

DISCLOSURE OF INFORMATION ON DISCARDED UNSOLD CONSUMER PRODUCTS ACCORDING TO ARTICLE 24 ESPR

Name of the legal entity	Alfred Kärcher SE & Co. KG
Identifier of the legal entity	DEB8534.HRB765434
Type of identifier	EUID
Type of disclosure	Consolidated disclosure including the following subsidiaries or member undertakings:
	Kärcher Sp. z o.o. (BDO: 000010656) KÄRCHER NV (EUID: BEKBO8CE.0418.334.076) Kärcher B.V. (KvK nummer: 17055158) Alfred Kärcher GmbH (EUID: ATCYAD.127011g) Kärcher S.p.A. (VAT Number: 624820122) KÄRCHER, S.A. (VAT Number: A08749079) Kärcher S.A.S. (VAT Number: FR 43 775 702 673)
Financial year – start date	01.01.2025
Financial year – end date	31.12.2025

Product category (CN code)	Description	Number of units discarded	Total weight of units discarded (kg)	Packaging included in the weight of units discarded?	Reason for discarding	Waste treatment operations					
						Preparing for reuse (in wt%)	Destruction				Unknown (in wt%)
							Recycling (in wt%)	Other recovery, e.g. energy recovery (in wt%)	Disposal (in wt%)	Total destruction (in wt%)	
26	Ores, slag and ash	2	50	no	health, hygiene and safety reasons	0	0	0	0	0	100
26	Ores, slag and ash	2	50	yes	unsuitability of products for preparing for reuse or for remanufacturing	0	100	0	0	100	0
29	Organic chemicals	57	13	no	unfitness of products for the purpose for which they are intended, taking into account, where applicable, Union and national law and technical standards	0	10	85	5	100	0
29	Organic chemicals	1	1	no	health, hygiene and safety reasons	0	0	0	0	0	100
34	Soap, organic surface-active agents, washing preparations, lubricating prep.	73	45	no	health, hygiene and safety reasons	0	0	0	0	0	100
34	Soap, organic surface-active agents, washing preparations, lubricating prep.	9	6	yes	unsuitability of products for preparing for reuse or for remanufacturing	0	100	0	0	100	0
39	Plastics and articles thereof	11	3	no	health, hygiene and safety reasons	0	0	0	0	0	100
39	Plastics and articles thereof	1	1	yes	unsuitability of products for preparing for reuse or for remanufacturing	0	100	0	0	100	0
39	Plastics and articles thereof	1	1	no	unsuitability of products for preparing for reuse or for remanufacturing	0	0	0	0	0	100
84	Nuclear reactors, boilers, machinery and mechanical appliances; parts thereof	1.428	18.935	no	product is being discontinued	0	45	8	0	53	47
84	Nuclear reactors, boilers, machinery and mechanical appliances; parts thereof	2.162	13.801	no	damage caused to products as a result of their handling, or detected after products have been returned, which cannot be repaired in a cost-effective manner	0	0	0	0	0	100
84	Nuclear reactors, boilers, machinery and mechanical appliances; parts thereof	515	3.729	yes	unsuitability of products for preparing for reuse or for remanufacturing	0	100	0	0	100	0
84	Nuclear reactors, boilers, machinery and mechanical appliances; parts thereof	145	1.407	no	unfitness of products for the purpose for which they are intended, taking into account, where applicable, Union and national law and technical standards	85	12	2	1	15	0
84	Nuclear reactors, boilers, machinery and mechanical appliances; parts thereof	52	540	yes	unknown	100	0	0	0	0	0
