Sorting your waste — packaging

Make sure to rinse packaging before recycling to get rid of any food residue. Lids and corks should also be separated and sorted by material according to the list below.



Plastic packaging



Plastic packaging — e.g. bottles plastic jars, small buckets and kegs, plastic carrier bags, plastic bags from rolls (e.g. for fruit and vegetables in grocery stores), refill packets, tubes, crisp packets and polystyrene.

Remove caps and lids. Empty your bag of plastic packaging items into the container so that all the items are loose — this makes the subsequent recycling process easier.



Plastic products that are not packaging items, such as bulky or household waste, e.g. utensils, toys and plastic folders. Bottles with a returnable deposit should be returned to the shops.

Paper packaging



Paper packaging — e.g. pasta boxes, milk or juice cartons, paper carrier bags, empty bags of sugar, shoe boxes, finished toilet rolls and cardboard boxes.

Flatten and fold up. Put smaller items into larger ones to save transport space.



Envelopes and post-it notes should be thrown away with the household waste/combustible waste. Newspapers, advertising flyers, etc. should be placed in the container for magazines and newspapers.

Metal packaging



Metal packaging — e.g. tin cans and empty spray cans, tubes, bottle tops, dried tins of paint. Fold in sharp lids on tin cans. Leave the caps on tubes.



Tins containing leftover paint and glue should be disposed of as hazardous waste. Scrap metal, plumbing and heating parts, frying pans and other items that are not packaging should be disposed of as bulky or household waste. Cans with a returnable deposit should be returned to the shops.

Glass packaging



Glass packaging — e.g. bottles and jars made of colored or clear glass.

Remove tops. lids and caps and sort them for recycling according to material. Place colored and clear glass packaging in the relevant container.



Bottles with a returnable deposit should be returned to the shops. Porcelain, ceramics and other products that are not packaging should be disposed of as bulky or household waste. Light bulbs and florescent tubes should normally be taken to the municipality's recycling centers.

Magazines and newspapers



Magazines and newspapers — e.g. daily newspapers, magazines, periodicals, catalogues, advertising flyers, brochures and writing/drawing paper, notebooks.

Remove any plastic bags and sticky advertising labels before placing the paper items in the container.



Envelopes and bound books should be thrown away with the household waste/combustible waste. Paper carrier bags, cartons, etc. should be placed the container for paper packaging items.

Household waste

The remaining waste is what cannot be sorted out as anything else and is not bulky or hazardous waste.

Hazardous waste

Hazardous waste that is the most important thing to discard correctly. This waste should be taken to special recycling centers (called ÅVC). In some recycling stations/rooms there is also a container for batteries and/or lightbulbs. The ÅVC we recommend is <u>Roslagstulls aterbruk</u> that is the closest facility for most of our accommodation areas. At this facility you can also leave any unwanted furniture/inventories so that it can be reused. For tenants staying at Lidingö, there is also a recycling center at <u>Stockbyvägen 3</u>.

Examples of hazardous waste:

- Batteries
- · Paint
- · Chemicals
- · Pharmaceuticals
- Lamps such as bulbs, fluorescent lamps, LEDlights
- · Electronics
- · Things with built-in batteries
- · Disposable barbeques

