



Ware 4 Bins & Recycling

Bins, Trolleys, Recycling and Waste Containers

Rubbermaid Commercial Products

Many large manufacturers such as Rubbermaid have realised the importance of analysing their environmental impacts and ensuring the quality of their products through sustainable and responsible manufacturing. Ware 4 works with Rubbermaid to supply a vast range of waste & janitorial products and time and time again they prove to be the most popular choice from customers due to their high quality and value-for-money.



Life Cycle

Design

- All products are designed and tested to be of the highest quality and durability for a long lifespan and low replacement & maintenance costs.
- Rubbermaid products encourage effective and easy recycling.
- They are designed to function and last in their specific environment which could be anywhere from internal, external, school, hospital, office or warehouse.



Raw Materials

- Materials are sourced to meet stringent quality and environmental standards
- All products, plastic, aluminium or steel, are 100% recyclable
- There are zero heavy metals in the plastic colourants
- Many products contain a significant proportion of post-consumer recycled content

Manufacturing

- Products are manufactured in the USA and shipped to the UK office for distribution.
- RCP have zero factory emissions and 100% of non-conforming products after production checks are reground and reused.



Inside the UK Rubbermaid warehouse

Picking & Packaging

- Once an order has been processed the goods are picked using a complex automated system of large 14 metre fork lift trucks and conveyor belts
- Each product is individually bar-coded and its movement from order to despatch is completely automated with the minimum of human intervention. The UK site handles some £4 million of goods each week so it is amazing how quickly orders can be turned around
- Goods are transported along the conveyor belt ready to be wrapped and stacked onto a pallet
- Packaging is produced using less material and higher recycled and recyclable content. Most packaging is recyclable
- All pallet deliveries can be handballed off and the pallet retained by the courier for re-use



Can you spot your Rubbermaid order?

Transportation

- RCP allow distributors to arrange deliveries direct from their warehouse to reduce transport distances
- Goods come in minimum quantity packs and orders can be supplied in bulk in one-drop deliveries



Recycling

- Rubbermaid products are consistent with the goals outlined in our Environmental Policy and Environmental Management System because of their quality and longevity
- All Rubbermaid products are recyclable but because they last so long we offer a unique and 'greenest' range of recycled recycling bins!
- In this process unwanted and redundant stock bins (for example where a company wants to upgrade their scheme) are collected and cleaned up for resale at a hugely discounted rate
- The scheme has allowed us to sell, among other products, over 300 second-hand RCP Slim Jims that would otherwise have been discarded. Check out our 'stock offers' list for regular updates.

