



In Scope and Out of Scope Containers and Products for Ireland's Deposit Return Scheme, Re-turn.
Containers

In Scope Containers	Out of Scope Containers
PET Beverage Bottles	HDPE / other plastic Beverage Bottles
Aluminium Beverage Bottles	Aluminium Food Cans
Aluminium Cans	Steel Food Cans
Steel Beverage Cans	Composite Beverage Cartons (e.g. Tetra Pak, Elopak)
	Stand Up Drinks Pouches
	Plastic Pots
Hybrid Cans (Aluminium & PET mix)	Hybrid Cans (Aluminium & PET mix) to be phased out by 2025
Hybrid Bottles (Aluminium & PET mix)	Hybrid Bottles (Aluminium & PET mix) to be phased out by 2025
Size: 150ml – 3 Litres Capacity	Size : <150ml, >3 Litres Capacity

Product Types

In Scope Products	Out of Scope Products
Alcohol: Cider	Dairy: Yogurt Drinks
Alcohol: Beer	Dairy: Milk (Whole, Skimmed, Low Fat).
Alcohol: Wine	Dairy: Butter Milk
Alcohol: Spirits	Dairy: Milk Shakes
Alcohol: Cocktail Mixes	Dairy: Cream
Non-Alcohol Alternatives to above	Dairy: Flavoured Milk (e.g. strawberry or chocolate milk)
Water: Still	Smoothies: Containing dairy
Water: Sparkling	Alcohol: Dairy Based Liquers
Water: Flavoured	Protein Drinks made with milk based protein (e.g Whey)
Water: Functional / Vitamin Waters	Soft Drinks: Ready to Drink Teas & Coffees with milk
Soft Drinks: Carbonated	Drinks prescribed specifically for medicinal purposes
Soft Drinks: Cordials / Squash incl. RTD Versions	
Soft Drinks: Energy	
Soft Drinks: Sports	
Soft Drinks: Functional / Vitamin	
Soft Drinks: Ready to Drink Teas / Coffees (without milk)	
Soft Drinks: Protein – non-dairy based	
Soft Drinks: Mixers	
Shakes: Protein – non-dairy based	
Juices: Concentrated	
Juices: Juice Drinks / High Juice	
Juices: Not from concentrate	
Juices: Freshly Squeezed / Vegetable	
Smoothies (no dairy component)	
Concentrated: Sweeteners / Syrups	
Nut / Plant / Cereal Based Drinks (non-dairy)	

