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DATA EVALUATION RECORD § 72-1 - ACUTE LC₅₀ TEST WITH A WARMWATER FISH

| 1. <u>CHEMICAL</u> : S-Dimethenamid | <u>PC Code No.</u> : 120051 | | |
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| 2. <u>TEST MATERIAL</u> : SAN 1289H Technical | <u>Purity</u> : 91.9% (S-dimethenamid) 96.3% (tot. dimethenamid) | | |
| 3. <u>CITATION:</u> | | | |
| <u>Title</u> : SAN 1289H Te Through Acut Bluegill (<i>Le</i> <u>Study Completion Date</u> : June 4, 1996 <u>Laboratory</u> : Wildlife Int | ternational Ltd., Easton, MD , Inc., Des Plaines, IL | | |
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| 5. <u>APPROVED BY</u> : Signature: ocume Solution 6. <u>STUDY PARAMETERS</u> : MARCH | Wende Date: 11/7/97 relig 11/4/97 | | |
| Age or Size of Test Organism: Definitive Test Duration: Study Method: Type of Concentrations: | 19-27 mm 96 hours Flow-through Mean measured as total dimethenamid | | |

7. <u>CONCLUSIONS</u>: This study is scientifically sound and fulfills the guideline requirements. The 96-hour LC₅₀ for bluegill exposed to SAN 1289H technical was determined to be 10 ppm, which classifies this compound as moderately toxic to the bluegill. The NOEC was determined to be 4.1 ppm.

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Results Synopsis

LC₅₀: 10 ppm NOEC: 4.1 ppm 95% C.I.: 7.5-12 ppm Probit Slope: N/A

8. ADEQUACY OF THE STUDY:

A. Classification: Core.

B. Rationale: N/A.

C. Repairability: N/A.

9. <u>GUIDELINE DEVIATIONS</u>: The pH was higher and the acclimation period was shorter than recommended. These deviations were not considered to affect the validity of the study.

10. SUBMISSION PURPOSE:

11. MATERIALS AND METHODS:

A. Test Organisms

| Guideline Criteria | Reported Information | | |
|---|---|--|--|
| <u>Species</u> Preferred species is the bluegill sunfish (Lepomis macrochirus) | Lepomis macrochirus | | |
| <u>Mean Weight</u> 0.1-5 g | 0.29 g | | |
| <u>Mean Standard Length</u> Longest not > 2x shortest | Mean: 23 mm Range: 19-27 mm | | |
| <u>Supplier</u> | Northeastern Biologists, Inc., Rhinebeck, NY | | |
| All fish from same source? | Yes | | |
| All fish from the same year class? | Yes | | |

Source/Acclimation

| B. Source/Acclimation | |
|---|--|
| Guideline Criteria | Reported Information |
| Acclimation Period Minimum 14 days | 51 hours |
| Wild caught organisms were quarantined for 7 days? | N/A |
| Were there signs of disease or injury? | No sickness or injury within the 14 days prior to testing |
| If treated for disease, was there no sign of the disease remaining during the 48 hours prior to testing? | N/A s |
| <u>Feeding</u> No feeding during the study | Last fed 51 hours prior to testing |
| Pretest Mortality < 3% mortality 48 hours prior to testing | Pretest mortality not reported |

| C. Test System | | | | |
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| Guideline Criteria | Reported Information | | | |
| <u>Source of dilution water</u> Soft reconstituted water or water from a natural source, not dechlorinated tap water | Well water, filtered and aerated before use. | | | |
| Does water support test animals without observable signs of stress? | Yes | | | |
| <u>Water Temperature</u> 17°C or 22°C | 21.5-22.3°C | | | |
| <u>pH</u> Prefer 7.2 to 7.6 | 8.2-8.4 | | | |
| Dissolved Oxygen Static: \geq 60% during 1 st 48 hrs and \geq 40% during 2 nd 48 hrs, flow-through: \geq 60% | ≥87% of saturation during the test | | | |
| <u>Total Hardness</u> Prefer 40 to 200 mg/L as CaCO ₃ | 136 mg/L as CaCO3 | | | |

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| Guideline Criteria | Reported Information |
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| <pre>Test Aquaria 1. Material: Glass or stainless steel 2. Size: Volume of 18.9 L (5 gal) or 30 x 60 x 30 cm 3. Fill volume: 15-30 L of solution</pre> | Teflon-lined polyethylene 25-L 15 L |
| <u>Type of Dilution System</u> Must provide reproducible supply of toxicant | Continuous flow diluter. |
| Flow Rate Consistent flow rate of 5-10 vol/24 hours, meter systems calibrated before study and checked twice daily during test period | s 6 vol/24 hours |
| <pre>Biomass Loading Rate Static: ≤ 0.8 g/L at ≤ 17°C, ≤ 0.5 g/L at > 17°C; flow- through: ≤ 1 g/L/day</pre> | 0.032 g/L/day |
| <u>Photoperiod</u> 16 hours light, 8 hours dark | 16 h light, 8 h dark |
| <u>Solvents</u> Not to exceed 0.5 mL/L for static tests or 0.1 mL/L for flow-through tests | Solvent: dimethylformamide Maximum conc.: 0.10 mL/L |

