



### Paper packaging

**Examples of waste:**

- Pasta packages
- Milk cartons
- Egg cartons
- Corrugated cardboard
- Pizza boxes
- Gift wrap
- Paper bags

**What happens to the waste?**

Paper packaging becomes new paper.

*Remember:*

Flatten the cartons so that they don't take up as much room.



### Newspapers/waste paper

**Examples of waste:**

- Newspapers
- Magazines
- Paperback books
- Office paper
- Advertising papers

**What happens to the waste?**

Newspapers are recycled and become new paper.

*Remember:*

Envelopes and Post-Its should be thrown into combustible waste.



### Clear glass

**Examples of waste:**

- Bottles
- Jars

**What happens to the waste?**

Glass jars and bottles are recycled and turned into new glass.

*Remember:*

Corks and lids are sorted as plastic or metal. Drinking glasses, crystal objects and window glass should be taken to the landfill.



### Coloured glass

**Examples of waste:**

- Bottles
- Jars

**What happens to the waste?**

Glass jars and bottles are recycled and turned into new glass.

*Remember:*

Corks and lids are sorted as plastic or metal. Drinking glasses, crystal objects and window glass should be taken to the landfill.



### Landfill

**Examples of waste:**

- Drinking glasses
- Porcelain and ceramics
- Razor blades
- Fuses
- Eyeglasses

**What happens to the waste?**

The waste is processed at Mältan's ÅVC.

*Remember:*

Sort carefully so that as little as possible ends up in the landfill.



### Electrical waste

**Examples of waste:**

- Computers
- Light bulbs and fluorescent tubes
- Battery-operated toys
- Mobile phones
- Tablets
- Televisions
- White goods such as dryers, stoves, refrigerators, microwave ovens

**What happens to the waste?**

The material is recycled to the greatest extent possible.

*Remember:*

Electrical waste can contain hazardous substances. Batteries are taken to the battery collection container at ÅVC.



### Food waste

**Examples of waste:**

- Food scraps
- Fruit
- Potato and egg peels
- Coffee grounds and filters
- Paper towels/napkins
- Meat and fish bones
- Cut flowers

**What happens to the waste?**

The waste becomes biogas and biofertilizer.

*Remember:*

Soil may not be put into food waste because it gets caught during the production of biogas. Soil should be taken to Mältan as garden waste or use one of our garden services.



### Plastic packaging

**Examples of waste:**

- Plastic bottles and pots
- Toothpaste tubes
- Plastic bags
- Crisp bags
- Lids and corks made of plastic
- Styrofoam trays
- Cellophane

**What happens to the waste?**

The waste is recycled into new packaging.

*Remember:*

The packaging should be clean and empty.



### Combustible

**Examples of waste:**

- Nappies, sanitary napkins, tampons
- Cat litter
- Tooth brushes
- Chewing gum
- Cigarette butts and chewing tobacco
- Vacuum cleaner bags
- Candle stumps

**What happens to the waste?**

The waste is taken to a facility to be burned and transformed into district heating.

*Remember:*

The waste should be put in a plastic bag which is tied shut.



### Metal packaging

**Examples of waste:**

- Aluminium foil
- Food tins
- Caps
- Caviar tubes
- Lids
- Spray cans

**What happens to the waste?**

The waste becomes new metal.

*Remember:*

Take returnable tins to the tin return.

## OUR RECYCLING CENTRES (ÅVC)

There are 10 recycling centres in the municipality.

At a recycling centre, you can dispose of:

- Hazardous waste
- Electrical and electronic waste (Note! White goods such as stoves, washing machines and refrigerators are taken to Mältan ÅVC.)
- Wood (not pressure-treated)
- Scrap metal
- Bulk combustible waste
- Non-recyclable bulk waste (landfill)

You can also take the following to Mältan ÅVC:

- Garden waste (branches, leaves, sand, earth and rock masses)
- White goods such as stoves, washing machines, refrigerators/freezers
- Pressure-treated wood
- Automobile batteries
- Construction waste

## OPENING HOURS RECYCLING CENTRES

<b>Mältan</b>	Mon, Wed, Fri	9:00 am - 7:00 pm	<b>Nättraby</b>	Tues, Thurs	5:00 pm - 7:00 pm
	Tues, Thurs	9:00 am - 5:00 pm		Sat	9:00 am - 2:00 pm
	Sat, Sun	9:00 am - 2:00 pm		<b>Sturkö</b>	Tues, Thurs
<b>Aspö</b>	Mon, Wed, Fri	5:00 pm - 7:00 pm	Sun		9:00 am - 2:00 pm
	Sat	9:00 am - 12:00 pm	<b>Torhamn/ Gisslevik</b>		Mon, Wed, Fri
<b>Fågelmara</b>	Mon, Wed, Fri	5:00 pm - 7:00 pm		Sat	3:00 pm - 6:00 pm
	Sun	3:00 pm - 6:00 pm		<b>Tving</b>	Mon, Wed, Fri
<b>Haslö</b>	Mon, Wed, Fri	5:00 pm - 7:00 pm	Sun		9:00 am - 12:00 pm
	Sat	3:00 pm - 6:00 pm	<b>Holmsjö</b>		Tues, Thurs
<b>Jämjö</b>	Tues, Thurs	5:00 pm - 7:00 pm		Sun	1:00 pm - 6:00 pm
	Sat	9:00 am - 2:00 pm			