

Proper separation of household garbage and collection dates

← 30cm (Please use this as a reference when measuring the size of large refuse and other items.) →

Put out by 7.30am. (※ 8am ~ Yoshiwa areas, *and at a specified time in Miyajima area)

Designated bags (yellow, white, green) Large refuse seals Designated bags for burnable (yellow), recyclable, landfill and hazardous waste (white), small and complex (green) , and large refuse disposal fee payment tickets (stickers) are available at supermarkets and home centers in the city.

Supermarket shopping bags and designated outer bags with 'Hatsukaichi', 'Authorisation number', 'Mascot character (picture)' and 'Name' printed on them can be used in place of the white/green designated bags. If you can put out garbage in designated bags and the bags are lined up horizontally by category, put them all together in one designated bag. Do not tape the bag, but tie it up and dispose the waste.

Classification	Collection day	How to put out garbage	Examples of garbage (Notes).																			
Burnable garbage	Twice a Week	Designated yellow bags (45・30・20・10 liter)	Must be less than 30 cm in length. Kitchen waste Raw garbage Detergent containers ● Wrap cooking scraps, leftovers, etc. in newspaper or other paper after draining off the water. ● Absorb cooking oil, etc. in newspaper or rags. ● Remove metal, glass and other non-combustible materials.	Paper waste, etc. Paper waste and paper cups	Other (vinyl, leather goods, Styrofoam, plastics other than recyclable waste) Plastic bags Styrofoam Coloured food trays Hose ● All must be cut to less than 30 cm.	Wood products, etc. ● Wood products should be cut into pieces less than 10 cm in diameter, and less than 30 cm in length and placed directly into designated yellow bags . Grass, leaves, twigs and diapers ● Please remove soil from grass, leaves and twigs, cut them into pieces less than 30 cm in length, place them directly into the designated white bags and dispose of them. ● Diapers: - Place diapers directly into designated white bags and write "OMUTSU"(diapers)on the bag Special rules for burnable garbage : Can be disposed of in the designated white bags. ※City-approved plastic bags and designated outer bags cannot be used.																
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Recyclable waste ①	2or3 times a month	Designated white bags	Bottle Beer bottles Milk bottle Whisky Bottle 1.8 liter bottle(ex.Sake) Juice bottle Energy Drink Bottle	Can Spray can Can Juice cans Beer cans	● Bottles' and 'cans' should be placed directly into the same ' designated white bag '. ● Bottle lids must be removed . Lids containing metal are small and complex refuse ; plastic lids are burnable garbage . If the lid of the canned food cannot be removed, push it back into the can. ● Always remove the contents and rinse the inside well with water to remove any dirt. ● If possible, please return 1.8 liter bottles(ex.Sake), beer, juice and milk bottles to the stores where they were purchased. ● Bottles larger than 1 square meter, broken and shapeless bottles, chemical bottles and cosmetic bottles are landfill waste. ● The gas content of the spray cans must be completely consumed. It is not necessary to drill holes. (Remaining gas can cause a fire at collection or at the disposal facility.)																	
Recyclable waste ②	2or3 times a month	(45・30・20 liter) Not available for commercial use (70 and 90 liters).	Only seven items, regardless of whether they are marked or not. White styrofoam food trays Plastic bottles For beverages and soy sauce	Other plastic containers Containers for lactic acid beverages Tofu packs Containers for strawberries (transparent) etc.	Pudding and yoghurt cups Egg packs	● The seven items should be grouped together and placed directly into the designated white bags . ● Remove contents and labels , wash in water and dry. Uncleaned contents and labels are burnable garbage . ● Plastic bottle lids must be removed . Plastic lids and cooking oil bottles are burnable garbage . ● Plastic bottles, tofu packs, egg packs, puddings and yoghurt cups and lactic acid drink containers can be thrown away even if it has colors. ● White food trays must be white on the reverse side . Those with colour or patterns (including point patterns) are burnable garbage . ● Remove egg packs and other seals as far as possible. ● Paper stickers that cannot be removed can be left in its place.																
Recyclable waste ③	Every week Every month	Tie up together by a string	Papers Newspapers and leaflets Cardboard Paper packs or beverages Magazines (books)	Miscellaneous paper	● Cardboard, newspapers/flyers, magazines (books) and beverage cartons should be bundled separately with 'string' (no duct tape allowed). ● Cardboard should be folded. ● Drinking paper packs should be rinsed, cut open and dried.																	
Recyclable waste ④	_____ day	Designated white bags	Cloths Clothing (clothes) Curtains	● Clothing (clothes), including ski and snowboard wear, should be put directly into the ' designated white bag ' and not bundled with string. ● Socks and underwear are cut into pieces of less than 30 cm and are burnable garbage . ● Remove metal fittings, plastic, and weights from curtains. ● Pads (one per pad) are considered large refuse if the length of the longest part when tied with string is 30 cm or more, and small and complex refuse if the length is less than 30 cm.																		
