

Sorting instructions for households



CARTON



Empty, clean, dry, flattened and packed inside one another:

Corrugated cardboard boxes, cartons, e.g. milk and juice cartons, cardboard containers for ready meals, packaging for dry products, toilet and kitchen roll tubes, wrapping paper, e.g. copy paper wrappings

Sorted cardboard is reused e.g. to make corrugated cardboard and carton packaging

PLASTIC PACKAGING



Empty and dry plastic household packaging:

Empty, clean and dry plastic packaging from households (e.g. yoghurt and butter tubs), detergent, shampoo and soap packaging, plastic bags and wrappers and EPS or Styrofoam packaging

Sorted plastic packaging is reused e.g. to make dish brushes and buckets

METAL



Empty, clean and dry:

Tins and non-deposit beverage cans, metal lids, caps and closures, aluminium trays, foil and covers, paint tins and non-pressurised aerosol cans, pots, pans, scissors, tools and cutlery

Sorted metal is reused e.g. to make new metal packaging and car parts

GLASS



Empty, with caps and lids removed:

Glass bottles and glass jars

Sorted glass packaging is reused e.g. to make new glass packaging and foam glass

BIOWASTE



Packed in a newspaper or paper bag and drained:

Food leftovers, fruit and vegetable peels, fish bones, egg shells and shredded egg cartons, coffee grounds and tea leaves with filter papers, tissues such as paper towels and napkins, plant parts and dried flowers

Sorted biowaste is used to produce biogas

MIXED WASTE



Tightly and well packed if necessary:

Porcelain, ceramics and glassware, rubber, leather, unusable textile, boots, cat litter, vacuum cleaner dust bags, sanitary napkins, diapers and plaster, cigarette butts and cooled ash tightly packed

Mixed waste is used to produce thermal energy and electricity in eco power plants

PAPER



Sort into paper:

Newspapers and magazines, advertising mail, postcards, brochures and other similar printed products, envelopes (also with windows), copy papers and prints, white drawing and journal papers

Sorted paper is reused e.g. to make toilet paper and newspaper



THANKS FOR SORTING!

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