Table 4-2
Materials diverted by type, province and territory — 2008

	Newfoundland and Labrador	Prince Edward Island	Nova Scotia	New Brunswick	Quebec [1]	Ontario
	tonnes					
All materials	**x**	**x**	**289,950**	**267,467**	**2,463,600**	**2,810,900**
Newsprint	x	x	34,771	12,287	310,000	494,116
Cardboard and boxboard	x	x	27,271	15,111	456,000	419,690
Mixed paper	x	0	7,399	x	376,000	210,720
Glass	x	x	1,222	x	103,000	143,780
Ferrous metals	0	0	4,244	1,499	134,400	110,467
Copper and aluminum	x	x	581	x	19,200	17,363
Mixed metals	x	x	1,462	3,540	0	22,364
White goods	0	0	x	x	270,000	12,376
Electronics	0	0	x	x	7,000	4,419
Plastics	x	x	6,303	1,518	113,000	98,594
Tires	0	x	x	298	73,000	8,087
Construction, renovation and demolition	0	0	40,368	x	211,000	209,628
Organics	0	x	158,419	225,081	384,000	1,029,510
Other materials	x	x	2,400	954	7,000	29,786

	Manitoba	Saskatchewan	Alberta	British Columbia	Yukon, Northwest Territories and Nunavut	Canada
	tonnes					
All materials	**170,377**	**149,619**	**728,536**	**1,505,112**	**x**	**8,473,257**
Newsprint	45,638	18,796	84,239	124,979	x	**1,132,398**
Cardboard and boxboard	38,249	39,332	115,789	260,478	x	**1,400,907**
Mixed paper	10,263	8,158	86,941	x	x	**931,358**
Glass	7,361	x	x	x	x	**421,007**
Ferrous metals	x	x	20,685	34,193	x	**350,370**
Copper and aluminum	4,146	x	6,814	x	x	**58,950**
Mixed metals	4,052	1,143	20,266	73,471	x	**127,033**
White goods	x	2,743	x	12,192	x	**312,988**
Electronics	99	x	5,429	x	0	**24,367**
Plastics	9,247	4,863	26,342	64,864	x	**325,868**
Tires	1,499	x	3,392	x	667	**158,336**
Construction, renovation and demolition	2,331	x	54,056	198,480	0	**720,076**
Organics	x	12,190	231,544	343,586	x	**2,439,223**
Other materials	703	1,009	10,111	9,101	x	**70,375**

1. Waste diversion data are derived from a survey administered by RECYC-QUÉBEC.

Note(s): Figures may not add up to totals due to rounding. This information covers only those companies and local waste management organizations that reported non-hazardous recyclable material preparation activities and refers only to that material entering the waste stream and does not cover any waste that may be managed on-site by a company or household. Additionally, these data do not include those materials transported by the generator directly to secondary processors, such as, pulp and paper mills while bypassing entirely any firm or local government involved in waste management activities.

Source(s): Statistics Canada, Environment Accounts and Statistics Division, CANSIM table 153-0043.