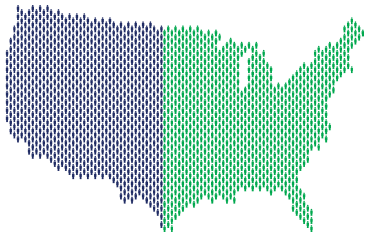


# FOODSERVICE PACKAGING BY THE NUMBERS

[IN THE UNITED STATES]



## 56%

of Americans use  
single-use items at  
least once a week.

## CONVENIENCE AND SANITATION WIN

58% say convenience  
is the top benefit of  
single-use items

49% say cleanliness/  
sanitation is the top benefit  
of single-use items



## TOP ENVIRONMENTAL CONCERN

Single-use items may  
end up as litter on land  
and in waterways.



## IMPORTANT ENVIRONMENTAL ATTRIBUTES



#1 Recyclable



#2 Compostable



#3 Made with recycled materials



#4 Made with renewable resources



## SINGLE-USE ITEM ATTRIBUTES



59% say leak/spill proof is  
the most important attribute.



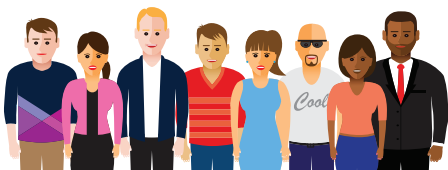
57% say stopping oil and  
grease stains is very important.



55% say protection from  
tampering is very important.



Seeing food inside was the  
**LEAST IMPORTANT** attribute.



Survey of U.S. residents  
balanced across income,  
age, gender and region

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