Appendix B: Oryzalin Formulations Containing Multiple Active Ingredients

The Agency does not routinely include, in its risk assessments, an evaluation of mixtures of active ingredients, either those mixtures of multiple active ingredients in product formulations or those in the applicator's tank. In the case of the product formulations of active ingredients (that is, a registered product containing more than one active ingredient), each active ingredient is subject to an individual risk assessment for regulatory decision regarding the active ingredient on a particular use site. If effects data are available for a formulated product containing more than one active ingredient, they may be used qualitatively or quantitatively^{1,2}.

There are no product LD_{50} values, with associated 95% Confidence Intervals (CIs) available for oryzalin. As discussed in USEPA (2000) a quantitative component-based evaluation of mixture toxicity requires data of appropriate quality for each component of a mixture. In this mixture evaluation, an LD_{50} with associated 95% CI is needed for the formulated product. The same quality of data is also required for each component of the mixture. Given that the formulated products for oryzalin do not have LD_{50} data available it is not possible to undertake a quantitative or qualitative analysis for potential interactive effects. However, because the active ingredients are not expected to have similar mechanisms of action, metabolites, or toxicokinetic behavior, it is reasonable to conclude that an assumption of dose-addition would be inappropriate. Consequently, an assessment based on the toxicity of oryzalin is the only reasonable approach that employs the available data to address the potential acute risks of the formulated products.

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¹ Overview of the Ecological Risk Assessment Process in the Office of Pesticide Programs, Environmental Protection Agency (January 2004) (Overview Document).

² Memorandum to Office of Prevention, Pesticides and Toxic Substance, US EPA conveying an evaluation by the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service and National Marine Fisheries Service of an approach to assessing the ecological risks of pesticide products (January 2004).

Pesticide Products Formulated with Oryzalin and Other Active Ingredients^{3,4}

			PRODUCT		ADJUSTED FOR ACTIVE INGREDIENT	
PRODUCT/TRADE NAME	EPA Reg.No.	% Oryzalin	LD_{50} (mg/kg)	CI (mg/kg)	LD_{50} (mg/kg)	CI (mg/kg)
				NA	NA	NA
HELENA XL2G	00590500556	1	>5000	Limit Dose	Limit Dose	Limit Dose
				NA	NA	NA
XL2G	03816700030	1	>5000	Limit Dose	Limit Dose	Limit Dose
				NA	NA	NA
ORYZALIN 2G	05388300220	1	>5000	Limit Dose	Limit Dose	Limit Dose
ROUT ORNAMENTAL				NA	NA	NA
HERBICIDE	05818500027	1	>5000	Limit Dose	Limit Dose	Limit Dose
W 20	05050500045		7 000	NA	NA	NA
XL 2G	07050600045	1	>5000	Limit Dose	Limit Dose	Limit Dose
TURF AND ORNAMENTAL FERTILIZER CONTAINS						
BALAN 0.575% +						
SURFLAN 0.575%	07050600049	0.575	4444	No Data	No CI Data	No CI Data
				NA	NA	NA
UP-SHOT DF HERBICIDE	07050600053	60	>5000	Limit Dose	Limit Dose	Limit Dose
TURF FERTILIZER						
CONTAINS GALLEY PLUS				NA	NA	NA
SURFLAN	07050600055	0.86	>5000	Limit Dose	Limit Dose	Limit Dose
				NA	NA	NA
XL 2GR	07050600056	1	>5000	Limit Dose	Limit Dose	Limit Dose
DOUBLE O G-PRO				NA	NA	NA
HERBICIDE	07967600020	1	>5000	Limit Dose	Limit Dose	Limit Dose

 $^{^3}$ From registrant submitted data to support registration. Compiled by the Office of Pesticide Programs Registration Division. 4 Oryzalin LD₅₀= >10000 mg/kg