

# Life span of a harmful substances

Classic environmental toxins, such as the pesticide DDT, are slowly waning but newcomers appear constantly.

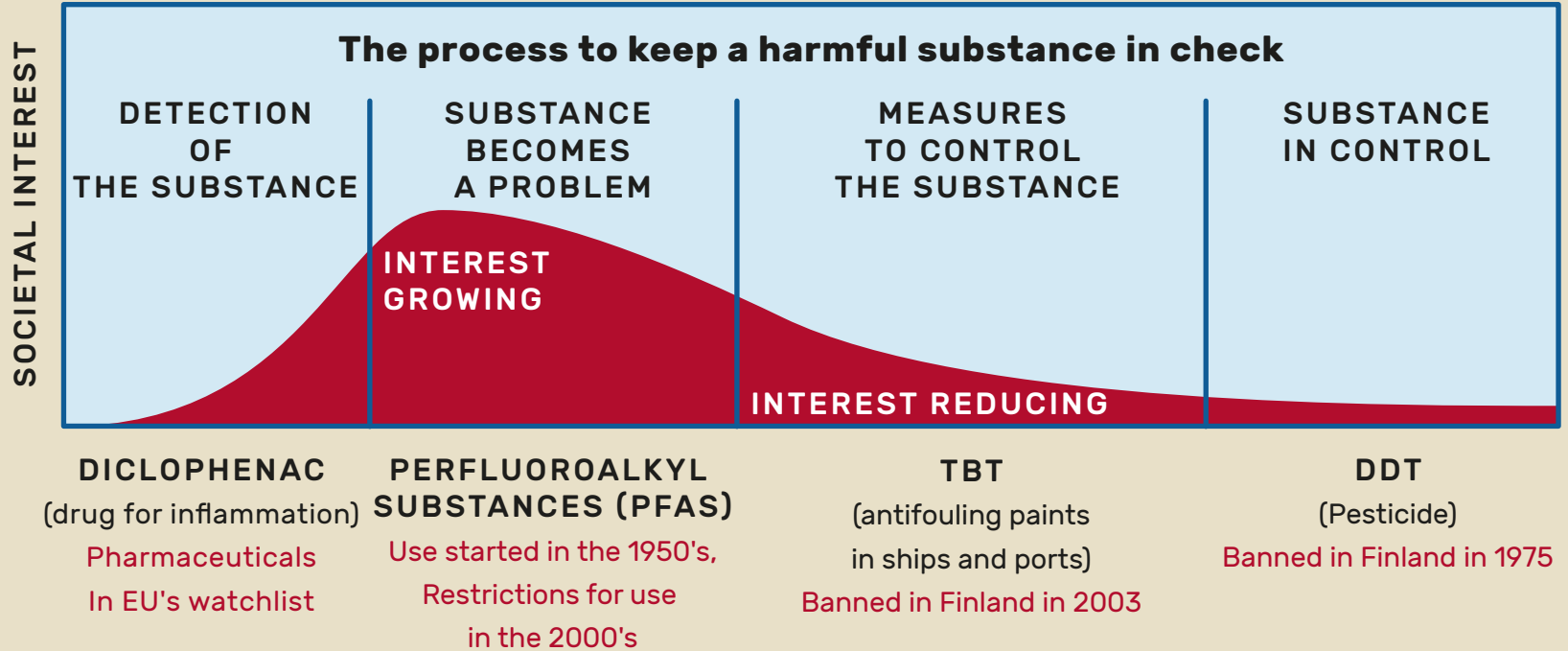
## Environmental toxins affect for decades.

There are over 13 000 registered chemicals in use within the EU. New ones, the effects of which we do not yet know, are introduced constantly.

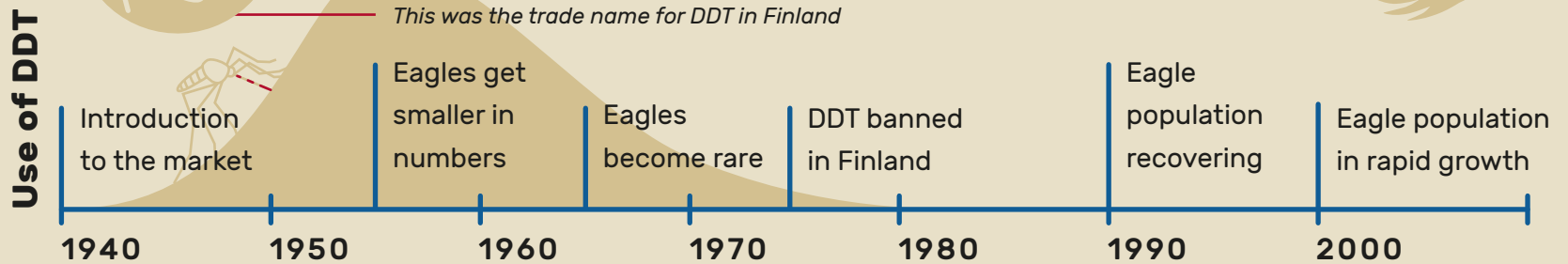
Bans and restrictions of use are important in reducing the amounts of harmful substances in the environment.

### Do like this:

Get to know the chemicals you use in your everyday life. Use only those products that have an environmental certificate.



## DDT's effect on the white-tailed eagle population



\*) The reason: eggshells became thinner because of DDT

