Materials that can be composted

GREENS



Egg shells, fruit & vegetable scraps



Grass, weed & plant clippings



Coffee grounds, filters & tea bags



Manure (not dog or cat)

BROWNS

Dried leaves & twigs



Straw & Hay



Pine needles & pine cones



Wood chips, tree bark & sawdust



Caution



Meat & Dairy cause odor problems and attract pests.



Fats, grease, & oils cause odor problems and attract pests.



Diseased plants, black walnuts & chemicals can contaminate compost.

Tips

Layer 2/3 browns and 1/3 greens



Too many greens = STINKY, Cover greens with browns

Moisture helps compost breakdown



