

# FOR THE LOVE OF GLASS

From the factory floor to the boardroom, glass inspires O-I every day – for good reasons. Endlessly recyclable, pure and safe, glass also is the finest material for preserving product flavor. That's a lot to love.

No one understands the benefits of glass like O-I does. As the world's largest glass container manufacturer, O-I has more than a century of experience crafting beautiful, sustainable and brand-building glass containers for many of the world's best-known food and beverage brands.



## TASTE

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With glass, true taste prevails.
Unlike other packaging materials, glass naturally protects flavor.
Glass-packaged products come to the consumer in their purest form and taste exactly as intended.



## QUALITY

Glass effortlessly conveys a superior image. It looks and feels substantial. Consumers associate glass with quality, and brands turn to the colors, decorations and countless shapes of O-I glass to differentiate their products on crowded store shelves.



## SUSTAINABILITY

Made from abundant, natural ingredients and endlessly recyclable, glass is an environmental masterpiece. Brands that use glass are choosing one of the most planet-friendly packaging materials available.



Glass represents a union of preservation and safety. Natural, non-toxic glass contains no chemicals that can leach into the products it holds, making it the optimal packaging material for health-conscious consumers and brands that insist on unquestioned product integrity.



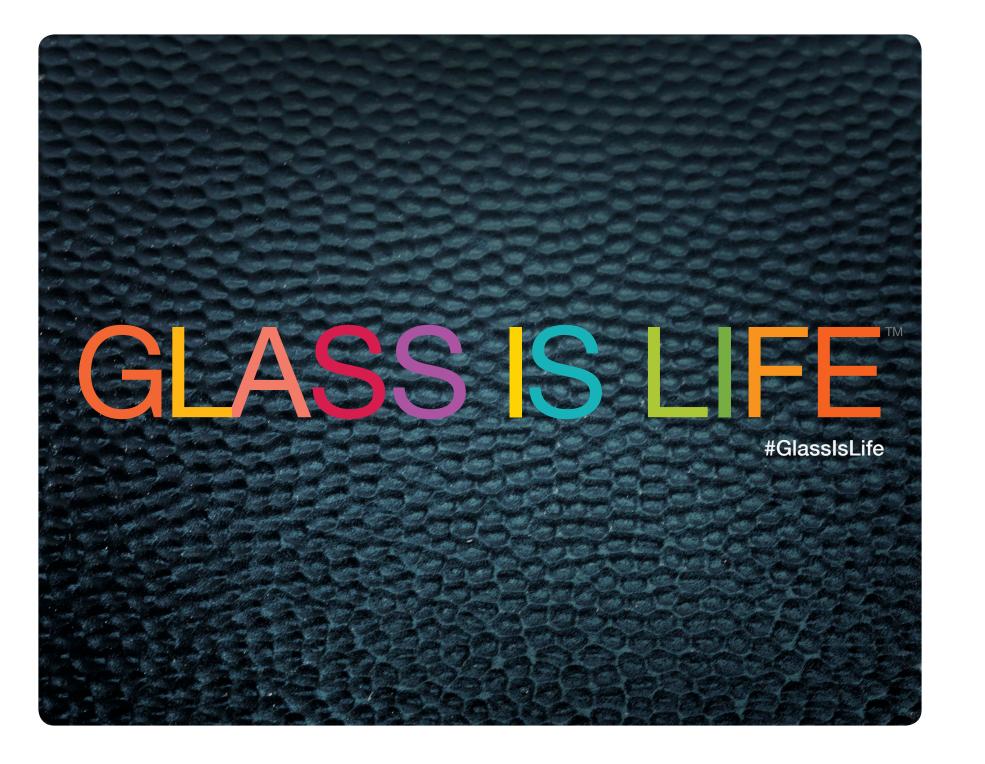
Glass knows no boundaries. Table-ready at a moment's notice, it moves seamlessly from shelf to table to refrigerator. Glass works with all categories of food and beverages and extends packaging life when users serve, store and display items in glass containers, even after their original contents are consumed.

