

Criteria for purchasing post-consumer PET bottles

The delivered material must contain at least 98 % of PET bottles (caps and labels are considered to be part of PET bottles).

Permissible weight of contaminants:

< 0,1% PVC

< 0,2% metals

< 0,4 % other contaminants (stones, sand, rubber textiles, residual liquid and water in PET bottles...)

< 0,5 % other plastic waste (other PET products than PET bottles, PET G, HDPE, LDPE, PP, PS)

Wrapping material of pressed cubes of PET bottles (wires, tapes) should not exceed 0,8%.

PET bottles must not be contaminated with water-insoluble substances such as paint, oil, lubricants and others. So contaminated PET bottles are considered as contaminants.

Permissible weight of other colors of PET bottles than the one that is desirable is 1,5 % (turquoise color of PET bottles is classified as green, not blue).