

Per conversation w/ Jim Goodyear - even though this review is signed by official and the results are in the evaluation of DCI

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MEMORANDUM

Subject: Upgrading of aquatic toxicity studies on α -Naphthol a degradate of technical Carbaryl (Record No. 238220).

From: James W. Akerman, Chief
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To: Dennis Edwards, PM#12
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In March of 1988 this branch reviewed a submission (MRID-265665) from Rhône-Poulenc Ag Company of studies done by Springborn Bionomics on α -Naphthol, a degradate of Carbaryl (Shaughnessy No. 056801). EEB ruled that these studies were only "Supplemental" because of questions about the stability of the chemical in water and the methods of calculating the LC₅₀s under conditions of changing chemical concentrations.

Rhône-Poulenc answered these objections in a recent submission (MRID-409552). Generally they stated that the decrease in the concentration of α -Naphthol was due to the metabolism of the fish in the aquaria and that this decrease did not take place in aquaria used to test species that have a smaller mass.

They recalculated the LC₅₀s based on median concentrations between measurements and reported the LC₅₀s and NOELs.

EEB biologist James Goodyear has reviewed the new study reports and has found that they fulfil the guideline requirements. A copy of the report, "Overview: Aquatic Toxicity of 1-Naphthol", by Rhône-Poulenc, has been retained in EEB's files.

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Shaughnessy No.

DATA EVALUATION RECORD
 α -Naphthol, a Carbaryl Degradate
Acute Toxicity in Aquatic Invertebrates
Mysid Shrimp (*Mysidopsis bahia*)

CITATION:

REASON FOR SUBMISSION:

RESULTS- Valid X Invalid _____ Incomplete _____

GUIDELINE- Satisfied X Partially Satisfied Not Satisfied

DISCUSSION:

The registrant has satisfactorily explained the questions raised in the previous review and recalculated the LC₅₀ to adjust for the change in the concentration of α -naphthol. EEB accepts the study as "Core", with an LC₅₀ = 0.21 (C.I. 0.19 - 0.25) mg/l (calculated with the moving average method) and a NOEL = 0.06 mg/l. The degradate would be categorized as being "Highly Toxic" to Mysid shrimp.

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DATA EVALUATION RECORD
α-Naphthol, a Carbaryl Degradate
Acute Toxicity in Aquatic Invertebrates
Bluegill sunfish (*Lepomis macrochirus*)

CITATION:

Surprenant, D. 1986. Acute toxicity of α -naphthol to Bluegill sunfish (*Lepomis macrochirus*): Report #BW-86-6-2040: Study #565.0386.6122-100. Springborn Bionomics, Inc., 790 Main Street, Wareham, MA 02571. 43 pp. MRID 409552-03. Submitted by Rhône-Poulenc Ag Company, Box 12014, 2 T.W. Alexander Drive, Research Park, North Carolina 27709.

Registrant's response to a previous review of the same study that had been classified as "Supplemental but can be upgraded."

GUIDELINE- Satisfied X Partially Satisfied Not Satisfied

The registrant has satisfactorily explained the questions raised in the previous review and recalculated the LC₅₀ to adjust for the change in the concentration of α -naphthol. EEB accepts the study as "Core", with an LC₅₀ = 0.76 (C.I. 0.51 - 1.0) mg/l (calculated with the probit method) and a NOEL = <0.43 mg/l. The degradate would be categorized as being "Highly Toxic" to Mysid shrimp.

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MRID No.

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DATA EVALUATION RECORD
 α -Naphthol, a Carbaryl Degradate
Acute Toxicity in Aquatic Invertebrates
Daphnids (*Daphnia magna*)

GUIDELINE NUMBER: 72-2

CITATION:

Surprenant, D. 1986. Acute toxicity of α -naphthol to Daphnids (*Daphnia magna*): Report #BW-86-6-2131: Study #565.0386.6122-110. Springborn Bionomics, Inc., 790 Main Street, Wareham, MA 02571. 36 pp. MRID 409552-04. Submitted by Rhône-Poulenc Ag Company, Box 12014, 2 T.W. Alexander Drive, Research Park, North Carolina 27709.

REASON FOR SUBMISSION:

Registrant's response to a previous review of the same study that had been classified as "Supplemental but can be upgraded."

RESULTS- Valid X Invalid _____ Incomplete _____

GUIDELINE- Satisfied X Partially Satisfied _____ Not Satisfied _____

DISCUSSION:

The registrant has satisfactorily explained the questions raised in the previous review and recalculated the LC_{50} to adjust for the change in the concentration of α -naphthol. EEB accepts the study as "Core", with an $LC_{50} = 0.73$ (C.I. 0.60 - 0.87) mg/l (calculated with the moving average method) and a NOEL of <0.29 mg/l. The degradate would be categorized as being "Highly Toxic" to *Daphnia magna*.

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MRID No.

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Shaughnessy No.

DATA EVALUATION RECORD
 α -Naphthol, a Carbaryl Degradate
Acute Toxicity in Freshwater Fish
Rainbow trout (*Salmo gairdneri*)

GUIDELINE NUMBER: 72-1

CITATION:

Surprenant, D. 1986. Acute toxicity of α -naphthol to Rainbow trout (*Salmo gairdneri*): Report #BW-86-7-2067: Study #565.0386.6122-103. Springborn Bionomics, Inc., 790 Main Street, Wareham, MA 02571. 36 pp. MRID 409552-04. Submitted by Rhône-Poulenc Ag Company, Box 12014, 2 T.W. Alexander Drive, Research Park, North Carolina 27709.

REASON FOR SUBMISSION:

Registrant's response to a previous review of the same study that had been classified as "Supplemental but can be upgraded."

RESULTS-	Valid <u> X </u>	Invalid <u> </u>	Incomplete <u> </u>
GUIDELINE-	Satisfied <u> X </u>	Partially Satisfied <u> </u>	Not Satisfied <u> </u>

DISCUSSION:

The registrant has satisfactorily explained the questions raised in the previous review and recalculated the LC_{50} to adjust for the change in the concentration of α -naphthol. EEB accepts the study as "Core", with an $LC_{50} = 1.4$ (C.I. = 1.0 - 2.0) mg/l (calculated with the binomial method) and a NOEL of 0.55 mg/l. The degradate would be categorized as being "Moderately Toxic" to Rainbow trout.

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