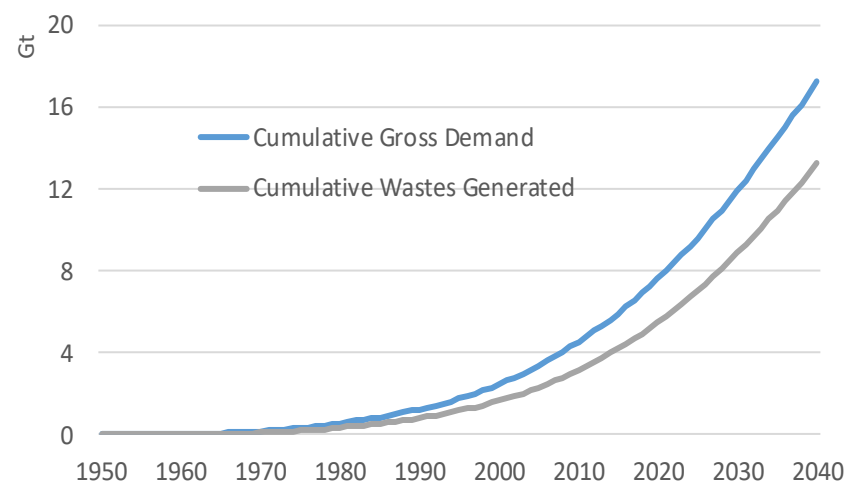




# Integrating plastic recycling in petrochemical and refining assets

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# PLASTIC, What is the main issue?



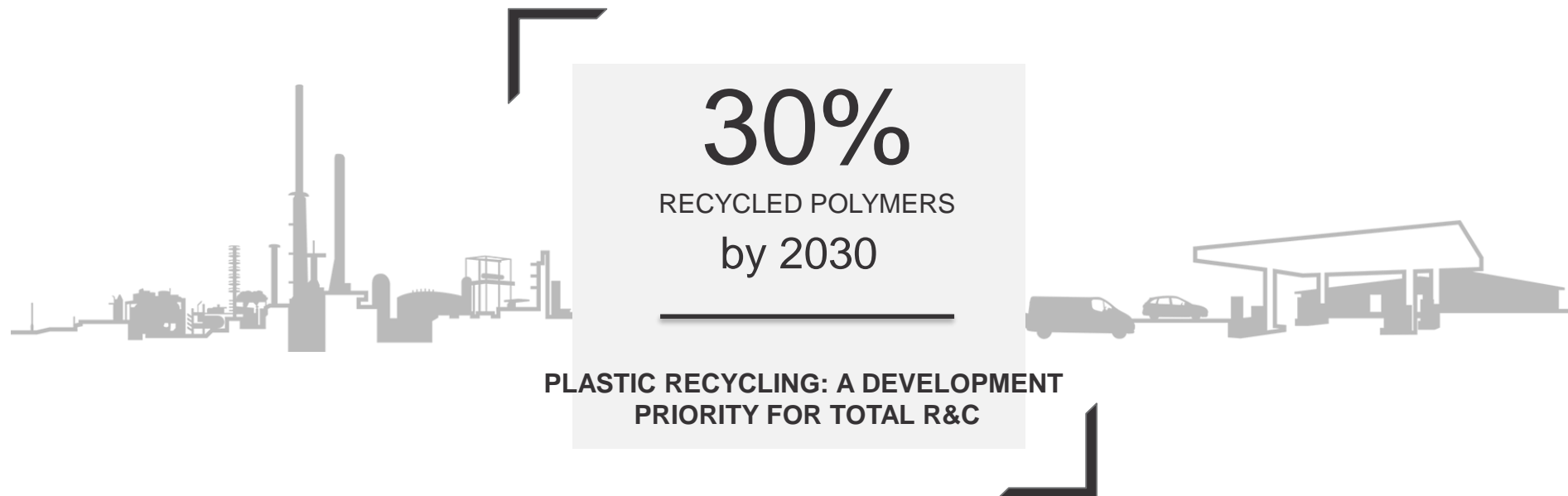
Only **7%** of plastic waste is recycled.

