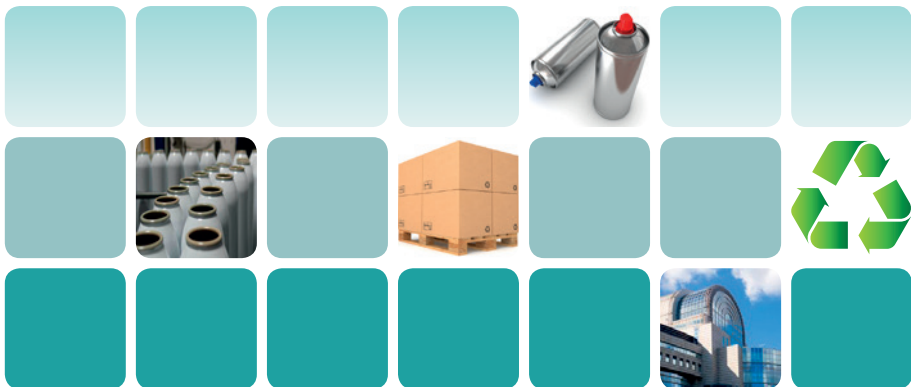




The European voice for the aerosol industry



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Who are we ?

The FEA (Fédération Européenne des Aérosols or European Aerosol Federation) was founded in 1959. It functions as the European voice for the industry and the coordination office for its national associations

The Federation represents today 18 European countries which include more than 350 SMEs and multinationals active in the aerosol industry

Its area of activity is tightly defined and offers unique expertise on aerosol dispensers at European level on challenging aspects such as flammability, pressure resistance, packaging and components fittings, filling, testing, warehousing, transport, recycling, propellants and solvents

What we do?

Regulatory

- Participates in different industry platforms, being particularly involved in the following areas : Product safety, Chemicals, Classification, Labelling and Packaging, Industrial safety, Transport of Dangerous Goods, Propellants and solvents issues, Legal metrology, Recycling (...)
- Prepares and coordinates the actions of the National Associations regarding current and forthcoming legislation and regulation

Expertise and Support

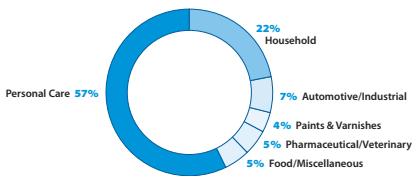
- Provides help to its members regarding technical, legal and regulatory affairs and keeps them up-to-date
- Develops and updates industry standards and guidance documents to promote best practices within the industry
- Works closely with sectoral associations and contribute our expertise to the discussions
- Supports aerosol associations worldwide in order to foster safety and global harmonisation

Facts & Figures

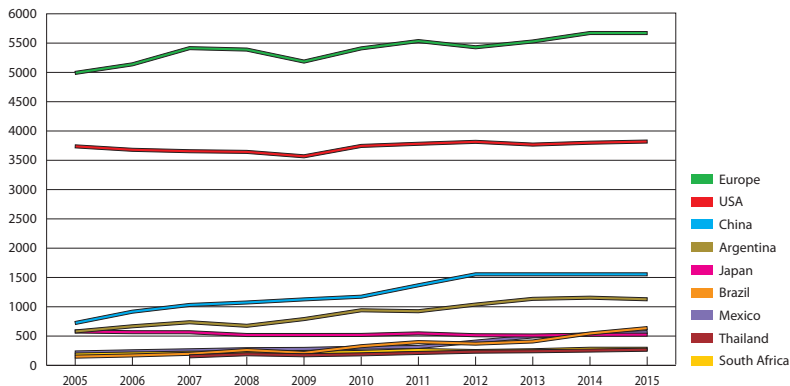
Europe has been the world's largest producer since 1990

European aerosol production reaches more than 5 billion units per year nowadays

Production worldwide is estimated at more than 15 billion units



Personal care and household products represent major segments of the European production



Aerosol production evolution worldwide over the last 10 years (in 000 000 units)

FEA promotes the **recycling** of empty post-consumer aerosol dispensers in the normal packaging waste streams

The use of **CFCs**, which deplete the stratospheric ozone layer and are powerful greenhouse gases, has been **voluntarily stopped** since **1989**

The use of **HFCs**, which are greenhouse gases, has been **voluntarily restricted** since **2002**

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