This line graph illustrates the percentage of various materials that were recycled in a special country between 1982 and 2010.

Overall there was an increase trend in figures for all materials, except for paper and cardboard which made a different approach over the period shown.

In 1982 the recycle percentage of paper and glass containers was around 65% and 50% respectively while there was not any plastics and aluminum cans being recycled on that time; they both began to recover four and eight years later respectively.

In 1990 plastics, glass containers and paper and cardboard experienced their lowest proportion of recovery. Four years later in 1994, paper and card board salvage reached a peak of 80 percent and then slightly decline to 70% at the end of the period shown. while glass containers attained 60 percent of recycle through gradual rise, aluminum cans recovery saw a significant increases during the whole period, particularly between 2002 and 2010. It began from 5% and ultimately reached over 45%. In contrast, plastics had mild changes in upward trend and remained lower than 10% percent until 2010.