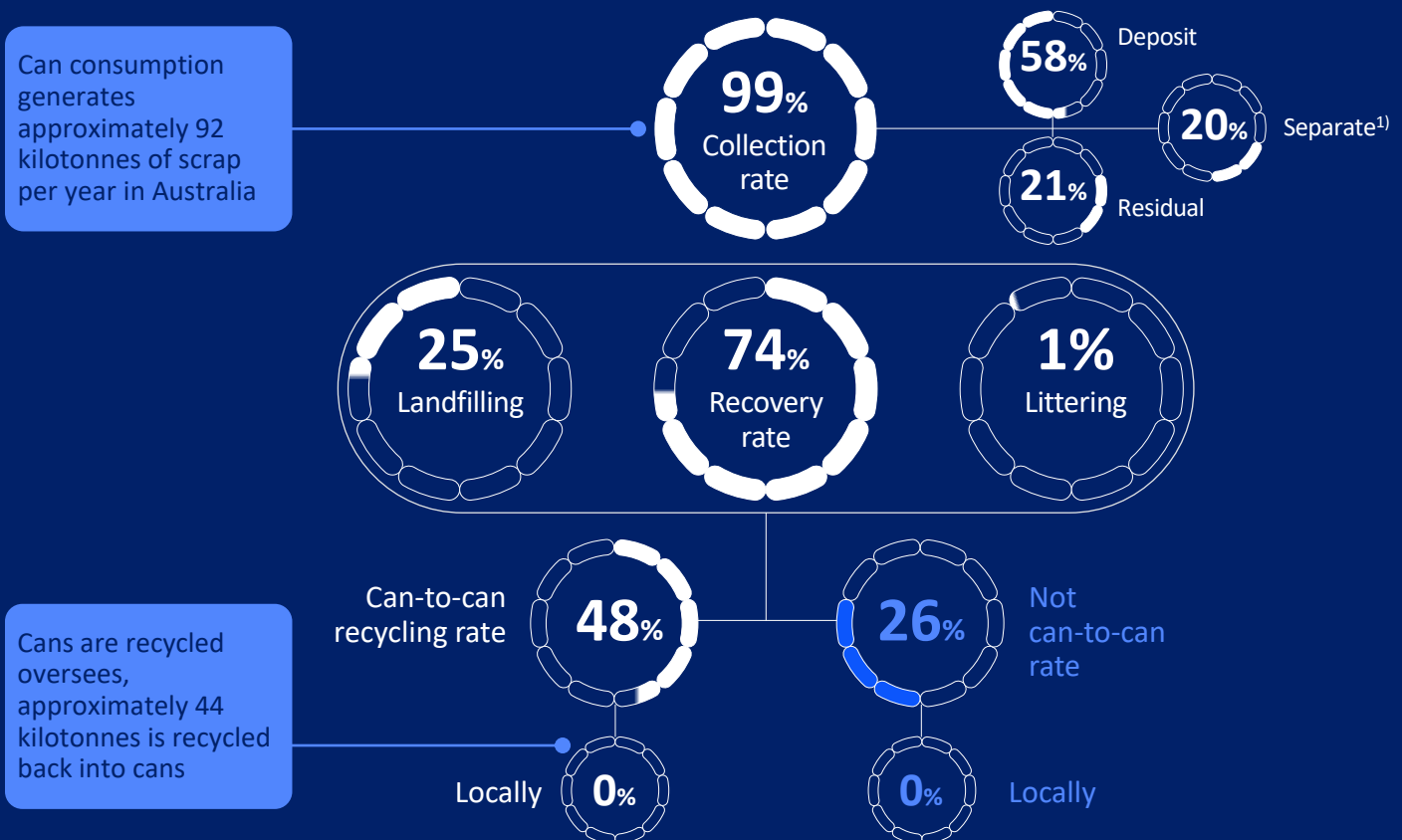


In Australia, a high proportion of cans are collected through the states' container deposit schemes and turned into scrap with the other separately collected UBC scrap before being sent to export for recycling

	Fully implemented	Partially implemented	Not implemented
<b>Source separation</b>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Source separation is available across all streams			
<b>Extended producer responsibility</b>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Voluntary EPR is in place			
<b>Deposit return scheme</b>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Deposit Return Schemes (Container deposit schemes) are implemented in 6/8 states			



1) Separate coll. includes recovered after MRF & transfer station, and all UBCs picked by informal sector

**STRONG AREAS**

- Well functioning deposit-return scheme (container deposit scheme) in place in 6/8 states (the scheme in Tasmania and Victoria is planned to be introduced in 2023)
- Source separation is rolled out across the country
- Sorting infrastructure is well-developed but requires ongoing education

**MAIN IMPROVEMENT AREAS**

- Opportunities for improved sorting in public places, businesses and multi unit dwellings
- Improved traceability on destination of cans for offshore processing (due to lack of local recycling capacity) would increase public confidence