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Providing your daily needs waste-free and affordably

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Problem

# Relying on linear economy solutions will not be sustainable in the long run

>90% of household products in Indonesia are sold in flexibles or complex multilayer packaging

Make up 740.000 tons of plastic waste that can be reduced or substituted

Designed for one-time use

Form ~75% of all the plastic waste leaking into nature

Cannot be recycled economically

Our efforts for decades have focused on recycling solutions with poor results, due to lack of waste separation habits and systems.

It's time to shift our focus to the potential business of **innovative waste prevention.** 

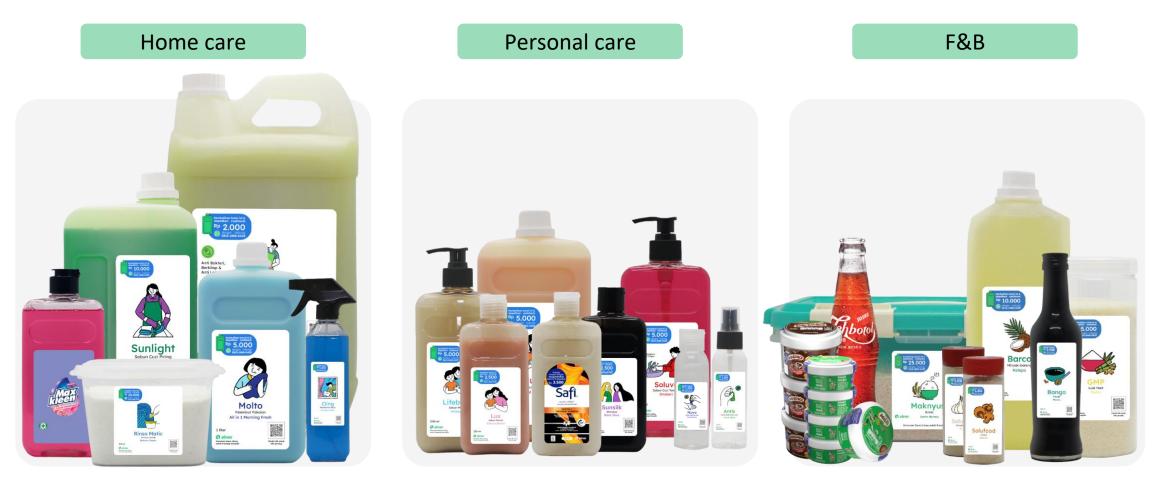


#### Solution



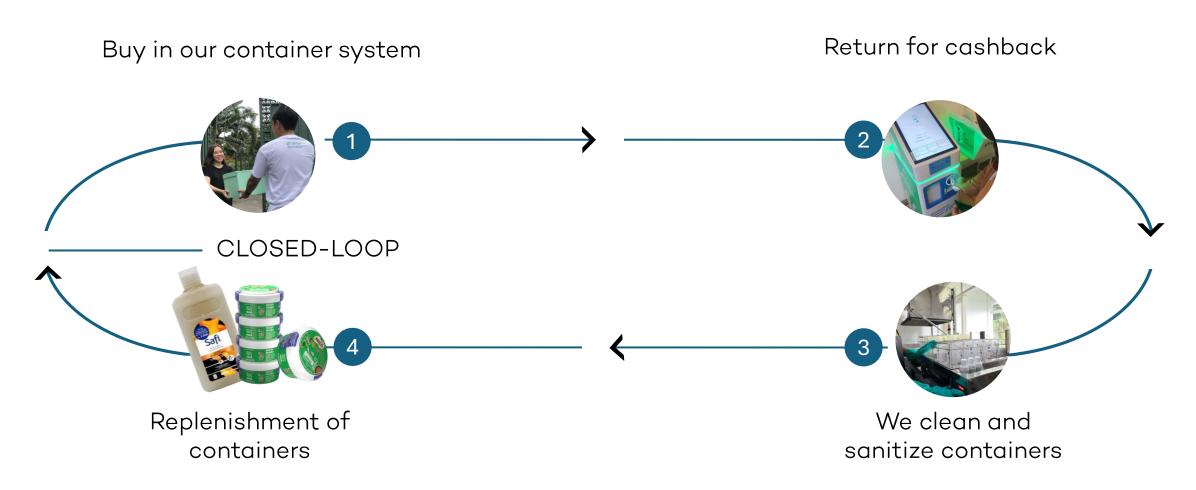
# Alner is dedicated to transform this system by providing zero-waste daily essentials with returnable containers

This approach prevents single-use plastic pollution at the source while still offering customers affordable products. Customers can conveniently return the empty containers for cashback or refill them and pay only for the products, accessible both online and offline.





