



Backyard Compost Bins

- 3' wide x 3' tall
- 80 gallon capacity
- Vent the cap by turning
- Designed to keep pets and pests out
- Access material by lifting the front door, removing the top cap or removing the upper half/dome.
- Comes in three pieces for easy transportation and assembly (lower ring, top dome and package with front door, pegs and instructions)
- Make compost in 3-6 months.
- Use compost to enhance the quality of soil, increase aeration and water-holding capacity, to suppress plant diseases and pests and to save money.
- Go to <https://scdhec.gov/environment/recycling-waste-reduction/composting-recycling-naturally> for more information.

Compost



Content

- Certified by the US Composting Council and tested every two months
- Clean wood waste only
- Screened to ensure <3/8 inch pieces

Coverage

- Residential users, use between 3 cubic yards (approx. 2 tons) per 1,000 square feet for 1" thickness and 6 cubic yards (approx. 4.2 tons) per 1,000 square feet for 2" thickness. Roto-till soil or manually blend the layer of compost with 6" of existing soil.
- Commercial users, contact Lexington County Solid Waste Management at (803) 785-3340 or tsander@lex-co.com for instructions specific to your application.

Amounts

- 1 ton = about 1.43 cubic yards
- 1 bag = about 40 lbs
- 50 bags = 1 ton
- 35 bags = 1 cubic yard
- Small pickup trucks hold approximately one ton.

Mulch

Colors

- Brown, black and red but call (803) 755-3325 to confirm availability
- Uncolored mulch is also available.

Coverage

- 1 cubic yard covers approx. 150 square feet 2" thick

Amounts

- 1 ton = about 3.33 cubic yards
- 1 bag = 2 cubic feet = about 43 lbs
- 14 bags = about 1 cubic yard
- Average pick-up truck or trailer holds 1/2 ton or 1-2 cubic yards (but this can vary significantly depending on the moisture content of the mulch)



Prices

COMPOST



\$10/ton or \$2/bag (approx. 40 lbs)

MULCH



Uncolored Mulch
\$10/ton



Colored Mulch
\$45/ton or \$2/bag (approx. 2 cu. ft.)

COMPOST BINS



\$40 each (3' wide x 3' tall)

Cash, checks and credit cards accepted.

All Items Available Year-Round From:

Lexington County Solid Waste Management
Edmund Landfill
498 Landfill Lane
Lexington, SC 29073
Mon-Sat, 7 a.m. to 4 p.m. (close at 4:30 p.m.)



To ensure that your compost bin has been removed from storage, please call (803) 785-3340 or email tsander@lex-co.com.

Bagged Compost & Mulch Available At:

**Lexington County
Central Stores**
415 Ball Park Rd.
Lexington, SC 29072
Mon-Fri, 8 a.m. – 12 noon & 1-4 p.m.
Call (803) 785-8368 to confirm availability.



Availability of Colored Mulch



When purchasing colored mulch, residents and businesses are encouraged to call (803) 755-3325 to ensure that an adequate amount of the desired color is available.

For More Information

Go to www.lex-co.sc.gov/solidwaste or
Contact Lexington County Solid Waste
Management at (803) 755-3325.

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