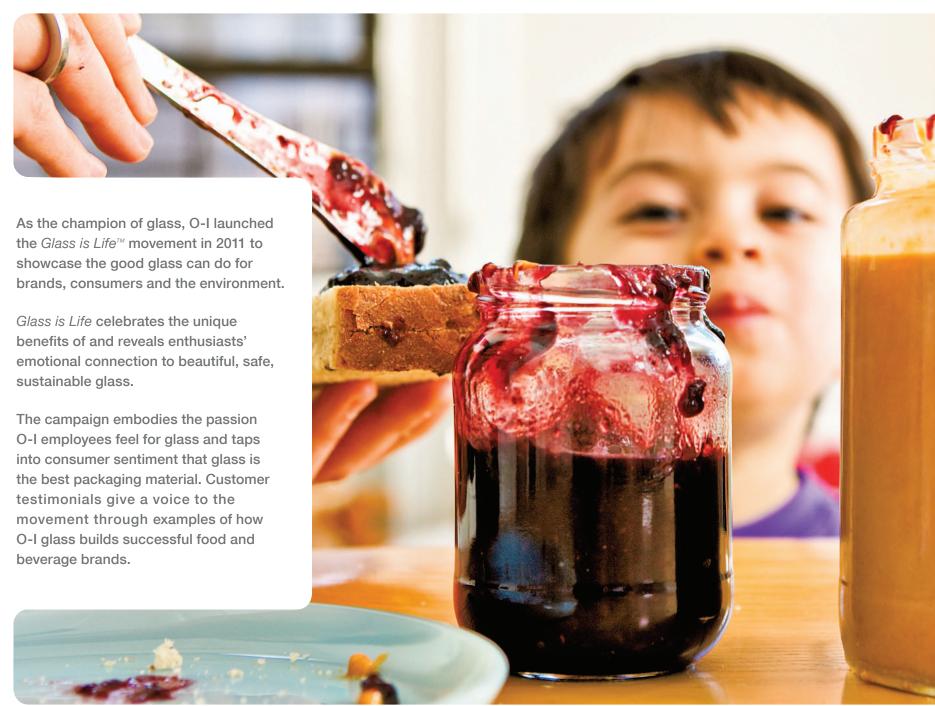
VERSATILITY



## TRANSPARENCY

Brands show off best in O-I glass.
Consumers see food and beverage
products as they were meant to be seen:
as fresh as the day they were packaged,
with nothing to hide.



















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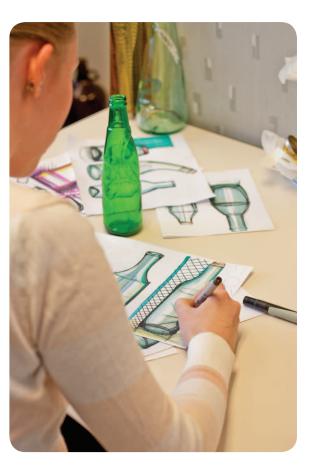


Forming glass into premier packaging is not only a meticulous craft – at O-I, it's also an honor. When founder Michael Owens sent his first bottle down the line in 1903, he created an industry and changed forever how glass is made.

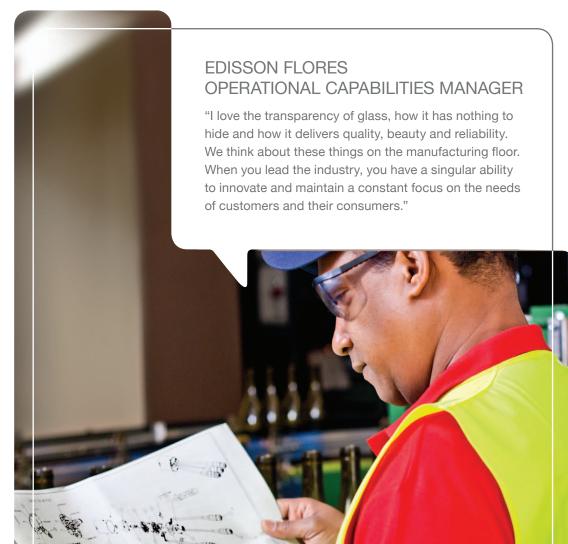
That tradition thrives today at O-I through dedicated employees who continue to set the bar for quality and innovation. They love what they do and believe in the benefits of O-I glass. Customers and consumers do, too.