# Buy, Use, Return, Repeat





### **Case Studies**



**Brands:** Safi (shampoo), Vitalis (body wash)

**Brand Owner:** Wipro

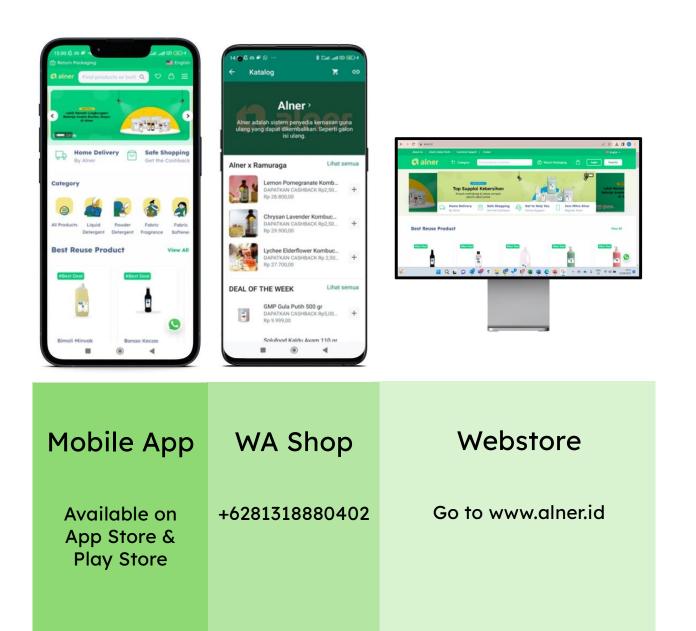


#### **Brands:**

KOKO KRUNCH (cereal). Milo (chocolate powder drink)

**Brand Owner:** Nestlé OUR ONLINE SALES CHANNELS

Wide range of options for Consumers to Order Products with Home Delivery in Our Returnable Packaging



# Alner empowers communities to be micro-entrepreneurs and eco-marketeers

#### Warungs

Small Indonesian family shops offering daily essentials, snacks, and occasionally meals.

#### Waste Banks

Community centers that pay individuals for depositing sorted and cleaned recyclable waste. Now they also resell Alner's products.

#### Peer-to-peer Agents

Individuals who collaborate with Alner to establish refill stations in their local areas.



#### Alner has successfully completed a pilot in supermarkets



Alner x Nestlé Pilot at Alfamidi Super & TIPTOP

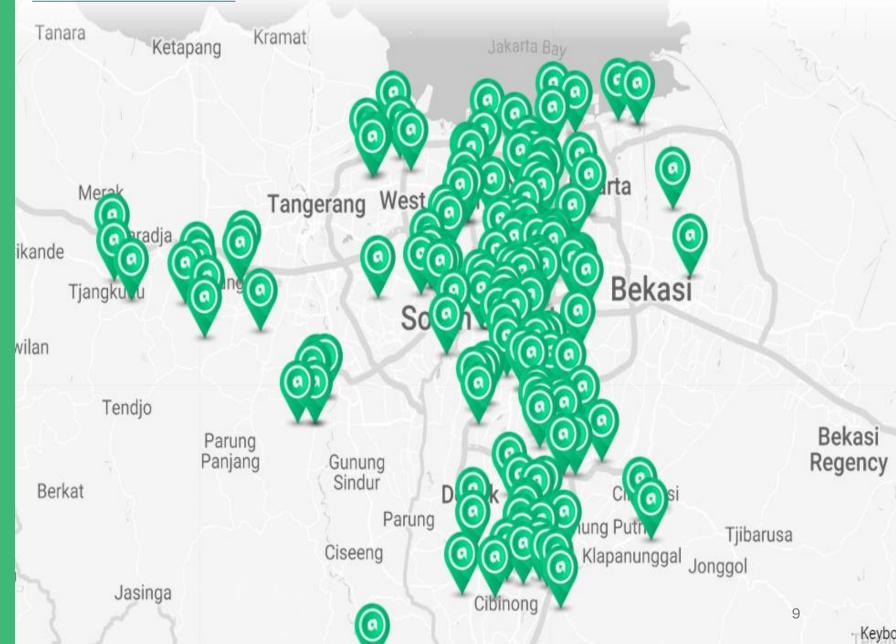




#### OUR OFFLINE CHANNELS

Rapid Expansion: 1000 Sales Points and Counting for Our Micro-Entrepreneurs in Greater Jakarta

