

# Home -compostable capsule solution: capsule & top lid certified

#### Great taste - no concerns!

Capsule machines are already commonplace in many offices and homes. This comes as no surprise, as capsules enable fast and easy beverage preparation. With consumers becoming increasingly environmentally conscious the need for sustainable capsule solutions is rising.

Greiner Packaging and Constantia Flexibles have developed a solution that has it all: convenient preparation of perfectly aromatic coffee, packed in sustainable capsules. With our capsule system no consumer needs to make compromises between convenience, shelf-life and sustainability.

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### Here is why our home-compostable capsules are the perfect choice:



#### **Material:**

A compostable polymer is used for producing the capsules. The lid is produced from fiber-based material with barrier properties. The complete system (capsule body + top lid) holds the TÜV Austria "OK HOME Compost" certificate (Certificate number: S2583).

# **Technology:**

The capsule body is produced using injection molding technology. The lid is produced via lamination process.

#### **Colors:**

The capsules can be offered in various colors, for example:



#### Shelf-life:

Due to excellent barrier properties our capsule system ideally protects its content for several months, and even after that aroma protection is still very good.

# **Degradation process:**

OK Home Compost certificate is awarded to products that can be physically disintegrated in a well-managed home compost system (around 20-30° C) within 6 months by at least 90%. Biodegradation of these fragments occurs within maximum 12 months. Coffee as well as packaging turn into humus which fertilizes soil.

Learn more about home-compostable capsules:



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