



RECYCLING

TURNING OLD WINDOWS INTO NEW

THE 360 APPROACH

WELCOME TO VEKA RECYCLING

The VEKA Recycling Group is Europe's largest UPVC recycler established in 2007 to allow window fabricators and installers to dispose of their UPVC waste.

Our recycling facilities in the UK, Germany and France have over 25 years of recycling experience. VEKA Recycling can recycle old windows to such purity that they can be reused in the production of new window frames.

In the UK, VEKA Recycling was the very first in the industry to establish a closed-loop recycling facility of this kind.



STEADY, RELIABLE AND INVESTING IN THE FUTURE

In 2018, The VEKA Recycling Group recycled in excess of 75,000 tonnes of old UPVC windows and doors. This is the equivalent of over 4.5 million windows per annum.

The VEKA Recycling Group has made a multi-million-pound investment in a new state of the art recycling facility in Wellingborough, Northamptonshire for the continued processing of old UPVC windows.

VEKA Recycling is committed to creating a cost-effective and sustainable alternative to landfill across the UK. Our primary processing facility in the UK accepts post-consumer frames and post-industrial offcuts of any brand of windows.

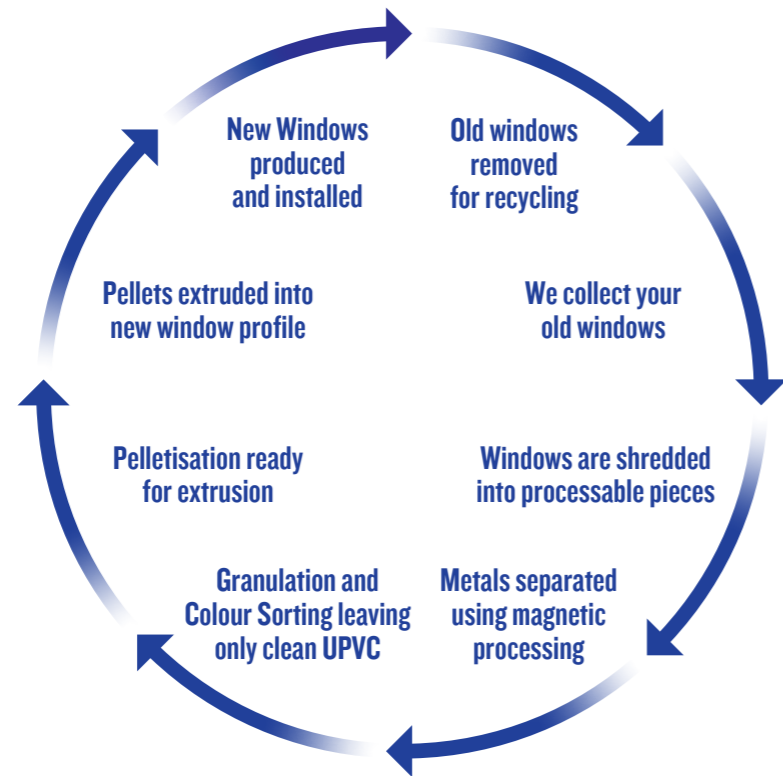
This makes UPVC one of the most sustainable recycled products currently available in the building and home improvement market.



THE 360 APPROACH

WHAT IS IT

This is the 360 approach to our closed loop recycling - Simple and sustainable



THE VEKA RECYCLING GROUP WHERE ARE WE?

There are three plants within the VEKA Recycling Group:

VEKA Recycling
Wellingborough
UK

VEKA UT
Behringen
Germany

VEKA Recyclage
Vendeuvre-sur-Barse
France

VEKA UT in Germany has been operating Europe's most advanced UPVC recycling plant in the town of Behringen for over 25 years.

VEKA Recyclage in France has established a similar facility to VEKA Recycling's UK operation. Situated in Vendeuvre-sur-Barse, it collates material from France, Spain and Portugal for processing in Germany.

The VEKA Recycling Group recycles over 75,000 tonnes of UPVC windows per year which is in excess of 4.5 million windows annually – all to a level of purity that can be made directly into new windows.

VEKA Recycling – Safe, steady and reliable.



WHY RECYCLE OLD WINDOWS

The average window manufacturer and installer disposes of 30-40 UPVC frames per week which is an average of almost two tonnes per month. The average price for a skip holding this tonnage is in excess of £350. Using this estimate, if you exchange one skip per month you could have an annual cost of over £4,000.

VEKA Recycling offers a sustainable method of saving you money. We successfully collect thousands of tonnes across the UK reducing your skip costs and landfill charges.

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WE ARE DELIGHTED TO BE WORKING WITH VEKA RECYCLING. HAVING ALL OF OUR OLD SCRAP WINDOW FRAMES RECYCLED NOT ONLY KEEPS OUR SITE TIDY BUT THEIR FREE COLLECTION SERVICE MEANS WE ARE SAVING THOUSANDS OF POUNDS EACH YEAR IN LANDFILL COSTS.

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**Martyn Richmond, Managing Director
Hallmark Windows Ltd**



WHAT IS LANDFILL TAX?

Landfill Tax was introduced as an effective measure in deterring landfilling of waste material and encouraging behaviour change. Since its introduction the rate of tax has increased steadily and substantially (approximately £5.00 - £6.00 per tonne each year). The rates are increased with the specific intention of incentivising recycling waste materials and reducing the level of landfill.

DID YOU KNOW...

Every UPVC window can be recycled up to ten times with potentially 150 years of good UPVC recycled materials to be used.



KEY BENEFITS AND SERVICES

- ◆ Recycle your UPVC production waste
- ◆ Free collection service for scrap/end of life UPVC windows
- ◆ We buy and recycle your post-industrial offcuts
- ◆ We supply recycling bins for post-industrial waste
- ◆ We ensure you are fully covered by all environmental legislation and duty of care
- ◆ Reassurance you are supported by a Recycling Specialist
- ◆ Annual report on total tonnages and windows recycled
- ◆ Increase eco-friendly credentials
- ◆ Attract new customers with a green conscience
- ◆ Being part of a unique closed-loop recycling initiative
- ◆ Makes financial sense
- ◆ Genuine sustainable recycling solution



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