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#### **Overview**

## Proposed Registration Decision for Propoxycarbazone-sodium

Health Canada's Pest Management Regulatory Agency (PMRA), under the authority of the *Pest Control Products Act* and Regulations, is proposing full registration for the sale and use of Propoxycarbazone-sodium Technical Herbicide and MKH 6561 70WG Herbicide, containing the technical grade active ingredient propoxycarbazone-sodium, for control or suppression of the grassy weeds downy brome and Japanese brome, and specific broadleaf weeds in winter wheat in western Canada.

An evaluation of available scientific information found that, under the approved conditions of use, the product has value and does not present an unacceptable risk to human health or the environment.

This Overview describes the key points of the evaluation, while the Science Evaluation provides detailed technical information on the human health, environmental and value assessments of Propoxycarbazone-sodium Technical Herbicide and MKH 6561 70WG Herbicide.

## What Does Health Canada Consider When Making a Registration Decision?

The key objective of the *Pest Control Products Act* is to prevent unacceptable risks to people and the environment from the use of pest control products. Health or environmental risk is considered acceptable<sup>1</sup> if there is reasonable certainty that no harm to human health, future generations or the environment will result from use or exposure to the product under its proposed conditions of registration. The Act also requires that products have value<sup>2</sup> when used according to the label directions. Conditions of registration may include special precautionary measures on the product label to further reduce risk.

To reach its decisions, the PMRA applies modern, rigorous risk-assessment methods and policies. These methods consider the unique characteristics of sensitive subpopulations in humans (for example, children) as well as organisms in the environment. These methods and policies also consider the nature of the effects observed and the uncertainties when predicting the impact of pesticides. For more information on how the PMRA regulates pesticides, the assessment process and risk-reduction programs, please visit the Pesticides and Pest Management portion of Health Canada's website at healthcanada.gc.ca/pmra.

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<sup>&</sup>quot;Acceptable risks" as defined by subsection 2(2) of the *Pest Control Products Act*.

<sup>&</sup>quot;Value" as defined by subsection 2(1) of the *Pest Control Products Act*: "the product's actual or potential contribution to pest management, taking into account its conditions or proposed conditions of registration, and includes the product's (a) efficacy; (b) effect on host organisms in connection with which it is intended to be used; and (c) health, safety and environmental benefits and social and economic impact."

Before making a final registration decision on propoxycarbazone-sodium, the PMRA will consider any comments received from the public in response to this consultation document.<sup>3</sup> The PMRA will then publish a Registration Decision<sup>4</sup> on propoxycarbazone-sodium, which will include the decision, the reasons for it, a summary of comments received on the proposed registration decision and the PMRA's response to these comments.

For more details on the information presented in this Overview, please refer to the Science Evaluation of this consultation document.

## What Is Propoxycarbazone-sodium?

Propoxycarbazone-sodium is a new conventional herbicide active ingredient that provides control or suppression of the grassy weeds downy brome and Japanese brome and specific annual broadleaf weeds in winter wheat grown in western Canada.

#### **Health Considerations**

Can Approved Uses of Propycarbazone-sodium Affect Human Health?

Products containing propoxycarbazone-sodium are unlikely to affect your health when used according to the label directions.

Potential exposure to propoxycarbazone-sodium may occur through the diet (food and water) or when handling and applying the product. When assessing health risks, two key factors are considered: the levels where no health effects occur and the levels to which people may be exposed. The dose levels used to assess risks are established to protect the most sensitive human population (for example, children and nursing mothers). Only uses for which the exposure is well below levels that cause no effects in animal testing are considered acceptable for registration.

Toxicology studies in laboratory animals describe potential health effects from varying levels of exposure to a chemical and identify the dose where no effects are observed. The health effects noted in laboratory animals occur at doses more than 100-times higher (and often much higher) than levels to which humans are normally exposed when pesticide products are used according to label directions.

In laboratory animals propoxycarbazone-sodium was of low acute oral, dermal and inhalation toxicity. It was minimally irritating to the eye and skin and did not cause an allergic skin reaction. The acute toxicity of the end-use product MKH 6561 70WG Herbicide was low via the oral, dermal and inhalation routes of exposure. It was non-irritating to the eye and skin and did not cause an allergic skin reaction.

<sup>&</sup>quot;Consultation statement" as required by subsection 28(2) of the Pest Control Products Act.

<sup>&</sup>quot;Decision statement" as required by subsection 28(5) of the *Pest Control Products Act*.

Short- and long-term (lifetime) animal toxicity tests were assessed for the potential of propoxycarbazone-sodium to cause neurotoxicity, immunotoxicity, chronic toxicity, cancer, reproductive and developmental toxicity, and various other effects. The most sensitive endpoints for risk assessment were decreased body weight gain and gastrointestinal irritation. There was no indication that the young were more sensitive than the adult animal.

The risk assessment protects against these effects by ensuring that the level of human exposure is well below the lowest dose at which these effects occur in animal studies.

#### Residues in Water and Food

#### Dietary risks from food and drinking water are not of health concern.

Chronic aggregate dietary intake estimates (food plus drinking water) revealed that the general population and infants less than one year old, the subpopulation which would ingest the most propoxycarbazone-sodium relative to body weight, are expected to be exposed to less than 1% of the acceptable daily intake. Based on these estimates, the chronic dietary risk from propoxycarbazone-sodium is not of health concern for all population subgroups.

Propoxycarbazone-sodium is not carcinogenic; therefore, a cancer dietary risk assessment is not required.

Animal studies revealed no acute health effects. Consequently, a single dose of propoxycarbazone-sodium is not likely to cause acute health effects in the general population (including infants and children).

The *Food and Drugs Act* prohibits the sale of adulterated food, that is, food containing a pesticide residue that exceeds the established maximum residue limit (MRL). Pesticide MRLs are established for *Food and Drugs Act* purposes through the evaluation of scientific data under the *Pest Control Products Act*. Food containing a pesticide residue that does not exceed the established MRL does not pose an unacceptable health risk.

The MRLs for this active ingredient can be found in the Science Evaluation section of this Consultation Document.

#### Occupational Risks From Handling MKH 6561 70WG Herbicide

Occupational risks are not of concern when MKH 6561 70WG Herbicide is used according to the label directions, which include protective measures.

Farmers and custom applicators who mix, load or apply MKH 6561 70WG Herbicide, as well as field workers re-entering freshly treated fields, can come in direct contact with propoxycarbazone-sodium residues on the skin or through inhalation of spray mists. Therefore, the label of MKH 6561 70WG Herbicide specifies to wear a long-sleeved shirt, long pants, shoes and socks during all activities, including application. In addition, workers mixing and loading the product, or involved in equipment clean-up and repairs, must wear chemical-resistant gloves, rubber boots and protective eyewear. The label also requires that workers do not enter treated

fields for 12 hours after application. Taking into consideration these label statements, the number of applications and the expectation of the exposure period for handlers and workers, the health risk to these individuals are not expected to be of concern.

For bystanders, exposure is expected to be much less than that for workers and is considered negligible. Therefore, health risks to bystanders are not of concern.

#### **Environmental Considerations**

What Happens When Propoxycarbazone-Sodium is Introduced Into the Environment?

When used according to the label directions, propoxycarbazone-sodium is not expected to pose an unacceptable risk to the environment.

Propoxycarbazone-sodium can enter the environment when it is used to control select grass and broadleaf weeds in winter wheat. Propoxycarbazone-sodium breaks down in soil and water and is not expected to persist for long periods of time, nor is it expected to move downward through the soil and enter groundwater. Propoxycarbazone-sodium is unlikely to enter the atmosphere and be transported to areas far removed from where it was applied. Propoxycarbazone-sodium is not expected to accumulate in the tissues of organisms.

When used according to the label directions, propoxycarbazone-sodium does not present an unacceptable risk to birds, small mammals, fish, algae, earthworms, bees and invertebrates. The use of the end-use product, MKH 6561 70WG Herbicide, may pose a risk to non-target terrestrial and aquatic plants. Buffer zones are specified on the product label to protect terrestrial and freshwater habitats adjacent to treated areas and specific instructions are provided to prevent runoff into aquatic habitats. Toxicity statements are also specified on the product label to protect terrestrial and aquatic plants.