Plastic delivers outstanding benefits.  
**However** end-of-life mismanagement impairs its acceptability.

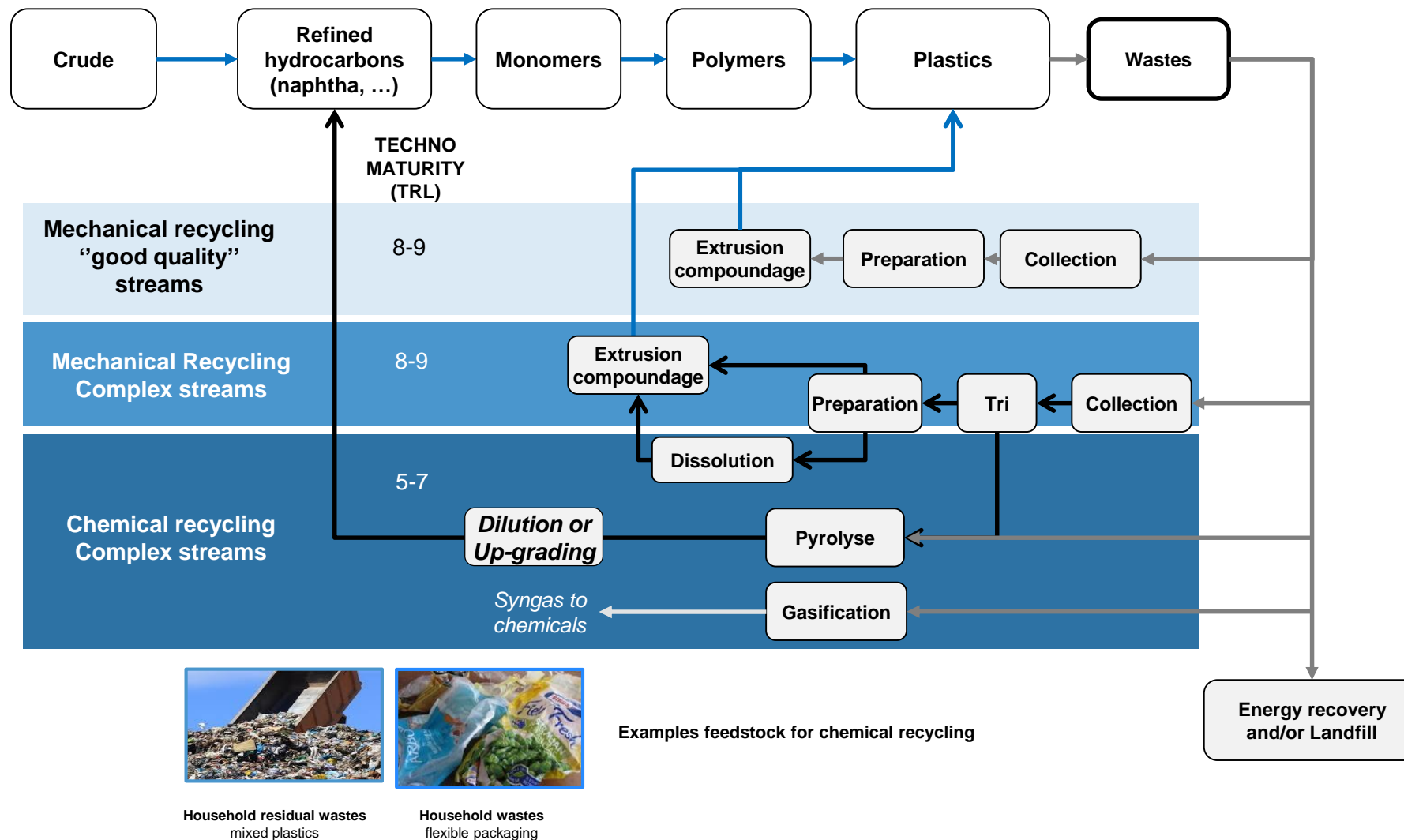
Need for **sustainable solutions** to curb the growth of untreated polymer waste.



