

# For butter



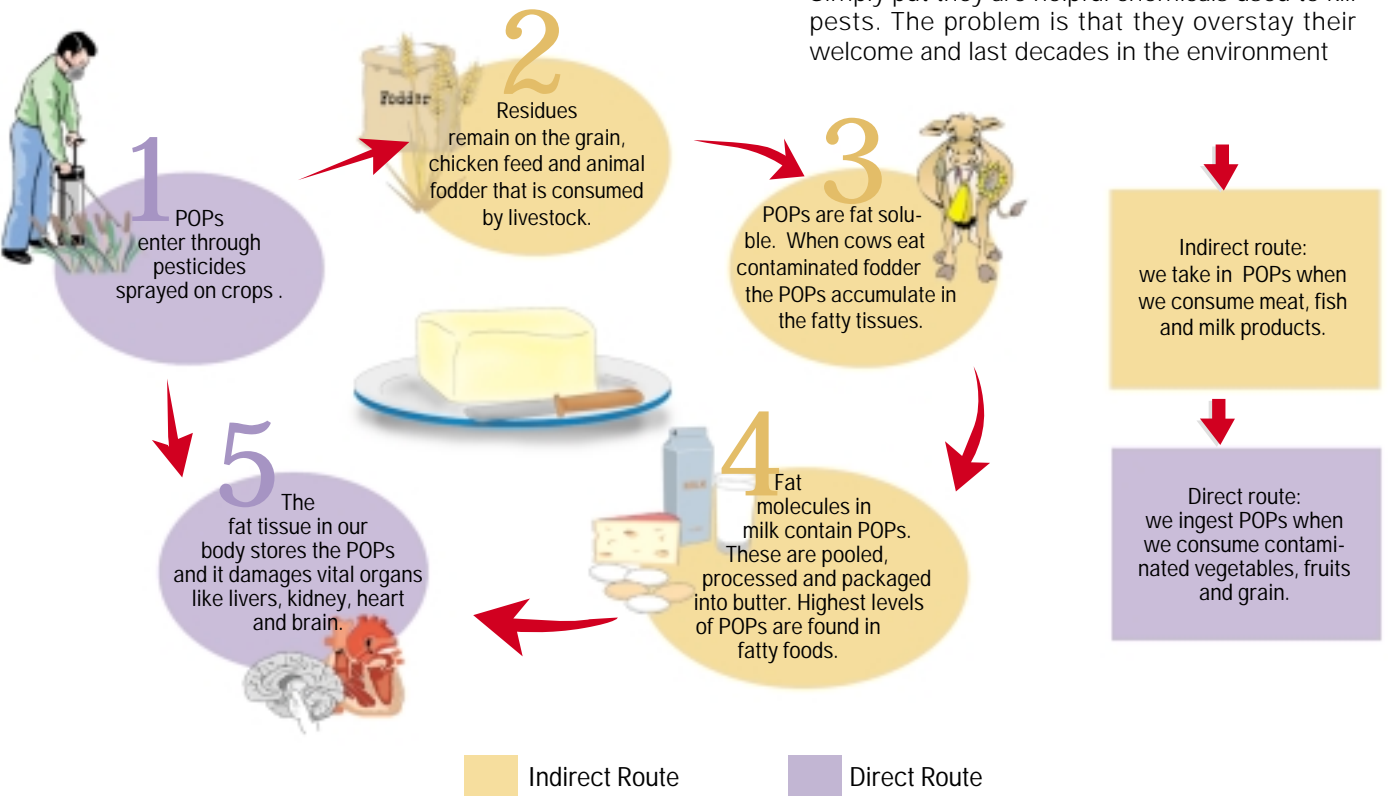
# or for worse?

**Butter** – a dab of it makes boring bread bearable...but it also 'pops' in harmful chemicals

It tastes great on toasts or paranthas. But scientists now say that butter carries POPs or persistent organic pollutants. Which settle in our fatty tissues and just remain there...and damage our organs. POPs like dieldrin and DDT are found in pesticides. So how did these get into butter?

## ➔ What are POPs?

Simply put they are helpful chemicals used to kill pests. The problem is that they overstay their welcome and last decades in the environment



## POPs are great travellers!

Scientists have found POPs in fat layers of animals in the remote poles. POPs travel like grasshoppers and their travelling pattern is known as the "grasshopper effect."

