Through our Less waste+more care initiative, we have optimised the size of our ALLEVYN^o Dressing packaging – starting with our bordered dressings – to eliminate excess air, reducing the size of our cartons, pouches and cases by over 20%.¹







How we're making a difference at S+N

By doing this, we will:



*Based on a calculation of 2,724,540 m² – equating to a 1cm strip measuring 272,454,005 metres – and a world circumference of 39,842 km. Emission calculation based on an average UK petrol car emitting 0.28053 kg of CO₂ per mile; equivalent to 1 tonne of CO, per 3565 miles or 7 tonnes of CO, per 24,901-mile trip around the globe.

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