why recycle textiles?

CLOTHING AND TEXTILE RECYCLING HAS MAJOR IMPACT ON REDUCING GREENHOUSE GASSES



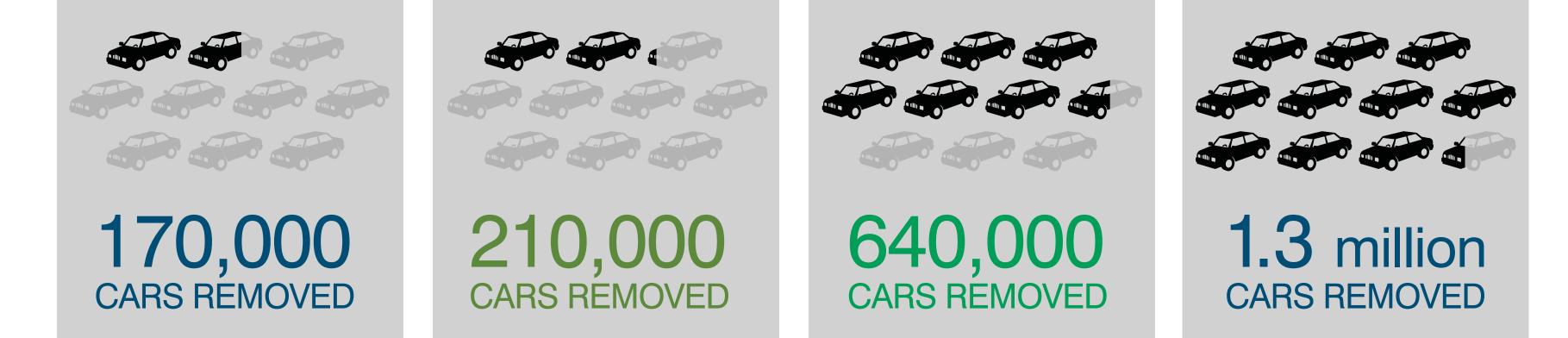


That is equivalent to removing **1 MILLION CARS** from America's highways



HOW DOES THIS COMPARE TO OTHER RECYCLABLES?





DONATE, RECYCLE, DON'T THROW AWAY! According to the EPA, textile recycling has a major impact on reducing greenhouse gasses. **And yet ... clothing is not typically considered a recyclable**. While 2 million tons are recycled each year, there is a long, long way to go!



FIGURE

The Association of Wiping Materials, Used Clothing and Fiber Industries

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