

Annex 1 – U1 Use of wastes to construct and maintain surfaces and barriers

Use of clean hard-core, waste minerals, road planings and other wastes to construct and maintain surfaces and barriers

You can use the U1 exemption for only one construction activity, up to the limit specified for that construction activity

Table A – U1 exemption uses and restrictions

Use	Type of construction	Maximum quantity of waste	General conditions
General conditions applying to all wastes and uses	See uses A - I	See uses A – I	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> The total of all wastes stored must not exceed 500 cubic metres at any one time Wastes must be stored securely and must not be stored for more than 12 months Wastes must be stored more than 50m from a spring, well or borehole and at least 10m from a watercourse Waste types used must be free of contaminants and of appropriate engineering standard to fulfil the relevant use Activities must not include raising the level of land, filling hollows, or backfilling

Use	Type of construction	Maximum quantity of waste allowed (as specified in Table B of Annex 1)
A	Tracks, footpaths, bridleways	500 cubic metres. No more than 1.2 cubic metres of waste per metre length of track and no more than 0.5 metres depth.
B	Sub-base for roads	500 cubic metres. No more than 1.2 cubic metres of waste per metre length of road and no more than 0.5 metres depth.
C	Hardstanding around gateways	10 cubic metres. No more than 0.5 metres in depth.

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Use	Type of construction	Maximum quantity of waste allowed (as specified in Table B of Annex 1)
D	Hardstanding for parking or equipment Construction site access and site preparation	500 cubic metres. No more than 0.5 metres depth.
E	Barriers and walls to protect and secure premises and livestock	500 cubic metres. Barriers and walls of no more than 1.25 metres high and 1.5 metres at the base.
F	Mending of banks for watercourse maintenance.	500 cubic metres. Must be in accordance with any flood risk activity permit.
G	Soft surfacing for paths and animal standing and exercise areas.	500 cubic metres. For paths and tracks 1.2 cubic metres of waste per metre length of no more than 0.5 metres depth For a livestock woodchip pad or corral of no more than 0.5 metres depth.
H	Noise bund	500 cubic metres.
I	Flood defence bunds	500 cubic metres. Must be in accordance with any flood risk activity permit.

Table B – U1 exemption permitted waste types

Waste code chapter	Waste code sub-chapter	Waste code	Waste Type	Restrictions and specified uses in Table A	Hazardous waste assessment required
01 Waste resulting from exploration, mining, quarrying and physical and chemical treatment of minerals	01 01 wastes from mineral excavation	01 01 02 (AN) ¹	Wastes from mineral non-metalliferous excavation	Waste overburden and interburden only. Uses A, B, C, D, E, F, H, and I	No
	01 04 Wastes from physical and chemical processing of non-metalliferous minerals	01 04 08 (MN) ²	Waste gravel and crushed rocks other than those mentioned in 01 04 06	Uses A, B, C, D, E, F, H, and I	Yes
		01 04 09 (AN)	Waste sand and clays	Uses A, B, C, D, E, F, H and I	No
02 Wastes from agriculture, horticulture, aquaculture, forestry, hunting, and fishing, food preparation and processing	02 01 wastes from agriculture, horticulture, aquaculture, forestry, hunting and fishing	02 01 03 (AN)	Plant tissue waste	Waste wood and bark from natural vegetation only. Use G - Chipped form	No

¹ AN – Absolute non-hazardous

² MN - Mirror non-hazardous

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Waste code chapter	Waste code sub-chapter	Waste code	Waste Type	Restrictions and specified uses in Table A	Hazardous waste assessment required
03 Wood / Paper / Card Processing	03 01 waste from wood processing and the production of panels and furniture	03 01 01 (AN)	Waste bark and cork	Use G - Chipped form	No
	03 03 waste from pulp, paper and cardboard production and processing	03 03 01 (AN)	Waste bark and wood	Use G - Chipped form	No
19 Wastes from waste management facilities off-site waste water treatment plants and the preparation of water intended for human consumption and water for industrial use	19 12 wastes from the mechanical treatment of waste (for example sorting, crushing, compacting, pelletising) not otherwise specified	19 12 07 (MN)	Clean chemically untreated sawdust, shavings, cuttings and wood only Excludes veneered wood and particle board	Use G – Chipped form	Yes
17 Construction and demolition wastes	17 01 Concrete, bricks, tiles and ceramics	17 01 01 (MN)	Concrete	Metal from reinforced concrete must have been removed. Uses A, B, C, D, E, H, I	Yes
		17 01 02 (MN)	Bricks	Uses A, B, C, D, E, H, I	Yes
		17 01 03 (MN)	Tiles and ceramics	Uses A, B, C, D, E, H, I	Yes
		17 01 07 (MN)	Mixtures of concrete, bricks, tiles and ceramics other than those mentioned in 17 01 06	Metal from reinforced concrete must have been removed. Uses A, B, C, D, E, H, I	Yes

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Waste code chapter	Waste code sub-chapter	Waste code	Waste Type	Restrictions and specified uses in Table A	Hazardous waste assessment required
	17 03 bituminous mixtures	17 03 02 (MN)	Bituminous mixtures other than those mentioned in 17 03 01	Crushed road planings only Uses A, B, C, D	Yes
	17 05 Soil stones and dredging spoil	17 05 04 (MN)	Soil and stones other than those mentioned in 17 05 03	Restricted to topsoil, peat, subsoil and stones only. Uses A, B, C, E, F, H, I	Yes
		17 05 06 (MN)	Dredging spoil other than those mentioned in 17 05 05	Non-hazardous dredging spoil and dewatered sand and gravel Uses A, B, C, D, E	Yes
19 Wastes from waste management facilities off-site waste water treatment plants and the preparation of water intended for human consumption and water for industrial use	19 12 Wastes from the mechanical treatment of waste (for example sorting, crushing, compacting, pelletising) not otherwise specified	19 12 09 (AN)	Minerals (for example sand, stones) only	Restricted to aggregates from fragments of rock or other minerals. Does not include fines from treatment of any non-hazardous waste, incinerator bottom ash aggregate, or gypsum from recovered plasterboard. Uses A, B, C, D, E, H, I	No
20 Municipal wastes (household waste and similar commercial, industrial and institutional wastes) including separately collected fractions	20 02 garden and park wastes	20 02 01 (AN)	Biodegradable waste	Natural wood Use G – Chipped form	No
		20 02 02 (AN)	Soil and stones	Restricted to topsoil, peat, subsoil and stones only. Uses A, B, C, E, F, H, I	No

Annex 2 - T4 Preparatory treatment of waste

Treatment of waste by baling, sorting, shredding, pulverising, densifying, crushing, granulating, or compacting it.

