

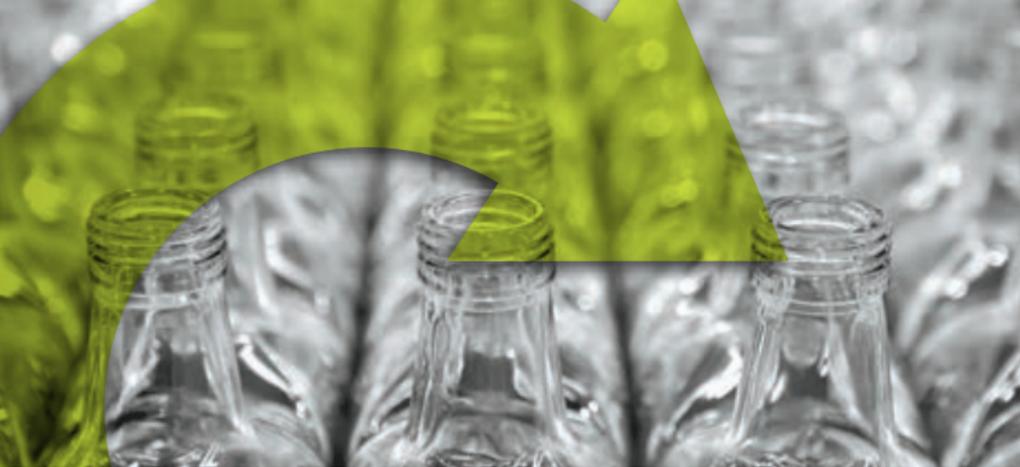


BINTRIM

Waste solutions for a sustainable business

NSW businesses send more than 2.5 million tonnes of waste to landfill each year.

Bin Trim gives your business the power to start wasting less and saving more in just a few simple steps.



Everyday, businesses send valuable materials to landfill

On average, more than 70 per cent of materials in your general waste bin can be reused or recycled, including packing wrap, cardboard boxes, metals, timber and food.

Reducing your waste makes good business sense and saves valuable water, energy and raw materials.

Recycling can improve your environmental performance and save an average* business each year:

- two tonnes of carbon pollution
- the annual energy use of 2 households
- 19,000 litres of water
- two and a half tonnes of raw materials

Improving your environmental performance helps your business:

- attract customers
- increase staff morale
- get better value from waste services

* Based on a small to medium business in Sydney



Bin Trim is a downloadable tool that helps you reduce, reuse and recycle your waste, in just three simple steps:

Step 1 Details

Enter your business details and information about what goes in your bin and what gets recycled.

Step 2 Waste survey

Complete a simple survey of your bins to find out the volume of waste and types of materials you are throwing in your bins.

Step 3 Bin Trim plan

Select the materials you would like to include in your plan to reduce waste and increase recycling.

Start trimming your bin

Once you have your Bin Trim plan allocate tasks to employees and start implementing actions. The industry and material fact sheets will give your business specific waste reduction tips.

Industry fact sheets are available for business parks, cafés and restaurants, clubs, offices and more, with information on simple ways your business can reduce waste.

Material fact sheets help to identify options to avoid, reduce, reuse and recycle different types of materials including cardboard, food, plastic and timber waste.

Track your progress

Bin Trim can be used regularly to track how much waste your business has saved from going to landfill. As your business grows and changes, you can see how your waste profile is tracking and create specific plans that meet your business objectives.





What is your business really throwing away?

Download Bin Trim and see how you can save
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