Attachment 3: Compost Certification Fact Sheet

Work in progress

This fact sheet will act as a useful guide to distinguish various "green" labels. The details are actually not hard to understand! But they're hidden by a lot of vague and misleading terminology. Hopefully we condense most of the need-to-know information to one page for other farmers and consumers.

Logo	Organization	Specifications	Translation
COMPOSTER APPROVED			
COMMERCIALLY COMPOSTABLE ONLY. FACILITIES MAY NOT EXIST IN YOUR AREA. CERT #890984		ASTM D6400	
ASTM D6400 COMPLIANT Compact ASTM D6400 Compact AST			
OK compost S203 VINCOTTE			european standard
Home Compostable		AS 5810-2010 ABAP 20007	bioplastics only
Conputable		AS 4736-2006 ABAX 9999	

^{*} add ASTM as its own row in the table to explain how manufacturing standards work for something like this. Will also show how self-referential the system is

Terminology	
Biodegradable vs Compostable vs Degradable	