



- BLUE SPARROW COFFEE -

~~SUSTAINABILITY~~ REPORT

We think "sustainable" isn't good enough. We just haven't found a word to describe it yet. In the meantime, we hope you don't mind the simple strikethrough.



100% of coffee grounds composted at all Blue Sparrow Coffee locations



First Sustainability Report published April 1st, 2022



Quarterly sustainability training for all Blue Sparrow Coffee employees



Sustainability Fund established through Single-Use Initiative



Reduce contamination of recycling and waste streams in shared use buildings





WASTE AUDIT - FEBRUARY 2022

80% of customer waste could currently be composted or recycled

100% of customer waste will be compostable or recyclable by 2023

- Our Top Contaminates -



Sugar Packets

Sugar packets are the only customer-facing product we currently have that cannot be composted or recycled due to their wax/plastic lining.



Hot Coffee Cups

Hot coffee cups claim to be recyclable, however, there has been talk about the reality of this for quite some time ([read this](#)). Right now we are following Denver's list of recyclable materials, which says they can be recycled.

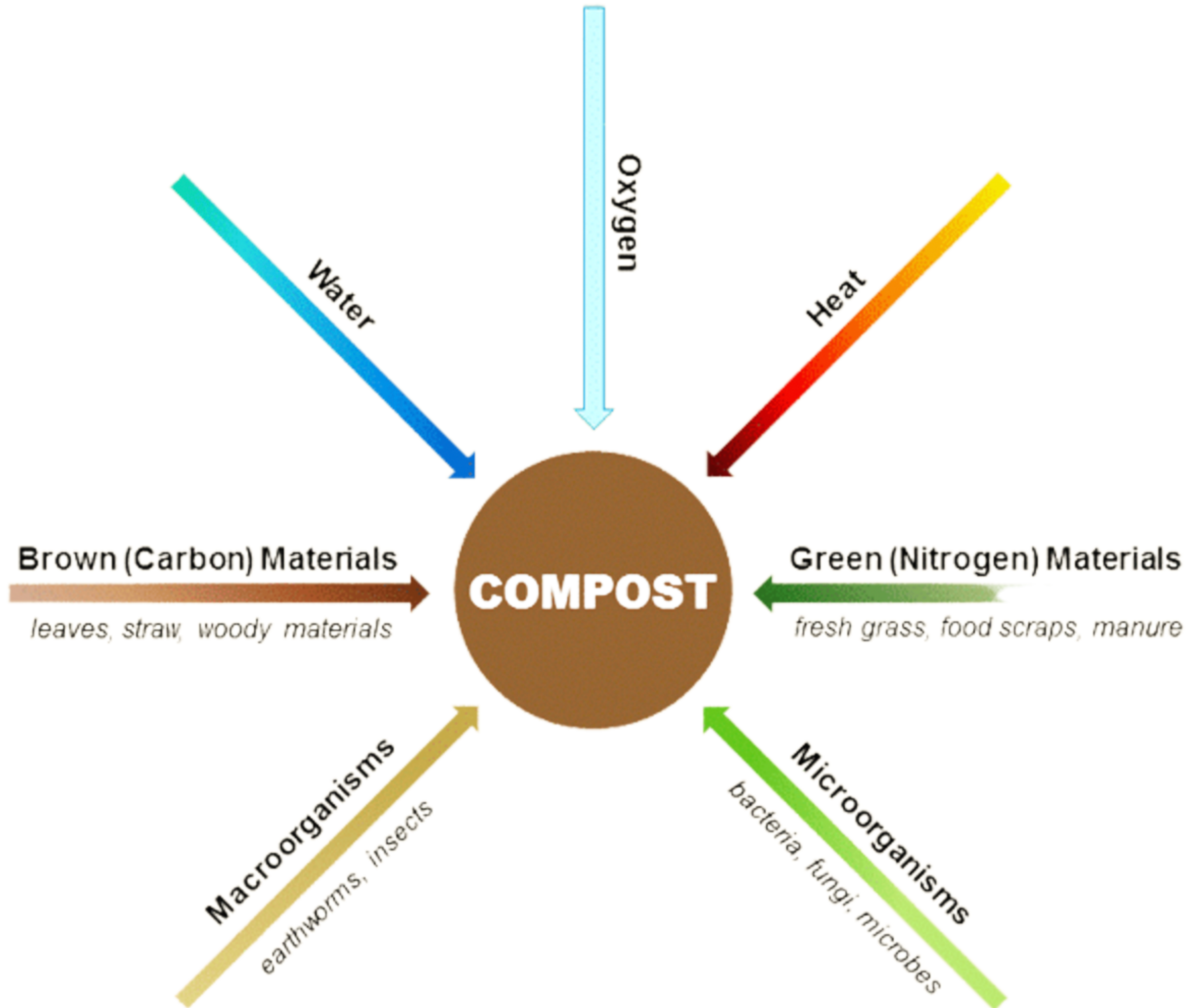


Napkins

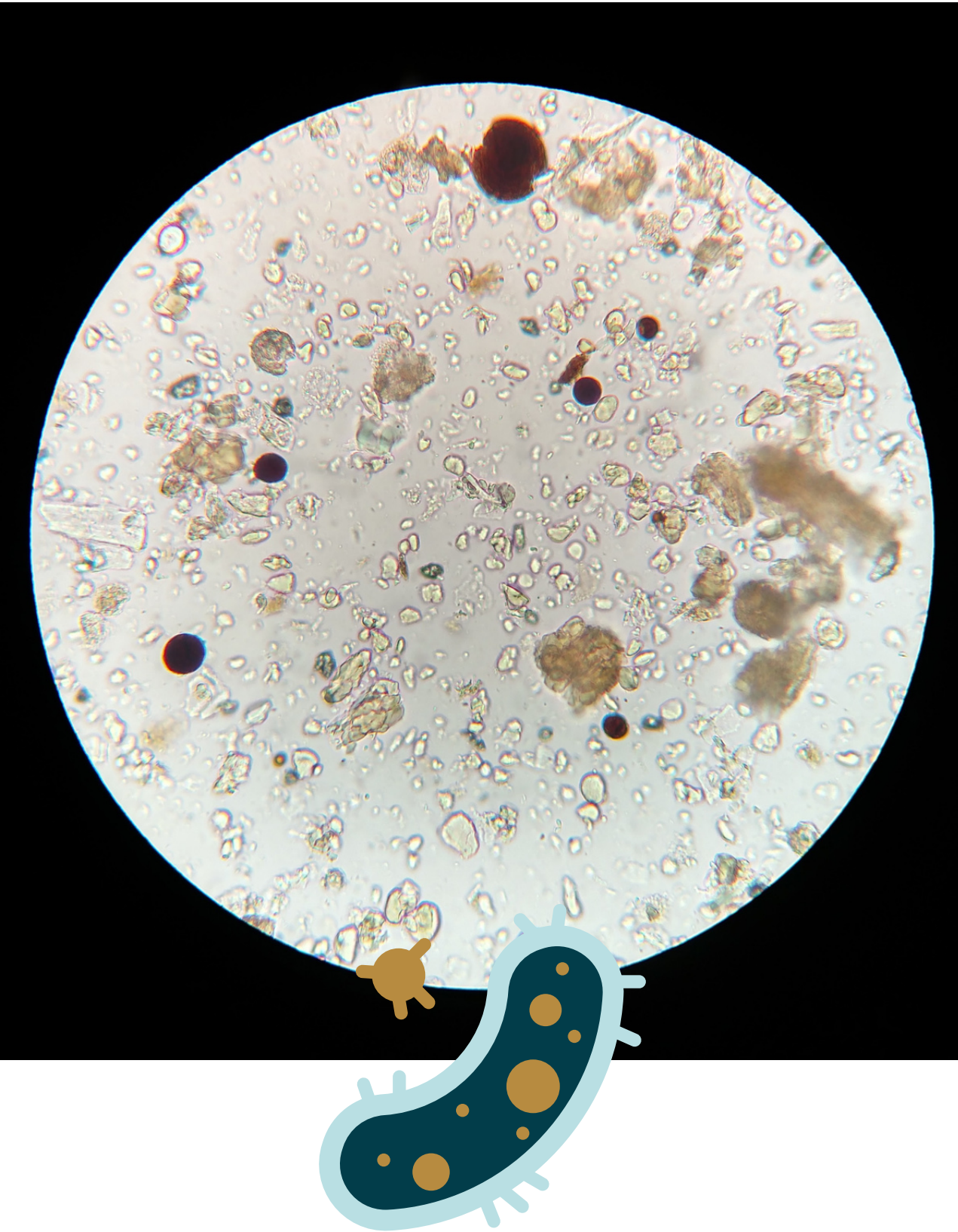
Napkins show up in both our trash and recycling bins in large quantities. Ours currently say "100% Recycled Paper", but they aren't recyclable and it leads confusion... we want to change that.

