## A Garden Organic Factsheet Choosing the right compost bin for you... **Green Johanna**



## Capacity: 330litres

Size: (height) 950mm, (diameter) 900mm

Price: Usually between £100 and £150

**Summary:** A sturdy bin comprising a base and tiered layers that are screwed together. Reaches higher temperatures than a standard cool bin allowing for cooked waste to be broken down as well as garden waste.

## **Further Info:**

•Grass clippings, leaves, twigs, weeds, bark etc. can also be composted, but recommended to cut the waste into small pieces

•Do not add animal faeces

•Mix and aerate the uppermost layer of the compost every time you add new material and occasionally aerate the lower compost using the stirring stick

•Depending on the conditions, the compost will be ready after four to six months



•Empty by removing the compost through the two doors at the base

•Screwed together components reduce the vermin risk

Available from: getcomposting.com (sometimes subsidised),

greatgreensystems.com, garden centres

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