

Your new waste bins for home sorting are coming soon

Three bins for seven types
of waste



How the standard home sorting service works

You will receive **three bins**, each with a capacity of 240 liters, designed for sorting **seven different types of waste**.



Food and residual waste bin: Food waste (120 liters) and residual waste (120 liters).

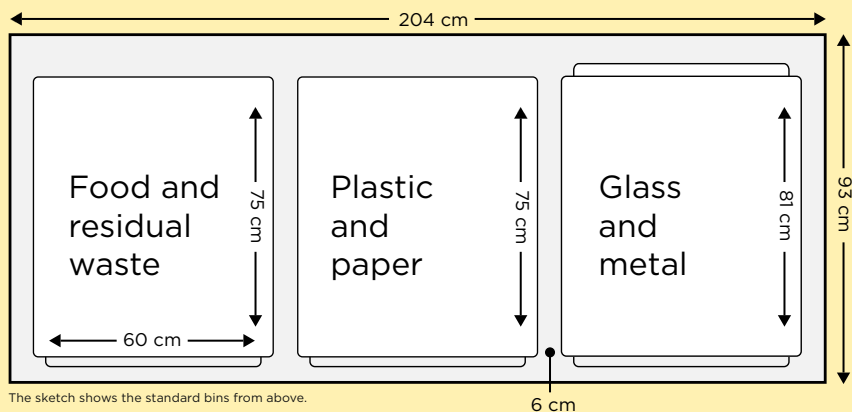
Plastic and paper bin: Plastic packaging (120 liters) and paper packaging (120 liters).

Glass and metal bin: Colored glass packaging (120 liters), clear glass packaging (90 liters) and metal packaging (30 liters).

Dimensions of your new bins

- » Height with closed lid: 112 cm
- » Height with open lid: 132 cm

Keep in mind that additional space is needed around the bins for easy access.



The sketch shows the standard bins from above.



Waste collection schedule

- » Food and residual waste, as well as plastic and paper packaging are collected every other week.
- » Glass and metal packaging is collected every four weeks.

You will receive information about your collection days when you get new bins. On collection day, make sure your bins are placed in an easily accessible location.

Less residual waste and more recycling

By 2027 everyone in Sweden will be able to sort waste at home. Studies show that home sorting cuts the amount of packaging thrown in residual waste by half and reduces residual waste by 20 percent.

Annual costs for food and residual waste

With home sorting, regular collection of packaging bins is free of charge. However, just like now, you will pay an annual fee for food and residual waste collection. A weight-based fee also applies to food and residual waste.

Large packaging should go to recycling stations

Recycling stations will remain available. There, you can dispose of newspapers, small batteries and large packaging.



Alternative bins for different needs

If you generate very little or a lot of waste, or if you compost food waste on your property, you can choose different bins instead of those included in the standard service. Make your selection using the online service at goteborg.se/valjkarl.

For those with little waste

- » Two bins for packaging, each with a capacity of 240 liters.
- » One bin for residual waste (190 liters), collected every four weeks.
- » One bin for food waste (140 liters), collected every other week.

For those with a lot of waste

- » Large bins (370 liters) available for any or all the three bin types.
- » Dimensions of the 370-litre bins:
 - Width: 76 cm
 - Depth of the residual- and food waste bin and the plastic- and paper bin: 80 cm
 - Depth of the glass- and metal bin: 88 cm
 - Height with lid closed: 112 cm
 - Height with lid open: 136 cm
- » Collection follows the same schedule as the standard service.

Extra waste

- » Three bins, each with a capacity of 370 liters.
- » An additional residual waste bin (190 liters) collected every other week.

Own compost

- » Two bins for packaging, each holding 240 or 370 liters.
- » One residual waste bin (140 liters) collected every other or every four weeks.

Requirements for this option:

- » An approved compost system for handling your own food waste.
- » Please select the 'Own compost' service at goteborg.se/valjkarl and then register your compost at goteborg.se/anmalkompost

Choose alternative bins at goteborg.se/valjkarl

At goteborg.se/valjkarl, you'll find more information about alternative bins and how to make your selection. You can also access the e-service by scanning the QR code. If you want the standard service, you don't need to make a choice.



More information at goteborg.se/hemsortering

- » Fees for different services.
- » Tips on how to reduce your waste.
- » Placement and access requirements for waste bins on your property.
- » Contact *Kretslopp och vatten's* customer service if you want to share a bin with your neighbor.