84	Nuclear reactors, boilers, machinery and mechanical appliances; parts thereof	226	1.884	yes	damage caused to products as a result of their handling, or detected after products have been returned, which cannot be repaired in a cost-effective manner	0	0	0	0	0	100
84	Nuclear reactors, boilers, machinery and mechanical appliances; parts thereof	171	2.011	no	unsuitability of products for preparing for reuse or for remanufacturing	0	0	0	0	0	100
84	Nuclear reactors, boilers, machinery and mechanical appliances; parts thereof	3	57	yes	unfitness of products for the purpose for which they are intended, taking into account, where applicable, Union and national law and technical standards	0	0	0	0	0	100
84	Nuclear reactors, boilers, machinery and mechanical appliances; parts thereof	169	1.445	no	destruction is the option with the least negative environmental impacts	0	0	0	0	0	100
96	Miscellaneous manufactured articles	2	31	no	product is being discontinued	0	0	0	0	0	100
96	Miscellaneous manufactured articles	163	1.934	no	damage caused to products as a result of their handling, or detected after products have been returned, which cannot be repaired in a cost-effective manner	0	0	0	0	0	100
96	Miscellaneous manufactured articles	8	96	yes	unsuitability of products for preparing for reuse or for remanufacturing	0	100	0	0	100	0
96	Miscellaneous manufactured articles	2	24	yes	unknown	100	0	0	0	0	0
96	Miscellaneous manufactured articles	5	64	yes	damage caused to products as a result of their handling, or detected after products have been returned, which cannot be repaired in a cost-effective manner	0	0	0	0	0	100
96	Miscellaneous manufactured articles	2	31	yes	unfitness of products for the purpose for which they are intended, taking into account, where applicable, Union and national law and technical standards	0	0	0	0	0	100
96	Miscellaneous manufactured articles	2	31	no	destruction is the option with the least negative environmental impacts	0	0	0	0	0	100
3402	Organic surface-active agents; washing and cleaning preparations	2.077	1.221	no	health, hygiene and safety reasons	0	0	0	0	0	100
3402	Organic surface-active agents; washing and cleaning preparations	787	2.356	no	damage caused to products as a result of their handling, or detected after products have been returned, which cannot be repaired in a cost-effective manner	0	0	0	0	0	100
3402	Organic surface-active agents; washing and cleaning preparations	81	72	yes	unsuitability of products for preparing for reuse or for remanufacturing	0	100	0	0	100	0
3402	Organic surface-active agents; washing and cleaning preparations	1.360	1.488	no	unfitness of products for the purpose for which they are intended, taking into account, where applicable, Union and national law and technical standards	0	10	85	5	100	0
3402	Organic surface-active agents; washing and cleaning preparations	133	158	no	unsuitability of products for preparing for reuse or for remanufacturing	0	0	0	0	0	100
8421	Centrifuges, incl. centrifugal dryers (excl. those for isotope separation); filtering or purifying machinery and apparatus, for liquids or gases; parts thereof (excl. artificial kidneys)	459	418	no	product is being discontinued	0	0	0	0	0	100

