



# glass recycling in Spain

## Key figures



**73%** of glass packaging  
was collected for recycling  
in Spain in 2020.



**19 kg** is the average  
amount of glass collected  
per capita.

## Economic and legal incentives



**Regional landfill tax**  
40 EUR/t



**Pay as You Throw**  
in 10 to 20 municipalities



**Regional incineration tax**  
20 EUR/t

# Glass collection

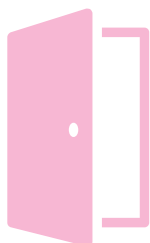


**The collection** is operated either by the municipalities or contracted to Ecovidrio (PRO\*). Ecovidrio covers collection in 60% of municipalities.

**5 years** is the duration of a contract for collection.



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**Majority** of household glass containers are collected through glass banks. The door-to-door collection is mostly for the HORECA sector.

**Mixed colours** of the collected glass.



\*PRO - packaging recovery organisation