

WHAT DOES AND DOESN'T GO INTO COMPOSTABLE KITCHEN BIOWASTE BAGS?



- all solid residues from the preparation of meals of plant and animal origin;
- unconsumed leftovers and food, including gone-off food or products after best-before-date - with packaging removed;
- tea bags and coffee grounds;
- food after best-before-date, including meat and small bones (e.g. from poultry or fish);
- bread, bakery products, pasta, rice, pulses, cereals, etc.;
- food preserves without glass, tin or other packaging - without their liquid component;
- fruit and vegetables, including peels - even rotting;
- eggs and eggshells;
- used paper tissues/towels;
- certified compostable bags (marked with the logo: OK compost, OK home compost) and paper bags



- edible oils and fats;
- food packaging;
- packaging after consuming meals;
- bags without a composting certificate;
- coffee capsules, cigarette butts;
- garden waste and other municipal waste;
- liquid components of kitchen waste (e.g. soups, sauces, milk);
- large bones (e.g. ribs, marrowbones);
- non-food products such as nappies, vacuum cleaner contents, etc.



Compostable bags must not be stored in humid and warm environments, in direct sunlight or in extreme conditions. They may degrade or decompose.

HOW TO START WITH KITCHEN BIOWASTE RECYCLING?

All households will receive a free 10 l breather kitchen bin, certified compostable bags for 12 months in the number of 150 pieces and an information leaflet. Additional bags with **OK compost**, **OK home compost** certificate or paper bags can be purchased at shops.

FOR HOUSEHOLDS IN RESIDENTIAL BUILDINGS

Residents of apartment buildings will recycle kitchen biowaste into a compostable bag placed in a **10 l kitchen bin**. After filling up the bag, it is knotted and taken to the **120 l or 240 l brown collection container** (according to the number of inhabitants in the apartment building) marked with the sticker "**Kitchen biodegradable waste**" which is located near the apartment building.

FOR HOUSEHOLDS IN FAMILY HOUSES

Residents of family houses will recycle kitchen biowaste at home into a compostable bag placed in a **10 l kitchen bin**. After filling up a bag, it is knotted and placed in the **20 l brown collection container** marked with a sticker "**Kitchen biodegradable waste**". **Only this 20 l collection container** will be put outside at the usual place of waste collection of the communal waste on the collection day before **7:00**.



Please start recycling your kitchen biowaste at the earliest a week before the first collection. In this way you will prevent odours and biowaste from leaking out of the collection bin. For the first collection, see the collection schedule for the specific street. Residents of family houses place out only 20 l brown containers on the day of their collection.