

NEC RECYCLING CENTRE

ABOUT THE FACILITY

The NEC now has its very own dedicated Waste Pre Treatment Centre, opened in March 2009. This enables waste to be segregated, processed and sent from site to be recycled; diverting materials that could be re-used away from the local landfill site.

With an investment of £330,000, the latest weighing technology and compacting equipment in the centre enables the waste to be processed so that the maximum amount can be sent from site in one load.



WHAT WE CAN RECYCLE

Cardboard, plastic, metal, wood, paper, plastic bottles and cans, and pallets are now diverted away from the hole in the ground and collected by local suppliers to the recycling industry. In fact no one material travels more than thirty miles from The NEC, putting the venue at the forefront of sustainability within the exhibition industry.

OUR TARGETS

The target is to recycle 50 per cent of waste generated on site, amounting to 2,800 tonnes, within four years of operation.