Table A – T4 exemption conditions

All	Current conditions	New conditions
Specified activities	<p>Treatment of relevant waste by baling, sorting, shredding, pulverising, densifying, crushing or compacting it. Associated storage.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Where the treatment involves pulverising waste <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ the total quantity of waste over any 7-day period does not exceed 5 tonnes. ○ The treatment is carried out indoors. • Where the treatment involves densifying of waste the treatment does not involve the application of heat. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Treatment of waste by baling, sorting, cutting, shredding, pulverising, granulating, densifying, crushing or compacting it and associated storage. • Pulverising, densifying or granulating must be carried out indoors. • Where the treatment involves pulverising waste: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ the total quantity of waste over any 7-day period does not exceed 5 tonnes • Heat can be applied for densifying waste plastic.
General conditions applying to all wastes	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Must be treated and stored in a secure place. • The waste arrives at the place where the operation is carried out in an unmixed state • The waste is stored and treated in an unmixed state. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Must be treated and stored in a secure place with impermeable surface and sealed drainage • Waste must arrive in an unmixed state • Storage up to 3 months • No more than 500 cubic metres of any individual waste type can be stored at any one time • Maximum stack or pile height 4m • Other than for glass, no individual waste stack or pile must exceed 250 cubic metres • Other than for glass, each waste stack or pile must have a separation distance of at least 6 metres between waste piles and the site perimeter, any buildings, or other combustible or flammable materials • Waste contaminated with food and drink residues must be stored in sealed containers or indoors • Each waste type must be stored and treated separately • Where more than one waste type is accepted, the total of all wastes accepted must not exceed 5,000 tonnes per year

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All	Current conditions	New conditions
		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Where more than one waste type is accepted, the total of all wastes stored must not exceed 1,000 cubic metres at any one time

Table B – T4 exemption permitted waste types

Waste type	Current conditions			New conditions		
	Waste codes	Annual acceptance (tonnes) / 7-day limit	Storage limits and conditions	Waste codes	Annual acceptance (tonnes) / 7-day limit	Additional conditions
Cans and foil only	15 01 04 20 01 40	100 tonnes per 7 day period (outdoors) (=5,200 tonnes per year) 500 tonnes per 7 day period (indoors) (=26,000 tonnes per year)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 12 months 500 tonnes 	15 01 04 20 01 40	5,000 tonnes per year 100 tonnes per 7-day period	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Waste stored outside must be baled or in an enclosure designed and maintained to prevent litter
Food and drink cartons only	07 02 13 15 01 02 15 01 05	100 tonnes per 7 day period (outdoors) (= 5,200 tonnes per year) 3,000 tonnes per 7 day period (outdoors) (= 156,000 tonnes per year)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 12 months 500 tonnes 	15 01 05	5,000 tonnes per year. 100 tonnes per 7-day period	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Waste stored outside must be baled or in an enclosure designed and maintained to prevent litter
Glass	15 01 07 16 01 20 17 02 02 19 12 05 20 01 02	5,000 tonnes per 7 day period (=260,000 tonnes per year)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 12 months 5,000 tonnes 	10 11 12 15 01 07 16 01 20 17 02 02 19 12 05 20 01 02	5,000 tonnes per year 100 tonnes per 7-day period	

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Waste type	Current conditions			New conditions		
	Waste codes	Annual acceptance (tonnes) / 7-day limit	Storage limits and conditions	Waste codes	Annual acceptance (tonnes) / 7-day limit	Additional conditions
Paper and cardboard (excluding food and drink cartons)	03 03 08 03 03 07 15 01 01 19 12 01 20 01 01	500 tonnes per 7-day period (outdoors) (=26,000 tonnes per year) 3,000 tonnes per 7-day period (outdoors) (=156,000 tonnes per year)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 12 months • 15,000 tonnes • Up to 1,000 tonnes may be stored outdoors so long as it is stored in an enclosure designed and maintained to prevent the escape of litter. 	03 03 08 03 03 07 15 01 01 19 12 01 20 01 01	5,000 tonnes per year 100 tonnes per 7-day period	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Waste stored outside must be baled or in an enclosure designed and maintained to prevent litter
Plastic	02 01 04 07 02 13 12 01 05 15 01 02 16 01 19 17 02 03 19 12 04 20 01 39	100 tonnes per 7-day period (outdoors) (=5,200 tonnes per year) 3,000 tonnes per 7-day period (indoors) (=156,000 tonnes per year)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 12 months • 500 tonnes 	02 01 04 07 02 13 12 01 05 15 01 02 16 01 19 17 02 03 19 12 04 20 01 39	5,000 tonnes 100 tonnes per 7-day period	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Waste stored outside must be baled or in an enclosure designed and maintained to prevent litter • Non-brominated plastics or plastics that have been treated to remove brominated plastics only • Plastic fertilizer packaging must be free of fertilizer residues
Textiles and clothes -outdoors	04 02 22 15 01 09 19 12 08 20 01 10 20 01 11	1,000 tonnes per 7-day period (outdoors) (= 52,000 tonnes per year)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 12 months • 1,000 tonnes 	Provision for storage and treatment outside removed		

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Waste type	Current conditions			New conditions		
	Waste codes	Annual acceptance (tonnes) / 7-day limit	Storage limits and conditions	Waste codes	Annual acceptance (tonnes) / 7-day limit	Additional conditions
Textiles and clothes	04 02 22	3,000 tonnes per 7-day period (indoors) (=156,000 tonnes per year)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 12 months • 1,000 tonnes 	04 02 22	5,000 tonnes per year 100 tonnes per 7-day period	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Textiles and clothes must be stored indoors or in a secure weatherproof container • Storage and treatment must take place indoors • Excludes carpet and underlay
	15 01 09			15 01 09		
	19 12 08			19 12 08		
	20 01 10			20 01 10		
	20 01 11			20 01 11		

Annex 3 - T6 Treatment of waste wood and plant matter

Treatment of waste wood and waste plant matter by chipping, shredding, cutting, or pulverising

Table A – T6 exemption conditions

All	Current conditions	New conditions
Specified activities	Chipping, shredding, cutting, pulverising and associated storage	Sorting, chipping, shredding, compacting (including pelletising and briquetting by compaction), cutting, pulverising, and associated storage.
General conditions applying to all wastes	None	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Must be treated and stored in a secure place with impermeable surface and sealed drainage • The total quantity of waste accepted shall be less than 5,000 tonnes per year • Maximum acceptance 100 tonnes per 7 days • Storage up to 3 months • The maximum quantity of waste stored at any one time is 500 cubic metres • Maximum pile height 4m • Visually clean and chemically untreated waste wood only

Table B – T6 exemption permitted waste types

Waste types	Current conditions			New conditions	
	Waste codes	Waste acceptance	Storage limits and conditions	Waste codes	Waste Type
Plant tissue waste	02 01 03	26,000 tonnes per year	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 3 months after treatment. • No limit before treatment. • 500 tonnes treated • No containment measures specified. 	02 01 03	Plant tissue waste from agriculture, horticulture, aquaculture, forestry, hunting and fishing
Plant tissue waste	20 02 01	500 tonnes per 7-days		20 02 01	Plant tissue waste from parks and gardens (including cemeteries)
Wood	03 01 01			03 03 01	Wood and bark wastes from pulp, paper and cardboard production and processing
	17 02 01			17 02 01	Construction waste wood
				03 01 05	Sawdust, shavings, cuttings, wood (excluding veneered wood) and source segregated particle board (excluding post manufacture chemical treatments). Particle board must be sent to IED Chapter IV compliant incineration or co-incineration or board manufacture only
Wooden packaging only	15 01 03			15 01 03	Wooden packaging (excluding pallets treated with Methyl Bromide - waste code 15 01 10*)

Annex 4 - T12 Manual treatment of waste

Manual treatment of waste

Table A – T12 exemption conditions

All	Current conditions	New conditions
Specified activities	Waste specific but includes: Sorting, repairing, refurbishing, dismantling and associated storage.	Sorting, repairing, refurbishing, dismantling and associated storage.
General conditions applying to all wastes	None	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Must be treated and stored in a secure place • Waste must arrive in an unmixed state • Each waste type must be stored and treated separately • Where more than one waste type is accepted, the total of all wastes accepted must not exceed 500 tonnes per year • Where more than one waste type is accepted the total of all wastes stored must not exceed 300 cubic metres • No waste pile before or after treatment may exceed the storage limits for that waste type • Maximum pile height 4m

