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## Fighting food waste on board of Costa ships

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### Transforming a challenge into an opportunity

Costa **4GOODFOOD** program shows how sustainability can support business **generating cost efficiency** and setting the trend to **transform the industry.** 

#### A unique program

- 360° consistent approach with direct social, environmental and economic impacts
- Significant measurable results
- Processes continuous improvement
- Stakeholders active engagement
- Key partners involved in the business transformation













#### Sustainable food experience

Promotion of a **sustainable nutrition model on board** and the creation of a greater awareness towards the **value** and the **respect** for good food

- Gastronomic offer revision (over 500 recipes)
- Introduction of the concept of 'reusing' of certain ingredients in recipes
- Definition of new menus oriented towards the respect of seasonality and proximity
- Around the 15% of food is sourced locally at the ports of calls







### Building a food waste management taskforce

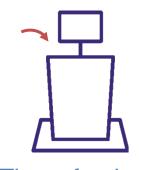
An effective food management program focused on continuous improvement requires engagement of all kitchen staff members.

Food waste reduction strategy must be integratated into everyone's daily activities and responsibilities.

Costa committed to creating the culture of «good food» enhancing its value and making everyone part of a meaningful challenge.



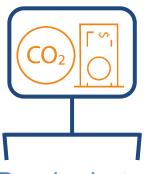
#### In a complex and close system



Throw food waste in the bin



Categorize waste in three taps



Receive instant feedback

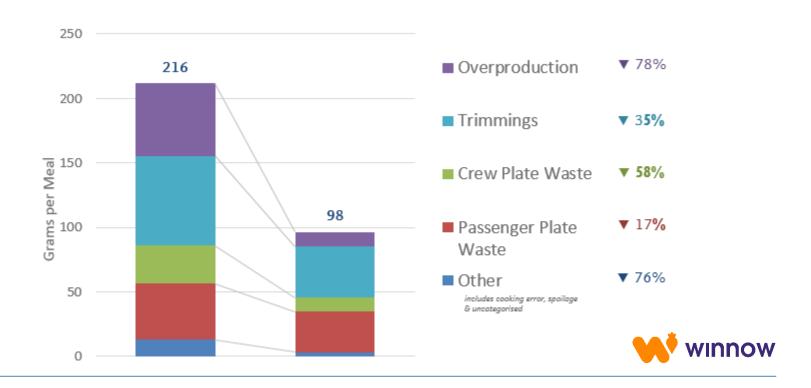


Analyze daily & weekly trends



### Costa Diadema reduced grams of food waste per meal by 54%







### Well on track to reach the target

Food waste tracking throughout the system shows significant performances fleetwide



30% of food wastage reduction overall



**35% plate waste reduction** (guests and crew)





### Supporting sustainable agriculture



















#### A blueprint for the industry

Costa Cruises saw the introduction of **Law no. 166/2016** (so-called "Gadda Law") as a major opportunity to provide an outlet for the surplus food produced on board its ships and capitalize on this for social betterment.

Costa has devised a scheme that is a first for shipping (both in Italy and globally). The specific blueprint for the preparation of the surplus food for offloading was designed in close consultation with the Customs Office and the local Border Control Public Health & Safety Agency.

Partnership with the **Food Bank Foundation** of one of the biggest charitable organizations, grants an international distribution network.









### Turning surplus food into value

The partnership guarantees regular and continuous donations to the associations selected in the ports of call.

Food distributed to people in need has **great nutritional value**.

Ready-to-eat meals prepared on board but not served to guests, constitute a guarantee of a **varied menu** with high standard dishes.

**Crew members** (multicultural workforce) show appreciation for the initiative.



#### **WE DONATE OUR FOOD HERE**



#### AND THE JOURNEY GOES ON



## OVER 70,000 PORTIONS DONATED