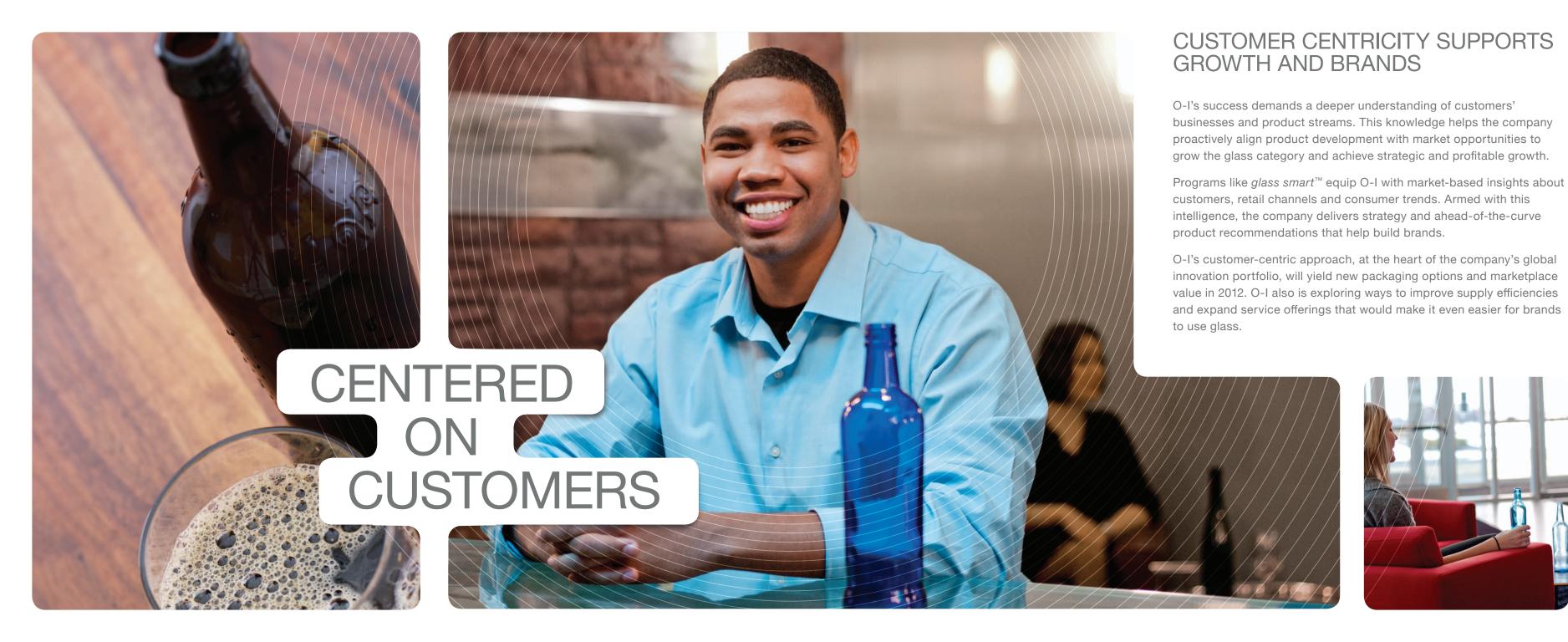
Research shows that people worldwide prefer glass containers for their favorite food and beverage products, and they attribute higher levels of quality to glass-packaged items. Their sentiments stem from the ability to easily observe the contents – clearly visible in transparent glass jars and bottles - and experience how textural and substantial glass feels in their hands.

Smart brands, knowing glass can communicate premium positioning or create mass appeal, turn to O-I to stand out. With its superior manufacturing capabilities, growing market knowledge and passion for its craft, O-I creates best-in-class package options that catch consumers' eyes and distinguish brands from their competitors.