Recyclable waste ⑤	Odd-numbered months	Tie up together by a string	Pruned branches ※Bamboo, shrubs, cypads and other many leafy species cannot be.	● Collection days for landfill waste days is in odd numbered months. ● Pruned branches should be cut to a diameter of less than 10 cm per branch and less than 1 m in length and bundled with 'string' (no duct tape allowed; maximum 5 kg per bundle). ● Items larger than 10 cm in diameter should be cut into 1 m pieces and brought directly to Eco-Center Hatsukaichi (no need to tie them with string). (Rootstocks, bamboo, shrubs, etc. cannot be brought in).																		
Landfill waste	Every month	Designated white bags or sandbags	Glass that cannot be recycled. Glass tableware Glass cups Glass pots Flat broken glass Bottles of cosmetics Bottles of chemicals	Ceramics Teacups and plates Earthenware Earthenware pots Plant pots	Ash, other Disposable body warmer (Cairo) Ashes Incandescent bulbs・LED bulbs																	
Large refuse (Charged per item)	Every month	Payment ticket (sticker) Charged per item Must put on sticker	Items with a length of 30 cm or more. Buckets Kettle Pots Hangers Cloth-drying poles Stove heater Bicycle 18-liter square can	Large objects made of multiple materials such as metal or plastic Large toys Stuffed toys	Large items of burnable garbage Chair・Tables Mirror stands Microwave ovens Wardrobes Carpet・Futons Shoe rack	● Batteries and fluorescent tubes should be removed and disposed of as hazardous waste . ● Please purchase 'stickers' from a 'large refuse disposal fee payment ticket (sticker) shop', affix the required number of stickers to each large refuse item and dispose it at the garbage dump. ※Those without seals or missing seals will not be collected. ● Charges (for each large pieces of waste) <table><tr><th>Classification</th><th>Length, width and height of the longest part</th><th>Amount</th><th>Number of stickers to be applied</th></tr><tr><td>Small</td><td>30cm or more but less than 1m</td><td>200yen</td><td>1piece</td></tr><tr><td>Medium</td><td>1m or more but less than 2m</td><td>400yen</td><td>2piece</td></tr><tr><td>Large</td><td>2m or more (※Note)</td><td>600yen</td><td>3piece</td></tr></table> (※Note) For very large items (over 3 m in length) or items of considerable weight (over 100 kg), please disassemble them or take them directly to a waste disposal facility yourself, as they will interfere with collection. ● For futons, blankets, cushions, etc., fold one small piece , tie it up with string and measure the longest part (do not bundle several pieces together). ● Exception For stick-shaped items (ex.: umbrellas), if several items of the same type are bundled together with string, they are considered one large refuse item if they are less than 30 cm in diameter (thickness) (up to 10 hangers and 10 carpet tiles). In this case, the fee is based on the longest item.	Classification	Length, width and height of the longest part	Amount	Number of stickers to be applied	Small	30cm or more but less than 1m	200yen	1piece	Medium	1m or more but less than 2m	400yen	2piece	Large	2m or more (※Note)	600yen	3piece
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Small and complex refuse		Designated green bags	Must be less than 30 cm in length Sewing needles Clocks Video tapes Cassette tapes Aluminium foil containers Metal lids Razors Wire hangers	Such as small objects made of multiple materials, including metal and plastic Electrical cords (tied with string and less than 30 cm long) Candy and snack cans Small toys and stuffed animals (containing metal)	● Folded items with a total length, width and height of less than 30 cm (e.g. blankets) are small and complex refuse . ● Removable batteries and small batteries should be placed directly into designated white bags as hazardous waste , as they can cause a fire. ● Sewing needles, razors, etc. should be placed in small metal containers, etc. and write " KIKEN "(dangerous). ● Items with a length of 30 cm or more are considered large refuse . ● Chains, wires and electrical cords should be bundled together with string, and if they are less than 30 cm long, they are considered small and complex refuse .																	
Hazardous waste		Designated white bags	Dry cell battery Mirrors Thermometers Electronic cigarettes	● A sight-seeing mirror with a frame of 30 cm or more is considered large refuse . ● Dry cell batteries can be disposed of in used dry cell battery collection boxes at City Hall and branch offices without placing them in designated bags (also at the civic center counter).																		
	Put them in empty cases when they are replaced.	Fluorescent light Fluorescent tube	● Place the fluorescent tubes in the empty case in which they were replaced to prevent them from cracking (if there is no case, take them out as they are). ● For multiple bottles, bundle them together with string. ● Place broken fluorescent tubes only directly in a designated white bag , separate from other hazardous waste, and write " KIKEN "(dangerous) on the broken fluorescent tube. ● Incandescent bulbs and LED bulbs/glow lamps are landfill waste .																			

