**Unit 14 Infographic – Transcript**

# Food loss and food waste

Approximately a third of the world’s food (about 1.3 billion tonnes) is wasted or lost every year.

* Around 13% of food produced is lost between harvest and retail.
* Around 17% of total global food production is wasted in households, restaurants and in retail.

40% of food losses in developing countries occur during harvest and processing of the food.

40% of food losses in industrialised countries happen at the retail or consumer level.

* Spoiled during transport.
* Not purchased in the shop.
* Squandered by consumers.