#### **Value Considerations**

#### What Is the Value of MKH 6561 70WG Herbicide?

MKH 6561 70WG Herbicide contains a new active ingredient, propoxycarbazone-sodium, which will control or suppress the grassy weeds downy brome and Japanese brome, two difficult to control grassy weed species for which post-emergent chemical control options are limited in winter wheat, and specific annual broadleaf weeds.

The registration of MKH 6561 70WG Herbicide will provide winter wheat producers in western Canada with a viable option for the chemical control of downy brome and Japanese brome. Additionally, MKH 6561 70WG Herbicide will provide control or suppression of specific annual broadleaf weeds that are often found in winter wheat that is grown in western Canada.

#### Measures to Minimize Risk

Labels of registered pesticide products include specific instructions for use. Directions include risk-reduction measures to protect human and environmental health. These directions must be followed by law.

The key risk-reduction measures being proposed on the label of MKH 6561 70WG Herbicide to address the potential risks identified in this assessment are as follows.

#### **Key Risk-Reduction Measures**

#### **Human Health**

Because there is a concern with users coming into direct contact with the active ingredient propoxycarbazone-sodium on the skin or through inhalation of spray mists, all workers handling MKH 6561 70WG Herbicide, including applicators, must wear a long-sleeved shirt, long pants, shoes and socks. In addition, workers mixing and loading the product, or involved in equipment clean-up and repairs, must wear chemical-resistant gloves, rubber boots and protective eyewear. Furthermore, standard label statements to protect against drift during application have been added to the label and workers re-entering freshly treated wheat fields to perform postapplication activities, such as scouting, are required to respect the restricted-entry interval (REI) of 12 hours.

#### **Environment**

To minimize potential risks to non-target terrestrial and aquatic plants, label statements and buffer zones to protect sensitive terrestrial and aquatic habitats are to be specified on the end-use product label.

To mitigate potential exposures via spray drift, buffer zones of 1 metre are required on the enduse product label to protect sensitive terrestrial and aquatic habitats.

## **Next Steps**

Before making a final registration decision on propoxycarbazone-sodium, the PMRA will consider any comments received from the public in response to this consultation document. The PMRA will accept written comments on this proposal up to 45 days from the date of publication of this document. Please note that, to comply with Canada's international trade obligations, consultation on the proposed MRLs will also be conducted internationally via a notification to the World Trade Organization. Please forward all comments to Publications (contact information on the cover page of this document). The PMRA will then publish a Registration Decision, which will include its decision, the reasons for it, a summary of comments received on the proposed final decision and the Agency's response to these comments.

Other Information					
When the PMRA makes its registration decision, it will publish a Registration Decision on Propoxycarbazone-sodium (based on the Science Evaluation section of this consultation document). In addition, the test data referenced in this consultation document will be available for public inspection, upon application, in the PMRA's Reading Room (located in Ottawa).					

## **Science Evaluation**

## Propoxycarbazone-sodium

#### 1.0 The Active Ingredient, Its Properties and Uses

#### 1.1 **Identity of the Active Ingredient**

Propoxycarbazone-sodium **Active substance** 

**Function** Herbicide

Chemical name

1. International Union sodium [2-(methoxycarbonyl)benzenesulfonyl](4-methyl-5of Pure and Applied oxo-3-propoxy-4,5-dihydro-1*H*-1,2,4-triazole-1-

Chemistry (IUPAC) carbonyl)azanide

2. Chemical Abstracts Benzoic acid, 2-[[[(4,5-dihydro-4-methyl-5-oxo-3-propoxy-Service (CAS)

1H-1,2,4-triazol-1-yl)carbonyl]amino]sulfonyl]-, methyl ester,

sodium salt (1:1)

**CAS** number 181274-15-7

Molecular formula C<sub>15</sub>H<sub>17</sub>N<sub>4</sub>NaO<sub>7</sub>S

420.37 Molecular weight

Structural formula

**Purity of the active** 

95.3%

ingredient

## 1.2 Physical and Chemical Properties of the Active Ingredient and End-Use Product

## Technical Product—Propoxycarbazone-sodium Technical

Property	Result
Colour and physical state	Colourless crystalline powder
Odour	Odourless
Melting range	230-240°C (under decomposition)
Boiling point or range	Not available
Density	1.42 g/cm <sup>3</sup> at 20°C
Vapour pressure	<1 × 10 <sup>-8</sup> Pa at 20°C <9 × 10 <sup>-8</sup> Pa at 70°C
Ultraviolet (UV)-visible spectrum	$\begin{array}{c ccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$
Solubility in water at 20°C	42 g/L
Solubility in organic solvents at 20°C	SolventSolubility (g/L)n-Heptane<0.1
<i>n</i> -Octanol-water partition coefficient $(K_{ow})$	<u>pH</u> <u>log K<sub>ow</sub></u> 7 -1.55
Dissociation constant $(pK_a)$	2.1
Stability (temperature, metal)	Thermally stable at ambient temperature when exposed to air

## End-Use Product—MKH 6561 70WG Herbicide

Property	Result
Colour	Medium brown
Odour	Unpleasant odour
Physical state	Solid
Formulation type	WG (wettable granule)
Guarantee	70.0%
Container material and description	HDPE bottles, 0.25-20 kg
Density	$0.59 \text{ g/cm}^3$
pH of 10% dispersion in water	7.8
Oxidizing or reducing action	The product does not contain any oxidizing or reducing agents.

Storage stability	The product is stable for 2 years stored at ambient temperature.
Corrosion characteristics	No corrosion to HDPE bottles was observed at 50°C for two weeks.
	No corrosion was observed to HDPE containers during 2-year storage at ambient temperature.
Explodability	The product is not explosive.

#### 1.3 Directions for Use

#### MKH 6561 70WG Herbicide

MKH 6561 70WG Herbicide, containing propoxycarbazone-sodium at 70% w/w, is a selective post-emergent herbicide that will provide control of the grassy weeds downy brome and Japanese brome as well as other specific annual broadleaf weeds in winter wheat grown in western Canada (refer to Table 19 of Appendix I). MKH 6561 70WG Herbicide may be applied once per crop cycle (in the fall or spring) at a rate of 30 to 45 g ai/ha (equivalent to 42 to 63 g product per ha) with ground application equipment, and must be applied in tank mix with a non-ionic surfactant at 0.25% v/v.

#### 1.4 Mode of Action

Propoxycarbazone-sodium, which belongs to the sulfonylaminocarbonyl-triazolinones class of chemistry, inhibits the normal function of the enzyme acetolactate synthase. This enzyme is essential in amino acid and protein synthesis. Based on its mode of action, propoxycarbazone-sodium is classified as a Group 2 herbicide, one of a number of herbicides registered for use in western Canada for grassy and broadleaf weed control in winter, spring and durum wheat.

### 2.0 Methods of Analysis

#### 2.1 Methods for Analysis of the Active Ingredient

The methods provided for the analysis of the active ingredient and impurities in the technical product have been validated and assessed to be acceptable for the determinations.

#### 2.2 Method for Formulation Analysis

The method provided for the analysis of the active ingredient in the formulation has been validated and assessed to be acceptable for use as an enforcement analytical method.

#### 2.3 Methods for Residue Analysis

High-performance liquid chromatography methods with tandem mass spectrometry (HPLC-MS) were developed and proposed for data generation and enforcement purposes. These methods fulfilled the requirements with regards to selectivity, accuracy and precision at the respective method limit of quantitation. Acceptable recoveries (70–120%) were obtained in environmental media. Methods for residue analysis are summarized in Table 1 Appendix I.

Please refer to the Evaluation Report for Application Number 2008-4377 available in the Pesticides and Pest Management section of Health Canada's website (http://www.hc-sc.gc.ca/cps-spc/pest/index-eng.php), under Public Registry, Pesticide Product Information Database for a summary of the previously reviewed analytical methods used for data generation and enforcement purposes.

