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A to Z Recycling Guide

For households





Sorting waste in the correct manner

It's important to recycle as much as we can and to put as little waste into our rubbish bins as possible. As well as saving money, recycling also reduces energy and water use and helps preserve our world's finite resources. Please find information in this guide how to better sort your waste.

Food waste

Bread and pastries, fruit and vegetable, fish and meat (cooked or uncooked), tea bags and coffee grounds, cooked and raw food, are examples of what you sort as food waste. Put leftovers from cooking or eating inside the brown paper bag intended for food waste. When the bag is filled up to the marked line, place the bag in the compartment or container intended for food waste in your bin. When you are out of paper bags, collect new ones in a local grocery store.

Be careful not to mix any plastic, packaging, medicine or nappies with your food waste, as this doesn't belong in the food waste bag.

Residual waste

Residual waste is leftovers once you have sorted out hazardous waste, food waste, packaging, newspapers, and recycled paper. Residual waste includes things such as cigarette butts, snuff sachets, vacuum cleaner bags, sanitary towels, chewing gum, toothbrushes, swabs and cotton balls. Put the residual waste in a plastic bag and not loose in the compartment or container intended for residual waste. Seal the bag tightly.

Packaging, newspapers and recycled paper

If you have the subscription form Standard put packaging, newspapers and recycled paper directly in the bin, and avoid storing it in your kitchen or garage. If your household is connected to the subscription form Central uppsamlingsplats, dispose packaging, newspapers and recycled paper there. If you don't have packaging sorting near your home leave packaging, newspapers and recyclable paper in the designated containers at a Recycling Station.

Hazardous waste

Hazardous waste is something that is harmful to humans, animals and our environment if left in the wrong place. It must therefore be sorted out and dealt with separately. Tins containing paint, glue, or solvent residues are hazardous waste. Drop off your hazardous waste at a Recycling Centre.

Electrical waste

Leave your dispose used light sources, electrical items and batteries at a manned Recycling Centre.

If you have a box for electrical items and batteries, hang it to one of your bins on the waste collection day. After the bin has been emptied, take the box back inside.

Recycling Centres

In Ludvika and Smedjebacken municipalities, there are four Recycling Centres: Björnhyttan, Fredriksberg, Nytäppan and Nor, where you dispose bulky household items, hazardous waste, electrical items and garden waste.

Recycling Centres

Björnhyttan: Saxdalsvägen 60, Ludvika

Fredriksberg: Tyforsvägen 20, Fredriksberg

Nytäppan: Industrivägen 8, Smedjebacken

Nor: Hemshyttevägen 20, Söderbärke

Recycling A to Z

A

Acetic acid

Recycling Centre – Hazardous waste

Acetone

Recycling Centre – Hazardous waste

Adhesive tape

Residual waste

Aerosol cans, metal (empty)

Metal packaging

Aerosol cans, metal (not empty)

Recycling Centre – Hazardous waste

Aluminium foil

Metal packaging

Aluminium forms

Metal packaging

Aluminium lids

Metal packaging

Ammunition

Hand in at a police station.

Apples (large mount)

Recycling Centre – Designated location

Asbestos

Recycling Centre – Designated location

Ash

Recycling Centre – Designated location

B

Baby bottles

Residual waste

Baby wipes

Residual waste

Bag-in-box (box)

Paper packaging

Bag-in-box (bag with tap)

Plastic packaging

Bags, paper

Paper packaging

Bags, plastic

Plastic packaging

Baking forms, paper

Residual waste

Baking paper

Residual waste

Balloons

Residual waste

Bandage

Residual waste

Batteries

Recycling Centre – Electrical waste

Bicycle helmets

Residual waste

Bicycle tires

Residual waste

Blister packs (for pills), foil

Metal packaging

Blister packs (for pills), plastic

Plastic packaging

Bones (meat, poultry and fish)

Food waste

Books (hard cover)

Residual waste

Books (soft cover)

Newspapers and recyclable paper

Bottles (deposit)

Recycle in your local store.

Bottles, glass (not deposit)

Glass packaging

Bottles, plastic (not deposit)

Plastic packaging

Branches and twigs

Recycling Centre – Designated location

Bread

Food waste

Bread toasters

Recycling Centre – Electrical waste

Bubble wrap

Plastic packaging

Builders waste (non-trade only)

Recycling Centre – Designated location

Buckets, old washing up bowls or tubs

Recycling Centre – Designated location

C

Cables

(with or without wall plug)

Recycling Centre – Electrical waste

Candles

Residual waste

Candy wrappers, paper

Paper packaging

Candy wrappers, plastic

Plastic packaging

Cans (deposit)

Recycle in your local store.

Cans, glass (not deposit)

Glass packaging.

