

MRF of the Month Questions

1. What is the official name of your facility?
2. Where is your facility located?
3. What was the plant's start-up date?
4. How many processing lines does the facility run?
5. How many tons did the facility process in 2012 (or is expected to process in 2013)?
6. How much of that was/will be fiber and how much was/will be commingled containers?
7. What is your current residue rate?
8. Which company or companies manufactured the major forms of equipment used in your plant?
9. Does your facility receive material from a curbside program (if so, how many households, or what communities, are included in the program)?
10. What is the collection approach (single, dual or multi-stream)?
11. Do you handle commercial recyclables?
12. What is the collection approach (single, dual or multi-stream)?
13. What is the biggest issue your facility is dealing with (e.g., plastic bag contamination, etc.)?
14. What's the facility's ton-per-day throughput for fiber and commingled containers?
15. How many people are employed at the MRF, and how many shifts does the facility run?
16. Square footage of the facility, and any other special features (e.g., powered by solar power, plant was constructed using all recycled materials, etc.)?
17. This is less of a question, and more of a chance for you to state any notable details or characteristics of the plant that you want the public to know about.