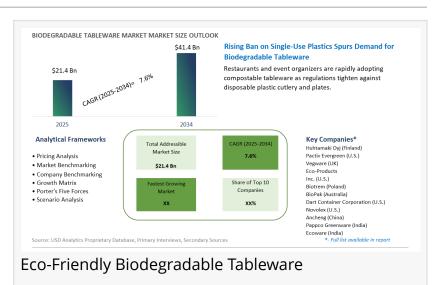


Biodegradable Tableware Market to Exceed \$41 Billion by 2034 as Dining and Hospitality Go Eco-Friendly

QSRs, airlines, and e-commerce drive adoption of biodegradable tableware in global foodservice, hospitality, and retail.

HYDERABAD, TELENGANA, INDIA, July 22, 2025 /EINPresswire.com/ -- July 21, 2025 – The <u>Biodegradable Tableware</u> <u>Market</u> is projected to soar from USD 21.4 billion in 2025 to USD 41.4 billion by 2034, registering a CAGR of 7.6%, according to USDAnalytics. The transition is being driven by international bans on single-use



plastics, a groundswell in eco-friendly dining, and strong momentum in foodservice, hospitality, and retail sectors.

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Biodegradable tableware is redefining the future of foodservice, hospitality, and sustainable consumer experiences." Harry, USDAnalytics Biodegradable Tableware Redefines Sustainability in Foodservice and Hospitality

The global biodegradable tableware sector is rapidly displacing traditional plastics with sustainable alternatives across plates, trays, bowls, cups, cutlery, and straws. Bagasse (sugarcane fiber) leads the market for its costeffectiveness and wide availability, capturing an estimated 38.4% market share in 2025. Bioplastics—especially PLA

and PHA—are the fastest-growing segment, valued for transparent and premium-grade cups and cutlery. Materials like bamboo, palm leaf, wheat bran, wood, and paperboard are also expanding their presence in premium, niche, and microwave-safe applications.

Key Trends & Opportunities: Marine-Biodegradable, Edible, and Smart Compostable Tableware Emerging innovations include marine-biodegradable tableware tackling ocean plastic pollution,

edible plates and cutlery with functional additives to preserve food quality, and microwave-safe, heat-resistant compostable products. Online retail growth and luxury hospitality are boosting adoption of compostable, stylish designs—making biodegradable tableware a mainstay for both large-scale catering and home use. With the EU Single-Use Plastics Directive, India's Plastic Waste Management Rules, and California's AB 1276, regulators are fast-tracking compostable, biobased solutions, setting new standards for the foodservice industry.

Market Segmentation Overview

• By Material Type: Bagasse (Sugarcane Fiber), Bamboo, Palm Leaf, Paper & Paperboard, Bioplastics, Wheat Bran, Wood

- By Product Type: Plates & Trays, Bowls & Containers, Cups & Glasses, Cutlery, Straws & Stirrers, Others
- By End-Use Industry: Foodservice Industry, Hotels & Hospitality, Institutional, Household Use, Retail & E-commerce
- By Distribution Channel: Supermarkets & Hypermarkets, Specialty Stores, Small Retail Stores, Online Retail/E-commerce, Direct Sales

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Commercial Adoption Booms: From QSRs to Airlines and E-commerce

Biodegradable tableware is now mainstream, with major brands integrating sustainable dining into global operations. Foodservice chains such as McDonald's and Starbucks have shifted to compostable packaging. Airlines and luxury hospitality groups are deploying eco-friendly tableware for in-flight and gourmet experiences. E-commerce platforms, including Alibaba, Swiggy, and Zomato, are actively scaling up biodegradable solutions for high-volume takeaway and delivery. These shifts demonstrate the sector's maturity and scalability, ready to serve everything from quick-serve restaurants to high-end banquets and online groceries.

Geographically, the detailed analysis of market share, and growth rate of the following regions:

- North America (US, Canada, Mexico)
- Europe (Germany, UK, France, Spain, Italy, Russia, Rest of Europe)
- Asia Pacific (China, India, Japan, South Korea, Australia, South East Asia, Rest of Asia)
- South America (Brazil, Argentina, Rest of South America)

• Middle East and Africa (Saudi Arabia, UAE, Rest of Middle East, South Africa, Egypt, Rest of Africa)

Leading Companies in the Biodegradable Tableware Market

- Huhtamaki Oyj (Finland)
- Pactiv Evergreen (U.S.)
- Vegware (UK)
- Eco-Products, Inc. (U.S.)
- Biotrem (Poland)

- BioPak (Australia)
- Dart Container Corporation (U.S.)
- Novolex (U.S.)
- Ancheng (China)
- Pappco Greenware (India)
- Ecoware (India)
- Chuk (India)
- Verterra (U.S.)
- Earthware (UK)
- PAPSTAR GmbH (Germany)
- SOLIA (France)
- Better Earth LLC (U.S.)
- Good Start Packaging (U.S.)
- PacknWood (France / U.S.)
- GreenGood USA (U.S.)
- Bioleader[®] Environmental Protection Technology Co., Ltd. (China)
- YJS Environmental (China)
- Ecolates (China)
- Green Olive Group (China)
- Zhiben (China)
- Envigreen Biotech (India)
- WinCup (U.S.)
- Others

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