

Spanish symbol for packaging recycling

Voluntary information system to help the end user correctly sort packaging for recycling.



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1. Why a Symbol for recycling?

The proper sorting of packaging waste in the home is critical to the recycling process.

End users often have doubts as to which container to deposit each packaging item in, or its component parts, and would appreciate having information on the packaging itself to guide them in this effort.

Moreover, the environmental commitment of companies, which includes their interest in supporting the public to recycle more and better, is reinforced by the **obligation laid out in Royal Decree 1055/2022**. This regulation states that **by 2025, household packaging will indicate the fraction or container into which said packaging waste must be deposited**. Until then, including this information is voluntary.

2. Introducing the Symbol for recycling packaging

- ✓ The packaging recycling Symbol is an information system designed to help the end user to correctly sort the packaging for subsequent recycling.
- ✓ It can be displayed **free of charge and voluntarily** on the household packaging deposited in the Yellow, Blue, Green and Brown containers, always in keeping with the instructions provided in this Manual.
- ✓ It comes in different versions for each of the four container types available for the separate collection of packaging:



In the Yellow container
Plastic, metal and carton packaging



In the Blue container
Paper and cardboard packaging.



In the Brown container
Compostable packaging.



In the Green container
Glass packaging.

4. Using the Symbol on each type of material

4.1 Symbol for packaging to be deposited in the Yellow container

This is the symbol to be used on **household plastic, metal and carton packaging** that has to be deposited in the **Yellow separate collection container**. For example: plastic packaging (beverages, shampoo, detergent, bath gel, shopping bags...), metal packaging (soda cans, cans of preserves, deodorants...) and carton-type packaging (juice, milk, smoothies, broth...).

Version A

Symbol for recycling packaging **YELLOW**



Version B

Symbol for recycling packaging **YELLOW**



4. Using the Symbol on each type of material

4.2 Symbol for packaging to be deposited in the Blue container

This is the symbol to be used **on household paper and/or cardboard packaging** that has to be deposited in the **Blue separate collection container**. For example: boxes of biscuits, cereals, shoes, frozen products, paper bags...

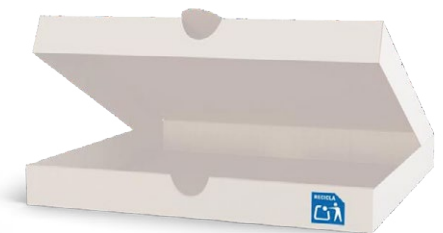
Version A

Symbol for recycling packaging **BLUE**



Version B

Symbol for recycling packaging **BLUE**



5. Design

5.1 Use of colour. Official colours

Although it is not mandatory to use PANTONE colours or their four-colour equivalent, it is recommended that the Symbol for recycling appear in its official colour.



YELLOW
C: 0 M: 10 Y: 100 K: 0
PANTONE: 109 C

BLUE
C: 100 M: 50 Y: 0 K: 0
PANTONE: 300 C

BROWN
C: 32 M: 65 Y: 84 K: 21
PANTONE: 4635 C

GREEN
C: 100 M: 0 Y: 100 K: 0
PANTONE: 348 C

BLACK
C: 0 M: 0 Y: 0 K: 100
PANTONE: Process Black C

5. Design

5.2 Colour on coloured backgrounds

To maximize flexibility and proper legibility, other colours can be used for the Symbol, on a white, coloured or transparent background.

It is important to remember that when it is not possible to print with the official colours, the version of the Symbol has to be used that provides a written mention of the container's colour.

Version A

Official colour	In any colour	Any white or transparent background colour	Black on white or transparent background	Official colour on contrasting background	Black on monochrome background	Black on monochrome background	White on monochrome background

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5.2 Colour on coloured backgrounds

In multi-material versions, the colour is applied as shown herein.

Version B

Official colour	In any colour	Any white or transparent background colour	Black on white or transparent background	Official colour on contrasting background	Black on monochrome background	Black on monochrome background	White on monochrome background

5. Design

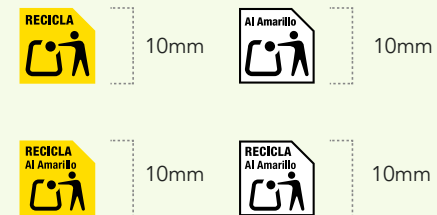
5.3 Size of the Symbol

The recycling Symbol should be quickly visible and identifiable by users.

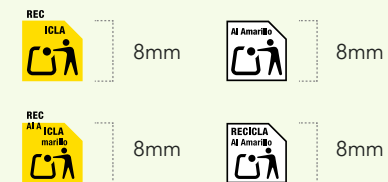
Its size should be appropriate to preserve the effectiveness of the message.

