



Latin American Environmental Law Roundtable

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Regional Challenges in Product Stewardship

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Product Stewardship Trends



The Latin American Region
is now a leader
in global product stewardship.

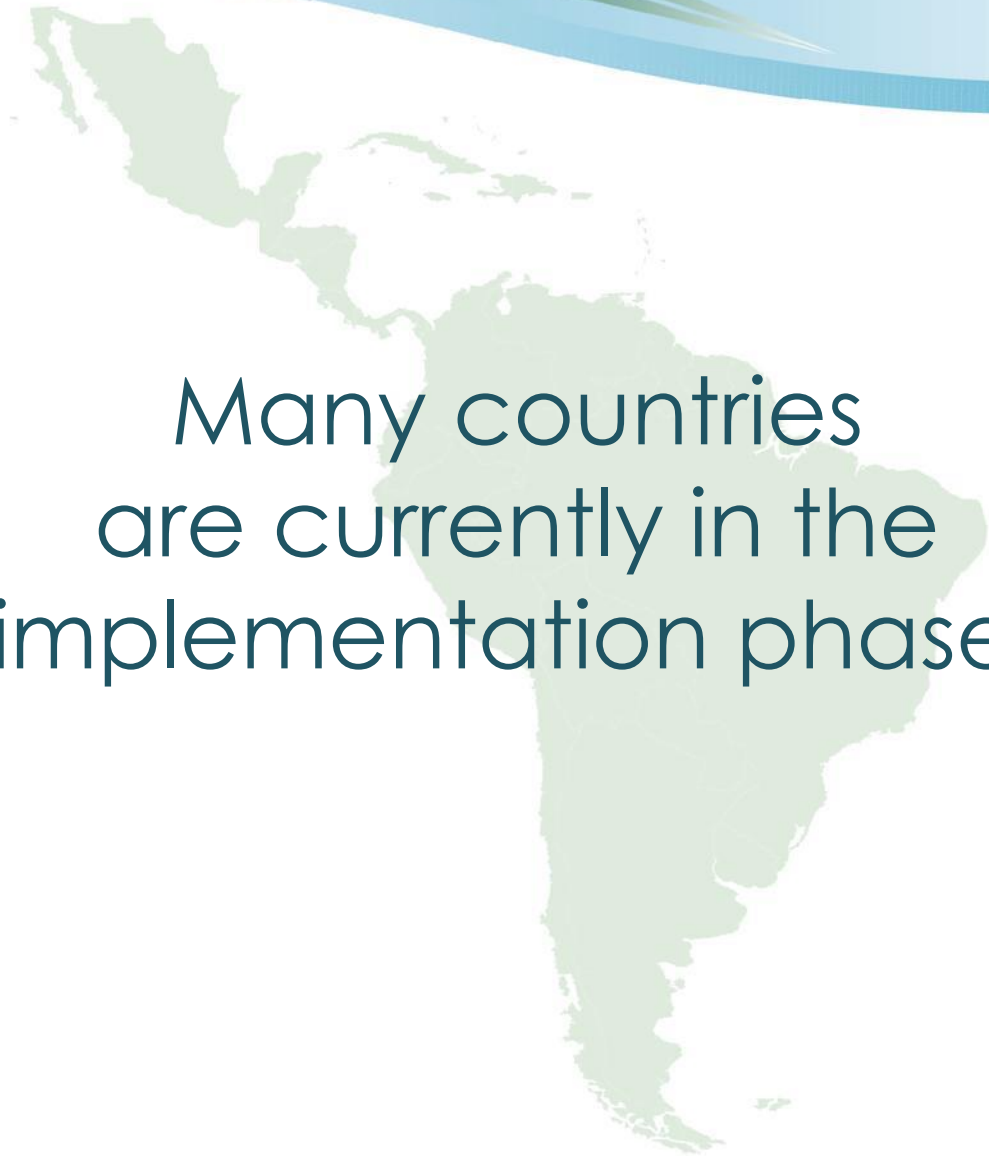


Product stewardship laws affect entire life cycle.





Many countries
are currently in the
implementation phase.






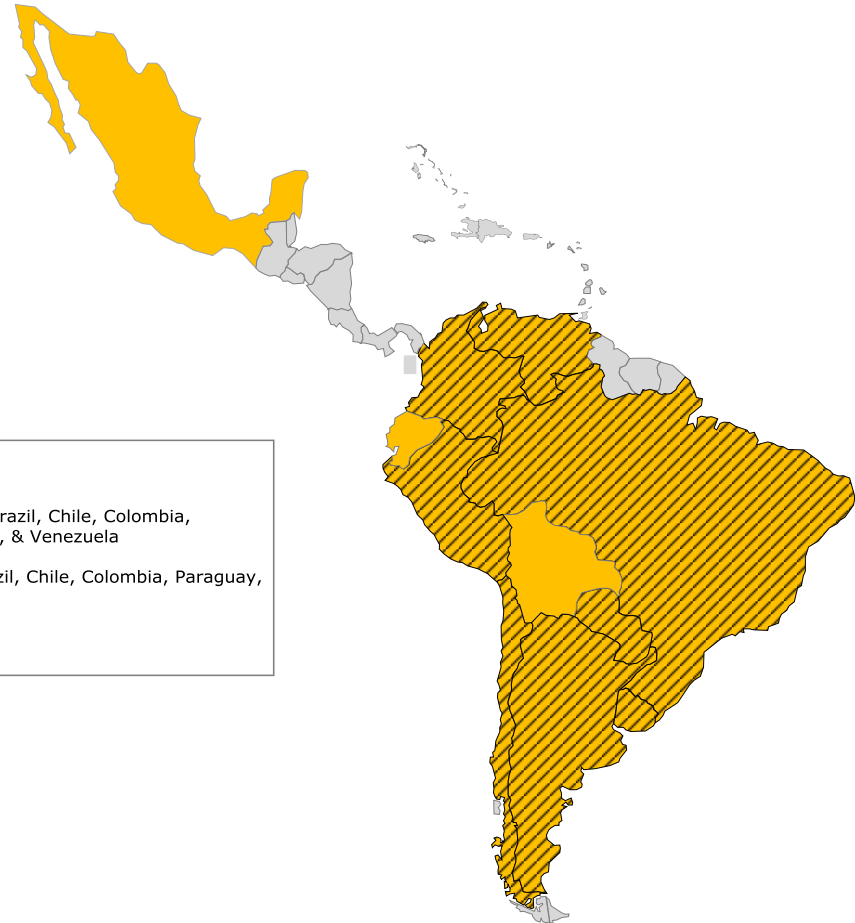


Toy Safety Standards:

Testing & Certification Requirements

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-  **Testing Standards:** Argentina, Bolivia, Brazil, Chile, Colombia, Ecuador, Mexico, Paraguay, Peru, Uruguay, & Venezuela
-  **Certification Standards:** Argentina, Brazil, Chile, Colombia, Paraguay, Peru, Uruguay, & Venezuela
-  **None/Not Researched**



E-Waste Take-Back Laws: National Enacted & Pending Initiatives





Challenges

- Lack of global, regional and local harmonization
- Permit and registration intensive
- Presumption of hazardousness at end-of-life
- Lack of local infrastructure
- Transboundary and logistics challenges





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