

National Packaging Waste Database

Summary of Recovery and Recycling

Table 1 - Recovery and Recycling Carried Out In 2012 Quarter 2

	Waste Accepted for UK Reprocessing	Waste Exported for Overseas Reprocessing	Total Waste Accepted or Exported	Total PRNs/PERNs Issued
Paper/board	326,483	470,343	796,826	723,251
Paper Composting	2,404	0	2,404	2,856
Glass	281,576	68,960	350,536	352,791
Aluminium	9,666	4,364	14,030	13,307
Steel	46,885	32,047	78,932	59,336
Plastic	52,875	93,000	145,875	117,405
Wood Composting	0	0	0	0
Wood	148,911	0	148,911	99,691
TOTAL RECYCLING	868,800	668,714	1,537,514	1,368,637
EfW	187,371	0	187,371	157,301
TOTAL RECOVERY	187,371	0	187,371	157,301
TOTAL RECOVERY (INC RECYCLING)	1,056,171	668,714	1,724,885	1,525,938

Table 2 - Waste Accepted/Exported by Agreed Protocols

		Gross ¹	Gross ¹	Gross ¹	Net ²	Net ²	Net ²
Paper Composting	Other (Agreed with local agency office)	2,404	0	2,404	2,404	0	2,404
Paper/board	100% Packaging	317,575	445,433	763,008	317,575	445,433	763,008
	Sorted Mixed Paper/Board	46,093	132,392	178,485	5,762	16,549	22,311
	Unsorted Mixed Paper/Board (unusable materials removed)	0	35,738	35,738	0	4,468	4,468
	Other (Agreed with local agency office)	212,568	46,364	258,932	3,147	3,893	7,040
Glass	100% Packaging	281,576	68,960	350,536	281,576	68,960	350,536
Aluminium	100% Packaging	8,661	1,069	9,730	8,661	1,069	9,730
	Old Rolled	3,573	12,736	16,309	486	1,732	2,218
	Mixed Aluminium Alloy Cuttings	2,012	2,630	4,643	187	245	432
	New Pure Aluminium	0	0	0	0	0	0
	New Scrap of Old Aluminium Alloy	3,691	153	3,843	332	14	346
	Other (Agreed with local agency office)	0	14,768	14,768	0	1,305	1,305
Steel	100% Packaging	32,393	4,792	37,186	32,393	4,792	37,186
	1+2 Mixed	153,211	372,384	525,595	843	2,048	2,891
	2	16,876	249	17,125	186	3	188
	Fragmentised	83,233	454,583	537,816	3,912	21,365	25,277
	4C	15,673	31,600	47,272	1,661	3,350	5,011
	4E	10,560	0	10,560	528	0	528
	8B	5,772	4,608	10,380	612	488	1,100
	Other (Agreed with local agency office)	9,557	0	9,557	6,751	0	6,751
Plastic	100% Packaging	52,875	93,000	145,875	52,875	93,000	145,875
	Other (Agreed with local agency office)	20	0	20	0	0	0
Wood	100% Packaging	63,776	0	63,776	63,776	0	63,776
	Other (Agreed with local agency office)	165,102	0	165,102	85,135	0	85,135
EfW	100% Packaging	176	0	176	176	0	176
	Municipal Waste	729,856	0	729,856	167,867	0	167,867
	Clinical Waste	3,462	0	3,462	208	0	208
	Other (Agreed with local agency office)	47,794	0	47,794	19,121	0	19,121
Total		2,268,489	1,721,459	3,989,948	1,056,174	668,714	1,724,888
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¹ figures in the Gross columns represent the tonnages of total waste received by UK reprocessors or exporters including the packaging waste element.

² figures in the Net columns represent the tonnage of total packaging waste received by UK reprocessors or exporters based on the appropriate protocol, where applicable.