## The **Thai** aerosol industry sees ups and downs in a pandemic year...

he Thai Aerosol Association (TAA) reported that total aerosol production in 2020 was 286.628 million cans. This is a decrease of 4.7% from 2019.

There were 183.128 million tinplate steel cans filled in 2020, as well as 103.5 million aluminum aerosol cans filled. Aluminum can fillings decreased 18.5% while steel can fillings increased 5.3%.

Seven categories were represented with the debut of the Pharmaceutical, Veterinary & Animal Care category; the TAA indicated that the Food category represented 0% of fillings and was therefore not included in its 2020 statistics.

According to TAA Secretary Pornsak Tangprapa, the Personal Care category was impacted negatively by the COVID-19 pandemic due to social distancing measures such as working from home and the closure of bars and

The Household category did well due to increased demand for disinfectant products, TAA reported. SPRAY



## **Thailand Aerosol Production 2020**

Category	2019	2020	% Change from 2019
Household (excluding Insecticide)	45,199,000	57,646,000	27.5%
Industrial, Technical & Automotive	9,200,000	9,650,000	4.9%
Insect Control (Insecticide & Pesticide)	61,400,000	58,500,000	-4.7%
Paints & Coatings (including Automotive)	67,653,000	62,685,000	-7.3%
Personal Care	113,953,000	94,157,000	-17.4%
Pharmaceutical, Veterinary & Animal Care	(not provided)	30,000	100%
Others	3,495,000	3,960,000	13.3%
TOTAL:	300,900,000	286,628,000	-4.7%

## **Container Materials 2020**

Category	2019	2020	% Change from 2019
Aluminum cans	127,047,000	103,500,000	-18.5%
Steel cans	173,853,000	183,128,000	5.3%
TOTAL:	300,900,000	286,628,000	-4.7%



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