### 3.0 Impact on Human and Animal Health

#### 3.1 Toxicology Summary

The PMRA conducted a detailed review of the toxicological database for propoxycarbazone-sodium. The database consists of an array of laboratory animal (in vivo) and cell culture (in vitro) toxicity studies currently required for hazard assessment purposes. The studies were carried out in accordance with currently accepted international testing protocols and Good Laboratory Practices. The scientific quality of the data is acceptable, and the database is considered adequate to characterize the toxicity of propoxycarbazone-sodium.

Laboratory studies in the rat demonstrated that the absorption of radiolabelled propoxycarbazone-sodium was rapid but incomplete following oral administration. Peak plasma concentrations were seen about 1 h after exposure. Within 48 hours, approximately 21-31% of the administered dose (AD) was absorbed and eventually excreted in the urine, while the majority of the AD was excreted unchanged in the feces. Negligible propoxycarbazone-sodium residues were detected in expired air. Tissue distribution of propoxycarbazone-sodium residues was limited to the gastrointestinal (GI) tract, liver, and kidneys at low concentrations. The total propoxycarbazone-sodium residue remaining in tissues was low and there was no evidence of bioaccumulation for all dose levels tested. Metabolism of propoxycarbazone-sodium in the rat was limited. Analysis of the metabolites indicated that only a small number of minor metabolites, each accounting for less than 3% of the AD, were detected in the urine and feces, with the exception of a fecal metabolite which accounted for 2-9% of the AD. There were no notable gender differences in the metabolic profile of propoxycarbazone-sodium in the rat.

Propoxycarbazone-sodium was of low acute oral, dermal and inhalation toxicity in rats. It was minimally irritating to the eye and skin of rabbits and was not a skin sensitizer in guinea pigs (Maximization test). The acute toxicity of the end-use product, MKH 6561 70WG Herbicide, was low via the oral, dermal and inhalation routes of exposure in rats. It was non-irritating to the eye and skin of rabbits and was not a dermal sensitizer in the guinea pig (Buehler test).

Short-term toxicity studies in laboratory animals (mouse, rat, and dog) demonstrated that propoxycarbazone-sodium induced systemic toxicity only at very high dose levels. The effects included lower food consumption and body-weight gains, increased water intake, and in the rat only, irritation of the forestomach. Gross and histopathology changes in other tissues were not evident.

In a 28-day dermal study, neither systemic nor local skin effects were noted at the limit dose.

Due to study limitations (for example, limited histopathology), this study was considered supplemental.

In vivo/in vitro genotoxicity studies of propoxycarbazone-sodium assessing gene mutation, chromosome aberration, and unscheduled DNA synthesis showed negative genotoxic findings.

Long-term studies of propoxycarbazone-sodium in mice and rats showed toxic effects similar to those observed in shorter-term studies. Sufficiently high dose levels were tested in these rodent species and there was no evidence of oncogenic potential.

A reproductive toxicity study in rats demonstrated slight changes in the estrous cycle at a high dose that also induced maternal toxicity (decreased food efficiency, epithelial vacuolation of forestomach). However, there was no evidence of offspring toxicity. Developmental toxicity studies in the rat and rabbit did not demonstrate any evidence of teratogenicity. In rats tested at the limit dose, there was no evidence of maternal or developmental toxicity. In the rabbit, oral exposure to propoxycarbazone-sodium resulted in maternal toxicity (decreased food and water intake, body-weight gain, and GI tract effects) and abortions. A single abortion occurred at the maternal LOAEL with more animals affected at the highest dose tested. Growth and development of the fetuses were also delayed at the highest dose.

Acute and short-term neurotoxicity studies indicated that propoxycarbazone-sodium was not neurotoxic and there were no triggers for the requirement of a developmental neurotoxicity study.

The plant metabolite, KTS 9061, and the soil metabolites, 4-OH-saccharine and MKH 8394, were of low acute toxicity by the oral route in rats and were not mutagenic when tested in in vitro mutation assays. The soil metabolite KTS 9304 was also negative in a bacterial reverse mutation assay. No effects were observed in a 28-day dietary study in rats with KTS 9061, up to the highest dose tested. Select impurities of propoxycarbazone-sodium (methylthio analogue free acid-MKH 6561, bissulforylurea-MKH 6561) were of low acute toxicity by the oral route and were not mutagenic when tested in in vitro microbial mutation assays. Overall, these metabolites and impurities were not considered to be more toxic than the parent, propoxycarbazone-sodium.

The results of the toxicity tests conducted on laboratory animals with propoxycarbazone-sodium are summarized in Tables 2 (End-use product), Table 3 (TGAI, metabolites/impurities), and the toxicology endpoints for use in the human health risk assessment are listed in Appendix I, Table 4.

#### 3.1.1 Incident Reports

Since 26 April 2007, registrants have been required by law to report incidents, including adverse effects to health and the environment, to the PMRA within a set time frame. Information on the reporting of incidents can be found on the Pesticides and Pest Management portion of Health Canada's website.

Incidents from Canada and the United States were searched for propoxycarbazone-sodium. As of 06 May 2015, no incidents involving adverse effects resulting from exposure to propxycarbazone-sodium have been reported to the PMRA from other jurisdictions. Since propoxycarbazone-sodium is a new active ingredient pending registration for use in Canada, there are no Canadian incident reports and the applicant did not provide additional information relevant to incidents.

#### 3.1.2 Pest Control Products Act Hazard Characterization

For assessing risks from potential residues in food or from products used in or around homes or schools, the *Pest Control Products Act* requires the application of an additional 10-fold factor to threshold effects. This factor should take into account completeness of the data with respect to the exposure of, and toxicity to, infants and children and potential pre- and post-natal toxicity. A different factor may be determined to be appropriate on the basis of reliable scientific data.

With respect to the completeness of the toxicity database, as it pertains to the toxicity to infants and children, the standard complement of required studies are available for propoxycarbazone-sodium, including developmental toxicity studies in rats and rabbits and reproductive toxicity studies in rats.

With respect to prenatal and postnatal toxicity, no evidence of increased susceptibility was seen following in utero exposure to rats or rabbits in the developmental toxicity studies. In the rat developmental toxicity study, there were no maternal or developmental effects at the limit dose. In the rabbit developmental toxicity study, the abortions seen at high doses occurred late in gestation and were associated with maternal toxicity (decreased food and water consumption, decreased body-weight gain, and GI tract pathology). In the rat reproductive toxicity study, adverse offspring effects were not identified. Based on these data, there is a low level of concern for pre- or post-natal toxicity associated with propoxycarbazone-sodium exposure. In light of these findings and the completeness of the database, the *Pest Control Products Act* factor was reduced from 10-fold to 1-fold.

#### 3.2 Human Risk Assessment

#### 3.2.1 Determination of Acute Reference Dose (ARfD)

There were no effects in the database warranting the establishment of an acute reference dose.

#### 3.2.2 Determination of Acceptable Daily Intake (ADI)

To estimate dietary risk from long-term repeated exposure, the 2-generation dietary reproductive toxicity study in the rat is considered relevant for the establishment of the ADI. Systemic toxicity in the parents was demonstrated at the LOAEL of 297 mg/kg bw/d based on epithelial vacuolation in the forestomach. The NOAEL for parental toxicity was 75 mg/kg bw/d. Although a lower NOAEL (34 mg/kg bw/d) was observed in the 2-year dietary study in the rat, the effect at the LOAEL of 459 mg/kg bw/d was a marginal decrease in body weight gain. Therefore, the highest NOAEL below the lowest LOAEL was selected. For ADI determination, the standard uncertainty factors of 10-fold for interspecies extrapolation and 10-fold for intraspecies

variability were applied. For the reasons outlined in the *Pest Control Products Act* Hazard Characterization section, the *Pest Control Products Act* factor was reduced to 1-fold. The composite assessment factor (CAF) is therefore 100. This ADI is considered to be protective of all sub-populations including women of child-bearing age and nursing infants.

