

Marine Debris Timeline

Trash in the water or washed up from the beach is unsightly, unhealthy, and can injure or kill marine life.

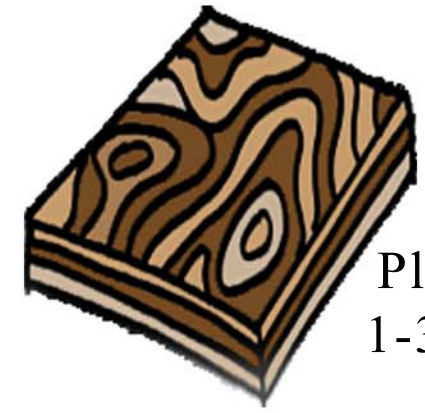
Dispose of trash properly.
Reduce, Reuse, and Recycle.



UGH!
Look at this!
These are some things that people carelessly throw into our aquatic home. Guess how long they'll last in the marine environment! ..[SCOFF]..



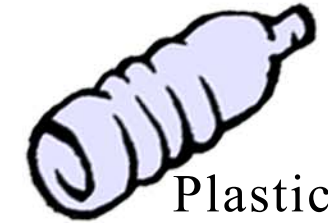
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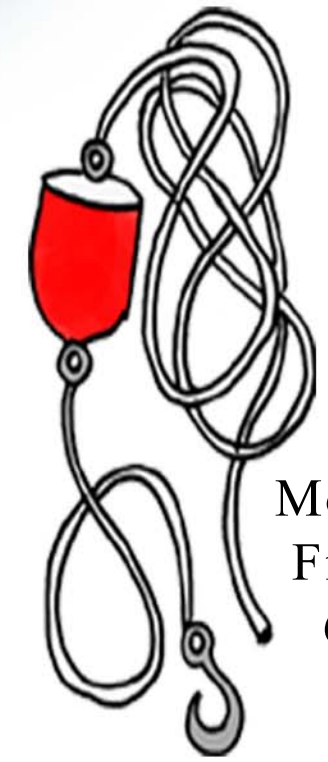
Plywood
1-3 Years



Tin Can
50 Years



Plastics
450 Years



Monofilament Fishing Line
600 Years



Cardboard
2 Weeks



Cigarette Butts
1-5 Years



6-Pack Ring
400 Years



Disposable Diapers
400 Years



Newspaper
6 Weeks



Apple Core
2 Months



Foam Cup
50 Years



Aluminum Cans
200 Years



Glass
Undetermined



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