



To your benefit. Worldwide.

Certification in the environmental field.

We are aware that many of today's products deliver much more than just composability and biodegradability. With our many years of expertise in the field of environment science we can offer a range of certification options for compostable and/or biobased products. This diversity enables us to offer you a wide range of services - and the best thing about it is - with us, it's you who chooses which of these services to use.

For you – we certify.

In the field of compostable products.

Compostability confirms the suitability of a product for composting in an industrial composting plant. The products suitability for home and garden composting can also be certified.

Industrial composting.

You can choose from two certification marks which can be used alternative, individually or together at the same time.

Seedling Mark.

The certification for the use of the Seedling mark is based on the DIN EN 13432 standard. In addition to the standard it is possible to apply for certification according to the following standards ASTM D 6400, DIN EN 14995, ISO 18606 and/or ISO 17088, should you wish.



DIN-Geprüft Industrial Compostable.

The certification for the use of DIN-Geprüft Industrial Compostable mark is conducted on basis of the DIN EN 13432 standards. If you require your product can be tested according to the following standards and test criteria ASTM D 6400, DIN EN 14995, ISO 17088, ISO 18606 and/or AS 4736.



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Home and garden composting.

DIN-Geprüft Home Compostable.

The certification mark DIN-Geprüft Home Compostable is awarded for products that can be composted at low temperatures, for example in the garden. The test specifications are the NF T 51-800 and AS 5810 standards.



For you – we certify.

In the field of biobased products.

Documentation of the biobased raw materials used.

DIN-Geprüft Biobased.

The mark shows the proportion of biobased carbon related to the product's total organic carbon in three possible percentage ranges. Certification is conducted based on the ASTM D 6866, DIN SPEC 91236 (CEN/TS 16137) and ISO 16620 (Parts 1-3) standard.



Bio-based content

This mark shows the proportion of biobased carbon related to the total carbon of the product.

biobased

Products from recycled material.

This certification is suitable for products including or made from recycled material. It is intended for use by recyclers and others in the supply chain of products produced from pre- or post-consumer waste material. This recycling contributes to a reduction of environmental pollution by plastic waste and supports the reduction of CO₂-emission arising from the burning of plastic waste. The focus of the certification is the assessment of the system for the traceability and thus for the calculation of the recycled material content in the end product. Basis for this certification are DIN EN ISO 14021 and DIN EN 15343 standards.



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