The ADI, calculated according to the following formula, is 0.8 mg/kg bw/d:

$$ADI = \frac{NOAEL}{CAF} = \frac{75 \text{ mg/kg bw/d}}{100} = 0.8 \text{ mg/kg bw/d}$$

#### 3.3 Occupational and Residential Risk Assessment

#### 3.3.1 Toxicological Endpoints

#### **Short-Term Dermal and Inhalation**

For short-term dermal and inhalation exposure, the rabbit developmental study was selected. The existing short-term dermal toxicity study was considered supplemental and no repeat dose inhalation study was available. Maternal toxicity was demonstrated at the LOAEL of 500 mg/kg bw/d based on GI tract toxicity (enlarged cecum) and light coloured feces. The NOAEL was 100 mg/kg bw/d.

For occupational scenarios, the target margin of exposure (MOE) selected for this endpoint is 100. Ten-fold factors were applied each for interspecies extrapolation and intraspecies variability. This target MOE is considered to be protective of all populations, including nursing infants and the unborn children of exposed female workers.

#### **Intermediate-Term Dermal and Inhalation**

For intermediate-term dermal and inhalation risk assessment, the 2-generation reproductive toxicity study in rats was selected. Systemic toxicity in the parents was demonstrated at the LOAEL of 297 mg/kg bw/d based on epithelial vacuolation in the forestomach. The NOAEL for parental toxicity was 75 mg/kg bw/d. A repeat dose inhalation study was not available and the short-term dermal study was considered supplemental.

For occupational scenarios, the target MOE selected for this endpoint is 100. Ten-fold factors were applied each for interspecies extrapolation and intraspecies variability. This target MOE is considered to be protective of all populations, including nursing infants and the unborn children of exposed female workers.

Occupational exposure to MKH 70WG Herbicide is characterized as short- to intermediate-term in duration and is predominantly by the dermal and inhalation routes.

#### 3.3.1.1 Dermal Absorption

No dermal absorption study was submitted to the PMRA by the applicant. As such, the default dermal absorption factor of 100% was used in the occupational exposure and risk assessments.

#### 3.3.2 Occupational Exposure and Risk

In order to determine the acceptability for registration of the proposed end-use product, MKH 70WG Herbicide, quantitative exposure and risk assessments for occupational handlers and postapplication workers were conducted as described below.

## 3.3.2.1 Mixer/loader/applicator Exposure and Risk Assessment

MKH 6561 70WG Herbicide is a water dispersible granular formulation. It will be mixed with water and applied to winter wheat using a tractor pulled groundboom sprayer. Hence, individuals have potential for dermal and inhalation exposure to propoxycarbazone-sodium during mixing, loading and application. Chemical handler exposure is expected to be of short-term duration for farmers and potentially intermediate-term duration for custom applicators since only one application of MKH 6561 70WG Herbicide is recommended during the growing season when wheat is at the 1-leaf stage of growth up to just prior to jointing (approximately 30 days).

As chemical-specific data for assessing human exposures during pesticide handling activities were not submitted, dermal and inhalation exposures for workers involved in mixing and loading the water dispersible granular formulation, as well as applying the liquid mixture with an opencab groundboom sprayer, were estimated using the Pesticide Handlers Exposure Database (PHED), version 1.1. PHED is a compilation of generic mixer/loader and applicator passive dosimetry data with associated software which facilitates the generation of scenario-specific exposure estimates. The exposure estimates are based on the personal protective equipment (PPE) described on the product label, which consists of a long-sleeved shirt, long pants, shoes and socks for all workers handling the product during any type of activity, including application. In addition, workers involved in mixing, loading, clean-up and repairs must wear chemical-resistant gloves, rubber boots and protective eyewear. PHED unit exposure values applicable for mixing, loading and applying MKH 6561 70WG Herbicide are summarized in Table 3.3.2.1.1 below.

Table 3.3.2.1.1 Unit Exposure Estimates for Mixers, Loaders and Applicators Handling MKH 6561 70WG Herbicide

Evmogumo	Exposure Scenarios and PPE <sup>1</sup>		Unit Exposure (µg/kg a.i. handled) <sup>2</sup>			
Exposure			Inhalation <sup>3</sup>	Total		
Open mix	Open mixing/loading water dispersible granules					
$A_1$	Single layer, CR <sup>1</sup> gloves	163.77	1.02	164.79		
Open-cab groundboom application						
$\mathbf{B}_1$	Single layer, no gloves	32.98	0.96	33.94		

Ermogramo	Scenarios and PPE <sup>1</sup>	Unit Exposure (µg/kg a.i. handled)			
Exposure	Scenarios and FFE	Dermal	Inhalation <sup>3</sup>	Total	
Total of o	pen mixing/loading water dispersible granules + open-cab grou	ndboom app	lication		
$A_1 + B_1$	Single layer, CR <sup>1</sup> gloves for mixing/loading and no gloves for applying	196.75	1.98	198.73	

PPE = personal protective equipment; CR = chemical-resistant

Dermal exposure was estimated by coupling the unit exposure values with the amount of product handled per day and 100% dermal absorption as no chemical-specific dermal absorption studies were submitted by the applicant. Similarly, inhalation exposure was estimated by coupling the unit exposure values with the amount of product handled per day and 100% inhalation absorption. Exposure was normalized to mg/kg bw/day by using 80 kg adult body weight. The amount of product handled per day was calculated using the maximum application rate of 0.0441 kg a.i./ha and the default areas treated per day (ATPD) of 107 ha for farmers and 360 ha for commercial applicators.

For short-term exposure and intermediate-term exposure, dermal and inhalation unit exposure estimates were combined since the no observed adverse effects levels (NOAELs), adverse effects and target margins of exposure (MOEs) are the same. Hence, the total unit exposure estimate was compared to the toxicological endpoints to obtain the calculated MOE as presented in Table 3.3.2.1.2. The target MOE is 100 for both dermal and inhalation exposures.

Table 3.3.2.1.2 Mixer/Loader/Applicator Risk Assessment for Workers Handling MKH 6561 70WG Herbicide

Exposure Scenario and PPE <sup>1</sup>		Total Unit Exposure <sup>2</sup>	Max.	ATPD <sup>3</sup>	Daily Exposure <sup>4</sup>	Calculated MOE <sup>5</sup>	
		(µg/kg a.i. handled)	App. Rate (kg a.i./ha)	(ha/day)	(mg/kg bw/day)	Short <sup>6</sup>	Intermediate <sup>6</sup>
Open mix	ing/loading water disp	oersible granul	es & open-cat	groundboo	m application		
A + D	Single layer, CR <sup>1</sup> gloves for	100.72	0.0441	107	0.01172	$8.53 \times 10^{3}$	$6.40 \times 10^3$
$A_1 + B_1$	mixing/loading, no gloves for applying	198.73	0.0441	360	0.03944	$2.54\times10^3$	$1.90\times10^3$

PPE = personal protective equipment; CR= chemical-resistant

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Unit exposure values are from the PHED Tables (Version 1.1, February 2002)

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> Light inhalation rate

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Sum of the dermal and inhalation unit exposure estimates

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> ATPD: Area Treated per Day; default values for groundboom application by farmers and commercial applicators

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4</sup> Daily exposure = (Total unit exposure  $\times$  ATPD  $\times$  rate) / (80 kg bw  $\times$  1000  $\mu$ g/mg)

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>5</sup> MOE = NOAEL / Daily exposure

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>6</sup> Based on the short-term oral NOAEL of 100 mg/kg bw/day, the intermediate-term oral NOAEL of 75 mg/kg bw/day and target MOEs of 100; assuming 100% dermal absorption and 100% inhalation in the absence of dermal absorption data.

