

MARPOL ANNEX V CREW CHECKLIST

Is the vessel more than 3 nm from the nearest land or ice shelf? **No** ▶ No 'garbage' of any sort may be discharged overboard
 ▼ **Yes**

Is the vessel within a MARPOL designated 'Special Area'*?

▼ **No**

Discharge of 'garbage' is less restricted

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Discharge of non-recoverable cargo residues and cleaning agents or additives

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Is the cargo or cleaning agent classed as 'harmful to the marine environment' (HME)?

Yes

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Discharge of cleaning agents and additives is **permitted** within wash water

No

Discharge of non-recoverable residues is **permitted** ≥ 12nm from land while en route and should be as far out to sea as possible

▼ **Yes**

Discharge of 'garbage' is more restricted

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Discharge of non-recoverable cargo residues and cleaning agents or additives is only permitted in special cases

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Is the cargo or cleaning agent classed as 'harmful to the marine environment' (HME)?

▼ **No**

Is it within wash water?

▼ **No**

Discharge of cargo residues is **prohibited**

▼ **No**

Discharge of cleaning agents and additives in deck and external surface waters is **permitted**

▼ **Yes**

Wash water retained on board for later disposal outside of the Special Area

▼ **Yes**

Cargo hold wash water may only be discharged > 12 nm from land en route and as far out to sea as feasible only **IF** departure and destination are both within the special area and no adequate reception facilities are available at those ports, or in an emergency situation

Discharge of food waste not ground or crushed through a ≥ 25 mm mesh is **prohibited**

Discharge is **prohibited**

▲ **Yes**

Split animal carcasses may only be discharged ≥ 100 nm from land in max water depth

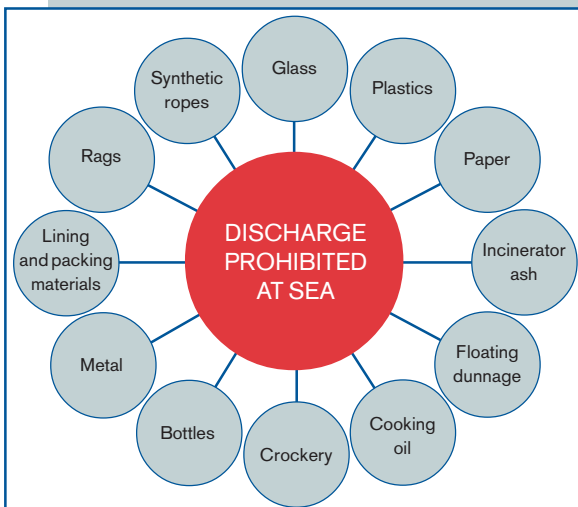
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Discharge of ground or crushed food waste **permitted** ≥ 12 nm from land while en route and should be as far out to sea as possible

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Discharge of non-ground or crushed food waste **permitted** ≥ 12 nm from land while en route and should be as far out to sea as possible

Discharge is **prohibited**



* The Mediterranean, the Gulf of Mexico, the wider Caribbean, the Baltic Sea, the North Sea and the Antarctic where the disposal of garbage at sea is heavily restricted

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