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Introduction

In many European countries, the collection of household waste is part of a waste management system, which means that households have to separate out waste according to the final method of disposal.

This European Standard is based on the existing national standards for plastics sacks for waste collection available at the date of issue which are listed in the bibliography.

1 Scope

This European Standard specifies the general characteristics, test methods and requirements for sacks made from plastics films, used for household waste pre-collection, household waste collection, or household selective waste collection.

2 Normative references

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EN 22248, *Packaging – Complete, filled transport packages – Vertical impact test by dropping* (ISO 2248:1985).

EN ISO 527-3, *Plastics – Determination of tensile properties – Part 3: Test conditions for films and sheets* (ISO 527-3:1995).

EN ISO 7965-2, *Sacks – Drop test – Part 2: Sacks made from thermoplastic flexible film* (ISO 7965-2:1993).

ISO 1043-1, *Plastics – Symbols and abbreviated terms – Part 1: Basic polymers and their special characteristics*.

ISO 4593, *Plastics – Film and sheeting – Determination of thickness by mechanical scanning*.