Table B – T12 exemption permitted waste types

Waste type	Current conditions				New conditions		
	Waste codes	Annual acceptance (tonnes) / 7-day limit.	Treatments	Storage limits and conditions	Waste codes	Annual acceptance (tonnes) / 7-day limit.	Storage limits and conditions
Bicycles and bicycle parts only	20 01 99	None	Sorting, repairing or refurbishing	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 2 years • 100 tonnes 	16 01 06	1,000 bicycles per year	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 12 months • 100 bicycles at any one time • Treatment and storage indoors

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Waste type	Current conditions				New conditions		
	Waste codes	Annual acceptance (tonnes) / 7-day limit.	Treatments	Storage limits and conditions	Waste codes	Annual acceptance (tonnes) / 7-day limit.	Storage limits and conditions
Clothing and fabrics carpets only	20 01 10 20 01 11	None	Sorting, repairing or refurbishing	• 2 years 100 tonnes	20 01 10 20 01 11	100 tonnes per year	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 3 months • 100 cubic metres • Treatment and storage indoors
Clothes hangers only	20 01 38 20 01 39 20 01 40	None	Sorting and dismantling	• 12 months 100 tonnes	15 01 02 15 01 03 15 01 04 15 01 05 20 01 38 20 01 39 20 01 40	50 tonnes per year	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 3 months • 50 cubic metres • Treatment and storage indoors
Domestic gas meters					20 01 21* 20 01 35* 20 01 36	1,000 meters / 7 days	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 3 months • 5,000 domestic gas meters at any one time • Treatment and storage indoors
Domestic pots and pans only	20 01 40	None	Sorting and dismantling	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 2 years • 100 tonnes 	20 01 40	50 tonnes per year	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 12 months • 50 cubic metres • Treatment and storage indoors
Footwear only	20 01 99	None	Sorting, repairing or refurbishing	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 2 years • 100 tonnes 	20 01 10	100 tonnes per year	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 3 months • 100 cubic metres • Treatment and storage indoors

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Waste type	Current conditions				New conditions		
	Waste codes	Annual acceptance (tonnes) / 7-day limit.	Treatments	Storage limits and conditions	Waste codes	Annual acceptance (tonnes) / 7-day limit.	Storage limits and conditions
Furniture only Furniture and shop fittings	20 03 07	None	Sorting, repairing or refurbishing	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 2 years • 100 tonnes 	20 03 07	100 tonnes per year	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 12 months • 200 cubic metres • Treatment and storage indoors
Garden tools only	20 01 38 20 01 39 20 01 40	None	Sorting, repairing or refurbishing	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 2 years • 100 tonnes 	20 01 38 20 01 39 20 01 40	50 tonnes per year	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 12 months • 50 cubic metres • Treatment and storage indoors
Lock gates only	20 01 38 20 01 39 20 01 40	None	Sorting and dismantling	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 2 years • 100 tonnes 	20 01 38 20 01 39 20 01 40	100 tonnes per year	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 12 months • 50 lock gates
Mattresses only	20 03 07	None	Sorting and dismantling	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 12 months • 5 tonnes • Treatment and storage carried on indoors 	Complete removal		
Stone, bricks, wood only	17 01 02 17 02 01 17 09 04 20 01 38	None	Sorting, repairing or refurbishing	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 500 tonnes 	17 01 02 17 02 01 17 05 04 20 01 38	100 tonnes per year	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 12 months • 100 cubic metres
Telegraph poles only	20 01 37* 20 01 38 20 01 40	None		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 12 months • 100 tonnes 	17 02 01 17 02 04*	100 tonnes per year	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 12 months • 200 telegraph poles

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Waste type	Current conditions				New conditions		
	Waste codes	Annual acceptance (tonnes) / 7-day limit.	Treatments	Storage limits and conditions	Waste codes	Annual acceptance (tonnes) / 7-day limit.	Storage limits and conditions
Windows, doors only	17 02 01 17 02 02 17 02 03 20 01 02 20 01 38 20 01 39 20 01 40	None	Sorting, repairing or refurbishing	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 100 tonnes: sorting, repairing or refurbishing (2 years) • 10 tonnes sorting and dismantling (12 months) 	17 02 01 17 02 02 17 02 03 17 09 04 20 01 02 20 01 38 20 01 39 20 01 40	100 tonnes per year	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 3 months • 50 cubic metres
Wooden pallets only	15 01 03	None	Sorting, repairing or refurbishing	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 100 tonnes: sorting, repairing or refurbishing (2 years) • 100 tonnes sorting and dismantling (12 months) 	15 01 03	100 tonnes per year	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 3 months • 100 cubic metres • Excluding pallets treated with Methyl Bromide - waste code 15 01 10*

Annex 5 - D7 Burning vegetation at the place of production

Burning vegetation at the place of production

Table A – D7 exemption conditions

All	Current conditions	New conditions
Specified activities	The burning of relevant waste on open land	Burning of vegetation at the place where it was produced
General conditions applying to all wastes	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> The total quantity of waste burned over any period of 24 hours does not exceed 10 tonnes The total quantity of waste stored at any one time is 20 tonnes The waste is stored no longer than 6 months 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> The total quantity of waste burned over any period of 24 hours does not exceed 20 cubic metres or as specified under a Plant Health Notice. The total quantity of waste stored before burning is 40 cubic metres any one time or as specified under a Plant Health Notice. The waste is stored no longer than 3 months. Maximum height of pile 4 metres

Table B – D7 exemption permitted waste types

Waste types	Current conditions			New conditions	
	Waste codes	Annual waste acceptance/ treatment limit	Storage limits and conditions	Waste codes	Waste Type
Plant tissue	02 01 03 02 01 07 20 02 01	No yearly quantity as on site of production.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 6 months 20 tonnes 	02 01 03 02 01 07 20 02 01	Vegetation waste from land clearance and maintenance
Sawdust, shavings and cuttings from untreated wood only	03 01 05			Waste code removed	
Waste bark and wood	03 03 01			Waste code removed	

Annex 6 - Temporary storage of waste under S1 and S2

S1 Temporary storage of waste in secure containers pending recovery elsewhere

Table A – S1 exemption conditions

All	Current conditions	New conditions
Treatments	Storage only	Storage and bulking only
General conditions applying to all wastes	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Storage at a secure place for the purposes of recovery elsewhere. • The total quantity of storage containers at the storage place at any one time is 20 (80 cubic metres) • No waste is stored longer than 12 months. • The person storing the waste is the owner of the containers or has the consent of the owner • Each waste type is stored separately 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Storage in secure containers for the purposes of recovery at a different place • Storage of waste at the place of production, or place controlled by the waste producer, can be carried out under non-waste framework directive exemptions • The total volume of waste stored at any one time is 15 cubic metres unless otherwise specified • No waste is stored for longer than 3 months unless otherwise specified • The person storing the waste is the owner of the containers or has the consent of the owner • Each waste type is stored separately • Waste contaminated with food and drink residues must be stored in sealed containers • Bulking means the combining of the same type of waste • Bulking of liquid waste only on an impermeable surface with sealed drainage • Waste oils of different types are not to be mixed, for example: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ hydraulic fluid is not to be mixed with engine oil ○ Chlorinated oils must not be mixed with non-chlorinated oils ○ Biodegradable oils must not be mixed with non-biodegradable oils