As shown above, the proposed exposure scenario ( $A_1 + B_1$ ; open mixing/loading water dispersible granules and open-cab groundboom application for a worker wearing a single layer of clothing with chemical-resistant gloves during mixing and loading) resulted in calculated MOEs for short- and intermediate-term exposure of farmers and commercial applicators that are significantly above the target MOEs of 100. As such, the PPE described on the label of MKH 6561 70WG Herbicide is adequate to protect mixers, loaders and/or applicators from the exposure to propoxycarbazone-sodium while handling this product.

Furthermore, the acute toxicity studies for MKH 6561 70WG Herbicide have demonstrated that this product has a very low toxicity via the oral, dermal and inhalation routes of exposure, as well as not being an eye or a skin irritant/sensitizer. Thus, no additional PPE is required based on these results

#### 3.3.2.2 Exposure and Risk Assessment for Workers Entering Treated Areas

There is potential for exposure to workers re-entering winter wheat fields treated with MKH 6561 70WG Herbicide. Re-entry activity would consist of scouting which would typically occur within the first week of application and require limited contact with treated foliage. As such, the potential postapplication exposure to workers is expected to be of short-term duration and the primary route of exposure would be through the dermal route.

Inhalation exposure is not considered to be a significant route of exposure for people entering treated areas compared to the dermal route since the active ingredient propoxycarbazone-sodium is non-volatile ( $<1 \times 10^{-11}$  kPa at  $20^{\circ}$ C) according to NAFTA criteria for outdoor use (i.e.  $<1 \times 10^{-4}$  kPa at  $20-30^{\circ}$ C), and as such, an inhalation risk assessment was not required.

Dermal exposure to workers entering treated areas is estimated by coupling dislodgeable foliar residue (DFR) values with activity-specific transfer coefficients (TCs). Activity transfer coefficients are based on data from the Agricultural Re-entry Task Force (ARTF), of which the applicant is a member. For scouting in winter wheat (low height & full foliage), the default TC is 1100 cm²/hr. Given that chemical-specific DFR data were not submitted, default DFR residue values were used in the exposure assessment, i.e. 25% of the application rate dislodgeable on the application day (Day 0) and 10% dissipation per day. In addition, the maximum application rate of 0.0441 kg a.i./ha, an exposure duration of 8 hours per day, the default dermal absorption factor of 100% and the default adult body weight of 80 kg were used. The postapplication dermal exposure of workers to propoxycarbazone-sodium was calculated for the day of the application, immediately after the spray has dried (Day 0). Postapplication risk was then obtained by comparing the dermal exposure with the short-term dermal toxicological endpoint of 100 mg/kg bw/day.

Table 3.3.2.2.1 Postapplication Exposure and Risk Estimate for MKH 6561 70WG Herbicide on the Application Day (Day 0)

Crop	Max. App. Rate (kg a.i./ha)	No. of App./Year	Peak DFR (μg/cm²) <sup>1</sup>	Re-Entry Activity	Transfer Coefficient (cm²/hr)²	Dermal Exposure (mg/kg bw/day) <sup>3</sup>	Calculated MOE <sup>4</sup>
Winter wheat	0.0441	1	0.1103	Scouting	1100	0.0121	$8.26 \times 10^{3}$

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Dislodgeable foliar residues (DFR) were calculated using 25% dislodgeable on Day 0 and 10% dissipation per day; peak DFR is the DFR on Day 0.

The calculated MOE on Day 0 for scouting in winter wheat treated with MKH 6561 70WG Herbicide is  $8.26 \times 10^3$ , which is well above the target MOE of 100. Therefore, the restricted entry interval (REI) of 12 hours is adequate to protect workers.

#### 3.3.3 Residential Exposure and Risk Assessment

There are no residential uses for MKH 6561 70SG Herbicide, and as such, a residential risk assessment was not required.

#### 3.3.4 Bystander Exposure and Risk

Bystander exposure should be negligible since the potential for drift is expected to be minimal. Application is limited to agricultural crops only when there is low risk of drift to areas of human habitation or activity such as houses, cottages, schools and recreational areas, taking into consideration wind speed, wind direction, temperature inversions, application equipment and sprayer settings.

#### 3.4 Food Residues Exposure Assessment

#### 3.4.1 Residues in Plant and Animal Foodstuffs

Please refer to the Evaluation Report for Application Number 2008-4377 available in the Pesticides and Pest Management section of Health Canada's website (http://www.hc-sc.gc.ca/cps-spc/pest/index-eng.php), under Public Registry, Pesticide Product Information Database for a summary of the previously reviewed residue data for propoxycarbazone-sodium in/on plant matrices, as well as the rationale for the previous regulatory decision (MRL of 0.02 ppm on wheat).

The information captured herein for the domestic registration of Propoxycarbazone-sodium Technical Herbicide and the end-use product MKH 6561 70WG Herbicide relates to new confined and field crop rotation studies, a cattle feeding study, and a freezer storage stability study provided to support the domestic registration on winter wheat, and to changes in dietary exposure due to the update of the dietary exposure assessments to include livestock commodities.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> The TC for scouting was based on ARTF studies.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> Dermal exposure = (Peak DFR  $[\mu g/cm^2] \times TC [cm^2/hr] \times 8 \text{ hours}$ ) / (80 kg bw × 1000  $\mu g/mg$ )

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4</sup> MOE = Dermal NOAEL / Dermal Exposure; based on the short-term oral NOAEL of 100 mg/kg bw/day and a target MOE of 100; assuming 100% dermal absorption in the absence of dermal absorption data.

The previously determined residue definition for both enforcement and risk assessment purposes in wheat is propoxycarbazone and the 2-hydroxypropoxy metabolite (Pr-2-OH MKH 6561). Adequate confined and field crop rotation studies were performed on three distinct crop types (cereal, leafy and root crops) treated separately with phenyl and triazolinone radio-labelled propoxycarbazone. The nature of the residues was adequately characterized and a separate residue definition was not required for rotational crops. The plant-back interval of 10 months for spring wheat and winter wheat is supported.

Radio-labelled residues of propoxycarbazone and the 2-hydroxypropoxy metabolite were demonstrated to be stable in turnip tops, turnip roots and mustard greens for up to 12 months when stored frozen at < -15 °C.

Adequate feeding studies were carried out in a lactating ruminant to assess the anticipated residues in edible matrices resulting from the current use. A hen feeding study is not available and is not currently required given that results from the poultry metabolism study demonstrated that residues are not expected in edible poultry matrices in birds fed treated grain. Based on previously reviewed data, a residue definition for enforcement and dietary exposure purposes was determined to be propoxycarbazone in livestock matrices.

#### 3.4.2 Exposure from Drinking Water

#### 3.4.2.1 Concentrations in Drinking Water

Estimated environmental concentrations (EECs) of propoxycarbazone-sodium in potential drinking water sources (groundwater and surface water) were generated using computer simulation models. An overview of how the EECs are estimated is provided in the PMRA's Science Policy Notice SPN2004-01, *Estimating the Water Component of a Dietary Exposure Assessment*. EECs of propoxycarbazone-sodium in groundwater were calculated using the PRZM-GW model to simulate leaching through a layered soil profile over a 50-year period. EECs of propoxycarbazone-sodium in surface water were calculated using the SWCC model, which simulates pesticide runoff from a treated field into an adjacent water body and the fate of a pesticide within that water body. Pesticide concentrations in surface water were estimated in a vulnerable drinking water source, a small reservoir.

A Level 1 drinking water assessment was conducted using conservative assumptions with respect to environmental fate, application rate and timing, and geographic scenario. The Level 1 EECs are expected to allow for future use expansion into other crops at this application rate and application method. Table 3.4.2.1-1 lists the application information and main environmental fate characteristics used in the simulations. A combined residue of the parent and five transformation products (M04, M05, M06, M09, and M10) was modelled for drinking water. Approximately twenty initial application dates from early April through early June for spring applications, and from mid-October through mid-November for fall applications were modelled. The model was run for 50 years for all scenarios. The largest EECs of all selected runs are reported in Table 3.4.2.1-2. Details of water modelling inputs and calculations are available upon request.

