



Food Storage Containers

MATERIAL COMPARISON

	Polyethylene	Polypropylene	Polycarbonate
Color	White	Translucent	Clear
Visibility	None	Some	Most
Stain Resistant	Average	Average	Most
Durability/ Rigidity	Least	Average	Most
Temp Range	-40°F to 160°F	-40°F to 160°F	-40°F to 210°F
Freezer Safe*	Yes	Not recommended	Not recommended
Microwave Safe*	Not recommended	Not recommended	No
Dishwasher Safe	Yes	Yes	Yes
BPA-free	Yes	Yes	No
NSF	Yes	Yes	Yes
Cost	\$	\$\$	\$\$\$

*Though temperature range is representative of microwave and freezer use, it is not recommended for certain materials and may cause products to deform or break.

POLYPROPYLENE

POLYCARBONATE



POLYETHYLENE

ROUND VS. SQUARE

Round

- Proper air flow around container allows for faster cooling times.
- Round edges reduce food waste, increase durability, and make container easy to clean.
- Ideal for storing liquids / soups and making immersion blender recipes.

Square

- Corners allow users to easily pour out contents.
- 25% more space efficiency compared to round containers.
- Ideal for storing solid foods like fruits and vegetables.

COLOR CODED SYSTEM

Color Coding is standard across all major brands. Lids with matching graduation colors offer better kitchen organization / efficiency.

- 2, 4 qt. containers
- 6, 8 qt. containers
- 12, 18, and 22 qt. containers
- Allergen-free containers

DISCLAIMER: Food storage containers and lids work best with the corresponding brand's container or lid. Using a different brand container or lid may effect the fit as variations can occur in manufacturing.