Cans, metal (not deposit)

Metal packaging

Cans, plastic (not deposit)

Plastic packaging

Caps and lids, metal

Metal packaging

Caps and lids, plastic

Plastic packaging

Car batteries

Recycling Centre – Hazardous waste

Cardboard boxes

Paper packaging

(Leave larger cardboard boxes at a Recycling Station, a Recycling Centre or cut and flatten cardboard to ensure it fits in your bin.)

Cardboard packets

Paper packaging

Cardboard tubes (from inside toilet rolls and kitchen rolls)

Paper packaging

Carpet

Recycling Centre – Designated location

Car tires

Recycling Centre – Designated location

Cartons, drink and food (empty)

Paper packaging

Catalogue

Newspapers and recyclable paper

Cat litter

Residual waste

CDs and CD cases

Residual waste

Cellophane, plastic

Plastic packaging

Cell phone

Recycling Centre – Electrical waste

Ceramics and china

Recycling Centre – Designated location

Cereal boxes

Paper packaging

Cereal packets, plastic (inner liners)

Plastic packaging

Chemicals

Recycling Centre – Hazardous waste

Chewing gums

Residual waste

Chlorine

Recycling Centre – Hazardous waste

Chocolate boxes, paper

Paper packaging

Christmas trees, plastic

Recycling Centre – Designated location

Christmas trees, real

Recycling Centre – Designated location

Cleaner and detergent bottles, plastic (empty)

Plastic packaging

(For example bathroom cleaners, washing up liquid, bleach.)

Cleaner and detergent bottles, plastic (not empty)

Recycling Centre – Hazardous waste

(For example bathroom cleaners, washing up liquid, bleach.)

Cling film

Plastic packaging

Clothes peg

Residual waste

Clothes, shoes and textiles

Clothing collection, for example Human Bridge.

Cigarette boxes

Paper packaging

Cigarettes and cigarette ends

Residual waste

Cigarette lighters (empty)

Residual waste

Cigarette lighters (not empty)

Recycling Centre – Hazardous waste

Coffee capsules, metal

Metal packaging

Coffee capsules, plastic

Plastic packaging

Coffee filters

Food waste

Coffee grounds

Food waste

Combs

Residual waste

Computers

Recycling Centre – Electrical waste

Concrete

Recycling Centre – Designated location

Condoms

Residual waste

Contact lenses

Residual waste

Cooking oil (large amount)

Recycling Centre – Designated location

Cooking oil (small amount)

Residual waste

Corks, made of cork

Residual waste

Cosmetics

Recycling Centre – Hazardous waste

Cotton buds

Residual waste

Crisp packets, paper

Paper packaging

Crisp packets, plastic

Plastic packaging

Curling irons

Recycling Centre – Electrical waste

D**Daily newspapers**

Newspapers and recyclable paper

Degreasing solution

Recycling Centre – Hazardous waste

Dental floss

Residual waste

Deodorants, glass (empty)

Glass packaging

Deodorants (not empty)

Recycling Centre – Hazardous waste

Deodorants, plastic (empty)

Plastic packaging

Dish brushes

Residual waste

Dish cloths

Residual waste

Dish washers

Recycling Centre – Designated location

Disposable cutlery, plastic or wood

Residual waste

Disposable glasses or mugs, paper

Paper packaging

Disposable glasses or mugs, plastic

Plastic packaging

Disposable plates, paper

Paper packaging

Disposable plates, plastic

Plastic packaging

Dog faeces (bagged)

Residual waste

Drinking glasses

Recycling Centre – Designated location

DVD discs, video cassettes and cases

Residual waste

Dynamite

Hand in at a police station.

E**Earplugs**

Residual waste

Egg cartons, cardboard

Paper packaging

Egg cartons, plastic

Plastic packaging

Egg shells

Food waste

Electrical items

Recycling Centre – Electrical waste

Envelopes including windows

Newspapers and recyclable paper

Envelopes (padded)

Paper packaging

F**Fall fruit**

Recycling Centre – Designated location

Fire alarms

Recycling Centre – Electrical waste

Flashlights

Recycling Centre – Electrical waste

Flour bag

Paper packaging

Flower pot (crock or porcelain)

Recycling Centre – Designated location

Flower pot, plastic

Plastic packaging

Flower soil (large amount)

Recycling Centre – Designated location

Flower soil (small amount)

Residual waste

Flowers (without soil)

Food waste

Flower wrapping paper

Paper packaging

Fluorescent tubes and light bulbs

Recycling Centre – Electrical waste

Food scrapings (raw and cooked food)

Food waste

Fruits and vegetables peelings

Food waste

Fruit and vegetables punnets, cardboard

Paper packaging

Frying oil

Recycling Centre – Designated location

Frying pans

Recycling Centre – Designated location

Furniture

Recycling Centre – Designated location

Fuses

Recycling Centre – Designated location

G

Garden hoses

Recycling Centre – Designated location

Garden waste

Recycling Centre – Designated location

General kitchen ware (cutlery, pots and pans)

