

**Table 1:** List of banned and or severely restricted pesticides in Sri Lanka with the year of implementation and the year of legal declaration

Year (regulatory) banned	Year (legally) banned	Name of Pesticide (a.s.)
1970	2001 <sup>a</sup>	Endrin*
1976	2001 <sup>a</sup>	DDT*
1980	2001 <sup>a</sup>	Chlordimeform
1980	2001 <sup>a</sup>	Dieldrin*
1980	2001 <sup>a</sup>	Phosphamidon
1980	2001 <sup>a</sup>	Thalium sulphate
1984	2001 <sup>a</sup>	2,4,5-T
1984	2001 <sup>a</sup>	Ethyl-parathion
1984	2001 <sup>a</sup>	Methyl-parathion
1986	2001 <sup>a</sup>	Aldrin*
1986	2001 <sup>a</sup>	Lindane*
1987	2001 <sup>a</sup>	HCH (mixed isomers)*
1987	2001 <sup>a</sup>	Mercury compounds
1988	2001 <sup>a</sup>	Arsenic (arsenites & arsenates)
1988	2001 <sup>a</sup>	Heptachlor*
1988	2001 <sup>a</sup>	Leptophos
1989	2001 <sup>a</sup>	Captafol
1990	2001 <sup>a</sup>	1,3-dichloropropane
1990	2001 <sup>a</sup>	Aldicarb
1990	2001 <sup>a</sup>	Quintozene (PCNB)
1994	2001 <sup>a</sup>	Pentachlorophenol*
1994	2001 <sup>a</sup>	Chlordane*
1995	2001 <sup>a</sup>	Methamidophos
1995	-	Monocrotophos (60% SL)

		restricted to use on red weevil in coconut)
1998	2001 <sup>a</sup>	Endosulfan (35% EC)*
2008	2014 ¶	Paraquat (20% SL)
2011	2014 ¶	Paraquat (6.5% SL)
2011	2014 ¶	Dimethoate (40% EC)
2011	2014 ¶	Fenthion (50% EC)
2011	2014 ¶	Cyromazine (75% WP)
2012	2014 ¶	Alachlor (36% EC)
2013	2014 †	Propanil (36% EC)
2013	2014 †	Carbofuran (3% GR)
2013	2014 †	Carbaryl (85% WP)
2013	2014 †	Chlorpyrifos (20% EC & 40% EC)
2014	2014 †	Glyphosate (36% SL)
2015	2015 §	Glyphosate (36% SL)

\*Classic organochlorine pesticides (POPs pesticide) listed under the Stockholm Convention

<sup>a</sup>Ban of registration by the government extraordinary gazette No. 1190/24 of 29.06.2001 under the Control of Pesticides Act No. 33 of 1980.

¶Ban of registration by the government extraordinary gazette No. 1854/47 dated 21.03.2014 under the Control of Pesticides Act No. 33 of 1980.

†Regional restriction for sale, offer for sale and use as per the government extraordinary gazette No. 1894/4 of 22.12.2014 under the Control of Pesticides Act No. 33 of 1980.

§Ban of importation by the government extraordinary gazette No. 1813/14 of 05.06.2013 under the Import and Export (Control) Act No. 01 of 1969.