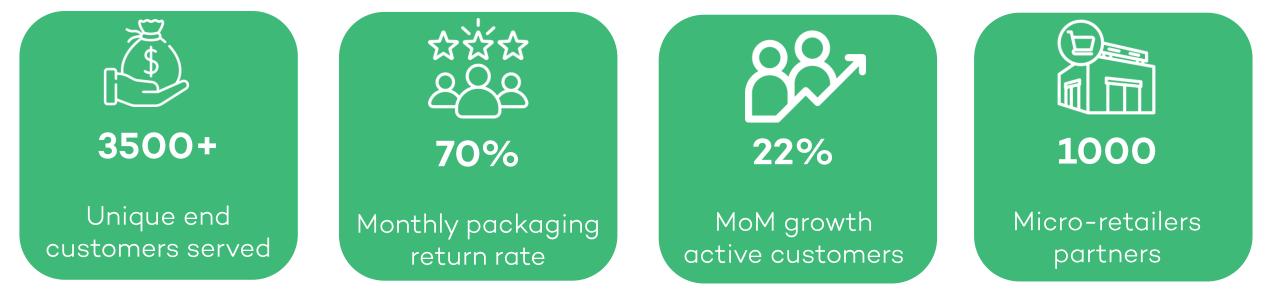
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### Achievements

#### Traction to date



**FMCG** Partners

#### **Incubator & Accelerator Programs**





# **Our Impacts**

#### Impacts 2020-2023



### >800k

Single-use plastics avoided





tCO2e emissions avoided





Additional income generated for microretailers

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# >100m

Impact ambitions by 2030



Single-use plastics avoided

>1.2k

tCO2e emissions avoided

>\$10m

Additional income generated for microretailers





#### Roadmap

Alner aspires to accelerate the transition to circular FMCG economy, where reuse and refill are the norm

	Initial Stage	Site Expansion	Future
	2020 - present	2025 - 2026	By 2028
	Developing Offline and Online Channels Building offline infrastructure and market validation through online channels.	Site Expansion & Acquire Market Increase market share and unlocking customers prime regular buying location.	Leader of Reuse Solutions in Consumer Goods Dominate the market through decentralized facilities and
Funding Round: Impacts:	Current Grants 800k SUPs & 20 tCO2e avoided	Angel & Seed Round 5.4M SUPs & 112 tCO2e avoided	major FMCGs partnerships. Series A 68M SUPs & 1200 tCO2e avoided
Channels:	1 cleaning facility Offline retailers Online channels	4 cleaning facilities Pilot in mini-supermarkets	Online + offline channels Scale up mini-supermarkets
Coverage:	Jabodetabek Area (Greater Jakarta)	Greater Jakarta & 3 major cities	Nationwide and in SEA

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### Lessons Learned\*: Realising the full potential of return systems relies on three key performance drivers

**Shared infrastructure** offers economies of scale across the value chain—collection, sorting, cleaning, and transportation. Collaboration on collection is key to reducing costs and providing customers with a seamless, consistent experience, increasing the likelihood of adoption.

**Standardizing packaging** design within product categories, while using labels and closures for brand differentiation, boosts system efficiency. It reduces sorting, cleaning, and storage costs, and pooling packaging can significantly cut transport distances, emissions, and costs.

**High return rates**, achieved through incentives and a seamless return process, are essential for reuse systems. Quickly overcoming low initial return rates is crucial. Shared collection, diverse products, and customer convenience drive behavior change. Collaboration among all stakeholders is key to reaching the necessary high return rates, inspired by successful systems.



Single-use packaging

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Standardized returnable packaging

\*Aligned with the findings from EMF's Reuse Modelling Publication

### Calls to Action for Each Stakeholder

#### 1. Businesses

•Adopt Shared Infrastructure

•Collaborate with competitors to share logistics (collection, sorting, cleaning).

•Invest in standardized and pooled packaging across the industry to reduce costs.

Incentivize High Return Rates

Offer deposit schemes, discounts, or rewards to encourage customers to return packaging.
Provide seamless return options for consumers, both online and offline.

#### 2. Policymakers

•Create Enabling Regulations

Implement policies that incentivize reuse systems, such as Extended Producer Responsibility (EPR)
Support infrastructure development with tax breaks or subsidies for reuse businesses.

•Standardization and Safety Guidelines

Develop national guidelines for packaging standardization to make reuse easier across brands.
Ensure health and safety standards are maintained in reusable packaging systems.

#### 3. Financial Institutions

•Support Investment in Reuse Systems

•Create financial products, like sustainability-linked loans, to fund reuse infrastructure development.

•Offer de-risking mechanisms such as blended finance to attract private capital into reuse systems.

•Encourage Long-term Investment

•Redirect long-term investments from single-use packaging to reusable systems.

#### 4. Civil Society & Citizens

#### •Raise Awareness

Advocate for stronger regulations and policies that support the transition to a circular economy.
Educate and engage communities on the benefits of reusable packaging systems.

#### Active Participation

•Actively participate in reuse and refill programs by returning packaging and choosing brands that prioritize reuse.





We are on a mission to **eliminate** the idea of **single-use packaging** 

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