Recycling Centre – Designated location

Gift wrapping paper

Paper packaging

Glass bottles (deposit)

Glass packaging

Glass bottles and jars (not deposit)

Glass packaging

Glass (broken)

Recycling Centre – Designated location

Glass cookware (Pyrex dishes, drinking glasses and vases)

Recycling Centre – Designated location

Glue

Recycling Centre – Hazardous waste

Glycol

Recycling Centre – Hazardous waste

Grass cuttings

Recycling Centre – Designated location

H

Hair

Residual waste

Hair brushes

Residual waste

Hairspray bottles, metal (empty)

Metal packaging

Hairspray bottles (not empty)

Recycling Centre – Hazardous waste

Hairspray bottles, plastic (empty)

Plastic packaging

Halogen lamps

Recycling Centre – Electrical waste

Herbicides

Recycling Centre – Hazardous waste

Household chemicals

Recycling Centre – Hazardous waste

Hunting rifle

Hand in at a police station.

I

Ice-cream paper, plastic

Plastic packaging

Ice-cream sticks

Residual waste

Ice-cream tubs, plastic

Plastic packaging

Impregnating chemicals

Recycling Centre – Hazardous waste

Incontinence wear

Residual waste

Inhalers

Residual waste

Injection needles

Hand in at a pharmacy.

Ink cartridge (not empty)

Recycling Centre – Hazardous waste

Ink cartridge (with chip, empty)

Recycling Centre – Electrical waste

Ink cartridge (without chip, empty)

Residual waste

Insulation materials

Recycling Centre – Designated location

Invasive plants

Recycling Centre – Designated location

Irons and steam iron

Recycling Centre – Electrical waste

J

Jars, glass

Glass packaging

Jars, plastic

Plastic packaging

K

Kernels

Food waste

Ketchup bottle, plastic

Plastic packaging

Kettle

Recycling Centre – Electrical waste

Kitchen stove

Recycling Centre – Designated location

Knives

Recycling Centre – Designated location

L

Leaflets

Newspapers and recyclable paper

Leaves

Recycling Centre – Designated location

LED-lights

Recycling Centre – Electrical waste

Lids, metal

Metal packaging

Lids, plastic

Plastic packaging

Light bulbs and fluorescent tubes

Recycling Centre – Electrical waste

Lighter (empty)

Residual waste

Lighter (not empty)

Recycling Centre – Hazardous waste

Lighter fluid

Recycling Centre – Hazardous waste

Lye

Recycling Centre – Hazardous waste

M

Magazine

Newspapers and recyclable paper

Make up pads

Residual waste

Matches

Residual waste

Mattresses

Recycling Centre – Designated location

Meat residues and bones

Food waste

Medical cartons, cardboard

Paper packaging

Medical cartons and blister packs, plastic

Plastic packaging

Medical jars and bottles, plastic

Paper packaging

Medicine

Hand in at a pharmacy.

Metal (not packaging)

Recycling Centre – Designated location

Metal tubes (leave the lid on)

Metal packaging

Milk cartons (empty)

Paper packaging

Mirror glass

Recycling Centre – Designated location

Mobile phone charger

Recycling Centre – Electrical waste

Mosquito repellent

Recycling Centre – Hazardous waste

Motor oil

Recycling Centre – Hazardous waste

N

Nail polish

Recycling Centre – Hazardous waste

Nail remover

Recycling Centre – Hazardous waste

Napkins (serviettes), paper

Food waste or Residual waste

Nappies

Residual waste

Notebook paper

Newspapers and recyclable paper

Notebook (with metal spiral but without cardboard)

Newspapers and recyclable paper

Nylon stockings

Residual waste

O

Other bottles, jars and tubes for example perfume, after-shave, face cream and body cream (not empty)

Recycling Centre – Hazardous waste

Other glass bottles and jars, for example perfume, after-shave, face cream and body cream (empty)

Glass packaging

Other metal jars and tubes for example face cream and body cream (empty)

Metal packaging

Other plastic bottles, jars and tubes for example face cream and body cream (empty)

Plastic packaging

Oven cleaner

Recycling Centre – Hazardous waste

P

Pacifiers

Residual waste

Paint, solvent and varnishes tins (not empty)

Recycling Centre – Hazardous waste

Paper (for drawing and writing) and printing paper (home office)

Newspapers and recyclable paper

Paper bags (for flour, bread with more)

Paper packaging

Paper rolls

Paper packaging

Paper towels and tissues

Food waste or residual waste

Pastry box

Paper packaging

Peelings (fruit and vegetable)

Food waste

Pencils

Residual waste

Pesticides

Recycling Centre – Hazardous waste

Pizza boxes

Paper packaging

(Leave larger cardboard boxes, for example from family pizza, at a Recycling Station, a Recycling Centre or cut and flatten cardboard to ensure it fits in your bin.)

