



Contamination of Ottawa's Compost (Non-Agricultural Source Material – NASM)

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Fragments found in rapid sort of 700 grams NASM: left to right

Plastic bags – bristle (top) – black tar-like material – plastic sticker – glass (3 pieces, top) – plastic packaging (bottom) – foil – hard plastic pieces



Polystyrene beads at surface of water



Incompletely degraded paper, still legible



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