



SIM

# Sorting plastics



**RINSE**



**DRY**



**THROW  
OUT**

Sorting plastic packaging is easy.  
All you have to do is rinse, dry and throw it out.

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## Rinse

Rinse the plastic in cold water, and give it a quick once over with your dish brush.



## Dry

Dry the water off so that the packaging is fairly dry.



## Throw out

Put the plastic packaging in the clear bag for plastic packaging that you have been provided with by SIM. On collection day, place the plastic bag next to your paper recycling. The waste collection vehicle will collect both your paper and plastic.





## Plastic packaging (in SIM-bags)

### ✓ Yes please

All clean plastic packaging.

For example:

- Plastic bottles/cans
- Plastic wrap/bags
- Plastic boxes/cups
- Flower pots

### ✗ No thanks

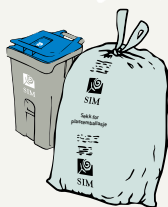
- Soiled plastic (food remains, etc.)
- Plastic packaging that contains the remains of hazardous waste
- Plastic that is not packaging (e.g. toys, furniture etc.)

## Recycling

Sorted plastic packaging will be gathered together and pressed before being transported to larger sorting plants.

## How does plastic sorting at SIM work?

From 9 April 2018, SIM's plastic scheme is a *collection scheme*. This means that SIM will collect plastic packaging from household customers. The plastic packaging should be placed in separate, clear special bags that you will receive from SIM, and the bag will be collected at the same time as paper recycling. To see on which days you can put out plastic packaging, check the collection calendar.



## What should you do?

- Collect clean and dry plastic packaging in the clear special bags you received from SIM.
- Place the bag beside or hang it from your paper recycling on the collection day for paper and plastic.
- If you are running out of plastic bags, tie a plastic packaging bag on your paper container and the driver will leave a new roll of bags after emptying it. You can also collect a new roll of bags at your nearest recycling centre.



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