













RECYCLING INFORMATION

SHAPE	ACCEPTABLE	NOT ACCEPTABLE
Screw Top Container	<p>All screw top containers marked:</p>  <p>Except: Pesticide containers, oil containers and prescription medicine containers.</p>	<p>All screw top containers marked:</p>  <p>And all unmarked containers.</p>
Wide Mouth Tubs	<p>All wide mouth tubs marked:</p> 	<p>Pails over 10 litres or any pails with handles.</p> <p>Food trays used for cookies, muffins, fast food, and individual pudding cups.</p> <p>Any microwavable trays or planters.</p>
Plastic Film	<p>Clean and dry plastic film marked:</p>  <p>Except: Agricultural film, shrink wrap, any film that came into contact with food</p>	<p>All plastic film clearly marked:</p>  <p>And all unmarked film.</p>
Other		<p>All other containers and plastic goods are not acceptable at this time</p>

CODE	 PETE	 HDPE	 PVC	 LDPE	 PP	 PS	 OTHER
NAME	Polyethylene Terephthalate	High Density Polyethylene	Polyvinyl Chloride	Low Density Polyethylene	Polypropylene	Polystyrene	Other
QUALITIES	Clear or coloured, tough; good gas and moisture barrier. Bottles have a raised dot on the base.	Unpigmented are translucent, stiff, good air barrier. Well suited to products with short shelf lives, such as milk. Pigmented are opaque, with good resistance to chemicals. Both don't crack when bent, slightly waxy.	Clear, colourless, with white creases. Bottles have seam on base. Excellent resistance to chemicals and good to weather.	Tough, flexible, transparent. Smooth, soft to the touch.	Transparent, clear or opaque, smooth, semi-rigid. Excellent chemical resistance; strong; high melting point.	Two forms: Rigid is hard and brittle. Foam is light, insulates against heat, cold, movement. Stiff but flexible, snaps when bent.	Made with resins other than the six above or more than one resin.
USES	Pop, water and mouthwash bottles; peanut butter and salad dressing jars; plastic film to cover food on trays and in microwave ovens.	Bottles for milk, juice, water, laundry products and household chemicals; margarine and yogurt tubs; cereal box liners.	Clear food packaging; shampoo bottles (from industrial sources only).	Plastic film, including heat-sealing; flexible lids; squeezable bottles; bread, frozen food and grocery bags.	Ketchup bottles; yogurt and margarine tubs; medicine bottles.	CD cases; food-service applications; grocery-store meat trays, plant trays; egg cartons; Aspirin bottles, cups and plates.	Large reusable water bottles; some citrus juice and ketchup bottles.
RECYCLED	Fibre for carpets; insulation for coats and sleeping bags; polyester clothes; tote bags; non-food bottles.	Liquid detergent containers, drainage pipe, oil bottles, recycling bins, benches, pens, dog houses, vitamin bottles, floor tiles, picnic tables, lumber, mailbox posts, fencing.	Packaging, binders, decking, panelling, roadway gutters, mud flaps, film and sheet, flooring, cables, speed bumps, mats.	Shipping envelopes, garbage cans and liners, floor tile, furniture, film and sheet, compost bins, panelling, landscape timber, lumber.	Auto battery cases, signal lights, battery cables, brooms and brushes, ice scrapers, oil funnels, landscape borders, bicycle racks, rakes, bins, pallets, trays.	Thermometers, light-switch plates, thermal insulation, egg cartons, vents, desk trays, rulers, licence-plate frames, foam packaging, carry-out containers, plant trays, mousetraps.	Custom products, plastic lumber.