

County Recyclables by Commodity in Tons for Calendar Year 2007

Compiled by the Maryland Department of the Environment from Reports Submitted for Calendar Year 2007

County	MRA Rate ² (%)	Waste Diversion Rate ³ (%)	Maryland Recycling Act (MRA) Materials							Non-MRA Recyclables ⁴	Total Recycling*
			Compostables	Glass	Metals	Paper	Plastic	Misc.	Subtotal		
Allegany	27.56	30.56	6,343	153	1,671	6,931	589	7,934	23,621	130,963	154,584
Anne Arundel	39.16	42.16	178,723	8,370	19,420	91,319	5,993	26,676	330,501	529,359	859,860
Baltimore City	30.16	30.16	26,314	1,783	12,454	30,244	927	145,305	217,027	191,397	408,424
Baltimore County	62.27	66.27	80,150	5,006	26,793	134,429	3,321	963,632	1,213,331	497,614	1,710,945
Calvert	11.97	11.97	806	802	2,577	3,577	355	639	8,756	29,695	38,451
Carroll	28.33	31.33	19,274	1,680	3,864	17,266	810	2,071	44,965	222,156	267,121
Cecil	51.87	54.87	86,950	282	2,837	7,422	1,546	289	99,326	41,650	140,976
Charles	34.96	39.96	22,990	1,411	2,760	17,341	793	3,359	48,654	332,867	381,521
Dorchester	17.58	17.58	1,085	39	727	2,682	159	3,512	8,204	3,569	11,773
Frederick	41.32	44.32	25,644	2,646	5,560	42,379	1,186	50,337	127,752	35,905	163,657
Garrett	57.02	58.02	23,138	199	615	2,480	280	2,740	29,452	8,814	38,266
Harford	56.72	60.72	68,624	1,504	8,218	65,812	486	44,783	189,427	48,411	237,838
Howard	43.07	48.07	87,420	275	7,073	109,054	893	16,945	221,660	5,372	227,032
Mid-Shore¹	50.31	50.31	20,771	1,034	1,530	30,547	374	74,477	128,733	86,389	215,122
Montgomery	38.52	43.52	155,348	17,628	94,463	167,445	5,980	20,765	461,629	39,647	501,276
Prince George's	38.21	43.21	81,530	7,716	64,236	150,621	4,456	15,655	324,214	347,827	672,041
Somerset	32.78	32.78	6,351	39.3	757	236	25	1,406	8,814	7,117	15,931
St. Mary's	31.08	35.08	4,922	918	4,474	13,934	374	2,113	26,735	40,042	66,777
Washington	35.74	35.74	6,899	1,106	2,563	33,761	7,343	2,477	54,149	42,023	96,172
Wicomico	20.35	20.35	10,073	533	3,431	12,778	2,530	1,117	30,462	8,372	38,834
Worcester	34.07	34.07	25,478	1,060	3,506	5,759	168	952	36,923	51,384	88,307
State Highways of Additional Asphalt and Concrete Recycled										98,532	98,532
TOTAL*	44.10	47.50	938,833	54,184	269,529	946,017	38,588	1,387,184	3,634,335	2,799,105	6,433,440

* Due to rounding, tonnage totals in this table may differ slightly from the sum of actual values.

¹ Mid-Shore Regional Recycling Program includes Caroline, Kent, Queen Anne's and Talbot Counties.

² MRA Recycling Rate = MRA recycling tonnage ÷ (MRA recycling tonnage + MRA waste) x 100.

³ Waste Diversion Rate = Recycling Rate + Source Reduction (SR) Credit (based on voluntary reporting of SR activities). **Bolded** rates include both recycling and SR activities.

⁴ Column includes materials, such as construction and demolition debris, land clearing debris and recycled fluids that fall outside the scope of the standard MRA Recycling Rate, but are reported by the counties as recycled materials.