# OUR AMBITION: LEADING THE WAY TO PLASTIC RECYCLING



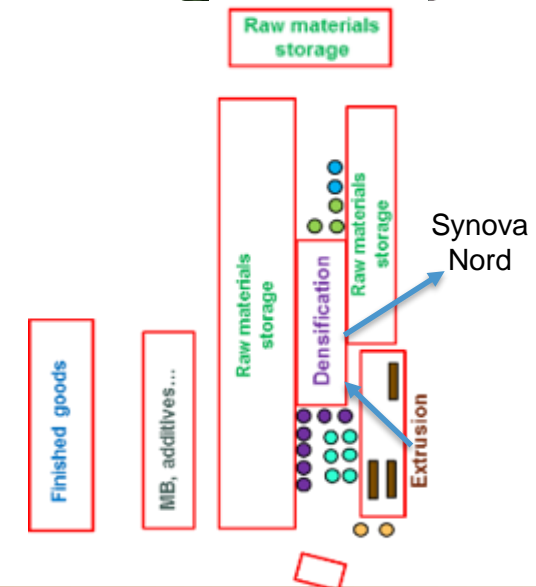
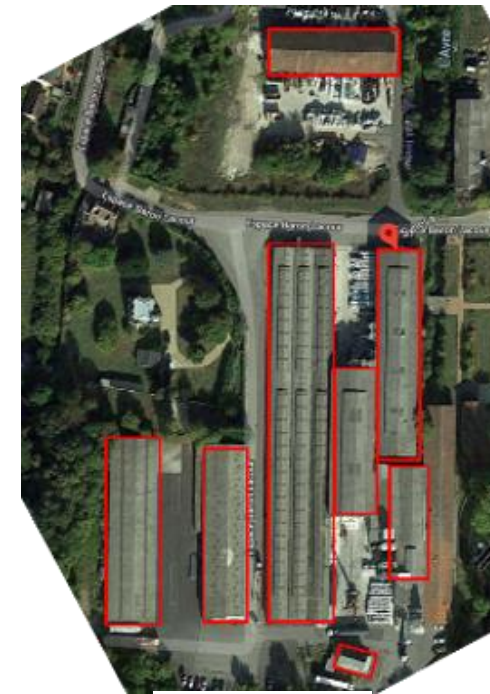
# RECYCLING ROUTES



# MECHANICAL RECYCLING: SYNOVA

**LEADER** IN THE PRODUCTION OF HIGH QUALITY RPP, MAINLY FOR THE AUTOMOTIVE SECTOR

- Acquisition by **TOTAL** in February 2019
- Extension of annual production from 25kT to 45kT by June 2021 for 12M€
- Creation of 15 FTE - jobs



# HIGH PURITY RECYCLED PP

## TECHNOLOGY

- Efficient decontamination technology (Yield > 90%)
- Favorable dossier to obtain FDA (US Food & Drug Administration)
- 100% physical recycled content
- Market premium for virgin substitution

## PROJETCS & PARTNERSHIPS

- 1st industrial project in Ohio ~ 50 kty rPP.
- Strategic partners: Total, P&G, L'Oréal, Nestlé, Milliken, Ravago, ....
- Total:
  - Product performance in depth testing
  - Regular off-take as from 2023
  - Study for a production line in Europe.





