



Waste guidelines

Recycle + Pay -

Service d'hygiène

The City of Luxembourg's Service d'hygiène is in charge of the removal of mixed residual waste and recyclable materials in the various districts of the city, the emptying of public waste baskets and the cleaning of streets and certain public places. Furthermore, the Hygiene Service operates a recycling centre and handles snow removal, winter salting and the maintenance of fountains and self-cleaning toilets.

General information

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L-1140 Luxembourg
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📠 F. 453958
✉️ hygiene@vdl.lu
🌐 dechets.vdl.lu

Collection and removal schedule

To facilitate the sorting of waste, the City of Luxembourg offers bins and containers of different colours and volumes for its various collections, namely:

Black bin

Mixed residual waste

(If there is a one-off surplus of mixed residual waste, use a white garbage bag with the inscription "Ville de Luxembourg/Garbage bag", the points of sale of which can be found on dechets.vdl.lu)

Brown bin

Biodegradable waste (food and lawn waste)

Blue bin

Paper/cardboard

Green bin

Glass

Blue bags known as VALORLUX

PMC packaging waste

All collections are made between 6 am and 2 pm. Bins and containers are not allowed to obstruct traffic and must be taken out on the sidewalk on the day of collection before 6 am and returned without delay (except in the case of pre-ordered cleaning of a container). In case of unauthorised contents, the container will not be emptied. In order to guarantee the emptying of the containers, the covers must be completely closed. Any complaints must be made on working days before 12 a.m..

To find out the exact dates of the collections and the changes to the collection schedule for your street, see our exportable "i-calendar", printable on dechets.vdl.lu. The regular emptying day cannot be changed.

For any order, you will find a specific form on the site formulaire.vdl.lu, section hygiene.

The collection fees can be found on the back of the attached order form or on dechets.vdl.lu.

Regular collections

- The **mixed residual waste, paper/cardboard, glass and food/lawn waste** are collected once a week for an annual fee.

Order and cancellation of recipients in writing by the owner of the building, or by the trustee if it is under joint-ownership, by means of the form attached. Form exportable on formulaire.vdl.lu, section hygiene.

- **PMC packaging waste (plastic, metal, drink cartons), known as Valorlux**, is removed free of charge every two weeks. The Valorlux blue bags are also distributed free of charge. Find the distribution points on dechets.vdl.lu.

Other collections near you

- **Christmas trees:** In January, the Service d'hygiène also removes Christmas trees door-to-door during the regular collection of mixed residual waste.
- **Problematic waste:** The SuperDrecksKëscht® regularly serves your neighbourhood. More about it on www.sdk.lu

Free collections on request

- **Bulky waste** of a large size > 3 m³ that cannot be disposed of by your black container as well as bulky electrical appliances, scrap and old metals, wooden materials, etc.
- **Gardening waste**, such as hedge and tree cuttings, plants, potting soil, etc., intended for composting. Grass clippings are excluded from the collection of gardening waste and are to be disposed of through the collection of biodegradable waste.

A specific date for the collection is given to you on prior request.

Deposit items on the day of pickup prior to 6 am on the sidewalk or at the edge of your property, without hindering traffic and without endangering passers-by.

Waste not removed for any reason must be taken back at the end of the day.



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Customized waste sorting system | Points of sale for white trash bags in case of a one-off surplus of residual waste | i-calendar (collection dates, removal schedule) | Fees for collections and service



Order and cancellation of containers in writing by the owner of the building, or by the trustee if it is under joint-ownership, by means of the form attached. Forms can be downloaded on formulaire.vdl.lu, section hygiene.

Calculator: Recycle + Pay -

Our calculator, on dechets.vdl.lu, helps you to optimise your sorting expenses.

Example calculation for a household of 4 persons:

Without recycling	With recycling				
					
240 l	60 l	120 l	120 l	40 l	Valorlux
-	= 340 l				
-	Mixed residual waste	Paper/ Cardboard	Glass	Food/ lawn waste	PMC Waste
-	€120 / YEAR	€30 / YEAR	€30 / YEAR	€10 / YEAR	€0
€480 / YEAR = €40 / MONTH	Pay - €190 / YEAR = €16 / MONTH				

Public containers/ Igloos for separate collection of recyclable materials

Residents of the City may deposit:

- Paper/cardboard
- Hollow glass
- Batteries
- Clothing/textiles/shoes

To find the location of the nearest public container station, visit dechets.vdl.lu.

It is prohibited to place waste next to the containers even if they are full or to put waste into the containers between 10 pm and 7 am.

Recycling centre

The Service d'hygiène also operates a recycling centre, which is located in Luxembourg, rue du Stade.

Bring your pre-sorted recyclable materials to the recycling centre, which is free of charge for residents of the City of Luxembourg and those of the municipality of Strassen.

Opening hours: Mon. - Fri., 7 am - 7.30 pm and Sat. 8.30 am - 6 pm (last entry: 10 minutes before closing time)

For changes to opening hours due to public holidays, visit the website dechets.vdl.lu.

