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MADE USING AT LEAST 35% RECYCLED OCEAN BOUND PLASTIC^

^Products contain from 35% - 50% Recycled Ocean Bound Plastic. Refer to product label.

Ocean-bound plastic refers to plastic waste that has been improperly disposed of on land, shores, waterways, and river areas, which poses a risk of polluting the ocean. Plastic waste generated within a 50 km radius of coastlines is often mismanaged and can potentially become marine debris in the ocean.[1] Plastic waste that is disposed of properly in landfills or organised dump sites is not categorised as ocean bound.

Reference: 1 Jambeck, J. R., Geyer, R., Wilcox, C., Siegler, T. R., Perryman, M., Andrady, A., Narayan, R., & Law, K. L. (2015). Plastic waste inputs from land into the ocean. Science, 347(6223), 768-771.

Use and Care

To keep your Sistema® Recycled Ocean Bound Plastic container looking its best, the following are recommended:

Care Guidelines

- Remove all labels/packaging and wash before use.
- Sistema® Recycled Ocean Bound Plastic containers are safe for normal household dishwashers (top rack only). Ensure the containers are secure on the top rack, this prevents them from contacting the heating element and avoids melting.
- Warm soapy water can also be used to wash the containers.
- Do not use abrasive cleaners or scrubbers as they may cause dullness to the finish.
- Do not use utensils with sharp edges (e.g., knives) in the container. They could scratch or scuff the container surface.

Microwaving

- Sistema® Recycled Ocean Bound Plastic containers can be used to reheat pre-cooked foods (without lid).
- Follow the recommended food storage directions, use, or heating instructions, based on the knowledge about the food or the information on the food label. Also follow the microwave manufacturer's recommendation when defrosting or reheating foods.
- When microwaving, remove the lid to allow steam to vent. To prevent splattering, cover with a paper towel. Sealing plastic lids while heating may create extra pressure causing the lid to warp or create dangerous steam build-up.

Freezing

- Sistema® Recycled Ocean Bound Plastic containers are safe for freezer use.
- Foods containing water expand when frozen. Leave sufficient space in container when freezing to allow for expansion.
- Containers can become stiff after freezing. Allow the container to rest for a few minutes at room temperature or run under warm water before opening or microwaving.

Warnings

- These containers may stain when reheating foods like tomato-based sauces, beetroot, curries, food seasoned with the herb turmeric, or foods with high fat or high sugar content.
- Reheating and/or melting butter or foods high in salt, oil, fat or sugar content (i.e. chocolate, candies, syrup) could lead to severe damage and potentially melt the container.
- Avoid using plastic wrap on or inside the container during microwave use. The plastic wrap could heat, melt, and adhere to the container walls.
- These containers are not intended for cooking. Excessive reheating time in the microwave may damage the container.
- As this product is not leak-proof, extra care must be observed when transporting food that contains any form of liquid.

CAUTION: Remove lid when in microwave to avoid dangerous steam build-up. Do not use in a conventional oven, on a hot plate, under the grill, on the stove top or in convection microwave oven using convection settings. Use care when handling a container with hot contents or after reheating in the microwave.

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Use and Care

To keep your Sistema® Recycled Ocean Bound Plastic bottle looking its best, we recommend the following:

Care Guidelines

- Remove all labels/packaging and wash before use.
- Sistema® Recycled Ocean Bound Plastic bottles are safe for normal household dishwashers (top rack only). Ensure the bottle and lid are secure on the top rack, this prevents them from contacting the heating element and avoids melting.
- Warm soapy water can also be used to wash the bottle and lid.
- If the bottle has not been used for some time, rinse first with warm water to remove any residual odours.
- Do not use abrasive cleaners or scrubbers as they may cause dullness to the finish.
- Do not use bleach or cleaners containing chlorine on any part of the bottle.
- For specific individual bottle and lid cleaning instructions, please visit www.sistemaplastics.com/use-and-care

Warnings

- Not intended for use with hot liquids or carbonated beverages. It may cause the sides of the bottle to get very hot to the touch, and any pressure build-up in the container could cause the lid to pop open unexpectedly, leading to injury or spills.
- DO NOT carry bottles containing liquid in bags to prevent accidental opening.
- Dairy, juice, or other liquids that spoil easily should not be kept in product for prolonged periods. Juice may start to ferment in as little as a day.
- In order to minimise bacterial growth, DO NOT use for warm milk products or baby food.
- DO NOT use in microwave, on stove-top, or in any type of oven.
- DO NOT use Sistema® Recycled Ocean Bound Plastic bottles bottles in the freezer.

CAUTION: Do not use in a microwave, conventional oven, on a hot plate, under the grill, on the stove top or in convection microwave oven using convection settings.