Table B – New S1 exemption permitted waste types

Waste type	Current conditions			New conditions		
	Waste codes	Annual acceptance (tonnes) / 7-day limit	Storage limits and conditions	Waste codes	Annual acceptance (tonnes)	Storage limits and conditions
Waste oils	13 01 09* 13 01 10* 13 01 11* 13 01 12* 13 01 13* 13 02 04* 13 02 05* 13 02 06* 13 02 07* 13 02 08* 13 07 01*	None	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 12 months • 3 cubic metres • Must be stored with secondary containment 	13 01 09* 13 01 10* 13 01 11* 13 01 12* 13 01 13* 13 02 04* 13 02 05* 13 02 06* 13 02 07* 13 02 08* 13 07 01*	None	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 3 cubic metres • Must be stored on an impermeable surface with secondary containment
Waste electrical insulating oil				13 03 01* 13 03 06* 13 03 07* 13 03 08* 13 03 09* 13 03 10*	None	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 3 cubic metres • Must be stored on an impermeable surface with secondary containment
Cartons Food and drink cartons only	15 01 01 20 01 01	None	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 12 months • 400 cubic metres 	15 01 05	100 tonnes per year	50 cubic metres

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Waste type	Current conditions			New conditions		
	Waste codes	Annual acceptance (tonnes) / 7-day limit	Storage limits and conditions	Waste codes	Annual acceptance (tonnes)	Storage limits and conditions
Plastics and plastic packaging	15 01 02 20 01 39	None	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 12 months • 400 cubic metres 	07 02 13 12 01 05 15 01 02 16 01 19 19 12 04 20 01 39	100 tonnes per year	50 cubic metres Non-brominated plastics or plastics that have been treated to remove brominated plastics only
Cans and foil only	15 01 04 20 01 40	None	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 12 months • 400 cubic metres 	15 01 04 20 01 40	100 tonnes per year	50 cubic metres
Paper and cardboard	15 01 01 20 01 01		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 400 cubic metres 	03 03 07 03 03 08 15 01 01 19 12 01 20 01 01	300 tonnes per year	50 cubic metres
Glass	15 01 07 20 01 02		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 400 cubic metres 	10 11 12 15 01 07 16 01 20 17 02 02 19 12 05 20 01 02	300 tonnes per year	50 cubic metres
Textiles and clothes	15 01 09 20 01 10 20 01 11		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 400 cubic metres 	04 02 22 15 01 09 19 12 08 20 01 10 20 01 11	100 tonnes per year	50 cubic metres Excludes carpet and underlay

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Waste type	Current conditions			New conditions		
	Waste codes	Annual acceptance (tonnes) / 7-day limit	Storage limits and conditions	Waste codes	Annual acceptance (tonnes)	Storage limits and conditions
Absorbents, filter materials (including oil filters not otherwise specified) wiping cloths, protective clothing contaminated by hazardous substances	15 02 02*	None	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 3 cubic metres 	15 02 02*	None	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 3 cubic metres • Must be stored on an impermeable surface with secondary containment and away from direct sunlight
Absorbents, filter materials, wiping cloths and protective clothing other than those mentioned in 15 02 02	15 02 03		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 3 cubic metres 	15 02 03	None	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 3 cubic metres • Must be stored on an impermeable surface with secondary containment and away from direct sunlight
Oil filters	16 01 07*		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 3 cubic metres • waste is stored with secondary containment 	16 01 07*	None	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 3 cubic metres • Must be stored on an impermeable surface with secondary containment

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Waste type	Current conditions			New conditions		
	Waste codes	Annual acceptance (tonnes) / 7-day limit	Storage limits and conditions	Waste codes	Annual acceptance (tonnes)	Storage limits and conditions
Solvents and solvent mixtures <i>Moved from S2 exemption</i>	14 06 02* 14 06 03* 20 01 13*	None	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 6 months • 5 cubic metres • A - the waste is stored in a container • C - the waste is stored with secondary containment 	14 06 02* 14 06 03* 20 01 13*	None	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 5 cubic metres • Must be stored on an impermeable surface with secondary containment
Waste cleaning solution containing 2% sodium metasilicate and 1-2% waste oil only <i>Moved from S2 exemption</i>	11 01 13* 12 03 01* 16 07 08*	None	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 3 months • 3 tonnes • A – the waste is stored in a container • C- the waste is stored with secondary containment 	11 01 13* 12 03 01* 16 07 08*	None	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 3 cubic metres • Must be stored on an impermeable surface with secondary containment
CFCs HCFCs and HFCs <i>Moved from S2 exemption</i>	14 06 01*	None	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 6 months • 18 tonnes • A – the waste is stored in a container • C- the waste is stored with secondary containment 	14 06 01*	None	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 6 months • 10 cubic metres • Must be stored on an impermeable surface with secondary containment

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Waste type	Current conditions			New conditions		
	Waste codes	Annual acceptance (tonnes) / 7-day limit	Storage limits and conditions	Waste codes	Annual acceptance (tonnes)	Storage limits and conditions
Paints (excluding specialist and industrial paints, wood preservatives, aerosol and spray paints, inks adhesives and resins) pending re-use as paint only <i>Moved from S2 exemption</i>	08 01 11* 08 11 12 20 01 27* 20 01 28	None	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 6 months • 10,000 litres • A – the waste is stored in a container • C- the waste is stored with secondary containment 	08 01 11* 08 11 12 20 01 27* 20 01 28	None	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 6 months • 1 cubic metre • Must be stored on an impermeable surface with secondary containment
Aqueous paint related waste only <i>Moved from S2 exemption</i>	16 10 02	None	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 6 months • 1,000 litres • A – the waste is stored in a container • C- the waste is stored with secondary containment 	08 01 12 20 01 28	None	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 6 months • 1 cubic metre • Must be stored on an impermeable surface with secondary containment

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Waste type	Current conditions			New conditions		
	Waste codes	Annual acceptance (tonnes) / 7-day limit	Storage limits and conditions	Waste codes	Annual acceptance (tonnes)	Storage limits and conditions
Batteries <i>Moved from S2 exemption</i>	16 06 01* 16 06 02* 16 06 03* 16 06 04 16 06 05 20 01 33* 20 01 34	None	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 6 months • 10 tonnes • A – the waste is stored in a container • B –the storage place has sealed drainage. 	16 06 01* 16 06 02* 16 06 03* 16 06 04 16 06 05 20 01 33* 20 01 34	None	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 5 cubic metres • Must be stored on an impermeable surface with sealed drainage • Lead-acid batteries are stored upright in containers • Containers are specifically designed to contain and prevent damage to batteries stored in them • Containers are either lidded to prevent ingress of water or the containers are stored in a designated area indoors • Batteries of different chemistries are stored separately • Batteries are stored away from direct sunlight • Excluding lithium-ion traction batteries from vehicles
Edible oil and fat only <i>Moved from S2 exemption</i>	20 01 25	None	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 12 months • 5,000 tonnes • A – the waste is stored in a container • C- the waste is stored with secondary containment 	20 01 25	None	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 10 cubic metres • Must be stored on an impermeable surface with secondary containment

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Waste type	Current conditions			New conditions		
	Waste codes	Annual acceptance (tonnes) / 7-day limit	Storage limits and conditions	Waste codes	Annual acceptance (tonnes)	Storage limits and conditions
Empty lubricating oil containers				15 01 10*	None	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 3 months • 1 cubic metre Must be stored on an impermeable surface with sealed drainage