8421	Centrifuges, incl. centrifugal dryers (excl. those for isotope separation); filtering or purifying machinery and apparatus, for liquids or gases; parts thereof (excl. artificial kidneys)	378	366	yes	product is being discontinued	0	0	0	0	0	100
8421	Centrifuges, incl. centrifugal dryers (excl. those for isotope separation); filtering or purifying machinery and apparatus, for liquids or gases; parts thereof (excl. artificial kidneys)	1	1	no	damage caused to products as a result of their handling, or detected after products have been returned, which cannot be repaired in a cost-effective manner	0	0	0	0	0	100
8467	Tools for working in the hand, pneumatic, hydraulic or with self-contained motor	95	356	no	product is being discontinued	0	45	8	0	53	47
8467	Tools for working in the hand, pneumatic, hydraulic or with self-contained motor	1	4	yes	unsuitability of products for preparing for reuse or for remanufacturing	0	100	0	0	100	0
8467	Tools for working in the hand, pneumatic, hydraulic or with self-contained motor	12	54	yes	unknown	100	0	0	0	0	0
8467	Tools for working in the hand, pneumatic, hydraulic or with self-contained motor	17	56	no	unfitness of products for the purpose for which they are intended, taking into account, where applicable, Union and national law and technical standards	100	0	0	0	0	0
8467	Tools for working in the hand, pneumatic, hydraulic or with self-contained motor	7	28	no	unsuitability of products for preparing for reuse or for remanufacturing	0	0	0	0	0	100
8467	Tools for working in the hand, pneumatic, hydraulic or with self-contained motor	10	21	no	destruction is the option with the least negative environmental impacts	0	0	0	0	0	100
8467	Tools for working in the hand, pneumatic, hydraulic or with self-contained motor	48	109	no	damage caused to products as a result of their handling, or detected after products have been returned, which cannot be repaired in a cost-effective manner	0	0	0	0	0	100
8508	Vacuum cleaners	313	1.878	no	product is being discontinued	0	28	5	0	33	67
8508	Vacuum cleaners	954	4.973	no	damage caused to products as a result of their handling, or detected after products have been returned, which cannot be repaired in a cost-effective manner	0	0	0	0	0	100
8508	Vacuum cleaners	150	1.011	yes	unsuitability of products for preparing for reuse or for remanufacturing	0	100	0	0	100	0
8508	Vacuum cleaners	48	310	no	unsuitability of products for preparing for reuse or for remanufacturing	0	0	0	0	0	100
8508	Vacuum cleaners	57	383	no	unfitness of products for the purpose for which they are intended, taking into account, where applicable, Union and national law and technical standards	85	12	2	1	15	0
8508	Vacuum cleaners	28	226	yes	unknown	100	0	0	0	0	0
8508	Vacuum cleaners	35	264	yes	damage caused to products as a result of their handling, or detected after products have been returned, which cannot be repaired in a cost-effective manner	0	0	0	0	0	100
8508	Vacuum cleaners	209	2.070	no	destruction is the option with the least negative environmental impacts	0	0	0	0	0	100
8509	Electro-mechanical domestic appliances, with self-contained electric motor	711	4.191	no	product is being discontinued	0	11	2	0	13	87
8509	Electro-mechanical domestic appliances, with self-contained electric motor	2.495	7.435	no	damage caused to products as a result of their handling, or detected after products have been returned, which cannot be repaired in a cost-effective manner	0	0	0	0	0	100
8509	Electro-mechanical domestic appliances, with self-contained electric motor	108	532	yes	unsuitability of products for preparing for reuse or for remanufacturing	0	100	0	0	100	0
8509	Electro-mechanical domestic appliances, with self-contained electric motor	190	1.098	no	unfitness of products for the purpose for which they are intended, taking into account, where applicable, Union and national law and technical standards	54	37	7	2	46	0
8509	Electro-mechanical domestic appliances, with self-contained electric motor	65	395	yes	unknown	100	0	0	0	0	0
8509	Electro-mechanical domestic appliances, with self-contained electric motor	85	293	yes	damage caused to products as a result of their handling, or detected after products have been returned, which cannot be repaired in a cost-effective manner	0	0	0	0	0	100
8509	Electro-mechanical domestic appliances, with self-contained electric motor	89	461	no	unsuitability of products for preparing for reuse or for remanufacturing	0	0	0	0	0	100
8509	Electro-mechanical domestic appliances, with self-contained electric motor	4	17	yes	product is being discontinued	0	0	0	0	0	100
8509	Electro-mechanical domestic appliances, with self-contained electric motor	68	334	no	destruction is the option with the least negative environmental impacts	0	0	0	0	0	100
8513	Portable electric lamps designed to function by their own source of energy	4	2	no	damage caused to products as a result of their handling, or detected after products have been returned, which cannot be repaired in a cost-effective manner	0	0	0	0	0	100

Measures planned to prevent the destruction of unsold consumer products:

Design a lean end-to-end return process to increase margin of refurbished machines and to make the process economically attractive to resale more returned machines.
Evaluate the right business model for the refurb business for consumer machines at Kärcher.