

DIY Bokashi Composting Bucket



MATERIALS

For the bucket:

- 2 buckets
- 1 lid
- hammer and nail

For the compost:

- kitchen scraps
- bokashi bran
- soil



INSTRUCTIONS

- pierce drainage holes on the bottom of one bucket
- put the bucket with holes inside the other bucket
- add a thin layer of bokashi bran on the bottom
- add a layer kitchen scraps
- add another layer of bokashi bran on top
- cover the bucket with the lid, (only open briefly when you add scraps)
- repeat adding scraps and bran until the bucket is full
- keep the full bucket closed for two weeks
- remove the top bucket and collect the liquid from the bottom bucket (you can do this before the 2 weeks)
- dilute the liquid with 20x the amount of water (for 1/2 cup bokashi liquid use 3 liters of water)
- use the diluted liquid to water your plants
- mix the contents of the top bucket with soil (bury in a hole on the ground and close the hole, or mix with soil inside a bag and close the bag)
- after 2 months, the compost is ready, open the bag and use for potted plants, or plant on the ground where you made the hole
- in the winter it might take longer (up to 5 months) for the compost to be ready