S2 Temporary Storage of waste in a secure place pending recovery elsewhere

Table A – S2 exemption conditions

All	Current conditions	New conditions
Specified activities	Storage only	Storage and bulking only.
General conditions applying to all wastes in this table	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Storage at a secure place for the purposes of recovery elsewhere The total quantity of storage containers at the storage place at any one time is 20 (8,000 cubic metres) No waste is stored longer than 12 months The person storing the waste is the owner of the containers or has the consent of the owner Each waste type is stored separately 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Storage at a secure place for the purposes of recovery at a different place Waste must not arrive mixed with other waste types The total quantity of waste at the storage place at any one time is 500 cubic metres unless otherwise specified No waste is stored for longer than 3 months unless otherwise specified Maximum stack or pile height of 4 metres Each waste type is stored in a separate container or separate stack or pile Waste contaminated with food and drink residues must be stored indoors Storage on an impermeable surface with sealed drainage unless specified

Table B – S2 exemption permitted waste types

Waste Types	Current conditions			New conditions		
	Waste Code	Annual acceptance (tonnes) / 7-day limit	Storage limits and conditions	Waste Code	Annual acceptance (tonnes)	Storage limits and conditions
Aqueous paint related waste only	16 10 02	None	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 6 months 1,000 litres A – the waste is stored in a container C- the waste is stored with secondary containment 	Moved to S1 exemption: Storage of waste in secure containers pending recovery elsewhere		

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Waste Types	Current conditions			New conditions		
	Waste Code	Annual acceptance (tonnes) / 7-day limit	Storage limits and conditions	Waste Code	Annual acceptance (tonnes)	Storage limits and conditions
Batteries	16 06 01* 16 06 02* 16 06 03* 16 06 04 16 06 05 20 01 33* 20 01 34	None	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 6 months • 10 tonnes • A – the waste is stored in a container • B –the storage place has sealed drainage. 	Moved to S1 exemption: Storage of waste in secure containers pending recovery elsewhere		
CFCs HCFCs and HFCs	14 06 01*	None	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 6 months • 18 tonnes • A – the waste is stored in a container • C- the waste is stored with secondary containment 	Moved to S1 exemption: Storage of waste in secure containers pending recovery elsewhere		
Construction and demolition waste capable of being used in its existing state only	17 01 01 17 01 02 17 01 03 17 01 07 17 02 02 17 02 03 17 04 01 17 04 02 17 04 03 17 04 04 17 04 05 17 04 06 17 04 07 17 05 04 17 06 04 17 08 02	None	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 12 months • 100 tonnes 	17 01 01 17 01 02 17 01 03 17 01 07 17 02 02 17 02 03 17 04 01 17 04 02 17 04 03 17 04 04 17 04 05 17 04 06 17 04 07 17 05 04 17 06 04	150 tonnes	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 12 months • 100 cubic metres • Storage on hardstanding

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Waste Types	Current conditions			New conditions		
	Waste Code	Annual acceptance (tonnes) / 7-day limit	Storage limits and conditions	Waste Code	Annual acceptance (tonnes)	Storage limits and conditions
Windows and Doors				17 09 04	300 tonnes	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 12 months • 100 cubic metres
Edible oil and fat only	20 01 25	None	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 12 months • 5,000 tonnes • A – the waste is stored in a container • C- the waste is stored with secondary containment 	Moved to S1 exemption: Storage of waste in secure containers pending recovery elsewhere		
Electric arc furnace dust only	10 02 07*	None	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 3 months • 2,500 tonnes • D – the waste is stored indoors • E- the waste is stored as a dock prior to being exported or after being imported. • F - the waste must arrive at the storage place in bags and must be stored there in bags or drums. 	Waste code removed		
Farm plastics (non-packaging) only	02 01 04	None	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 12 months • 500 tonnes • (Farm plastics - D The waste is stored in doors). 	Merged with plastic and plastic packaging in the S2 exemption		

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Waste Types	Current conditions			New conditions		
	Waste Code	Annual acceptance (tonnes) / 7-day limit	Storage limits and conditions	Waste Code	Annual acceptance (tonnes)	Storage limits and conditions
Plastic and plastic packaging including farm plastics	07 02 13 12 01 05 15 01 02 16 01 19 19 12 04 20 01 39	None	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 12 months • 500 tonnes 	02 01 04 07 02 13 12 01 05 15 01 02 16 01 19 19 12 04 20 01 39	100 tonnes per year	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Waste is stored baled, in a container or indoors • Non-brominated plastics or plastics that have been treated to remove brominated plastics only • Plastic fertilizer packaging must be free of fertilizer residues
Food and drink cartons only	07 02 13 15 01 01 15 01 02 15 01 05 20 01 39	None	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 12 months • 500 tonnes 	15 01 05	100 tonnes per year	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Waste is stored baled, in a container or indoors

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Waste Types	Current conditions			New conditions		
	Waste Code	Annual acceptance (tonnes) / 7-day limit	Storage limits and conditions	Waste Code	Annual acceptance (tonnes)	Storage limits and conditions
Paper and cardboard only	15 01 01 19 12 01 20 01 01 03 03 07 03 03 08	None	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 12 months • 15,000 tonnes per year • J – the waste is stored in a baled form, in a container or indoors, • K – within the quantity limit specified in the third column (storage limit at any one time) of the table and notwithstanding additional specific conditions J up to 1000 tonnes may be stored outdoors so long as it is stored in an enclosure designed and maintained to prevent the escape of litter 	03 03 07 03 03 08 15 01 01 19 12 01 20 01 01	300 tonnes per year	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Waste is stored baled, in a container or indoors
Glass	15 01 07 20 01 02	None	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 12 months • 400 cubic metres • B – the storage place has sealed drainage 	10 11 12 15 01 07 16 01 20 17 02 02 19 12 05 20 01 02	300 tonnes per year	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • See general conditions
Mammalian tallow	02 02 02	None	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 12 months • 45,000 tonnes • D – the waste is stored indoors 	02 02 02	10,000 tonnes per year	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 12 months • The waste is stored indoors

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Waste Types	Current conditions			New conditions		
	Waste Code	Annual acceptance (tonnes) / 7-day limit	Storage limits and conditions	Waste Code	Annual acceptance (tonnes)	Storage limits and conditions
Mammalian protein	02 01 02	None	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 12 months • 60,000 tonnes • D – the waste is stored indoors 	02 01 02	10,000 tonnes per year	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 12 months • The waste is stored indoors
Mattresses only	20 03 07	None	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 3 months • 5 tonnes • D – The waste is stored indoors. 	Removal of waste code		
Marble chips only	01 04 08 19 12 09	None	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 12 months • 5,000 tonnes 	Removal of waste codes		
Plasterboard and other gypsum bearing waste				17 08 02	200 tonnes per year	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 1 month • 20 cubic metres • The waste is stored in a sealed weatherproof container
Olive pulp and pellet only	02 03 04	None	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 3 months • 5,000 tonnes • B – the storage place has sealed drainage. • C- the waste is stored with secondary containment • E- the waste is stored as a dock prior to being exported or after being imported. 	02 03 04	None	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 1,000 cubic metres • The waste is stored with secondary containment • the waste is stored at a port or dock