Table 3.4.2.1-1 Major groundwater and surface water model inputs for Level 1 assessment of propoxycarbazone-sodium

Type of Input	Parameter	Value
Application	Crop(s) to be treated	Wheat
Information	Maximum allowable application	45
	rate per year (g a.i./ha)	
	Maximum rate each application	45
	(g a.i./ha)	
	Maximum number of	1
	applications per year	
	Minimum interval between	NA
	applications (days)	
	Method of application	Ground foliar
Environmental Fate	Hydrolysis half-life at pH 7	Stable
Characteristics	(days)	
	Photolysis half-life in water	Stable
	(days)	d.
	Adsorption $K_{OC}$ or $K_d$ (mL/g)	Surface Water: 0.244 (20 <sup>th</sup> percentile of five K <sub>d</sub> values
		for parent)
		Groundwater: 0.003 (K <sub>d</sub> of M06) for phenyl-label
		degradation, and 0.11 (K <sub>d</sub> of M04) for triazolinone-
		label degradation
		Ecoscenario: 0.244 (20 <sup>th</sup> percentile of five K <sub>d</sub> values
	A 1: '11: A C A	for parent)
	Aerobic soil biotransformation	Drinking Water: 151 (90 <sup>th</sup> percentile confidence bound
	half-life (days)	on mean of four half-lives adjusted to 25°C) for
		phenyl-label degradation, and 1013 (90 <sup>th</sup> percentile
		confidence bound on mean of four half-lives adjusted
		to 25°C) for triazolinone-label degradation Ecoscenario: 125 (90 <sup>th</sup> percentile confidence bound on
		mean of four half-lives at 20°C)
	Aerobic aquatic	Drinking Water: 327 (longest of two half-lives) for
	biotransformation half-life (days)	phenyl-label degradation, and 440 (longest of two half-
	diodansionnation nan-me (days)	lives) for triazolinone-label degradation
		Ecoscenario: 198 (longest of two half-lives for two
		labels)
	Anaerobic aquatic	Drinking Water: Stable
	biotransformation half-life (days)	Ecoscenario: 27 (average of two values for two labels)

Table 3.4.2.1-2 Level 1 estimated environmental concentrations of propoxycarbazone-sodium+M04+M05+M06+M09+M10 in potential drinking water sources

Crop/use pattern	Groundwater EEC (μg a.i./L)		Surface Water EEC (µg a.i./L)	
	Daily <sup>1</sup>	Yearly <sup>2</sup>	Daily <sup>3</sup>	Yearly <sup>4</sup>
Wheat (1x45 g a.i./ha, yearly total of 45 g a.i./ha)	88	88	7.8	1.4

- 1 90<sup>th</sup> percentile of daily average concentrations
- 2 90<sup>th</sup> percentile of 365 day moving average concentrations
- 3 90<sup>th</sup> percentile of the peak concentrations from each year
- 4 90<sup>th</sup> percentile of yearly average concentrations

## 3.4.3 Dietary Risk Assessment

A chronic non-cancer dietary risk assessment was conducted using the Dietary Exposure Evaluation Model (DEEM–FCID<sup>TM</sup>, Version 4.02), which uses 2005-2010 food consumption data from the United States Department of Agriculture's (USDA's) National Health and Nutrition Examination Survey (NHANES).

#### 3.4.3.1 Chronic Dietary Exposure Results and Characterization

The following criteria were applied to the basic chronic non-cancer analysis for propoxycarbazone-sodium: 100% crop treated, default processing factors, residues of wheat based on established MRL values and the recommended MRL values for animal commodities. The chronic dietary exposure from all supported propoxycarbazone-sodium food uses (alone) for the total population, including infants and children, and all representative population subgroups is less than or equal to 0.2% of the acceptable daily intake (ADI). Aggregate exposure from food and drinking water is considered acceptable. The PMRA estimates that chronic dietary exposure to propoxycarbazone-sodium from food and drinking water is 0.3% (0.0024 mg/kg bw/day) of the ADI for the total population. The highest exposure and risk estimate is for all infants (< 1 year) at 0.9% (0.0072 mg/kg bw/day) of the ADI.

Propoxycarbazone-sodium is not carcinogenic; therefore, a cancer dietary risk assessment is not required.

#### 3.4.3.2 Acute Dietary Exposure Results and Characterization

No appropriate endpoint attributable to a single dose for the general population (including children and infants) was identified.

#### 3.4.4 Aggregate Exposure and Risk

The aggregate risk for propoxycarbazone-sodium consists of exposure from food and drinking water sources only; there are no residential uses.

#### 3.4.5 Maximum Residue Limits

**Table 3.4.5-1 Proposed Maximum Residue Limits** 

Commodity	Recommended MRL (ppm)
Fat, meat, meat byproducts (except kidney) of cattle, goat, horse and sheep	0.05
Kidney of cattle, goat, horse and sheep	0.07
Milk	0.01

For additional information on Maximum Residue Limits (MRLs) in terms of the international situation and trade implications, refer to Appendix II.

The confined crop and field rotational data, the freezer storage stability study data, the ruminant feeding study data and chronic dietary risk estimates are summarized in Appendix I, Tables 5 and 6.

### 4.0 Impact on the Environment

#### 4.1 Fate and Behaviour in the Environment

In the terrestrial environment, hydrolysis and phototransformation are not important routes of dissipation for propoxycarbazone-sodium. Propoxycarbazone-sodium can be transformed by aerobic and anaerobic microorganisms and can span the full range of pesticide persistence classifications from non-persistent to persistent in aerobic and anaerobic terrestrial systems, depending primarily on organic carbon content. Faster degradation correlated well with increasing organic carbon content. Eight transformation products (all major) were detected in laboratory studies: MKH 7018 (M04), STJ 4934 (M05), MKH 7283 (M06), MKH 7284 (M07), KTS 9357 (M08), KTS 9304 (M09), MKH 7017 (M10) and 4-methoxy saccharin. The laboratory results on the transformation of the major transformation products in soil showed that depending on the chemical structure and soil type investigated these transformation products are non-persistent to moderately persistent in soil, with the exception of KTS 9357 (M08), which is persistent.

The mobility data and the comparison of propoxycarbazone-sodium with the Cohen et al. (1984) criteria and the groundwater ubiquity score (GUS; Gustafson, 1989), which both characterize leaching potential based on physico-chemical properties and laboratory data, indicate propoxycarbazone-sodium has the potential to leach under certain circumstances. Under field conditions; however, terrestrial field dissipation and lysimeter studies demonstrated relatively quick dissipation and little vertical movement of propoxycarbazone-sodium and its transformation products down the soil profile. The concern for leaching of propoxycarbazone-sodium is low under the proposed use pattern.

Propoxycarbazone-sodium may enter into the aquatic environment through spray drift or run-off. In aquatic environments, propoxycarbazone-sodium is not expected to partition to sediment or bioaccumulate in aquatic organisms. Phototransformation is not an important route of dissipation

for propoxycarbazone-sodium in the aquatic environment. Propoxycarbazone-sodium can be transformed by aerobic and anaerobic microorganisms in aquatic environments and can span the full range of pesticide persistence classifications from non-persistent to persistent. Propoxycarbazone-sodium is not expected to volatilize from water or moist soils.

Environmental fate data for propoxycarbazone-sodium are summarized in Appendix I, Tables 7 and 8 (fate and behaviour of propoxycarbazone-sodium in terrestrial and aquatic environments, respectively). The chemical names and structures of propoxycarbazone-sodium transformation products formed in the environment, as well as a summary of their occurrence in environmental fate studies, are presented in Appendix I, Table 9.

#### 4.2 Environmental Risk Characterization

The environmental risk assessment integrates the environmental exposure and ecotoxicology information to estimate the potential for adverse effects on non-target species. This integration is achieved by comparing exposure concentrations with concentrations at which adverse effects occur. Estimated environmental concentrations (EECs) are concentrations of pesticide in various environmental media, such as food, water, soil and air. The EECs are estimated using standard models which take into consideration the application rate(s), chemical properties and environmental fate properties, including the dissipation of the pesticide between applications. Ecotoxicology information includes acute and chronic toxicity data for various organisms or groups of organisms from both terrestrial and aquatic habitats, including invertebrates, vertebrates, and plants. Toxicity endpoints used in risk assessments may be adjusted to account for potential differences in species sensitivity as well as varying protection goals (i.e. protection at the community, population, or individual level).

