

## Become a Member

The following companies or individuals can become a member of our association:

- **Companies** which produce recycle from secondary raw materials from household waste separate collection or which use such in their products, in accordance with the quality and inspection regulations of the quality association; i.e. any company which produces such recycle or uses it in packaging/products.
- Associations or individuals representing business or trading interests who have a justified interest in quality assurance.

### Interested?

Please request our contribution rules and further information from our office.

## Gütegemeinschaft Rezyklate aus haushaltsnahen Wertstoffsammlungen e. V.

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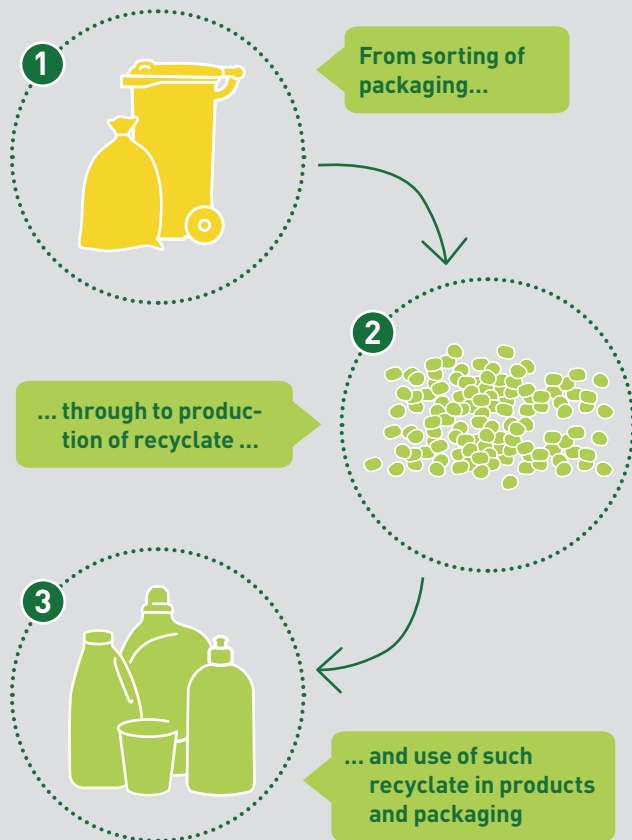
## Yellow Bag inside – From Shelf to Shelf

Gütegemeinschaft Rezyklate  
aus haushaltsnahen  
Wertstoffsammlungen e. V.

## Our Quality Association

Together with partners at RAL Institute for Quality Assurance and Labelling, Der Grüne Punkt has founded the **Gütegemeinschaft Rezyklate aus haushaltsnahen Wertstoffsammlungen e. V.**

The objective of the association is to ensure complete verification of the origin of secondary raw materials from the Yellow Bag or the Yellow Bin and to provide transparent and clear tracking of such through to use in new products and packaging.



## The Quality Mark

By using the **Quality Mark % - Recycled Plastics**, members of the quality association can show that plastics from the Yellow Bag/Yellow Bin or similar systems have been recycled in high quality and used in new packaging or products. The exact share is shown in respective percentage values.

Plastic packaging from other European countries originating from similar systems of household waste collection can be incorporated.



The consumer buying a product or packaging with this Quality Mark can be sure of acquiring an article which is environment-friendly and conserves resources. The Quality Mark also makes the consumer aware that waste separation is the basis for genuine recycling management. It becomes a 'symbol of trust' of a functioning recyclable material system and is available to members of the quality association in German and in English.

## The Benefits

RAL Quality Marks stand for a high level of **reliability**, strict **impartiality** and **updated status**. The principles of RAL form the basis by which all Quality Marks are recognized, awarded and monitored.

The RAL Quality Marks differ from other labels in many ways:

- It is accepted and impartial
- Transparent and tests processes
- Design options within bodies
- Promotionally effective label for its clients and for consumers

In addition, as a distributor of packaging, you can verify the use of recyclates in accordance with § 21 of the Packaging Act by using our Quality Mark.

