

Leaf Mold Recipe

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Place whole or chopped (preferred) leaves in a large, black plastic bag. Add water until moist but not dripping wet. Throw in a handful of fertilizer to get things cooking. Poke holes in the bottom of bag. That's it! Every couple of weeks, turn the bag upside down. In a few months, the leaves should be broken down enough to use as a mulch or compost for your plants.



OR

Build a 3 ft x 3 ft (minimum) enclosure with stakes and chicken wire. (Recycled wooden pallets work well, too.) Add chopped or whole leaves. Water well and let cook over the winter.

