

Waste Pesticide Collection Program

DO's and DON'Ts



No fertilizer or plant food.



Is it a pesticide?



Tote of rinsate or pesticide?

The Minnesota Department of Agriculture's (MDA) Waste Pesticide Collection Program does NOT accept certain agricultural related products.

DON'T Accept:

- pesticide rinsate
- empty containers
- fertilizers
- crop oil
- spreader/stickers
- foam markers
- seed dye
- inoculants
- **or any product that does not have an EPA registration number.**

If the participant brings pesticide or fertilizer rinsate to your facility, **DON'T accept** the waste. Refer the user to the Rinsate Management Fact Sheet located at: www.mda.state.mn.us/~media/Files/chemicals/pesticides/rinsatengmt.pdf or scan the QR code.



DO Ask Participant

- ✓ **Can all the containers be safely transported?**
 - Encourage overpacking of vulnerable packages.
- ✓ **How many containers of pesticide will be delivered?**
 - Schedule larger deliveries on less busy days.
 - Limit participants to 300 lbs. at no cost if storage space is an issue.
 - Notify participant of options to pay for waste pesticide amounts over 300 lbs.
- ✓ **Are there drums or containers over 5 gallons in size?**
 - Request that farmers with drums containing 10 or less gallons pour contents into empty 2.5 gallon containers for cost savings.
- ✓ **Are there cylinders or totes (56 gallons or bigger)? CONTACT MDA FOR ASSISTANCE if the following are identified:**
 - Two or more cylinders
 - A tote (minibulk)

Contact MDA

For questions about participation, acceptable materials or containers call the MDA at 651-201-6562.

In accordance with the Americans with Disabilities Act, this information is available in alternative forms of communication upon request by calling 651-201-6000. TTY users can call the Minnesota Relay Service at 711. The MDA is an equal opportunity employer and provider.