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New for 2017: Non deposit bulk pesticide container collection

CleanFARMS is pleased to announce the expansion of its collection services to better serve Eastern Canadian dealers.

Starting May 1 2017, CleanFARMS will collect non deposit bulk pesticide containers belonging to participating [pesticide manufacturers](#).

Access Distribution will be the service provider for this collection and is aiming for a 15 business day service level.

What you need to do:

- Non-deposit pesticide containers need to be separate from deposit containers. (to avoid mix up)
- Request a pickup once you have accumulated a minimum of 15 non-deposit containers.
- Use the online dealer request system, collection.cleanfarms.ca, to request a pick up. This is the same tool that is used for <23L container and bag pickups.
- Pesticide totes will only be picked up if they are:
 - i) empty (less than an inch of liquid in the bottom), and
 - ii) all closures/bungs are in place.
- Store pesticide containers separate from containers used for fertilizers, oil or Diesel Exhaust Fuel (DEF).

Non-deposit vs. Deposit containers

Non-deposit containers: arrange pick up via CleanFARMS, collection.cleanfarms.ca

- Non-deposit (one-way) totes, larger caged units, sometimes referred to as IBCs – Intermediate Bulk Containers. These are 500 litre and 1,000 litre sizes.



Some caged units have a deposit, so ensure only non-deposit containers are picked up by CleanFARMS' contractor.

- Non-deposit (one-way) drums, with no seals. These come in various sizes, most are 115 litre & 205 litre sizes.



Deposit containers: arrange pick up via individual manufacturers, not CleanFARMS

- Deposit containers that are refillable by the manufacturer.

Most deposit drums have a distinctive collar around the top and are equipped with wire seals to ensure the container cannot be opened.

Deposits should only be reimbursed if the seals are unbroken.



- Deposit totes are made entirely of plastic with the same seals on the containers as the drums.