This figure depicts the Yellow version of the Symbol, and extends to the Blue, Green and Brown versions, and to the versions for multimaterial packaging and for the international market.

Recommended minimum size: 10mm



Minimum size allowed: 8mm



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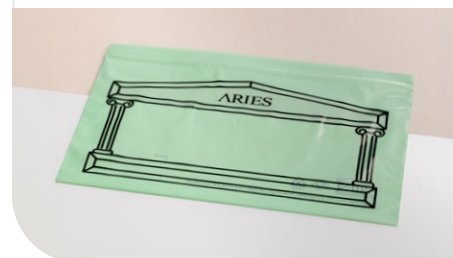
E-commerce packaging

Kraft paper fluted boxes and mailing bags and envelopes.



Poly bags

Made from recycled, water soluble or biodegradable materials.



Gift packaging

Made from bamboo paper, kraft paper, organic cotton and more.

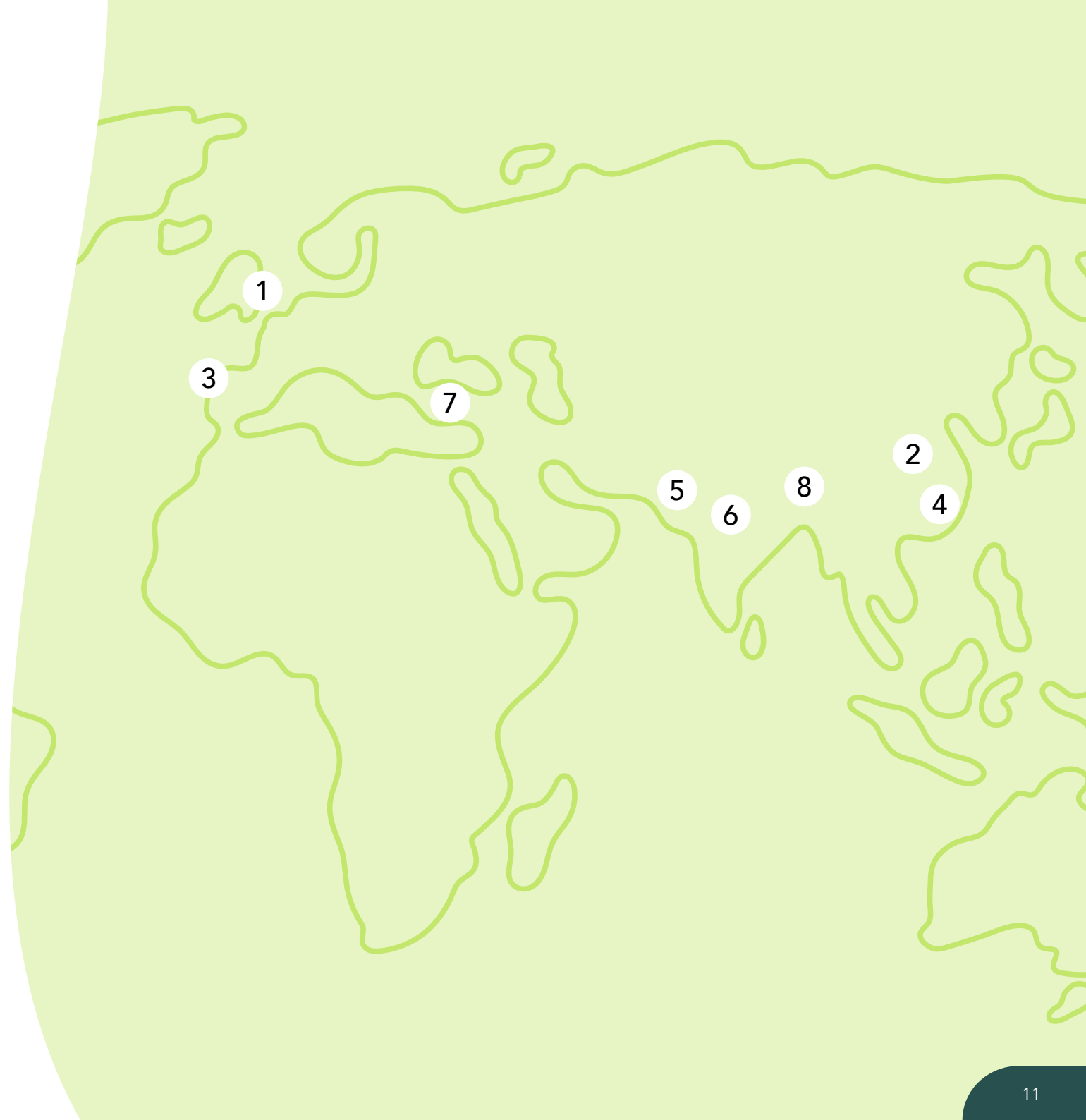


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