Garbage not collected by the city	Specified appliances	Refrigerators and freezers Washing machines Air conditioners Window-type air conditioners Televisions (excluding computer displays) Clothes dryers	● Pay the recycling fee and collection and transport fee to the appliance dealer and have them take it back, according to the Home Appliance Recycling Law, the main flow of recycling processing by manufacturers etc. is as follows. Consumer → appliance dealer → designated collection point → recycling treatment facility (manufacturer, etc.) ● You can also take them to a designated pick-up point yourself (recycling charges apply). ● For more information, contact the Home Appliance Association (Home Appliance Recycling Ticket Center). Website address: https://www.rkc.aeha.or.jp Tell 0120-31-9640 ● If your appliance dealer will not take them back, please contact the Recycling Promotion Section.
	Household computers	Desktop PCs Notebook PCs PCs with integrated display Liquid crystal displays CRT displays ※What can be included. Standard accessories at the time of purchase, such as mouse, keyboard, speakers and cables	● Please apply for collection at the household PC reception desk of each PC manufacturer. ● For more information, contact the PC manufacturer or visit the PC 3R Promotion Association website. the PC 3R Promotion Association Website address: https://www.pc3r.jp/home/ Tell 03-5282-7685 ● The city's partner operator, Renet Japan Ltd. collects the items by courier service. ● For more information, contact Renet Japan Ltd. or visit their website. Renet Japan Ltd. Website address: https://www.renet.jp/ Tell 0570-085-800 ※The service does not apply to Miyajima. ● Small appliance collection boxes are located at the City Hall and Ohno Branch Office. ● Items that fit into the box's slot (15 cm x 30 cm) are eligible.
	Temporary high volume of garbage from households	Large amounts of household garbage (including fittings, folding mats, etc.) from moving house, major housecleaning, pruning of gardens, etc.	● You can either bring your garbage directly to the disposal facility yourself or ask a general garbage collector/transporter authorized by the city (for charge) to collect it for you. If you bring your own garbage directly to the disposal facility, please separate it in the same way as you dispose of it at the garbage dump and place it in the designated bags, and affix the required number of payment tickets (stickers) to each large item of waste from your home. You need to fill in a waste disposal application form at reception. If you do not know the licensed contractor, please contact the Sound Material-Cycle Society Section. ● Reception hours for direct acceptance of garbage Eco-Center Hatsukaichi (Location address: 3860 Miyayuchi, Hatsukaichi). Mon-Sat 8:30-12:00 13:00-16:00 ※Closed on Sundays, public holidays and New Year holidays.
	Business premises waste	Garbage generated by business activities such as restaurants, shops, factories, offices, agriculture, forestry and fishing.	● Reception hours for direct acceptance of garbage Hatsukaichi Energy Clean Center (Location address: 12-8 Mokuzaikou Minami, Hatsukaichi City). Mon-Sat 8:30-12:00 13:00-16:00 ※Closed on Sundays and New Year holidays.
	Garbage that cannot be disposed of in the city	Industrial waste, items containing liquids such as paraffin, petrol and oil, pesticides, paints, deleterious and poisonous substances, tires (cars and motorbikes), batteries, motorbikes, gas cylinders, unused fire extinguishers, pianos, safes, photocopiers, soil, sand and stones.	Ask the sales office to take it back or ask a specialist disposal company to dispose of it properly.

Days when no collection (※) December 31 and January 1-3
※Collection is carried out on public holidays other than the above.

Contact

Hatsukaichi City Hall Sound Material-Cycle Society Section Tell 30-9133
Hatsukaichi Energy Clean Center Tell 20-5300



Who dumps them? Who picks it up? Are you throwing away your conscience at the same time?

Illegal dumping is a criminal offense.

A person who illegally dumps is liable to imprisonment for up to five years or a fine of up to 10 million yen or both.