Process

Product



microorganisms



movement = oxygen



heat

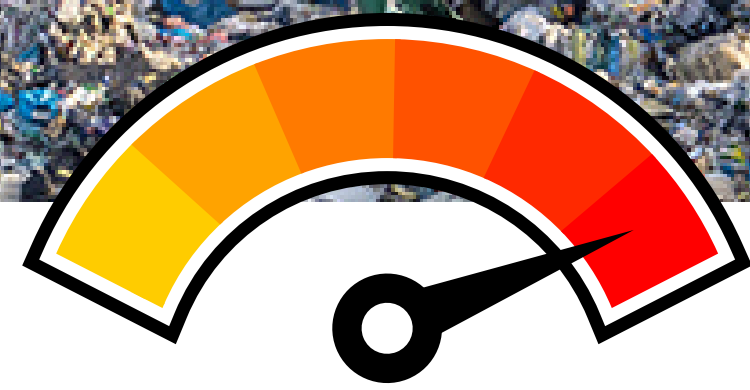




LITTLE METHANE

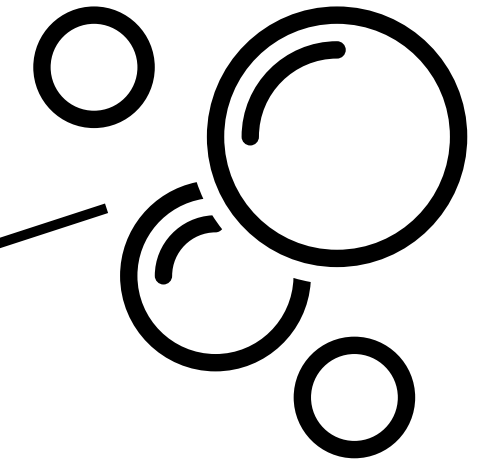


LOTS COMPOST

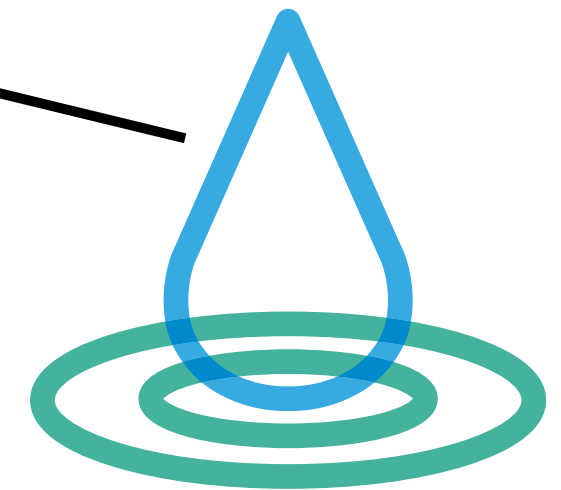




LOTS METHANE



GREENHOUSE GASES



WASTE WATER

COLD BREW BAGS



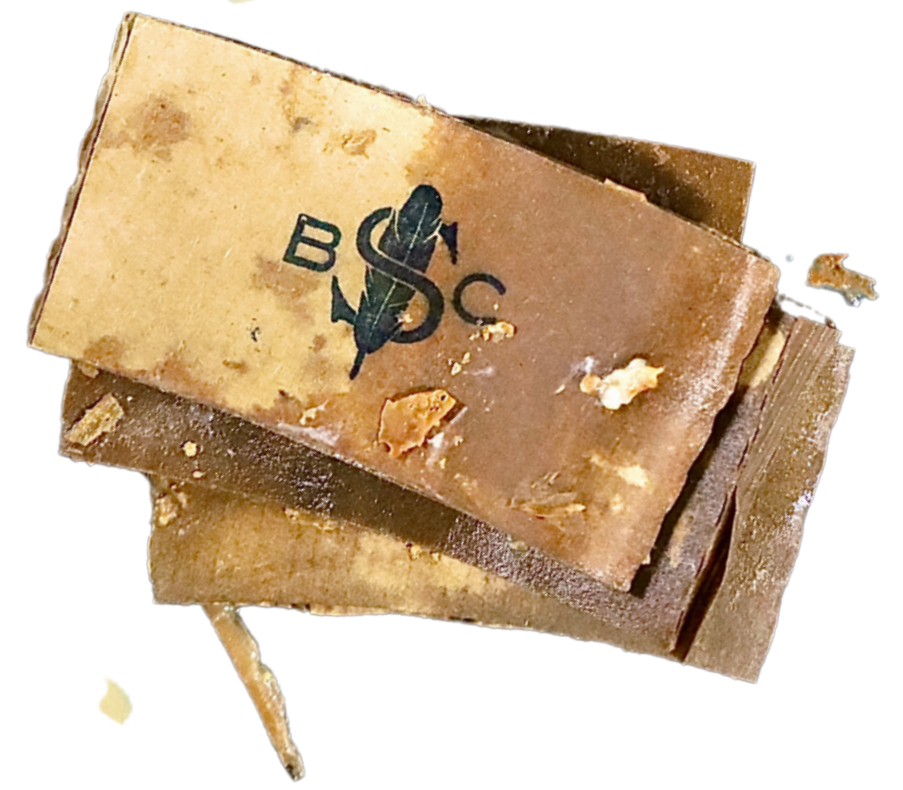
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NAPKINS

FILTERS

PAPER TOWELS



PAPER STRAWS





