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Inquiry into the waste management of absorbent hygiene products

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As a person, who has suffered with incontinence for a very long time and has become worse as I age, despite many medical and surgical consultations and procedures.
I have been using the pads for protection for all this time, gradually needing thicker and thicker versions.
I have seen my family use disposable nappies and along with my pads I have been most concerned about the life of these items and the detriment to our earth for future generations. ,
I do not have a solution but would support action to reduce this waste,
Regards
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