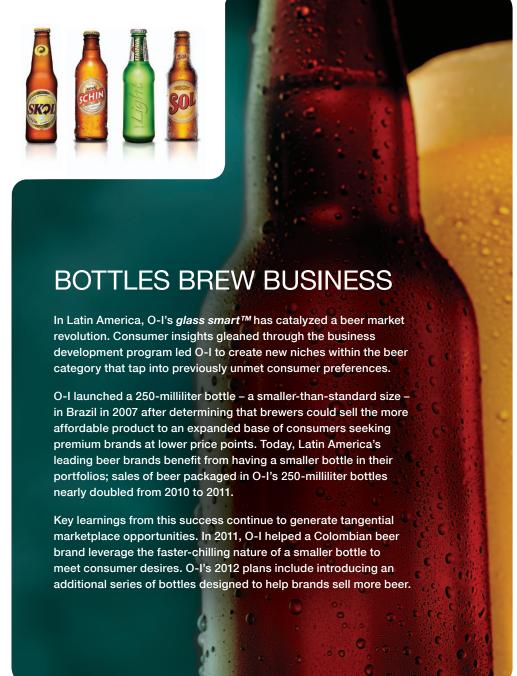




## BONJOUR, WATER

O-I expanded its relationship with the world's largest bottled water company, Nestlé Waters, in 2011 through the acquisition of a glass container plant located adjacent to the Perrier® bottling facility in Vergéze, France. A long-time supplier to the S. Pellegrino® brand, a sister to the Perrier brand, O-I has grown its share of the bottled water category by becoming the leading supplier to two of the world's best known – and loved – bottled water brands.













# AS GREEN AS GLASS

Glass is one of the greenest materials on earth. So it's only natural that the world's leading glass packaging maker is working to be the most sustainable one as well.

O-I has implemented dozens of initiatives to lower operating costs and reduce its impact on the planet, providing benefits for generations to come. The company has set aggressive sustainability goals to improve workplace safety, cut CO<sub>2</sub>-equivalent emissions and energy consumption and increase the use of recycled glass.



In 2011, O-I added transparency to the sustainability discussion by sharing the methods and results of its 2010 complete Life Cycle Assessment (LCA). O-I's holistic review of glass containers' environmental impacts and natural resource demands was the first of its kind. It facilitated an "apples-to-apples" comparison of the closed-loop life cycle of glass containers with other consumer packaging alternatives.

O-I's independently confirmed analysis revealed that returnable, refillable glass bottles have a smaller carbon footprint than either aluminum or PET containers. Despite their heavier weight, even single-use glass containers generate carbon emissions competitive with PET plastic and aluminum in all four of O-I's operating regions.

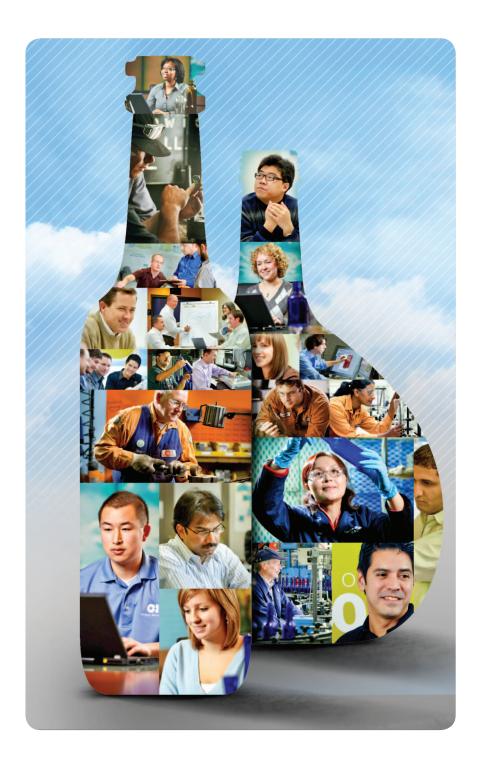
## PROTECTING PEOPLE, PLANET AND PROFITS

The company's uncompromising commitment to employee safety resulted in a 37-percent annual improvement in lost-time injuries in O-I's glass container plants, from 0.87 per 100 employees in 2010 to 0.55 in 2011. To achieve its goal of eliminating workplace accidents, O-I tracks performance to gain insight into strategies that will prevent injuries and learn from those that have already occurred.