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	Waste Code	Annual acceptance (tonnes) / 7-day limit	Storage limits and conditions	Waste Code	Annual acceptance (tonnes)	Storage limits and conditions
Paints (excluding specialist and industrial paints, wood preservatives, aerosol and spray paints, inks adhesives and resins) pending re-use as paint only	08 01 11* 08 11 12 20 01 27* 20 01 28	None	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 6 months • 10,000 litres • A – the waste is stored in a container • C- the waste is stored with secondary containment 	Moved to S1 exemption: Storage of waste in secure containers pending recovery elsewhere		
Photographic films and papers	09 01 07 09 01 08	None	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 12 months • 50 tonnes • J – the waste is stored in baled form, in a container or indoors 	09 01 07 09 01 08	None	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 12 months • 40 cubic metres • the waste is stored in baled form, in a container or indoors
Poultry litter ash only	10 01 01	None	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 12 months • 3,000 tonnes • D – the waste is stored indoors • E- the waste is stored as a dock prior to being exported or after being imported. 	10 01 01	None	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 1,000 cubic metres • The waste is stored indoors • The waste is stored at a port or dock
Printer cartridges only	08 03 18 15 01 02 16 02 16 20 01 39	None	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 6 months • 5000 units • D – the waste is stored indoors 	08 03 18 16 02 16	None	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 12 months • 5 cubic metres • the waste is stored indoors

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	Waste Code	Annual acceptance (tonnes) / 7-day limit	Storage limits and conditions	Waste Code	Annual acceptance (tonnes)	Storage limits and conditions
Road planings, waste road chippings, road sub-base and bitumen only	17 03 01* 17 03 02 17 05 04	None	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 12 months • 500 tonnes 	17 03 01* 17 03 02 17 05 04	5000 tonnes	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 12 months • Storage on hardstanding
Scrap Metal	02 01 10 16 01 17 16 01 18 17 04 01 17 04 02 17 04 03 17 04 04 17 04 05 17 04 06 17 04 07 17 04 11 19 12 02 19 12 03	None	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 6 months • 15,000 tonnes • B – the storage place has sealed drainage. • E- the waste is stored at a dock prior to being exported or after being imported. 	19 10 01 19 10 02 19 12 02 19 12 03	None	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Clean scrap • the waste is stored at a port or dock • No more than 1,500 cubic metres of scrap metal to be stored at any one time • There must be a separation distance of at least 6 metres between waste piles or stacks and the site perimeter, any buildings, or other combustible or flammable materials
Single use cameras	09 01 10 09 01 11* 09 01 12	None	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 6 months • 400 cubic metres 	Removal of waste codes		

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	Waste Code	Annual acceptance (tonnes) / 7-day limit	Storage limits and conditions	Waste Code	Annual acceptance (tonnes)	Storage limits and conditions
WEEE (excluding fluorescent and other gas discharge lamps)	16 02 11* 16 02 13* 16 02 14 16 02 16 20 01 21* 20 01 23* 20 01 35* 20 01 36	None	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 6 months • 400 cubic metres • I – the waste is stored in accordance with the requirements under paragraph 1 of Annex VIII to the WEEE Directive 	16 02 11* 16 02 13* 16 02 14 16 02 15* 16 02 16 20 01 23* 20 01 35* 20 01 36	500 tonnes per year	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 6 months • 40 cubic metres • The waste is stored on an impermeable surface with sealed drainage • Waste shall be stored indoors or under weatherproof covering • Waste code 16 02 15* is limited to printed circuit boards, power cable and other plastic containing components only • Any WEEE intended for reuse, any flat panel display that may contain compact cold fluorescent lamps and any display equipment with a broken cathode ray tube shall be stored in a building or under weatherproof covering
Fluorescent and other gas discharge lamps				20 01 21*	400 tonnes per year	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 6 months • The maximum quantity stored 60 cubic metres. • The waste is stored in a lidded, rigid, leakproof and weatherproof container on an impermeable surface with sealed drainage

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	Waste Code	Annual acceptance (tonnes) / 7-day limit	Storage limits and conditions	Waste Code	Annual acceptance (tonnes)	Storage limits and conditions
Soils from cleaning fruit and vegetables only	02 04 01 02 03 99	None	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 6 months • 100 tonnes 	02 04 01 02 03 01	1,000 tonnes per year	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 6 months • 100 cubic metres
Solder metal, skimmings, ashes and residues	10 03 16 10 04 05* 10 05 04 10 05 11 10 06 04 10 08 11 10 08 99	None	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 3 months • 100 tonnes • G – the waste is stored in bags or drums 	10 03 16 10 04 05* 10 05 04 10 05 11 10 06 04 10 08 11	None	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 100 cubic metres • The waste must arrive in bags or drums and must be stored in the same bags or drums
Solvents and solvent mixtures	14 06 02* 14 06 03* 20 01 13*	None	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 6 months • 5 cubic metres • A - the waste is stored in a container • C - the waste is stored with secondary containment 	Moved to S1 exemption: Storage of waste in secure containers pending recovery elsewhere		

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	Waste Code	Annual acceptance (tonnes) / 7-day limit	Storage limits and conditions	Waste Code	Annual acceptance (tonnes)	Storage limits and conditions
Synthetic gypsum and pulverised fuel ash only	10 01 01 10 01 02 10 01 05 10 01 15	None	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 3 months • 2,500 tonnes • D – the waste is stored indoors • E- the waste is stored at a dock prior to being exported or after being imported. • F - the waste must arrive at the storage place in bags and must be stored there in bags or drums. 	10 01 01 10 01 02 10 01 05 10 01 15	None	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 3 months • 600 cubic metres • The waste must arrive in bags or drums and must be stored in the same bags or drums • The waste is stored indoors • the waste is stored at a port or dock
Textiles and clothes	04 02 22 15 01 09 19 12 08 20 01 10 20 01 11	None	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 12 months • 1000 tonnes (5000m³) (164 x 40 yrd Ro-Ro) 	04 02 22 15 01 09 19 12 08 20 01 10 20 01 11	100 tonnes per year	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 50 cubic metres • The waste is stored indoors • Excludes carpet and underlay
Tyres, tyre chip and crumb	16 01 03 19 12 04	None	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 3 months • 40 tonnes • H – The total quantity stored together does not exceed 10 tonnes. 	Removal of waste codes		

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Waste Types	Current conditions			New conditions		
	Waste Code	Annual acceptance (tonnes) / 7-day limit	Storage limits and conditions	Waste Code	Annual acceptance (tonnes)	Storage limits and conditions
Waste cleaning solution containing 2% sodium metasilicate and 1-2% waste oil only	11 01 13* 12 03 01* 16 07 08*	None	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 3 months • 3 tonnes • A – the waste is stored in a container • C- the waste is stored with secondary containment 	Moved to S1 exemption: Storage of waste in secure containers pending recovery elsewhere		
Wine bottle corks only	03 03 01 15 01 02 15 01 03 20 01 38	None	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 12 months • 500 tonnes 	03 03 01 15 01 02 15 01 03	None	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 12 months • 40 cubic metres
Wood including telegraph poles and railway sleepers (hazardous and non-hazardous)	03 01 05 17 02 01 17 02 04* 19 12 06* 19 12 07 20 01 37* 20 01 38	None	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 12 months • 100 tonnes 	03 01 05 17 02 01 17 02 04* 19 12 06* 19 12 07 20 01 37* 20 01 38	None	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 40 cubic metres • 100 telegraph poles • 100 railway sleepers

Annex 7 – Waste code and description changes

Table A – Changes to waste codes and descriptions to other exemptions to clarify and address mis-coding

