

Differentiated refuse collection

Use it first --- then recycle it

This short, simple guide tells you how our new service for differentiated refuse collection works, and what is new about it:

- We will provide you with the right containers or bags for each type of refuse.
- For non recyclable refuse (non-differentiated) we will provide you with a container with its own electronic system that can measure the amount of refuse you produce, making it possible for us, very soon, to calculate the right charge for you to pay;
- The road-side bins will be removed from the municipality.

How does the service work?

Every household will be provided with a free kit of containers (bins and/or bags).

Users will be responsible for cleaning their own containers.

The refuse must be correctly packed using all the room in an individual container. The weight of any bag must not exceed 15 kg.

Users must themselves place the containers on the street, being careful not to impede pedestrians or road traffic.

Users must themselves put the containers to be emptied in place at 6.00am on the collection day.

If the container is put out and is found not to comply with the instructions, it will not be emptied and a special notice will be attached to it.

Collection times and days

Refuse must be put out for collection according to the following weekly timetable:

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
	ORGANIC (organic urban waste content) GARDEN WASTE (March to December 2009)	PAPER GLASS PLASTIC PACKAGING		NON- DIFFERENTIATED DRY REFUSE (solid urban waste) ORGANIC (organic urban waste content)	

If the collection day coincides with one of the public holidays that occur on a weekday, the refuse will not be collected, this will be done on the next scheduled day for the type of waste.

RECYCLING CENTRE:







In addition to the doorstep service, the municipal recycling centre in Via Costa will be available, a properly equipped, fenced off and supervised area for the disposal of differentiated refuse.

Opening hours:

- Monday and Wednesday from 10.00 to 12.00 and from 14.00 to 17.00
- Tuesday from 13.00 to 17.00
- Friday from 9.00 to 12.00 and from 13.00 to 17.00
- Saturday from 9.00 to 12.00 and from 14.00 to 17.00

The Municipality of Erbusco and Cogeme Gestioni have made a major investment in resources for this ambitious project and we are always on hand to provide any information you need or to answer your questions, either on the special free-phone number 800 721 314, or on our website www.cogeme.net.

Thanks – now it's up to you!

Refuse	Container	What can I put in it?	What can't I put in it?
Non-differentiated dry (urban solid waste)		tetrapak containers; tights; nappies and sanitary towels razors and razor blades, plastic cups, plates and cutlery; nylon, condoms, ballpoint and felt tip pens, cds, dvds, audiocassettes, cotton buds vacuum cleaner bags, oiled or plasticized paper.	Anything listed mentioned for the differentiated containers
Organic (organic urban waste content)		Cold kitchen scraps, cooked and raw meat, fish bones, coffee dregs and filters, tea and camomile tea (cold of course) Raw and cooked fruit and vegetables, peel, nuts, bread, pasta, rice, egg shells; wet or oily kitchen paper, hair, feathers	Plastic bags and sheets; cellophane, tinfoil; plasticized, adhesive, metallic, carbon and any dirty paper; milk and fruit juice containers etc.; dog and cat litter, cleaning residues, coal and soot, impregnated paper or cotton wool, household chemicals, nappies, sanitary towels, gauze and bandages, personal medicines
Paper and cardboard boxes		Magazines, newspapers, leaflets, paper bags, book and exercise books, clean pizza boxes, card and cardboard boxes (for pasta and other products of that type)	Waxed, oiled plasticized, adhesive, metallic, tarred paper or paper containing glass or nylon; containers with the CA mark, meaning paper mixed with other materials, paper cups or plates, liquid food containers in plasticized cardboard, tracing or fax paper, plasticized covers, wet paper or paper soiled with grease or food
Glass - cans		Glass bottles and jars, glasses, crystal objects; aluminium cans; tin cans and boxes; clean and flattened aluminium foil and food containers.	Porcelain objects, ceramics or terracotta, light bulbs and neon tubes, motor vehicle glass, plastic plates and cutlery.
Plastic packaging		Mineral water and soft drinks bottles, syrup cartons/dispensers, cream containers/dispensers; stiff boxes for confectionary; stiff and semi-stiff egg boxes; stiff and semi-stiff trays for meat and fish; plastic yoghurt and ice cream pots and tubs; powdered food containers, polystyrene trays and containers, non-food packaging, containers for detergents, soap, household and personal hygiene products, cosmetics, packaging film, plastic bags and shopping bags, plant pots, small items of polystyrene packaging.	Hospital waste, domestic appliances, household items of any kind, plastic toys, plastic cups, plates or cutlery, CD, audio and video cassette boxes, irrigation pipes/tubes, building waste, glue containers, paints, vanishes or solvents of any kind, coat hangers, handbags, car parts and accessories, building refuse sacks.
Garden waste		Twigs, branches, pruning waste from trees and bushes, small-size tree trunks, (maximum diameter 5cm and not weighing over 15 kg) Grass cuttings, dead flower heads, weeding debris	Plastic plant pots, stones, bags, large tree trunks and branches (diameter over 5 cm)