Plastic bags (for bread, fruits and vegetables with more)

Plastic packaging

Plastic cans and bottles (empty, not deposit)

Plastic packaging

Plastic films

Residual waste

Plastic (not packaging)

Recycling Centre – Designated location

Poison

Recycling Centre – Hazardous waste

Popcorn

Food waste

Porcelain mugs or cups (broken)

Recycling Centre – Designated location

Post cards

Residual waste

Potato peelings

Food waste

Potted plants, larger (with soil)

Recycling Centre – Designated location

Potted plants, smaller (with soil)

Residual waste

Power cord

Recycling Centre – Electrical waste

Pruning

Recycling Centre – Designated location

R

Radiator

Recycling Centre – Designated location

Razor blades

Residual waste

Razor, plastic

Residual waste

Receipt

Residual waste

Rechargeable device

Recycling Centre – Electrical waste

Reflex

Residual waste

Refrigerators and freezers

Recycling Centre – Designated location

Ribbons

Residual waste

Ring binders

Residual waste

Rubber boots

Residual waste

Rubber, latex or plastic gloves

Residual waste

S

Sanitary napkins

Residual waste

Saucepans

Recycling Centre – Designated location

Scissors

Recycling Centre – Designated location

Shellfish

Food waste

Shoes, clothes and textiles

Clothing collection, for example Human Bridge.

Shower curtain

Residual waste

Shrimp shells

Food waste

SIM-cards

Recycling Centre – Electrical waste

Slaughterhouse waste

Contact the County Adm. Board or a vet.

Sleepers

Recycling Centre – Designated location

Snuff

Residual waste

Soap (bar)

Recycling Centre – Hazardous waste

Sofas

Recycling Centre – Designated location

Soil

Recycling Centre – Designated location

Solvent

Recycling Centre – Hazardous waste

Spray bottles, metal (empty)

Metal packaging

Spray bottles (not empty)

Recycling Centre – Hazardous waste

Stain remover

Recycling Centre – Hazardous waste

Steel wool

Residual waste

Sticky notes

Residual waste

Styrofoam

Plastic packaging

T

Tables of wood

Recycling Centre – Designated location

Tablet boxes (sweets)

Plastic packaging

Tablet packets, plastic and foil

Plastic packaging

Tampons

Residual waste

Tape recorders

Recycling Centre – Electrical waste

Tea bags, nylon

Residual waste

Tea bags, paper

Food waste

Tea leaves

Food waste

Tea light holders, metal

Recycling Centre – Designated location

Tea light holders, plastic

Residual waste

Textile residues

Clothing collection, for example Human Bridge.

Thermometers (digital)

Recycling Centre – Electrical waste

Thermometers (quicksilver)

Recycling centre – Hazardous waste

Tiles

Recycling Centre – Designated location

Toiletries and other bathroom plastic bottles, for example soap, shampoo and shower gel (empty)

Plastic packaging

Toiletries and other bathroom bottles, for example soap, shampoo and shower gel (not empty)

Recycling Centre – Hazardous waste

Toilet roll tubes

Paper packaging

Tooth brushes

Residual waste

Tooth brushes (electric)

Recycling Centre – Electrical waste

Toothpaste tubes, plastic

Plastic packaging

Towels, cotton

Clothing collection, for example Human Bridge.

Towels, paper

Residual waste

Toys, metal or plastic

Recycling Centre – Designated location

Toys, with a cord or battery

Recycling Centre – Electrical waste

Trays and punnets (meat trays, take-away trays, fruit and vegetables trays), cardboard

Paper packaging

Trays and punnets (meat trays, take-away trays, fruit and vegetables trays), styrofoam or plastic

Plastic packaging

Tubes, metal (empty, leave the lid on)

Metal packaging

Tubes, plastic (empty)

Plastic packaging

U

Umbrella

Recycling Centre – Designated location

USB-stick

Recycling Centre – Electrical waste

V

Vacuum cleaners

Recycling Centre – Electrical waste

Vacuum cleaner bags

Residual waste

Vacuum packs

Plastic packaging

Vegetable and fruit peelings

Food waste

W

Washcloth

Residual waste

Washing powder, bottle

Plastic packaging

Washing powder, box

Paper packaging

Weapons

Hand in at a police station.

Wet wipes

Residual waste

Window glass

Recycling Centre – Designated location

Wire and cables

Recycling Centre – Electrical waste

Wood

Recycling Centre – Designated location

Wrapping paper

Paper packaging

Y

Yoghurt can

Plastic packaging

Yoghurt carton

Paper packaging

Z

Zink sheet

Recycling Centre – Designated location



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