For more information about the recycling centre: T. 252865



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Paid services

Fees for services on the back of the form or on dechets.vdl.lu

Taking out and returning bins and containers¹

The Service d'hygiène can, for a fee, take your full container out and return your emptied container. In order to do this, access to the recipients must be guaranteed.

Additional emptying of bins and containers²

This service is invoiced according to the number of additional weekly emptyings.

In addition to the weekly emptying included in the annual fee, you can order a number of additional emptyings:

Per week	Monday to Friday	Saturday
Mixed residual waste		up to 5
Paper/ Cardboard	up to 2	
Glass	up to 2	
Biodegradable	up to 4	

Cleaning of bins and containers²

The cleaning of your bins and containers for household waste, paper/cardboard, glass or biodegradable waste is carried out by a second team on the day of collection after the collection truck passed by.

Ordering a lock¹

A lock can be installed on the container against payment of a flat fee. One key per lock will be provided.

Rental of containers with large capacity (8 m³ - 30 m³)³

Ordering of large capacity containers (8 m³, 16 m³ with compactor, 20 m³, 30 m³): detailed information on 4796-3640. A consultant of the Service d'hygiène will come to the site to check the conditions of the site and will take care of all the administrative procedures related to the street authorisations, for which it is necessary to allow a duration of 5 working days.

Bulk Removal³

The Service d'hygiène offers various collections of bulk on request and according to the fees in force:

- Bulky waste larger than 3 m³ and/or from companies
- Hollow glass
- Paper/Cardboard

General Snow Removal - €50 per season (from 1st November to 31 March)

People older than 65 and/or people with special needs living alone can contact the Service d'hygiène to have their sidewalk and snow path cleared.

¹ Order and cancellation in writing by the owner of the building or by the trustee, if it is under joint ownership:
Forms exportable on formulaires.vdl.lu, section hygiène.

- **Taking out and Returning recipients:** "Sortie et Rentrée des recipients" - form
- **Lock:** "Placement/Reprise des recipients avec/sans serrure" - form

² Order and cancellation in writing by the user / operator or by the owner of the building or by the trustee if it is a joint ownership.

- **Cleaning of bins and containers:** "Nettoyage des recipients" - form
- **Additional weekly emptying:** "Vidanges supplémentaires de récipients" - form

³ In order to set a date for a one-time waste collection and to find out the best way to dispose of your bulky objects in the event of renovation or conversion, removal or breaking-up of a household, check beforehand with the Service d'hygiène at T. 4796-3640.



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Système de tri sur mesure | Points de vente sacs poubelle blancs à utiliser en cas de surplus ponctuel de déchets résiduels | i-calendar (dates des collectes, tournées d'enlèvement) | Taxes des collectes et prestations



Commande et annulation des récipients par écrit par le propriétaire de l'immeuble ou par le syndic s'il s'agit d'une copropriété moyennant le formulaire ci-joint. Formulaire téléchargeable sur formulaires.vdl.lu rubrique hygiène.

Summary table

Door-to-door collections



Accepted garbage

Used plastic plates, soiled trays (aluminium and polystyrene), refill vessel (soap, bleach), camembert box, baby diapers, plastic cups, cigarettes handkerchiefs, q-tips, dirty plastic, cat litter, cold ash, sweepings, vacuum cleaner bags, tapestry



Accepted garbage

Paper and carton, newspapers, books, cardboard egg cartons



Accepted garbage

Hollow glass



Accepted garbage

Grass, food leftovers peelings, hard bread, cut flowers shells of crustaceans, egg shells



Accepted garbage

Clean aluminium trays, food and drink cans, caps (metal, plastic), plastic bottles, beverage cartons

Door-to-door collections on request



Accepted garbage

hedge trimmings, plants, soil, sand,
roses, branches, Christmas trees



Accepted garbage

Large electronic multimedia devices, large household appliances,
ironing boards, car tires and rims (max 4.), furniture, bicycles, carpets,
wood, scrap, carpeting, floor coverings, mattresses, shutters,
window frames without glass, ceramic sanitary installations

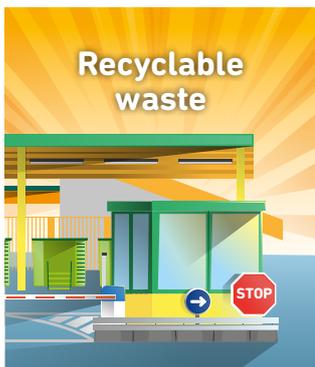
Public containers/ Igloos



Accepted garbage

Cardboard, glass, clothing / textiles, batteries

Recycling centre



Accepted garbage

Different kinds of plastic (plastic film, sachets, hard plastic, yogurt jars, plastic plates, plant pots),
glass bricks, shoes and clothing, aluminium foil, window glass (with and without frame),
electric toys, electrical tools aerated concrete, cork, mirrors, wood, scrap, gardening wastes,
grass, paper, cardboard, audio-visual apparatuses, household appliances, plaster, asbestos,
hollow glass, flat glass

