

Food waste makes up the **largest percentage** of municipal waste after recycling.

From 2012 to 2015, InSinkErator® initiated partnerships with five major cities across the United States in order to assess the viability of using food waste disposers as a municipal tool to manage food waste. **The results are in.***

Results below were illustrated using US EPA's equivalency calculator. The calculations are for illustrative purposes only.



* This infographic is based on an InSinkErator-sponsored review of 432 households over a three year period and is provided for general informational and promotional purposes. Cities considering alternative waste diversion solutions are encouraged to consult with a qualified waste professional to analyze and consider all potential options, and take potential adoption rates into consideration.

**Participants received a free disposer and installation from InSinkErator.