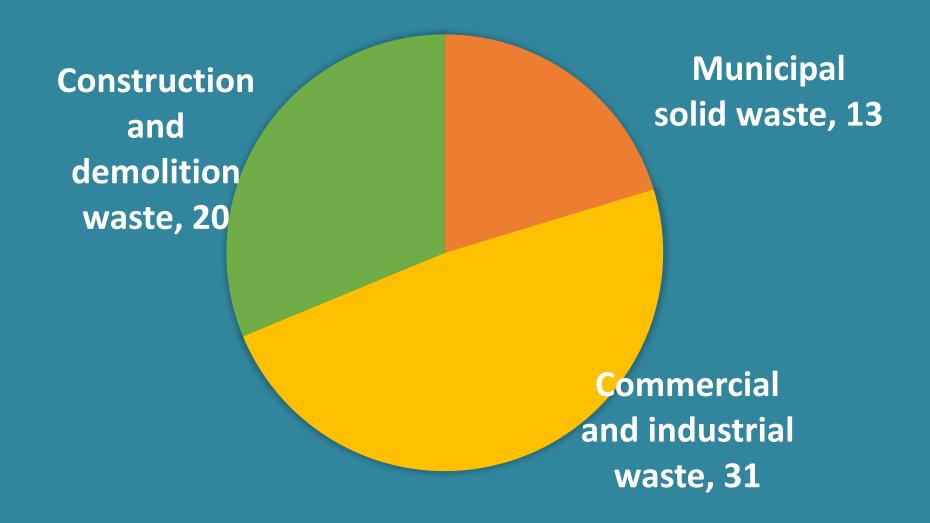


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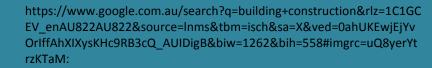
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DISCUSSION PAPER: Updating the 2009 National Waste Policy: Less waste, more resources













https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Skip_(container)



https://www.strathcona.ca/business-and-development/design-construction-standards/



Perceptions

"I think it disappears into pixie dust"

Awareness of role

"More than small"

"We're implicated in the whole building industry, waste is a huge part of the building industry"

Culture of waste

"Convenience. It's more convenient to generate waste than to not generate waste"

Adversarial roles



https://www.inc.com/gordon-tredgold/bad-leaders-focus-on-blame-not-solutions.html

Cost

New waste saving technologies



https://425business.com/construction-costs-are-up-but-its-not-time-to-worry-yet/

Client requirements

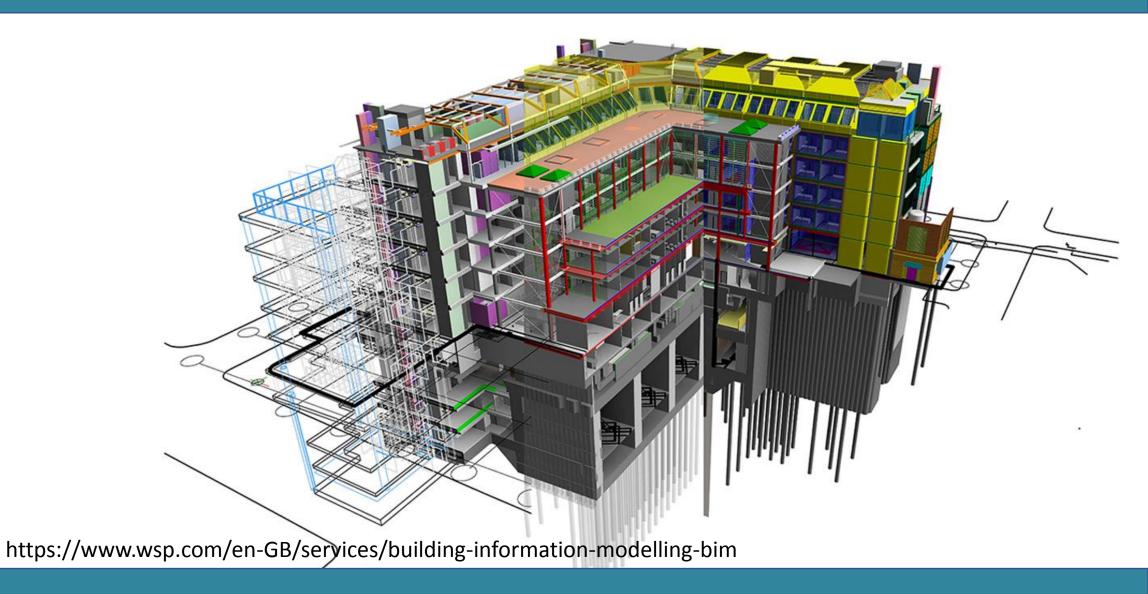
Zero waste?

Experience

Material sizes

Risks and regulation

Computer software



Reusing or recycling materials



Role of regulation



https://gnconsulting.com.au/bca-advice/



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Way forward