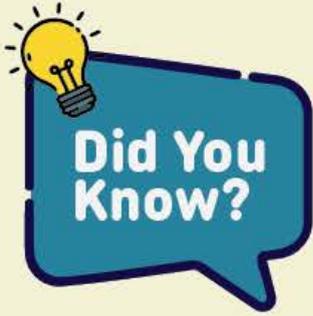
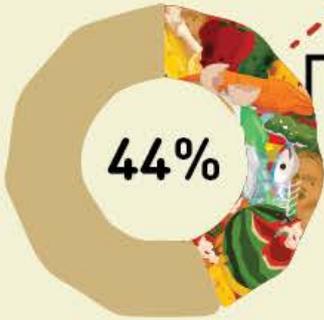




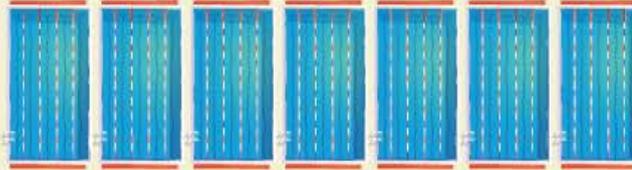
MANAGING WASTE



Malaysia produces a total of **38,000 metric tonnes** of solid waste every day.



- A total of **17,000 metric tonnes** are **food waste**.
- Such amount is equivalent to **7 Olympic-sized swimming pools**.



During Ramadan, food waste is expected to increase to **19,000 metric tonnes per day**.



Effects of Uncontrolled Waste



Fills drainage system and causes flash floods.



The production of greenhouse gases due to the decay of the waste.



The production of leachate causes odour pollution.



Can invite diseases such as Leptospirosis and Dengue Fever.

How to Control Waste



Plan food purchases and avoid buying excessive food.

Bring food containers from home to pack food.

Use the right way to store food to extend its shelf life.



Plan food production to sell to avoid excess food.

Use food packaging that is easy to decompose.

Unsold food can be donated to people in need.