Initially, a screening level risk assessment is performed to identify pesticides and/or specific uses that do not pose a risk to non-target organisms, and to identify those groups of organisms for which there may be a potential risk. The screening level risk assessment uses simple methods, conservative exposure scenarios (for example, direct application at a maximum cumulative application rate) and sensitive toxicity endpoints. A risk quotient (RQ) is calculated by dividing the exposure estimate by an appropriate toxicity value (RQ = exposure/toxicity), and the risk quotient is then compared to the level of concern (LOC = 1 for most species, 0.4 for pollinators and 2 for beneficial arthropods). If the screening level risk quotient is below the level of concern, the risk is considered negligible and no further risk characterization is necessary. If the screening level risk quotient is equal to or greater than the level of concern, then a refined risk assessment is performed to further characterize the risk. A refined assessment takes into consideration more realistic exposure scenarios (such as drift to non-target habitats) and might consider different toxicity endpoints. Refinements may include further characterization of risk based on exposure modelling, monitoring data, results from field or mesocosm studies, and probabilistic risk assessment methods. Refinements to the risk assessment may continue until the risk is adequately characterized or no further refinements are possible.

#### 4.2.1 Risks to Terrestrial Organisms

A risk assessment for propoxycarbazone-sodium and its transformation products (based on available toxicity data for transformation products) was conducted for terrestrial organisms. For acute toxicity studies, uncertainty factors of 1/2 and 1/10 the EC<sub>50</sub> (LC<sub>50</sub>) are typically used in modifying the toxicity values for terrestrial invertebrates, birds and mammals when calculating risk quotients (RQs). No uncertainty factors are applied to chronic NOEC endpoints. Risk quotients for propoxycarbazone-sodium and its transformation products were calculated based on the highest maximum seasonal application rate of 45 g a.i./ha. A summary of terrestrial toxicity data for propoxycarbazone-sodium is presented in Appendix I, Table 4 and the accompanying risk assessment is presented in Appendix I, Table 11 for terrestrial organisms other than birds and mammals, and Appendix I, Table 12 for birds and mammals. The assessment of potential risk from spray drift is presented in Appendix I, Table 15.

As multiple EC<sub>50</sub> values were available for terrestrial vascular plants, the program ETX 2.0 was used to generate species sensitivity distributions (SSDs) based on normally distributed toxicity data. The hazardous concentration to 5% of the species (HC<sub>5</sub>) was then calculated for both vegetative vigour and seedling emergence from their respective SSDs. The HC<sub>5</sub> is the concentration that is theoretically protective for 95% of species. At the HC<sub>5</sub> exposure level, 5% of all species will be exposed to a concentration which exceeds their LC<sub>50</sub> toxicity value. The variability around the fraction of species affected value is indicated by the lower and upper confidence limits, which indicates the minimum and maximum percent of species that may be affected at the HC<sub>5</sub> value. The HC<sub>5</sub> values were used to calculate the risk quotients for terrestrial vascular plants instead of the most sensitive species tested. This provides a more scientifically robust endpoint, which uses all of the data.

**Earthworms:** The risk quotient for earthworms resulting from acute and chronic exposure to propoxycarbazone-sodium and its transformation products do not exceed the LOC at the screening level. The use of propoxycarbazone-sodium is not expected to pose an acute or chronic risk to earthworms.

**Bees:** The risk quotients for both acute contact and oral exposure routes were all below the LOC, indicating propoxycarbazone-sodium is not expected to pose a risk to pollinators. Bee larval toxicity studies are not required as larval bee toxicity is not expected from exposure to propoxycarbazone-sodium based on; the mode of action, a lack of effects observed in adult bees, and minimal effects observed for beneficial arthropods at environmentally relevant concentrations.

**Beneficial arthropods:** The risk quotients for predatory and parasitic arthropods resulting from exposure to propoxycarbazone-sodium do not exceed the LOC at the screening level. The use of propoxycarbazone-sodium is not expected to pose a risk to predatory and parasitic arthropods.

**Birds:** The risk quotients for birds resulting from acute and reproductive exposure to propoxycarbazone-sodium do not exceed the LOC at the screening level. The use of propoxycarbazone-sodium is not expected to pose a risk to birds.

**Mammals:** The risk quotients for mammals resulting from acute and reproductive exposure to propoxycarbazone-sodium do not exceed the LOC at the screening level. The use of propoxycarbazone-sodium is not expected to pose a risk to mammals.

**Vascular plants:** Using the HC<sub>5</sub> values from the SSDs for seedling emergence and vegetative vigour, the calculated risk quotients exceed the LOC at the screening level. The risk to terrestrial vascular plants was further characterized by looking at off-field exposure from drift. Based on the risk quotients using the off-field EECs from drift, the LOC for terrestrial vascular plants was still exceeded. A buffer zone of 1 metre will be required on the propoxycarbazone end-use product label to protect non-target terrestrial vascular plants.

#### 4.2.2 Risks to Aquatic Organisms

A risk assessment for propoxycarbazone-sodium and its transformation products (based on available toxicity data for transformation products) was conducted for freshwater and marine aquatic organisms. A summary of aquatic toxicity data for propoxycarbazone-sodium and its transformation products is presented in Appendix I, Table 13.

For acute toxicity studies, uncertainty factors of 1/2 and 1/10 the EC<sub>50</sub> (LC<sub>50</sub>) are typically used for aquatic plants and invertebrates, and fish species, respectively, when calculating risk quotients (RQs). No uncertainty factors are applied to chronic NOEC endpoints. For groups where the level of concern (LOC) is exceeded (i.e.  $RQ \ge 1$ ), a refined Tier 1 assessment is conducted to determine risk resulting from spray drift and runoff separately. Risk quotients for propoxycarbazone-sodium and its transformation products were calculated based on the highest maximum seasonal application rate of 45 g a.i./ha. The calculated risk quotients for propoxycarbazone-sodium are summarized in Appendix I, Table 14 (screening level), Table 15 (spray drift) and Table 16 (runoff).

**Invertebrates:** The risk quotients for freshwater and marine invertebrates resulting from exposure to propoxycarbazone-sodium and its transformation products do not exceed the LOC at the screening level. The use of propoxycarbazone-sodium is not expected to pose a risk to freshwater and marine aquatic invertebrates.

**Fish and amphibians:** The risk quotients for freshwater and marine fish resulting from exposure to propoxycarbazone-sodium and its transformation products do not exceed the LOC at the screening level. The use of propoxycarbazone-sodium is not expected to pose a risk to fish.

The risk quotients for amphibians do not exceed the LOC at the screening level. The use of propoxycarbazone-sodium is not expected to pose a risk to amphibians.

**Algae:** The risk quotients for algae resulting from exposure to propoxycarbazone-sodium and its transformation products do not exceed the LOC at the screening level. The use of propoxycarbazone-sodium is not expected to pose a risk to algae.

**Aquatic vascular plants:** The screening level risk quotient for aquatic vascular plants resulting from exposure to propoxycarbazone-sodium slightly exceeds the LOC at the screening level. The risk to aquatic vascular plants was further characterized by looking at exposure from spray drift

and runoff. Based on the risk quotients using the off-field EECs from drift, the LOC for aquatic vascular plants is not exceeded. A default buffer zone of 1 metre will be required on the propoxycarbazone end-use product label to protect non-target aquatic vascular plants. Based on the risk quotients using the EECs from runoff, the LOC for aquatic vascular plants was exceeded. Label statements to mitigate risk from runoff into aquatic habitats will be required on the end-use product label for propoxycarbazone-sodium.