# Pyrolysis Technologies : Back to

## BASICS

### Key components :

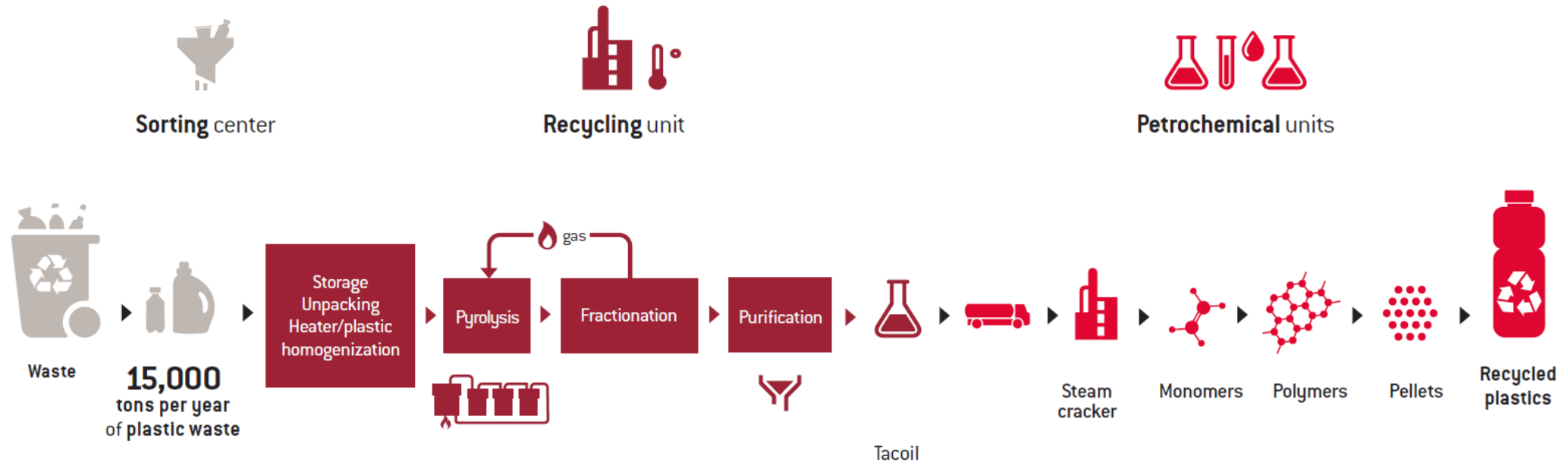
- Thermal cracking using inert atmosphere.
- Batch and continuous processes are available, several chemical engineering design.
- Heating transfer is the key : slow pyrolysis, fast pyrolysis, flash pyrolysis
- Yield & selectivity's could be different as combination of feedstock quality & temperature.
- The use of a catalyst is possible → thermo-catalytic cracking.
- Some processes use hydrogen, or solvent, or water, and some processes operate in vacuum conditions.

A	B	C	D	F	G
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Batch</li> <li>- Semi batch</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Continuous</li> <li>- CSTR</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Continuous</li> <li>- Fluidized bed or</li> <li>- Circulated bed</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Continuous horizontal :</li> <li>- extruder</li> <li>- rotary kiln</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Co-processing with water - hydrothermal</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Co-processing with Solvent &amp; cracking</li> </ul>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Robust</li> <li>- scale-up</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- char blocking</li> <li>- Downtime</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- efficient transfert of heat</li> <li>- no char as by product</li> <li>- downtime</li> <li>- Size</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- char blocking</li> <li>- complex to operate</li> <li>- low throughput</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- high temperature &amp; pressure</li> <li>- cost of water treatment</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- cost of solvent recovery</li> </ul>

### MAIN TAKE AWAYS :

- Assess the technology through factual methodology : Performance / Risks / Maturity
- Low maturity – only one techno at TRL 7 - Pyrolysis technology is based on know-how of operation.
- Feedstock preparation is key, on learning curve.

# CHEMICAL RECYCLING PLANT AT GRANDPUITS REFINERY



## Feedstock



**Total will be constructing France's first chemical recycling plant with Plastic Energy (Total 60%, Plastic Energy 40%). The new unit will help Total meet its objective of producing 30% of its polymers from recycled materials by 2030**

- On waste streams unsuitable for mechanical recycling
- To produce food contact polymer quality by closing the plastic loop