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Toxic waste



Flammable



Corrosive



Toxic

Batteries, medications, paint (solid or liquid),
office utensils (pens, pencils, ink ...), CDs, printer + copy
machine accessories, mercury and articles containing
mercury, bulbs, putty (mastic), coating, toothpaste, makeup,
neon tubes, oil and articles containing oil, grease and objects
containing grease

**FORMULAIRE DE COMMANDE OU D'ANNULATION POUR:
PLACEMENT / REPRISE DE RÉCIPIENTS AVEC / SANS SERRURE**

Adresse de la prestation

N° d'imposition / dossier
Code pays/postal, localité
Rue, numéro
Remarques

**Adresse de facturation du propriétaire de l'immeuble
ou du syndic s'il s'agit d'une copropriété**

Nom Prénom
Société/Association
Code pays/postal, localité
Rue, numéro
Téléphone(s) Fax
E- Mail

Personne à contacter

Nom et prénom
Téléphone(s) Fax
E- Mail

Indiquez le NOMBRE EXACT de récipients sans / avec serrure
à LIVRER dans les champs correspondants.

À LIVRER		40L	60L	80L	120L	240L	660L	770L	1100L
Déchets résiduels	sans serrure								
	avec serrure								
Papier / Carton	sans serrure								
	avec serrure								
Verre	sans serrure								
	avec serrure								
Biodégradables	sans serrure								
	avec serrure								

Indiquez le NOMBRE EXACT de récipients sans / avec serrure
à ENLEVER dans les champs correspondants.

À ENLEVER		40L	60L	80L	120L	240L	660L	770L	1100L
Déchets résiduels	sans serrure								
	avec serrure								
Papier / Carton	sans serrure								
	avec serrure								
Verre	sans serrure								
	avec serrure								
Biodégradables	sans serrure								
	avec serrure								

Prestation avec effet au

N° d'identification des récipients concernés

**Signature du propriétaire de l'immeuble ou du syndic
s'il s'agit d'une copropriété**

Nom Fonction
Date Signature

TARIFS PAR RÉCIPIENT AVEC EFFET AU 1.1.2017

Tarifs annuels (Les tarifs du règlement-taxes en vigueur faisant foi).
D'éventuels changements sur la tarification des taxes pouvant survenir,
il est conseillé de les consulter sur dechets.vdl.lu.

DÉCHETS RÉSIDUELS EN MÉLANGE (jusqu'à 6 vidanges par semaine)

CAPACITÉ			40L	60L	80L	120L	240L	660L	770L	1100L
1 ^{ère}	vidange	régulière	-	€120	€160	€240	€480	€1,320	€1,540	€2,200
	vidange	supplémentaire	-	€132	€176	€264	€528	€1,452	€1,694	€2,420
1 ^{ère}	sortie + rentrée	régulière	-	€165	€165	€165	€165	€493	€493	€493
	sortie + rentrée	supplémentaire	-	€181,50	€181,50	€181,50	€181,50	€542,30	€542,30	€542,30

PAPIER / CARTON (jusqu'à 3 vidanges par semaine)

CAPACITÉ			40L	60L	80L	120L	240L	660L	770L	1100L
1 ^{ère}	vidange	régulière	-	-	-	€30	€60	€165	-	€275
	vidange	supplémentaire	-	-	-	€33	€66	€181,50	-	€302,50
1 ^{ère}	sortie + rentrée	régulière	-	-	-	€165	€165	€493	-	€493
	sortie + rentrée	supplémentaire	-	-	-	€181,50	€181,50	€542,30	-	€542,30

VERRE (jusqu'à 3 vidanges par semaine)

CAPACITÉ			40L	60L	80L	120L	240L	660L	770L	1100L
1 ^{ère}	vidange	régulière	-	-	-	€30	€60	-	-	-
	vidange	supplémentaire	-	-	-	€33	€66	-	-	-
1 ^{ère}	sortie + rentrée	régulière	-	-	-	€165	€165	-	-	-
	sortie + rentrée	supplémentaire	-	-	-	€181,50	€181,50	-	-	-

BIODÉGRADABLES (jusqu'à 5 vidanges par semaine)

CAPACITÉ			40L	60L	80L	120L	240L	660L	770L	1100L
1 ^{ère}	vidange	régulière	€10	-	-	€30	€60	€165	€192,50	€275
	vidange	supplémentaire	€11	-	-	€33	€66	€181,50	€211,75	€302,50
1 ^{ère}	sortie + rentrée	régulière	€165	-	-	€165	€165	€493	€493	€493
	sortie + rentrée	supplémentaire	€181,50	-	-	€181,50	€181,50	€542,30	€542,30	€542,30

Tarifs unitaires (Les tarifs du règlement-taxes en vigueur faisant foi)

Nettoyage	€3.75	par récipient à 2 roues	BIO
	€7.50	par récipient à 4 roues	BIO
	€7.50	par récipient à 2 roues	déchets résiduels, papier/carton, verre
Serrure	€15.00	par récipient à 4 roues	déchets résiduels, papier/carton
	€30.00	par récipient	non remboursable
Sacs-poubelle blancs	€4.00	par sac-poubelle blanc	vendus en rouleaux de 5 sacs

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