Another area of focus is energy, which represents a large portion of O-l's global manufacturing expenditures. Cutting energy consumption in half by 2017 not only will lessen the company's reliance on fossil fuels, but also will significantly reduce its CO<sub>2</sub>-equivalent emissions and improve its cost structure.

Success will hinge on replicating best practices — validated by research and development — at O-I facilities. The company has many projects already underway:

- O-I is implementing new global procedures that will optimize furnace operations. O-I plans to replicate additional measures during 2012 and make notable progress toward its energy goal.
- In Europe, the company is piloting programs to reuse waste heat from its manufacturing operations. Options include preheating raw materials and generating power it could sell to local communities.
- Other energy-cutting initiatives include investigating modifications to the composition of raw materials to reduce emissions and melt glass more efficiently and tapping the emerging field of carbon capture to convert CO<sub>2</sub> into a reusable product. These new ways to recycle CO<sub>2</sub> hold great promise for the company, industry and environment.











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- 1 Eliminate workplace accidents.
- 2 Lower energy consumption by 50 percent.
- 3 Reduce carbon dioxide-equivalent (CO<sub>2</sub>e) emissions by 65 percent.
- Increase the amount of post-consumer recycled glass, or cullet, used to make new glass from an average of 34 percent to 60 percent.



# A GREENER GALÁPAGOS

O-I's partnership with a long-standing customer is helping maintain the famed flora and fauna in the Galápagos Islands, one of the world's most important ecosystems. A joint recycling effort of O-I Ecuador and brewery Cervecería Nacional, a SABMiller subsidiary, solves a significant garbage accumulation problem on the islands. Since it launched in 2010, the program has generated more than 160 tonnes of recycled glass that O-I uses locally to produce new glass. The company has similar public-private partnerships in other locations worldwide and is studying how these recycling successes can more quickly move the company toward its sustainability goals.

# SCOUTING FOR GLASS

When the Asociacion Scouts del Peru - a group of nearly 5,000 young people throughout the country - celebrated its 100-year anniversary in 2011, O-I recognized the milestone by co-sponsoring a threemonth recycling project with the organization. O-I helped publicize the event and coordinated logistics, including supporting the effort with recycle bins and trucks. During the 90-day drive, the scouts collected more than 12 tonnes of glass. O-I purchased the recycled glass, and the Asociacion donated the proceeds to a children's charity.

# TRASH TO CASH

Having originally established New Zealand's glass recycling industry, O-I heightened consumer awareness about the importance of glass recovery by working with city governments across the country in 2011. In particular, the company collaborated with Dunedin and Wellington officials, where new, glassonly, color-sorted curbside recycling has stemmed the flow of glass into landfills and dramatically boosted the quality and quantity of glass available for O-I's New Zealand furnaces.

Dunedin's program also has eliminated the city's costs to crush glass for use as a landfill filtration medium and instead added O-l's recycled glass purchases to the city's coffers.





commitment to the company's strategic priorities. Every day, O-I leaders strive for operational excellence that strengthens the company's position as the world's glass packaging leader.

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O-l's passion for glass unites employees and ignites brands. Engineers and research scientists ground the company's iconic glass packages in technical expertise, while designers and manufacturing experts elevate them through personal craftsmanship. Everyone's goal is the same: to produce the best products possible to help customers build their businesses.

A rich history of invention, unparalleled expertise and global reach set O-I apart. The glassmaker identifies market opportunities and transforms glass into packaging options that leverage those findings. The result is distinctive O-I bottles, jars and containers that showcase the world's favorite brands and attract consumers.

To lessen its impact on the environment and add marketplace value, O-I is exploring advanced glassmaking technologies that require less energy and fewer raw materials. O-I leaders are redefining the global glass industry by focusing on innovation, marketing and strategic growth. Customers and shareholders can count on O-I's continued commitment to reinventing glass in ways that set new industry quality, performance and sustainability standards.