## Plastic markets





# CONVERT PYROLYSIS OIL AT ANTWERP

## OBJECTIF

- Partial substitution of naphtha by pyrolysis oil to produce certified polymer

## PARTENAIRES

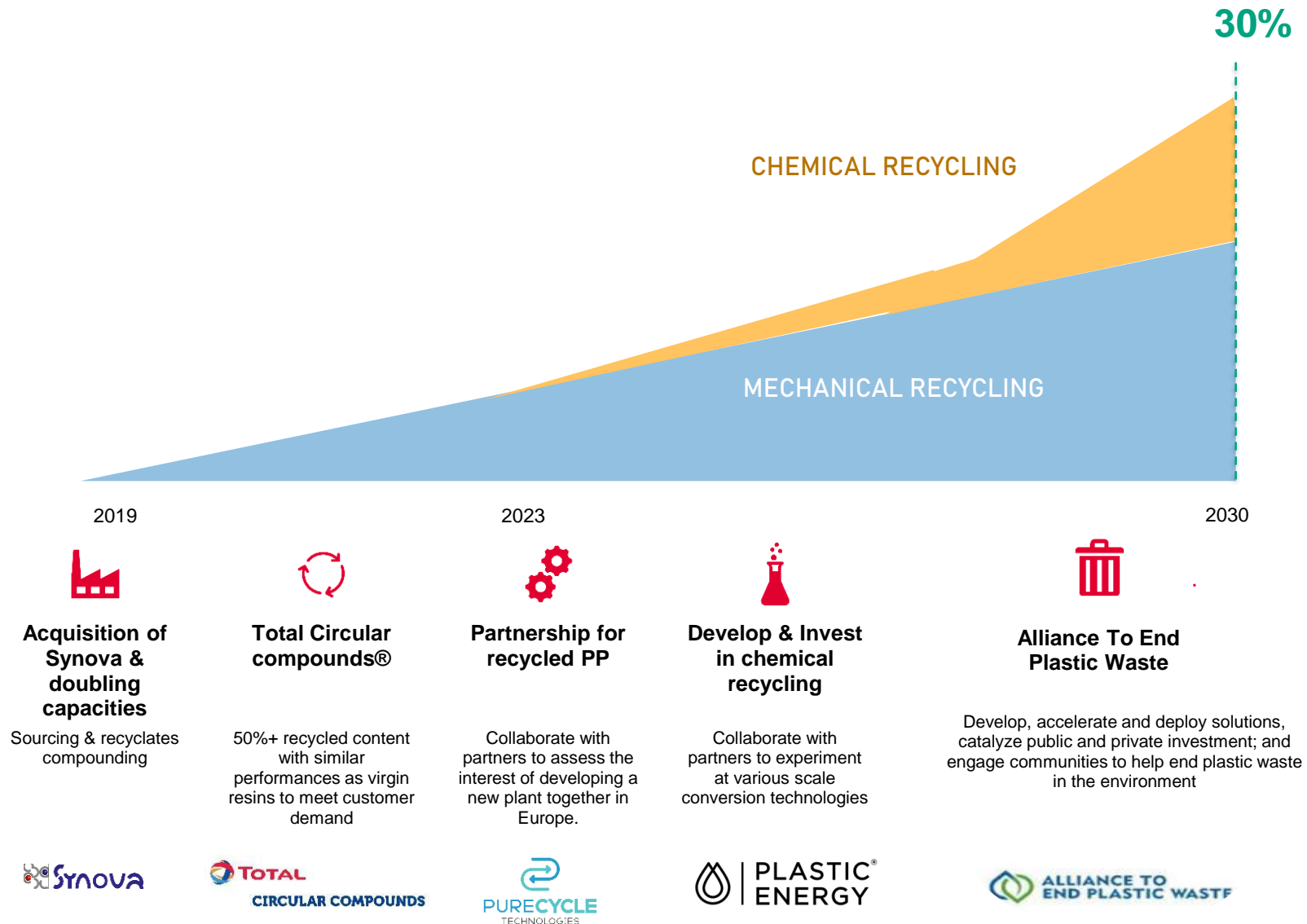
- Plastic Energy, Customers & Brand Owners

## Project: PISSARRO

- Inject pyrolysis oil in steam cracker by trucks coming from PE plants.
- Convert TACOIL over the next 6 months.
- Commercialized certified polymers.
- Secure access to large quantity of pyrolysis oil



# TOTAL'S ROADMAP & PORTFOLIO OF DEVELOPMENTS



THANK YOU