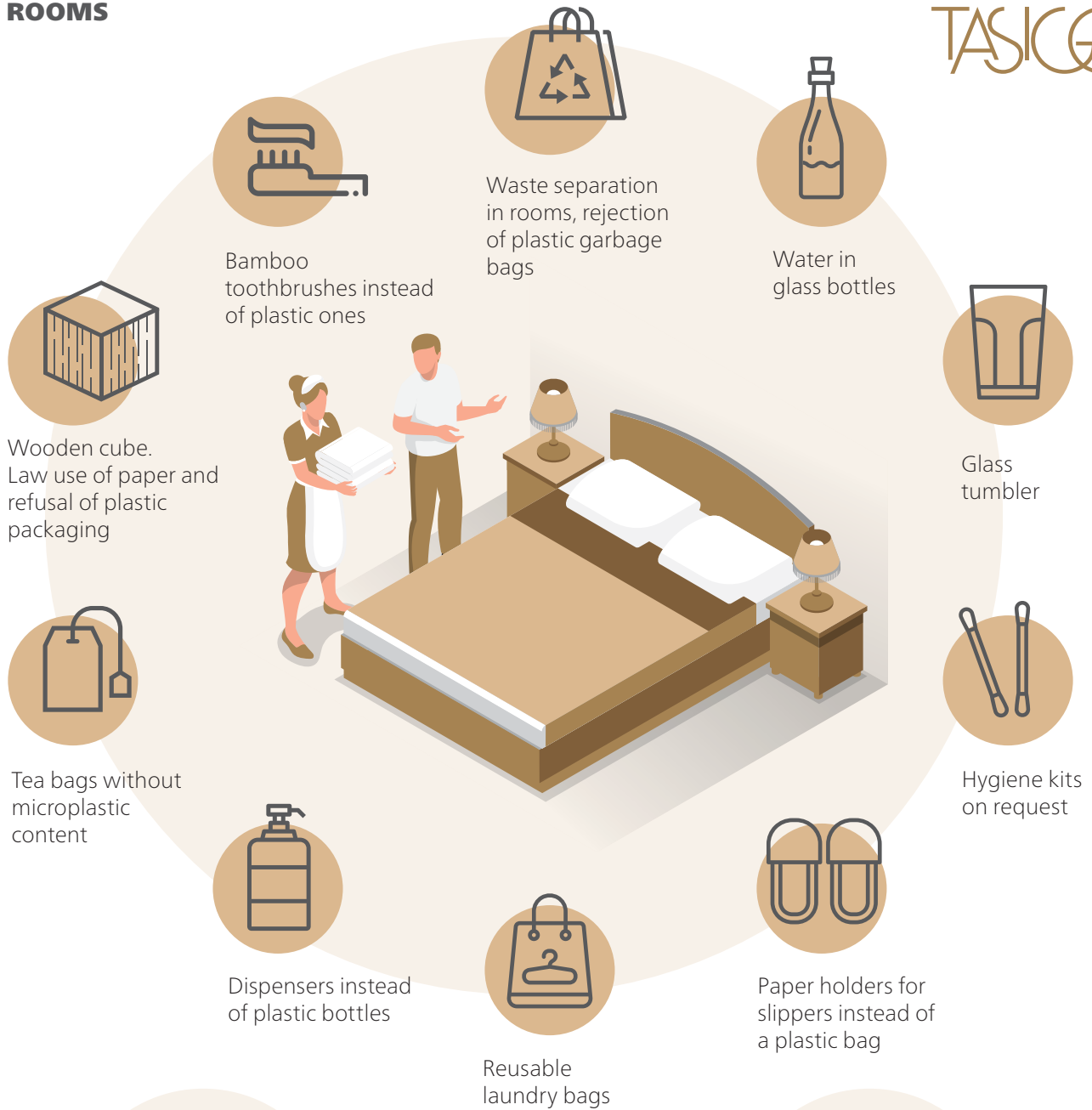
In 2021, Kazan Palace by TASIGO became the first hotel in the world to receive a SUP-Free certificate for the gradual abandonment of the use of disposable plastic.

This policy obliges TASIGO hotels to take measures to eliminate and/or reduce the use of single-use plastic in all operational processes, as well as to work on finding positive solutions to reduce unnecessary waste in hotels. The ultimate goal is to create a company that has abandoned the use of disposable plastic in all areas of the hotel.

Disposable plastic is lightweight, convenient, and cheap. Giving up its use or finding suitable reusable alternatives is not an easy process. We have made the rejection of disposable items one of the priorities of our work and have achieved notable success.

ROOMS

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RESTAURANTS AND BARS

Rejection of plastic straws
No use of individual plastic packaging for breakfast
Recycled or compostable containers to go
Sugar in paper packaging

SPA

Reusable headbands
Reusable terry sheets for massage

EVENTS

Detox-water
Pens made of recycled plastic
Ban on the use of balloons and confetti

YOGA

Reusable disinfected rubber slippers
Water in a glass tumbler