


Usage of "made of" and "used to"



My scarf is **made of** cotton.
My beanie is **used for** keeping warm.

made of : materials ()
used for : purposes ()

used for + ing !!

Let's give it a try!

- This water bottle is _____ metal.
This water is _____ holding water.
- These boots are _____ plastic.
These boots are _____ keeping our feet dry.
- The cardcase is _____ leather.
The cardcase is _____ keeping money.

Glossary: Common Materials

metal		wood	
wool		plastic	
cotton		leather	
glass		concrete	



Exercise: used for / made of

This jewellery box is (e.g.) made of plastic (plastic). It is (1) _____
_____ (keep) my necklaces and bracelets.

This bag is (2) _____ (old clothes) by my
mother. It is (3) _____
(carry goods when I go shopping)

This box is (4) _____ (recycled paper) in
China. It is (5) _____
_____. (store my toys)

This hat (6) _____
_____ (wool and cotton). It (7) _____
_____ (keep) me warm in winter.

These colour pens (8) _____
_____ (wood) in Japan. They (9) _____
_____. (draw pictures)

Learn more on "made + preposition"

1. "Made of" vs "Made from"

Made of : Recognisable ()

Made from : Not recognisable ()

Example

This chair is made _____ wood.

Paper is made _____ wood.

2. "Made by" vs "Made in"

Made by : method/ person

Made in : place (country)

Example

This table was made _____ Fred.

The rugs are made _____ hand.

The rugs are made _____ Iran.

The rugs are made _____ hand in Iran.