



# Paper cups & bowls

- EN 13432: European Commercial Compostable Certified
- Valid until: 31/07/2021

 <p>Gesellschaft für Konformitätsbewertung mbH</p>	
<h2>CERTIFICATE</h2>	
<b>Certificate holder</b>	BioPak Production Facility
<b>Product</b>	Products made of compostable materials
<b>Type, Model</b>	PLA Paper Cup
<b>Testing basis</b>	DIN EN 13432:2000-12 ASTM D 6400:2012-01 Certification scheme products made of compostable materials (2016-01)
<b>Mark of conformity</b>	 <p>kompostierbar</p>
<b>Registration No.</b>	7P0395
<b>Valid until</b>	2021-07-31
<b>Nutzungsrecht</b>	<p>With this certificate the holder is granted the licence to use the mark of conformity shown above in conjunction with the specified registration number according to the Regulations governing Use of the Mark and the Trademark Usage Guidelines.</p> <p>See annex for further information.</p>
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## What is EN 13432?

The criteria for the industrial compostability of packaging are set out in the European standard EN 13432. EN 13432 requires the compostable plastics to disintegrate after 12 weeks and completely biodegrade after six months. That means that 90 percent or more of the plastic material will have been converted to CO<sub>2</sub>. The remaining share is converted into water and biomass – i.e. valuable compost. Materials and products complying with this standard can be certified and labelled accordingly.

Biodegradable certification in accordance to DIN CERTCO, visit [www.dincertco.de](http://www.dincertco.de)