



Examples of Rigid Plastic Containers we accept:



PET

DESCRIPTION
Polyethylene Terephthalate
(PET, PETE)

Properties: Clarity, strength, toughness, barrier to gas and moisture

COMMON GOODS

#1 Examples - Soft drink bottles, water bottles, peanut butter jars, window cleaner bottles, mouth wash bottles.



HDPE

High Density Polyethylene
(HDPE)

Properties: Stiffness, strength, toughness, resistance to moisture, permeability to gas.

#2 Examples - Laundry detergent bottles, windshield washer fluid bottles, coffee containers, milk jugs, butter tubs, medicine bottles.



PVC

Polyvinyl Chloride
(PVC)

Properties: Versatility, clarity, ease of blending, strength, toughness

#3 Examples - Shampoo bottles, cooking oil bottles, hand soap bottles, gladware container lids, juice bottles.



LDPE

Low Density Polyethylene
(LDPE)

Properties: Ease of processing, strength, flexibility, ease of sealing, barrier to moisture

#4 Examples - Mustard bottles, margarine tub tops.



PP

Polypropylene
(PP)

Properties: Strength, toughness, resistance to heat, chemicals, grease and oil, versatile

#5 Examples - Reusable microwaveable ware, yogurt containers, margarine tubs, disposable plates and cups.



PS

Polystyrene
(PS)

Properties: Versatility, clarity, easily formed

#6 Examples - Plastic cookie tray dish
Vegetable tub containers



OTHER

Other
(Often polycarbonate or ABS)

Properties: Dependent on polymers or combination of polymers

#7 Examples - Beverage bottles, baby milk bottles, electronic casings.



At this time we do not accept paint cans, motor oil containers, wax cartons, batteries, light bulbs, or wire hangers. Please contact our Customer Service Department at 1-800-201-0005 for a facility near you that will accept these items.