Exemption	Hazardous	Waste Code	Rationale	Action
D2	No	20 03 99	Existing government and EA guidance indicates 16 10 02 should be used for wastes from railway sanitary conveniences rather than 20 03 99, which will be removed.	Replaced with code 16 10 02
D3	No	20 03 99	Existing government and EA guidance indicates 16 10 02 should be used for waste from portable sanitary conveniences rather than 20 03 99, which will be removed.	Replaced with code 16 10 02
D8	No	15 01 03	The D8 exemption does not allow for the disposal of treated waste wood. The waste types will therefore be amended to clarify that only untreated waste wood packaging may be managed under a D8 exemption.	Amended to reflect that this is “untreated” waste wood packaging only and that pallets treated with Methyl Bromide should be coded 15 01 10* and are not acceptable under this exemption
	No	20 01 38	The waste wood types in the D8 exemption are packaging wastes and therefore excluded from 20 01, so cannot be classified as 20 01 38 and would instead fall under 15 01 03.	Code removed
T1	No	All plastic codes	Amended to ensure waste types remain low risk by excluding brominated flame retardants which have been listed as Persistent Organic Pollutants.	Add condition to only allow acceptance of non-brominated plastics or plastics that have been treated to remove brominated plastics
T5	No	19 05 99	Codes ending in '99' should not be used where a more appropriate code is available. Compost is covered under code 19 05 03 and therefore should not be covered by 19 05 99.	Replaced with code 19 05 03

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Exemption	Hazardous	Waste Code	Rationale	Action
T11	No	16 02 16	Code 16 02 16 covers non-hazardous components and has previously been used to classify cables and circuit boards from Waste Electrical and Electronic Equipment. However, code 16 02 15* is more appropriate for these wastes and will therefore be added.	Code 16 02 15* added but limited to printed circuit boards, power cable and other plastic containing components only. These wastes must be stored with a weatherproof covering.
T13	No	20 01 99 Food wastes	Codes ending in '99' should not be used where a more appropriate code is available. Waste food is covered by code 20 01 08 and therefore 20 01 99 is not appropriate.	Replaced with code 20 01 08
T16	Yes	20 01 39	This code excludes packaging. Other codes are already available and more suitable for the activities under this exemption.	Code removed
	No	15 01 02	This code does not apply to ink and toner cartridges and will therefore be removed.	Code removed
T18	No	01 04 09 Clay effluent from the manufacture of ceramics	Code 16 10 02 is more appropriate for the intended activities this exemption.	Replaced with code 16 10 02
T20	No	19 09 99 Waste water and bore hole flushings only	Codes ending in '99' should not be used where a more appropriate code is available. Code 16 10 02 is more appropriate for the intended activities under this exemption.	Replaced with code 16 10 02 waste water and bore hole flushings
T21	No	19 08 99 Centrate liquor only	Codes ending in '99' should not be used where a more appropriate code is available.	Replaced with code 16 10 02 centrate liquor

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Exemption	Hazardous	Waste Code	Rationale	Action
	No	19 08 05	Code 19 08 05 covers sludges from treatment of urban waste water. With the removal of the '99' codes from the T21 exemption it is necessary to extend the exemption to allow the treatment of partially treated sewage sludges. This activity has been included in RPS231 in England and Regulatory Decision RD66 in Wales.	Codes 19 02 06, 19 05 03, 19 06 06, and 19 12 12 added
	No	20 03 99	Code 20 03 99 is described as "cesspool waste and other sewage sludge only". However, this waste stream is adequately covered by other codes.	Code removed
T23	No	02 01 99	Codes ending in '99' should not be used where a more appropriate code is available. Fully biodegradable animal bedding is classified as waste code 02 01 06.	02 01 99 code removed and replaced with 02 01 06 for fully biodegradable animal bedding
	No	20 01 01	Code 20 01 01 does not authorise paper and cardboard that is separately collected packaging. Code 15 01 01 will therefore be added.	Code 15 01 01 added
T24	No	02 01 07	Code 02 01 07 is applicable for forestry activities and not those meant to be covered by the T24 exemption. Plant tissue waste is covered by the already available code 02 01 03.	Code removed
	No	02 01 99	Codes ending in '99' should not be used where a more appropriate code is available. Fully biodegradable animal bedding is classified as waste code 02 01 06.	02 01 99 code removed and replaced with 02 01 06 for fully biodegradable animal bedding
T25	No	02 01 99	Codes ending in '99' should not be used where a more appropriate code is available. Fully biodegradable animal bedding is classified as waste code 02 01 06.	02 01 99 code removed and replaced with 02 01 06 for fully biodegradable animal bedding
T26	No	20 01 01	Code 20 01 01 does not authorise paper and cardboard that is separately collected packaging. Code 15 01 01 will therefore be added.	Code 15 01 01 added
T30	Yes	09 01 06	Code 09 01 06 describes the output of the recovery process. It is therefore necessary to include codes 09 01 01, 09 01 02, 09 01 03 and 09 01 04 to cover the waste inputs.	Codes 09 01 01, 09 01 02, 09 01 03 and 09 01 04 added

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Exemption	Hazardous	Waste Code	Rationale	Action
S3	No	19 08 05	Code 19 08 05 and the current description in the S3 exemption currently allows only raw / untreated sludges to be stored prior to spreading. This was not the intention of the exemption and results in the wrong environmental outcome. It is also acknowledged that this practice is not undertaken by industry. It is therefore necessary to replace 19 08 05 with the relevant codes.	Replaced with codes 19 02 06, 19 05 03, and 19 06 06
U3	No	20 01 01	Code 20 01 01 does not authorise paper and cardboard that is separately collected packaging. Code 15 01 01 will therefore be added.	Code 15 01 01 added
U6	No	19 02 06	Code 19 02 06 will be added to allow partially dewatered sludges to be used to reseed Anaerobic Digestion plants	Code 19 02 06 added
U7	No	19 08 99	Codes ending in '99' should not be used where a more appropriate code is available. 16 10 02 will therefore be added.	Replaced with code 16 10 02 final effluent from water treatment works or waste water treatment plant
U8	No	17 09 04 Stones and bricks	Code 17 09 04 is broad in its scope and will be removed. Bricks are covered by the already available code 17 01 02 (bricks) and 17 05 04 (stones only) will be added as this is more prescriptive.	Replaced with 17 01 02 and 17 05 04 (stones only)
U9	No	17 02 01	The U9 exemption already includes code 19 12 07 for wood, bark, cork, sawdust, shavings, cuttings, particle board. Code 17 02 01 will be added for consistency.	Code 17 02 01 added
	No	All plastic codes	Amended to ensure waste types remain low risk by excluding brominated flame retardants which have been listed as Persistent Organic Pollutants.	Add condition to only allow acceptance of non-brominated plastics or plastics that have been treated to remove brominated plastics
U10	No	02 01 99 Untreated wash waters from cleaning fruit and vegetables on farm only	Codes ending in '99' should not be used where a more appropriate code is available. Code 16 10 02 is more appropriate for untreated wash waters from cleaning fruit and vegetables on farm	Replaced with code 16 10 02 untreated washwater from cleaning fruit and vegetables on farms Waste code 02 01 01 will be amended to allow sludges and soils from washing and cleaning fruit and vegetables on farms

