

**Statistics on the Disposal and Recovery of  
Food Waste, Paper, Plastics, Metals, Glass and  
Other Types of Municipal Solid Waste (MSW) between 2014 and 2016**

<b>Food Waste</b>	<b>2014</b>	<b>2015</b>	<b>2016</b>
Disposal Quantity (tonnes per day)	3 640	3 382	3 600
• Domestic waste	2 608	2 397	2 326
• Commercial & industrial waste	1 033	985	1 274
Total Recovery Quantity (thousand tonnes)	7	14	16
Recovery Rate	1%	1%	1%

<b>Paper</b>	<b>2014</b>	<b>2015</b>	<b>2016</b>
Disposal Quantity (tonnes per day)	1 922	2 257	2 244
• Domestic waste	1 223	1 339	1 358
• Commercial & industrial waste	699	918	886
Total Recovery Quantity (thousand tonnes)	948	896	806
Recovery Rate	57%	52%	50%

<b>Plastics</b>	<b>2014</b>	<b>2015</b>	<b>2016</b>
Disposal Quantity (tonnes per day)	2 015	2 183	2 132
• Domestic waste	1 303	1 351	1 257
• Commercial & industrial waste	713	832	875
Total Recovery Quantity (thousand tonnes)	99	94	126
Recovery Rate	12%	11%	14%

<b>Metals</b>	<b>2014</b>	<b>2015</b>	<b>2016</b>
Disposal Quantity (tonnes per day)	209	236	242
• Domestic waste	120	123	139
• Commercial & industrial waste	89	113	103
Total Recovery Quantity (thousand tonnes)	921	948	880
Recovery Rate	92%	92%	91%

<b>Glass</b>	<b>2014</b>	<b>2015</b>	<b>2016</b>
Disposal Quantity (tonnes per day)	285	367	329
• Domestic waste	178	242	193
• Commercial & industrial waste	107	125	136
Total Recovery Quantity (thousand tonnes)	8	9	9
Recovery Rate	7%	6%	7%

<b>Other types of MSW</b>	<b>2014</b>	<b>2015</b>	<b>2016</b>
Disposal Quantity (tonnes per day)	1 710	1 732	1 798
• Domestic waste	985	1 012	1 118
• Commercial & industrial waste	724	721	681
Total Recovery Quantity (thousand tonnes)	71	71	76
Recovery Rate	10%	10%	10%

Note: The overall MSW recovery rates in 2014, 2015 and 2016 were 37%, 35% and 34% respectively. The recovery rate by type of recyclable varied.