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#### Protecting and sustaining the environment

The purpose of this commissioning strategy is an environment that supports economic growth. We think this can be best achieved when the environmental opportunities for investment are emphasised whilst still making sure that the natural environment is protected.

#### Outcome

#### Increase recycling

#### Measure

#### Green waste composted

The tonnage of green waste collected by either the County or District Councils which was sent for composting.

Measured

See the Data



26,188

Tonnes

Quarter 1 June 2015

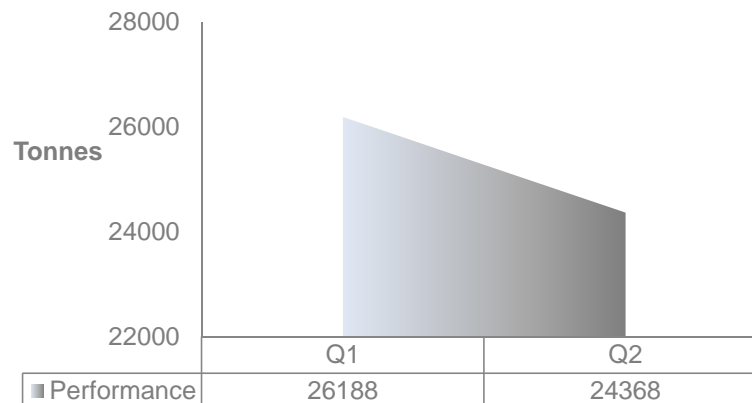


24,368

Tonnes

Quarter 2 September 2015

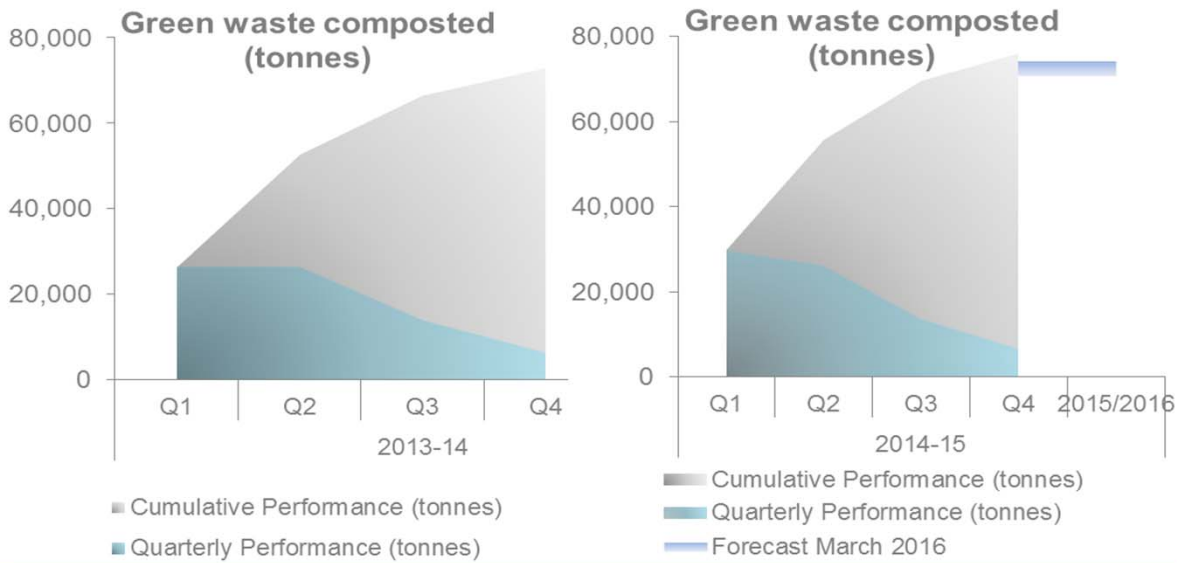
Green waste composted



This is an estimate until final figures have been verified by the Department for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs (due in February).

We continue to receive less waste for composting than in 2014/15. Whilst some of this may be down to weather conditions, this may also reflect the ongoing impact of charges which some of our District Councils have introduced for garden waste collections.

Further details



Measure Name	Green waste composted								
	2013-14				2014-15				2015/2016
	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	
Quarterly Performance (tonnes)	26,307	26,349	13,965	6,353	29,796	26,124	13,665	6,592	
Cumulative Performance (tonnes)	26,307	52,657	66,621	72,974	29,796	55,920	69,585	76,177	
Forecast (March 2016)									72,600

No targets as this measure is contextual

About the target

No target has been set, as this is measured for reference purposes. The tonnage composted depends on how much green waste is presented to us by the public and external factors such as weather conditions.

About the target range

A target range is not applicable as this is a contextual measure.

About benchmarking

As tonnage of waste composted depends on the size of a Local Authority, comparisons with other councils is not meaningful.