In Finland, 300 million plastic bags are used every year.

Have you come to think that if you leave a plastic bag beside a trash can, the bag will often end up in the sea.

Wind carries trash over long distances. Rivers, trenches and urban run-off water sewers carry trash, too. Waste water treatment plants do not remove all the litter items from the effluent.

Do like this:

See that your trash go to trash cans. Do not dispose any trash into toilet bowls.



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Most of the marine litter comes from the land



Litter coming via sewers

- Lost fishing equipment
- Litter from maritime traffic
- Beach littering

