



Returnable transit packaging (RTP) is replacing one-trip packaging as the preferred carrier for transporting and storing a wide range of products.

The re-use of packaging provides clear economic, social and environmental benefits across the entire supply chain.

Cost and efficiency savings

Businesses see increased efficiency and reduced costs as a result of introducing re-useable plastic packaging into their processes.

Durable plastic RTP products are specifically designed for multiple trips over an extended life. They offer an excellent return on investment and - with no waste disposal costs to consider - a lower cost-per-trip than single trip packaging products.

Plastic containers and trays nest when empty and so offer space savings in warehousing and in transit. In turn they require fewer journeys, contributing to lower transportation costs.

Superior protection and security

The strength and rigidity of plastic helps protect goods against knocks, and it is resistant to moisture and other contaminants such as mould or dust. Attached lidded containers offer extra protection and also provide tamper-evident security sealing systems.

Environmental sustainability

Over its lifecycle, a plastic container has a significantly lower carbon footprint than its cardboard equivalent. Re-usable plastic containers have a lifespan of many years and at the end of their life can be recycled into new plastic containers.

Safe and easy handling

With ergonomic handles, smooth surfaces and rounded corners, plastic containers present a low risk of injury to operatives. Plastic containers are also specially designed for secure stacking when in storage and transit.





> How **phs** Teacrate can help

We offer a comprehensive range of strong, durable plastic RTP products to meet the requirements of the food and retail sectors as well as logistics operations across a range of industries.

Specialising in the supply of containers for storage and distribution, our range of re-usable plastic containers provides an RTP solution to fit any business need.

Next day delivery is standard on all stocked items through our national network of service centres, which also cater for customer collections.

We can provide timed deliveries, same day and emergency deliveries, and crates always arrive clean and ready for immediate use.

As well as owning the tooling, we have strong manufacturing partnerships in the UK to produce and supply crates in line with customer demand.

Together with our continued investment in the manufacturing tooling for our industry-leading crates, this means that we are able to offer a wide product range - competitively priced, with a continuity of supply.

Our products and services for food, retail and general logistics include:

- Ad hoc RTP rental
- RTP pool management
- RTP sales
- Hygienic RTP washing
- Handling equipment rental and sales



* www.one.org/us/2015/04/07/10-really-interesting-facts-about-food-safety/



> **phs** Teacrate wash process



Only environmental and food safe chemicals (Bacitirinse & Pentroclene Plus) are used in our operation, and the trays will emerge with less than 10g of water.

During the wash process, periodic bacterial swab testing using 3M™ products will also be carried out, and Reflective Light Units (RLU) results recorded and logged.

^{*} Owing to the high tack of some barcode/delivery labels, repeat washes may be required incurring additional wash costs



> Why choose **phs** Teacrate



Industry leading service and reliability (98% on-time delivery)



Dedicated account manager



Diverse range of RTPs including bale arm crates, attached lidded containers and pallet crates



No minimum order quantity on stocked items



Experienced sales and customer support teams providing expert knowledge and advice



RTP pool management



National network of branches and a fleet of over 30 vehicles



Tray, tote and pallet washing service



Next working day delivery as standard on stocked items



Purchased plastic containers can be branded with your company logo



Online access to our customer portal



Range of colours available on bespoke stock



> How it works

RTP pool management

Pool management guarantees the supply of RTP to the levels required, throughout the year. It's the most cost-effective method for managing RTP through seasonal peaks and troughs in demand.

Customised RTP and RTP sales

When a business has an ongoing need for RTP, it could be more cost effective to purchase an RTP pool. We can supply new stock in various quantities, in a choice of colours and with company branding if required.

Wash service

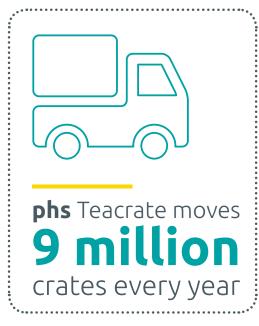
We recognise that RTP hygiene is a major consideration in the food and retail supply chains. That is why we offer an integrated wash service, with hygienic swab testing.

Our in-house wash facilities are available on a fully serviced contract basis or as a stand-alone service to customers owning their own containers or pallets.

> Design and production

With our continued investment in the production of our industry leading crates we are able to offer a wide product range, competitively priced and with a continuity of supply.

Our involvement and investment in the manufacturing process also means that we are able to respond to specific design requirements and our experienced team can work with you to design and produce your own bespoke containers.



