Appendix E.

Ecotoxicity Information

Freshwater Fish Acute Toxicity Data.								
Common Name	%AI	Study parameters	Test Results	MRID	Classification/			
					Category			
Bluegill sunfish	100	96 hour study	96-h $LC_{50} = 0.710$	43249501	Acceptable/			
Lepomis		10 fish/treatment			Highly toxic			
macrochirus		Static study.						
Rainbow trout	100	96 hour study	$96-h LC_{50} = 0.450$	43249502	Acceptable/			
Onchorhynchus		10 fish/treatment			Highly toxic			
mykiss		Static study.						

Freshwater Invertebrate Acute Toxicity Data								
Common	%AI	Study parameters	Test Results	MRID	Classification/			
Name					Category			
Water flea Daphnia magna	N/A	48-h flow-through study Nominal treatments: 110, 180, 310, 510 and 850 μg/L.	48-h EC ₅₀ : 0.640 mg a.i./L NOAEC: 0.280 mg a.i./L	42356101	Acceptable/ Highly toxic			

Avian Acute Oral Toxicity								
Species	Toxicity Value Used in Risk Assessment ¹	Citation MRID # (Author & Date)	Comments					
Northern bobwhite quail (Colinus virginianus)	$LD_{50} = 258 \text{ mg a.i./kg-bw}^2$	41513101	Acceptable/Highly Toxic					

¹ birds were observed for 30 days after dosing ² all mortality (28 of birds dosed) occurred within 5 days

Avian Subacute Dietary Toxicity								
Species	Toxicity Value Used in Risk Assessment ¹	Citation MRID # (Author & Date)	Comments					
Northern bobwhite quail (Colinus virginianus)	5-day $LC_{50} = 56 \text{ mg}$ a.i./kg-diet ²	41513102	Acceptable/Highly Toxic					
Mallard duck (Anas platyrhynchos)	5-day $LC_{50} = 172 \text{ mg}$ a.i./kg-diet ³	41513103	Acceptable/Highly Toxic					

	Secondary Exposure Toxicity to Birds							
Predator/ scavenger (p/s)	Prey offered to p/s	No. prey offered daily per p/s	No. days p/s exposed	No. p/s exposed	No. p/s dead	No. survivors with signs of chlorophacinone toxicity ^a	Reference	
Barn owl (Tyto alba)	rats fed choice of 0.005% bait or untreated bait for 5 days	1-2	10	2	0	0	Mendenhal l and Pank 1980	
Black-billed magpie (<i>Pica</i> hudsonia)	rats fed 0.005% bait for 5 days	ad lib.	5	20	0	0	Baroch 1997	
American kestrel (Falco sparverius)	voles fed 0.01% bait until dead	1 1 every 3 days	21 61	10 10	0	10 (eb/ih) 10 (eb/ih)	Radvanyi et al. 1988	
Red-tailed hawk (Buteo jamaicensis)	voles fed 10 g 0.005% bait daily for up to 9 days	2	6	5	0	0	Askham and Poché 1992	
Great horned owl (Bubo viriginianus)	voles fed 10 g 0.005% bait daily for up to 9 days	2	6	1	0	0	Askham and Poché 1992	
Red-tailed hawk	voles fed 0.005% bait for up to 9 days	2	6	5	0	0	Askham 1988	
Great horned owl	voles fed 0.005% bait for up to 9 days	2	6	1	0	0	Askham 1988	
Tawny owl (Strix aluco)	mice fed 0.0075% bait ^b	ad lib.	10	4	0	(ct)	Riedel et al. 1991 ^c	

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Eurasian buzzard (Buteo buteo)	mice fed 0.0075% bait ^b	ad lib.	7 10 5+5+5 ^d 40	4 6 3 3	0 0 0 0	(ct) (ct) (ct) (ct)	Riedel et al. 1991°	
Eurasian buzzard	mice fed 0.0075% bait ^b	4	7	4	0	Ŏ Ô	Anonymou s 1978 ^c	
Carrion crow (Corvus corone)	mice fed 0.0075% bait ^b	ad lib.	10	4	0	(ct)	Riedel et al. 1991 ^c	
Carrion crow	mice fed 0.0075% bait ^b	3-4	3 5	12 12	0	0	Sterner 1978 ^c	
White stork (Ciconia ciconia)	mice fed 0.0075% bait ^b	ad lib. (treated /untreated)	3 14	3 3	0 0	1 or 2 (ct) 1 or 2 (ct)	Sterner 1981 ^c	

^a eb = external bleeding; ih = internal hematoma; bl = bleeding (unspecified); ct = increased blood coagulation time;

nr = not reported

b ground squirrels were fed no-choice for 3 days followed by 3 days in which they had a choice of bait or untreated laboratory chow

baits registered in the U.S. are either 0.005% or 0.01% ai dindividual was sacrificed but considered 'dead' based on coagulation index

