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OFFICE OF  
PESTICIDES AND TOXIC SUBSTANCES

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MEMORANDUM

SUBJECT: EPA Reg. No./File Symbol 10182-RUN  
Cypermethrin 70% Technical

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APPLICANT: ICI Americas  
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FORMULATION FROM LABEL:

Active Ingredient(s):	% by wt.
<u>γ-cyano - (3-phenoxypentyl)carbamate (±) - (2S,3S) -</u>	<u>70%</u>
<u>3-(2,2-dichloroethyl)-2,2-dimethyl-</u>	
<u>propylsuccinate</u>	
<u>Inert Ingredient(s):</u> . . . . .	<u>30%</u>
Total	100.0%

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BACKGROUND

ICI Americas Inc. submitted an acute inhalation study on Reg. No. 10182-RUN to fulfill the acute toxicity data requirements for registration. The study was conducted at ICI Central Toxicology Lab, Cheshire, UK. MRID No. 413036-01.

The product was characterized as follows in a previous review: acute oral- Cat II; acute dermal- Cat III; acute eye- Cat III; skin irritation- Cat IV; skin sensitization- a sensitizer.

RECOMMENDATION

RSB/PRS finds the study supplementary data. The MMAD's are greater than 1.0  $\mu$ . The Agency requires at least 25% of the particles to meet the size requirement. A Memo by Dr. Stanley Gross on acute inhalation toxicity testing is included for registrant's reference.

LABELINGStatements of practical treatment:

The last sentence of the "If in eyes" statement should read:  
"Call a physician if irritation persists."

Precautionary statements:

Delete: "...goggles, or full face shield." Use of goggles is not required for this product's formulation.

Add: "Prolonged or frequently repeated skin contact may cause allergic reactions in some individuals."

Further label revisions may be necessary upon submittance of outstanding data.

Note to PM:

In a precautionary labeling review dated 3-8-88, the dermal sensitization study with MRID No. 403777-01 was classified as a moderate sensitizer. The letter sent to the registrant on May 23, 1988 indicated the product was a non-sensitizer and precautionary labeling regarding sensitization was not necessary.

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## DATA REVIEW FOR ACUTE INHALATION TOXICITY TESTING (§81-3)

Product Manager: (15)  
 MRID No.: 413036-01  
 Testing Laboratory: ICI Central Tox Lab.  
 Author(s): N. Bramer  
 Species: Wistar derived albino Rats  
 Sex: 15 males, 15 females Weight: 201 - 268 gm  
 Source: Alderley Park, Cheshire, UK  
 Test Material: Cypermethrin (technical) 72.9% AI.  
 Quality Assurance (40 CFR §160.12): attached

Reviewer: O. Odiott  
 Report Date: 24 Apr. 1989  
 Report No. HR0862

## Summary:

- LC<sub>50</sub> (mg/kg): Males = \_\_\_\_\_; Females = \_\_\_\_\_; Combined = \_\_\_\_\_
- The estimated LC<sub>50</sub> is \_\_\_\_\_
- Mean Concentration: \_\_\_\_\_
- Tox. Category: \_\_\_\_ Classification: Supplementary

Procedure (Deviations From §81-2): MMAD greater than 1.0 $\mu$ .

\*animals were killed due to severe clinical effects  
on days 1 and 2 following exposure

## Results:

Exposure Concentration (mg/L)	Reported Mortality		
	* NUMBER KILLED/NUMBER TESTED		
	Males	Females	Combined
0.53 mg/l	0/5	0/5	0/10
1.08 mg/l	1/5	1/5	2/10
1.98 mg/l	5/5	5/5	10/10
MMAD = 3.95 $\mu$ , 4.68 $\mu$ and 5.20 $\mu$ , respectively			

## Symptomology &amp; Gross Necropsy Findings:

lacrimation, salivation, reduced breathing rate, increased breathing depth, reduced response to sound, intermittent tail erections, hunched posture, piloerection, chromodacryorrhea, shaking and reduced stability. No abnormalities reported for gross necropsy examinations.

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# Cypermethrin Review

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