> Full geographical coverage in the UK



Nestable Bale Arm Tray (NBAT) Range

NBATs are widely used for the storage and distribution of a wide range of food products and are manufactured from food-grade material to comply with industry standards.

- Insert area for text and moulded in logos in top band
- Recessed bar code label areas
- Seals, labels and plastic ticket windows available
- Stock ticket holders

- Textured on all four sides for easy label removal
 - Operational temperature range of -30°C to +85°C
 - Maximum load on bottom container 80 kg (400mm x 300mm) and 162 kg (600mm x 400mm)

NBAT/FC4 - Standard (L600 x W400 x H197mm)

Stackable, nestable, food grade plastics.

Specifications	Тор	Base
External length (mm)	600	552.3
External width (mm)	400	348.8
External height (mm)	197	
Internal length (mm)	574.4	547.3
Internal width (mm)	376	348.6
Internal height (mm)	171.4	
Volume when stacked	34.9 litres	
Weight		52 kg
Max load on bottom container		
% nestable saving	7	7%
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NBAT/FC4D - Deep (L600 x W400 x H252mm)

Stackable, nestable, food grade plastics.



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554.9

354.9

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349.1

252

226.4

46.2 litres 2 kg

162 kg

75%

576.2

368.2

Internal length (mm)

Internal width (mm)

Internal height (mm)

Volume when stacked

% nestable saving

Max load on bottom container

> Attached Lid Container (ALC) Range

Our containers and trays are manufactured from tough polypropylene, which makes them exceptionally robust and secure. They are specially designed to hold and protect the items within them so the risk of damage to contents is minimised.

- Plastic integrated tamper-resistant hinges with interlocking lid tabs for added security
- · Rounded, reinforced corners on lid and rim
- Integrated openings with guide channels for standard and arrowlock seals
- Contoured ergonomic handles
- Sloping lid surface with moisture dams and hinge drains to prevent moisture ingress
- Seals, labels and plastic ticket windows available

- Textured areas for easy label removal
- Raised hinge towers and lid stops locate containers when stacking
- Recessed barcode areas on container and lid
- Branding areas on both long sides
- Standard and optional colours
- Operational temperature range of 0°C to 43°C

ALC - Attached Lid Container (L600 x W400mm)

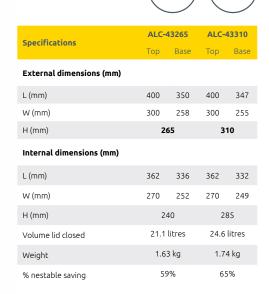
Available in four heights. Stackable, nestable, may be sealed for security.



ALC - Attached Lid Container (L400 x W300 x H265mm)

Available in two heights (265mm and 310mm). Stackable, nestable, may be sealed for security.





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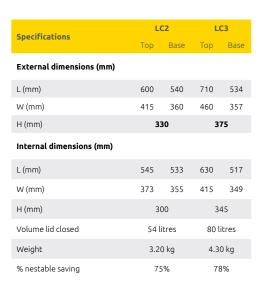
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Lidded Crate - LC2 & LC3

Stackable, nestable, may be sealed for security.







> Pallets and pallet boxes





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PB2/V Rigid pallet box (L1200 x W1000 x H760mm)

Stackable

A robust, heavy duty container for bulk storage. Option of solid or ventilated sides.







Specifications					
External size	L1200 x W1000 x H760mm				
Internal size	L1120 x W920 x H600mm				
Max static load	4500kg				
Max dynamic load	500kg				

PB1S Folding pallet box (L1200 x W1000 x H975mm)



> Roll cages and skates

RC1 Multipurpose roll cage

Nestable

A-frame single shelf cage with roof. Suitable for a variety of uses, providing two loading surfaces and fully lockable.







Specifications				
Size	L860 x W737 x H1676mm			
% nestable saving	65 %			
Maximum load	500ka			

SC1 Security roll cage

Nestable

A-frame cage suitable for a wide range of uses. The SC1 is a secure cage with fully lockable roof, base and sides. Two integral folding shelves providing three loading surfaces.







	Specifications
Тор	L790 x W660 x H470mm
Middle	L790 x W660 x H410mm
Bottom	L790 x W660 x H490mm
Maximum load	500kg

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SC2 Two-sided roll cage

Nestable

A-frame cage featuring two sides with straps to contain the contents. Design offers speedy access and is useful for awkward sized items.







Specifications					
Size	L860 x W737 x H1676mm				
% nestable saving	65 %				
Maximum load	500kg				

SKF Plastic food skate

Durable plastic skate suitable for food applications. Ideal for use with 600 x 400 trays and containers.







Size L604 x W402 x H162mm









