Crop protection products play a vital role in agriculture to control the pests and diseases that threaten our global food supply. The crop protection industry is leading the safe and responsible management of empty, properly rinsed pesticide containers.

The global CropLife network container management programs **COLLECT AND RECYCLE** empty pesticide containers in more than **60 COUNTRIES** around the world.

Total metric tons of packaging **COLLECTED 1,327,294** between 2005 and 2021, which is equivalent to the weight of **128 EIFFEL TOWERS**.

**PLASTIC CONTAINER MANAGEMENT**

This plastic can be recycled into a variety of useful products:

- Car battery cases
- Agricultural fence posts
- Electric and internet pipes

**EVERY TON OF RECYCLED PLASTIC SAVES AROUND 6,000 KILOWATT-HOURS OF ENERGY**

That's equal to the electricity requirement of an average American family home for half a year.

Data from 2021

To learn more about container management please visit: [www.croplife.org](http://www.croplife.org)
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