

Brown Yard Waste Bin

In general, anything that grows can be put in the brown can. Here are some specific examples:

- Grass and leaves, loose not bagged
- Pruning and weeds
- Twigs and small branches, four inches or less in diameter and two feet or less in length
- Vegetation from the yard

It's a fact that every year Americans throw away 28 million tons of mowed grass, dead leaves, and branches. This yard waste is cheaper to process and dispose of than regular refuse and it's good for the environment. By placing the yard waste in your brown can, you are helping to keep the rates down.

Do **NOT** place the following items in the brown yard waste bin:

- › Meat
- › Bones
- › Fat
- › Grease
- › Palm fronds
- › Dirt
- › Rocks
- › Construction debris
- › Recyclables
- › Household trash
- › Pet waste
- › Hazardous wastes