Mammal Acute Toxicity								
Species	LD50, mg a.i./kg-bw (95% CI)	LC50, mg a.i./kg- diet (95% CI)	Citation MRID # (Author & Date)					
Laboratory rat (Rattus norvegicus)		1.14 (1.02-1.36) 1.14 (0.98-1.35) 1.26 (1.11-1.47) 1.26 (0.97-1.64)	EPA unpublished data ^a					
Laboratory rat (Rattus norvegicus)	6.2 3.1 (1.5-6.7) 11.0 (6.5-18.5)		41875301					
Laboratory rat (Rattus norvegicus)	0.95 (5-day dose @ 0	Jackson and Ashton 1992						
Norway rat (wild)	0.80 (5-day dose @	Jackson and Ashton 1992						
House mouse	1.0 6		Hone and Mulligan 1982 ^b					
Laboratory mouse	5.95 (5-day dose @ 1	.19/day)	Jackson and Ashton 1992					
Deer mouse	0.49		Clark 1994					
Deer mouse	1.0-3.75 ^c		Schafer and Bowles 1985					
Norway rat	5.0		Clark 1994					
Pine vole	14.2 (11.4-17.6)		Byers 1978					
Roof rat	15.0		Clark 1994					
Dog	50-100		Labe and					
			Lorgue 1977					

a the 5 dietary tests for brodifacoum and 4 dietary tests for bromadiolone were conducted at EPA's former Toxicology Unit, Beltsville, MD; methodology follows that described in McCann et al. 1981
b cited in Hyngstrom et al. 1994
c an approximate lethal dose (ALD); the ALD is estimated from an acute oral test that uses too few concentrations and test animals to statistically derive an LD50

		Secondary	Exposure T	Toxicity to N	Mammals		
Predator/ scavenger (p/s)	Prey offered to p/s	No. prey offered daily per p/s	No. days p/s exposed	No. p/s exposed	No. p/s dead	No. survivors with signs of chlorophacinone toxicity ^a	Reference
Mongoose (Galidictis sp.)	rats fed 0.005% bait for 5 days	1	1 3 5 6 7 9	1 1 2 1 1 1	0 1 2 1 1 1	nr no survivors no survivors no survivors no survivors no survivors	Pank and Hirata 1976
Coyote (Canis latrans)	ground squirrels fed 15 g of 0.01% bait for 6 days ^b	1	5	7	3	0	Marsh and Howard 1986
Red fox (Vulpes vulpes)	mice fed 0.0075% bait ^c	20 total	4	1	1 ^d	no survivors	Bachhuber and Beck 1988 ^e
European ferret (Mustela putorius)	rats fed 0.005% bait for 5 days	ad lib.	5	20	11	nr	Ahmed et al. 1996
European ferret	prairie dogs fed 25 g of 0.0025% bait daily for 6 days ^c	4 (1 every other day)	8	6	5	nr	Fisher and Timm 1987
European ferret	voles/mice fed 0.0075% bait ^c	5 total	4	2	1 ^f	(ct)	Bachhuber and Beck 1988 ^e
European ferret	muskrats fed 0.005% bait	ad lib.	4 8	2 1	0	1 (bl) no survivors	Jobsen 1978 ^e
European ferret	voles fed 0.0075% bait ^c	ad lib.	3	4	0	(ct)	Anonymou s 1983 ^e
Weasel (Mustela erminea)	mice fed 0.005% bait	ad lib.	90	4	3	0	Anonymou s 1981 ^e

^a eb = external bleeding; ih = internal hematoma; bl = bleeding (unspecified); ct = increased blood coagulation time; nr = not reported

^b ground squirrels were fed no-choice for 3 days followed by 3 days in which they had a choice of bait or untreated laboratory chow

^c baits registered in the U.S. are either 0.005% or 0.01% ai

^d individual was sacrificed but considered 'dead' based on coagulation index

Terrestrial and Simulated Field Tests								
Common Name	%AI	Nontarget kill	MRID	Classification/C ategory				
California Ground Squirrel (Spermophilus beecheyi)	0.01% and 0.005% grain baits	Poisoning confirmed in 14/15 mice and 2/2 woodrats examined on 5 0.01% bait plots and 9/13 mice and 3/3 wood rats on 5 0.005% bait plots	43922201	Supplemental ²				
California Ground Squirrel	Bait station with 0.005% grain bait	poisoning confirmed in 3/3 mice examined on 2 bait plots ¹	43922202	Supplemental ²				
California Ground Squirrel	0.005% pelleted bait	Poisoning confirmed in 2 dead rabbits (residue levels of 0.011 and 1.16 ppm in GI tract)	41649301	Supplemental ²				
Pine vole (Microtus pinetorum)	1 ground spray at 0.3 lb/ac	No mortality or adverse affects were observed in six captive opossums exposed for 14 days to sprayed ground vegetation in an orchard	234579	Supplemental ³				

poisoning was indicated by blue-dyed bait in the GI tract, blue stain in fatty tissues, subdermal hematomas, and/or

internal hemorrhaging

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