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D. Test Design

| Guideline Criteria | Reported Information |
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| Range Finding Test If LC ₅₀ >100 mg/L with 30 fish, then no definitive test is required. | Nominal concentrations based on results of one experimental range finding test |
| Nominal Concentrations of Definitive Test Control & 5 treatment levels; dosage should be 60% of the next highest concentration; concentrations should be in a geometric series | Negative control, solvent control, 2.6, 4.3, 7.2, 12, and 20 mg/L, not corrected for purity. |
| Number of Test Organisms Minimum 10/level, may be di- vided among containers | 20 fish per treatment level or control |
| Test organisms randomly or impartially assigned to test vessels? | Yes |
| Biological observations made every 24 hours? | Yes |
| <pre>Water Parameter Measurements 1. Temperature Measured constantly or, if water baths are used, every 6 hrs, may not vary > 1°C 2. DO and pH Measured at beginning of test and ever 48 h in the high, medium, and low doses</pre> | Temperature measured in each chamber at test initiation and termination and also monitored continuously in one negative control. DO and pH measured daily in alternate replicate chambers of each test level. |
| and in the control <u>Chemical Analysis</u> Needed if solutions were aerated, if chemical was volatile, insoluble, or known to absorb, if precipitate formed, if containers were not steel or glass, or if flow- through system was used | Yes, solutions collected at 0, 48, and 96 hours were analyzed by GC/ECD |

12. <u>REPORTED RESULTS</u>:

A. General Results

| Guideline Criteria | Reported Information |
|--|--|
| Quality assurance and GLP compliance statements were included in the report? | Yes |
| <u>Recovery of Chemical</u> | Mean recoveries for each concentration ranged from 95 to 104% of the nominal values. |
| <u>Control Mortality</u> Not more than 10% control organisms may die or show abnormal behavior. | 0% mortality in both negative control and solvent control groups |
| Raw data included? | Yes |
| Signs of toxicity (if any) were described? | Yes, signs observed at the three highest concentrations |

Mortality

| Concentra | tion (ppm) | | Cumulative Number Dead | | | | |
|---------------------|-------------------|--------------|------------------------|---------------|----|----|--|
| | | Number of | | Hour of Study | | | |
| Nominal | Mean Measured* | Fish | 24 | 48 | 72 | 96 | |
| Negative Control | ND | 20 | 0 | Ô | 0 | 0 | |
| Solvent Control | ND | 20 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | |
| 2.6 | 2.6 | 20 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | |
| 4.3 | 4.1 | 20 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | |
| 7.2 | 7.5 | 20 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | |
| 12 | 12 | 20 | 0 | 1 | 9 | 16 | |
| 20 | 20 | 20 | 8 | 20 | 20 | 20 | |

* as total dimethenamid

<u>Other Significant Results</u>: Signs of test material toxicity included lethargy and dark coloration. Both signs were observed at the three highest-concentration treatment levels.

B. Statistical Results

Statistical method: binomial method

| 96-hr LC ₅₀ : 10 | ppm | 95% C.I. | : 7.5-12 | ppm |
|-----------------------------|-----|----------|----------|-----|
| Probit Slope: | | NOEC: 4. | 1 ppm | |

13. VERIFICATION OF STATISTICAL RESULTS:

| Parameter | Result |
|---|-----------------|
| Binomial Test LC ₅₀ (C.I.) | 10 (7.5-12) ppm |
| Moving Average Angle LC ₅₀ (95% C.I.) | N/A |
| Probit LC ₅₀ (95% C.I.) | N/A |
| Probit Slope | N/A |
| NOEC | 4.1 ppm |

14. <u>REVIEWER'S COMMENTS</u>: This study is scientifically sound and fulfills the guideline requirements. The 96-hour LC₅₀ for bluegill sunfish was determined to be 10 ppm, which classifies SAN 1289H as moderately toxic to the bluegill. The NOEC was determined to be 4.1 ppm. This study is classified as Core.

| | LOCK SAN 1289 | | | ***** | ***** |
|------------|-------------------|----------------|-----------------|------------------------------|-------|
| CONC. | NUMBER EXPOSED | NUMBER DEAD | PERCENT DEAD | BINOMIAL PROB. (PERCENT) | |
| 20 | 20 | 20 | 100 | 9.536742E-05 | |
| 12 7.5 | 20 20 | 16 0 | 80 0 | .5908966 9.536742E-05 | |
| 4.1 2.6 | 20 20 | 0 0 | 0 0 | 9.536742E-05 9.536742E-05 | 1. N. |

THE BINOMIAL TEST SHOWS THAT 7.5 AND 12 CAN BE USED AS STATISTICALLY SOUND CONSERVATIVE 95 PERCENT CONFIDENCE LIMITS, BECAUSE THE ACTUAL CONFIDENCE LEVEL ASSOCIATED WITH THESE LIMITS IS GREATER THAN 95 PERCENT.

AN APPROXIMATE LC50 FOR THIS SET OF DATA IS 10.36864

WHEN THERE ARE LESS THAN TWO CONCENTRATIONS AT WHICH THE PERCENT DEAD IS BETWEEN 0 AND 100, NEITHER THE MOVING AVERAGE NOR THE PROBIT METHOD CAN GIVE ANY STATISTICALLY SOUND RESULTS.