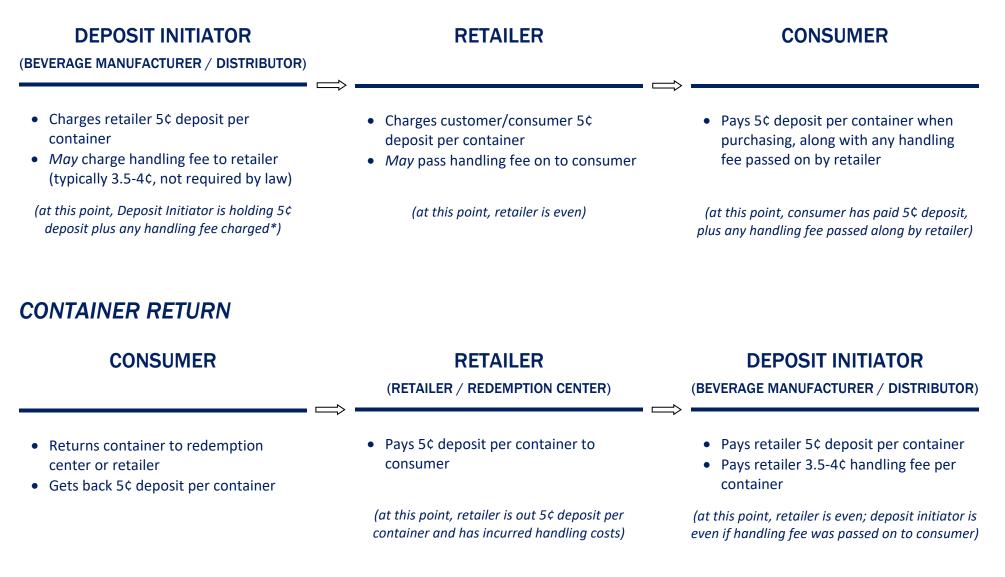
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PRODUCT SALE



*Although not required by law, most beverage manufacturers/distributors pass the per container handling fee (3.5¢ for commingled brands, 4¢ for non-commingled brands) on to the retailers, who pass it on to the consumers, so that consumers are paying the costs associated with recycling.