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Exemption	Hazardous	Waste Code	Rationale	Action
		02 01 99 milk from agricultural premises	Codes ending in '99' should not be used where a more appropriate code is available. Code 16 10 02 is more appropriate for milk from agricultural premises	Replaced with code 16 10 02 milk from agricultural premises
		02 03 99 Soil from cleaning and washing fruit and vegetables	Codes ending in '99' should not be used where a more appropriate code is available.	Replaced with waste code 02 03 01 soils from cleaning and washing fruit and vegetables only Waste code 16 10 02 sludges from washing and cleaning fruit and vegetables will be added
		02 03 99 Untreated wash waters from cleaning fruit and vegetables on farm only	Codes ending in '99' should not be used where a more appropriate code is available. Code 16 10 02 is more appropriate for untreated wash waters from cleaning fruit and vegetables on farm.	Replaced with code 16 10 02 untreated washwater from cleaning fruit and vegetables on farms
		19 05 99 compost produced pursuant to a treatment described in paragraphs T23 or T26 only	Codes ending in '99' should not be used where a more appropriate code is available. Code 19 05 03 is more appropriate.	Replaced with code 19 05 03 compost produced pursuant to a treatment described in paragraphs T23 or T26 only

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Exemption	Hazardous	Waste Code	Rationale	Action
U11	No	02 03 99 Soil from cleaning and washing fruit and vegetables only	Codes ending in '99' should not be used where a more appropriate code is available.	Replaced with code 02 03 01 soils from cleaning and washing fruit and vegetables only Waste code 16 10 02 sludges from washing and cleaning fruit and vegetables will be added
	No	19 05 99	Codes ending in '99' should not be used where a more appropriate code is available. Code 19 05 03 is more appropriate for the intended activities under the U11 exemption	Replaced with code 19 05 03 compost produced pursuant to a treatment described in paragraphs T23 or T26 only

Annex 8– Technical amendments to the Environmental Permitting Regulations

Exemption	Rationale	Action
D5	Clarification is required regarding reference to “research” in Schedule 3, Part 1, Chapter 4, Section 2, Paragraph 5(2)(g) of the Environmental Permitting Regulations – the D5 waste exemption	Amend the exemption to read “For the purposes of this paragraph, “research” means testing and analysis at laboratories, educational establishments and workplaces, including research associated with waste trials, but excluding field research”
T24 and T25	<p>Regulatory Position Statement 120 (EA) and Regulatory Decision 120 (NRW) allow (subject to conditions) the use of back up flares under T24 and T25 exemptions for anaerobic digestion (AD). This is because there is no provision for this activity in these exemptions.</p> <p>Use of flares to burn biogas is considered a disposal rather than a recovery operation, but a back-up flare is a key item of plant. The flare protects the integrity of the AD plant during an emergency and will burn any gas generated if the appliance used for gas to energy cannot operate due to, for example, a breakdown.</p> <p>It is expected that all AD plants (exempt or permitted) have back up flares, that only operate for the minimum time needed. Flaring event records are also required.</p>	<p>T24 and T25 exemptions will be amended to allow (subject to conditions) the use of back up flares in specified circumstances.</p> <p>This is in accordance with Regulatory Position Statement 120 (EA) and Regulatory Decision 120 (NRW).</p>
T32	<p>Part 3, Paragraph 21(3)(a) currently states: “in paragraph 1(2), for “T32” substitute “T33”;</p> <p>Part 3, Paragraph 21 (4)(a) currently states: “in Chapter 1, in paragraph 1(8)(b)— (i) for “T32” substitute “T33”; (ii) for “32” substitute “33”;</p> <p>Part 3, Paragraph 21 (4)(b) currently states: “in Chapter 3— (i) in Section 1, in paragraph 1— (aa) in sub-paragraph (1)(a), for “T32” substitute “T33”; (bb) in sub-paragraph (2), for “T32” substitute “T33”;</p>	The paragraphs will be amended to substitute all references to T32 with T22

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Exemption	Rationale	Action
U9	Regulatory Position Statement 112 (EA) and Regulatory Decision 35 (NRW) allow heat treatment of plastics under the T4 and U9 exemptions. The reforms detailed in Annex 2 amend the T4 exemption to allow for the application of heat during the treatment process for densifying plastic. It is therefore necessary to also amend the U9 exemption to ensure consistency and allow for the application of heat to plastic when manufacturing finished goods.	To add a new condition to the U9 exemption: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • For manufacturing finished goods, heat may be applied when using plastic
U9	Clarification is required regarding the reference to “finished goods” in Schedule 3, Part 1, Chapter 2, Section 2, Paragraph 9(4) of the Environmental Permitting Regulations – the U9 waste exemption For the purposes of this exemption, ‘finished goods’ means goods that are ready for use by an end consumer without any further processing. Waste derived finished goods still need to meet the end of waste test.	Schedule 3, Part 1, Chapter 2, Section 2, Paragraph 9(4) of the Environmental Permitting Regulations (the U9 waste exemption) to be amended to insert a definition of “finished goods” to mean that they are ready for use by an end consumer without any further processing having met relevant end of waste criteria.”
NWFD3 and 4	We will increase the storage limits in Non-Waste Framework Directive (NWFD) exemption 3 (temporary storage of waste at a place controlled by the producer) and NWFD exemption 4 (temporary storage at a collection point) from 50 cubic metres to 100 cubic metres. These NWFD exemptions are often overlooked but allow waste to be stored without the need of a permit or to register an exemption.	Amend Schedule 3 Part 5 Paragraph 3(2)(g) and Paragraph 4(2)(d) of the Environmental Permitting Regulations to increase the storage limits in NWFD3 and 4 from 50 to 100 cubic metres
N/A	We are reforming the exemptions regime to prohibit the use of exemptions at, or adjacent to, a permitted waste site or installation (please refer to Section 2.1). Waste exemptions are for activities where the risk has been assessed as low on the basis of that activity alone. It is not appropriate that a permit, which has (subject to conditions) been granted on the basis of that permitted activity, can be superseded by an exemption without an appropriate review of the risk profile. If an operator of a permitted site wishes to adjust their activities to those allowed under a waste exemption, then the Environmental Permitting Regulations include provisions for the surrender of that permit and steps that must be taken to protect the environment and human health. This is more appropriate than the automatic nature of Regulation 22(8) that does not offer these protections.	Regulation 22(8) to be removed

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N/A	<p>Schedule 3, Part 5, Paragraph 4(2)(e) (Non-waste framework directive exemption: Temporary storage at a collection point) currently states:</p> <p>“in relation to waste not covered by paragraph (d) or (e), the total quantity of waste stored at any one time does not exceed 5 cubic metres.”</p> <p>However, the reference to (e) is erroneous and this should read “...covered by paragraph (c) or (d)...”</p> <p>The Environmental Permitting Regulations will be amended to correct this error.</p>	<p>Schedule 3, Part 5, Paragraph 4(2)(e) - the Non-waste framework directive exemption: Temporary storage at a collection point, will be amended to read:</p> <p>“in relation to waste not covered by paragraph (c) or (d), the total quantity of waste stored at any one time does not exceed 5 cubic metres”</p>
N/A	<p>We will extend the relevant particulars in the Environmental Permitting Regulations to give the regulators scope to request additional information at registration, on an ongoing basis, or at the end of an operation if required.</p>	<p>Environmental Permitting Regulations Schedule 2 Paragraph 10 to be amended to give the regulators scope to request additional information. For example, types and quantities of waste that are going to be stored, used, treated or disposed of.</p>
N/A	<p>We will introduce a requirement for operators to keep and make records available on request for all exemptions. This includes records in an electronic format and/or in an IT system identified by the regulator where required.</p>	<p>Environmental Permitting Regulations to be amended to introduce a requirement for operators to keep and make records available on request for all exemptions and for records in an electronic format and/or in an IT system.</p>
N/A	<p>We will provide additional interpretation in Schedule 2 for the terms “place”, “direct link” and “indoors”</p>	<p>Environmental Permitting Regulations Schedule 2 to be amended to provide additional interpretation.</p>