#### 4.2.3 Incident Reports

Environmental incident reports are obtained from two main sources, the Canadian pesticide incident reporting system (including both mandatory reporting from the registrant and voluntary reporting from the public and other government departments) and the USEPA Ecological Incident Information System (EIIS). Specific information regarding the mandatory reporting system regulations that came into force April 26, 2007 under the *Pest Control Products Act* can be found at http://www.hc-sc.gc.ca/cps-spc/pest/part/protect-proteger/incident/index-eng.php.

Propoxycarbazone-sodium is a new active ingredient pending registration for use in Canada, hence, there were no environment incidents involving this active ingredient in the PMRA database, as of 24 June 2015. The USEPA's Ecological Incident Information System (EIIS) was also queried for environmental incidents. There were 30 incident reports available in the EIIS database for the active propoxycarbazone-sodium, from 2005 to 2012. All incidents in the EIIS database related to crop injury to wheat. No environmentally relevant incident reports were found for propoxycarbazone-sodium. When products containing propoxycarbazone-sodium are registered in Canada, the PMRA will monitor for incident reports.

#### 5.0 Value

#### 5.1 Consideration of Benefits

Wheat (winter, spring and durum combined) is Canada's most economically important field crop, individually out-producing all other cereal, pulse, oilseed and hay crops. Downy brome and Japanese brome are both winter annual members of the grass family that typically germinate in late summer or fall following precipitation and overwinter in a vegetative state. Given the biology of these two brome species, they can be problematic for winter wheat producers since they can compete effectively against winter wheat by resuming growth in the early spring before the winter wheat does, using soil moisture at shallow depths, and blooming early in the growing season prior to the winter wheat, giving them a competitive advantage.

At present, four herbicide active ingredients are registered for use in western Canada for the post-emergent (to the crop) control or suppression of downy brome and Japanese brome in winter wheat (refer to Appendix I, Table 18) for a list of active ingredients / products that are currently registered for the control of these weeds). However, there are limitations associated with each of these alternatives, as described below:

• Metribuzin: may only be applied to the Norstar variety of winter wheat, and controls only downy brome.

- Pyroxsulam: controls Japanese brome and suppresses downy brome in spring and durum wheat; in winter wheat it only controls (fall application) or suppresses (spring application) downy brome.
- Imazamox: may only be used in Clearfield (imazamox-tolerant) wheat varieties, and suppresses only Japanese brome.
- Thiencarbazone-methyl: suppresses or controls only Japanese brome.

Propoxycarbazone-sodium, the active ingredient of MKH6561 70WG Herbicide, provides an additional choice within the Group 2 herbicides for downy brome and Japanese brome control. The use of MKH6561 70WG Herbicide will not restrict the sequential use of other chemicals of alternate modes of action for control of weeds not controlled by the product alone. Propoxycarbazone-sodium is compatible with integrated pest management practices, including chemical and non-chemical options.

Propoxycarbazone-sodium is an ALS inhibitor belonging to the chemical family of sulfonylaminocarbonyl-triazolinones, and is classified as a Group 2 herbicide active ingredient. While Group 2 resistant weed biotypes have been well documented across Canada, managing the development and spread of these resistant biotypes is possible. To date, there has only been one documented case globally of downy brome having resistance to Group 2 herbicides. For Japanese brome, there has been only one documented case globally for resistance to Group 2 herbicides.

To mitigate the development / spread of Group 2 resistant weed biotypes, a number of methods can be employed, including the use of non-Group 2 herbicides, tank mixing with herbicides from a different herbicide Group (i.e. different mode of action), implementing integrated pest management practices and preventing the movement of resistant weed seeds to other fields.

#### **5.2** Effectiveness Against Pests

Value information submitted for review included efficacy data from 41 small-scale field trials conducted in Canada and in the USA between 1993 and 2010, as well as rationales and use history information. The provided information demonstrated that acceptable control or suppression of the grassy weeds Japanese brome and downy brome as well as all labelled broadleaf weeds would be expected when MKH 6561 70WG Herbicide is applied as per the label directions in the fall or spring to winter wheat grown in western Canada.

#### 5.3 Non-Safety Adverse Effects

Value information submitted for review included host crop tolerance data from 21 small scale field trials (five of which had yield measurements taken) conducted in the USA between 1994 and 1998, as well as use history information. The provided information demonstrated that acceptable winter wheat tolerance would be expected when MKH 6561 70WG Herbicide is applied as per the label directions in the fall or spring.

Value information submitted for review included rotational crop tolerance data from 6 small scale field trials (two of which had yield measurements taken) conducted in the USA between 1999 and 2006, as well as use history information. The provided information demonstrated that acceptable rotational crop (i.e. winter wheat and spring wheat) tolerance would be expected when planted 10 months after a MKH 6561 70WG Herbicide application.

#### 5.4 Supported Uses

The claims of control or suppression of downy brome, Japanese brome and select annual broadleaf weeds in winter wheat grown in western Canada, with either a spring or fall application, are supported. Refer to Appendix I, Table 19 for details of the supported uses.

### **6.0** Pest Control Product Policy Considerations

#### **6.1** Toxic Substances Management Policy Considerations

The Toxic Substances Management Policy (TSMP) is a federal government policy developed to provide direction on the management of substances of concern that are released into the environment. The TSMP calls for the virtual elimination of Track 1 substances [those that meet all four criteria outlined in the policy, i.e. persistent (in air, soil, water and/or sediment), bio-accumulative, primarily a result of human activity and toxic as defined by the *Canadian Environmental Protection Act*].

During the review process, propoxycarbazone-sodium and its transformation products were assessed in accordance with the PMRA Regulatory Directive DIR99-03<sup>5</sup> and evaluated against the Track 1 criteria (Table 17 of Appendix I). The PMRA has reached the following conclusions:

- Propoxycarbazone-sodium does not meet TSMP Track 1 criteria, and is not considered a TSMP Track 1 substance. See Table 17 of Appendix I for comparison with Track 1 criteria.
- The major transformation products of propoxycarbazone-sodium do not meet TSMP Track 1 criteria, and are not considered TSMP Track 1 substances.

#### 6.2 Formulants and Contaminants of Health or Environmental Concern

During the review process, contaminants in the technical and formulants and contaminants in the end-use products are compared against the *List of Pest Control Product Formulants and Contaminants of Health or Environmental Concern* maintained in the *Canada Gazette*. The list

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DIR99-03, The Pest Management Regulatory Agency's Strategy for Implementing the Toxic Substances Management Policy

Canada Gazette, Part II, Volume 139, Number 24, SI/2005-114 (2005-11-30) pages 2641–2643: List of Pest Control Product Formulants and Contaminants of Health or Environmental Concern and in the order amending this list in the Canada Gazette, Part II, Volume 142, Number 13, SI/2008-67 (2008-06-25) pages 1611-1613. Part 1 Formulants of Health or Environmental Concern, Part 2 Formulants of Health or Environmental Concern that are Allergens Known to Cause Anaphylactic-Type Reactions and Part 3 Contaminants of Health or Environmental Concern.

is used as described in the PMRA Notice of Intent NOI2005-01<sup>7</sup> and is based on existing policies and regulations including: DIR99-03; and DIR2006-02, and taking into consideration the Ozone-depleting Substance Regulations, 1998, of the *Canadian Environmental Protection Act* (substances designated under the Montreal Protocol). The PMRA has reached the following conclusions:

- Technical grade propoxycarbazone-sodium does not contain any formulants or contaminants of health or environmental concern identified in the *Canada Gazette*.
- The end-use product, MKH 6561 70WG Herbicide, does not contain any formulants or contaminants of health or environmental concern identified in the *Canada Gazette*.

The use of formulants in registered pest control products is assessed on an ongoing basis through PMRA formulant initiatives and Regulatory Directive DIR2006-02.

## 7.0 Summary

#### 7.1 Human Health and Safety

The toxicology database submitted for propoxycarbazone-sodium is adequate to define the majority of toxic effects that may result from exposure. In short- and long-term studies on laboratory animals, general systemic toxicity was observed. The effects included lower food consumption and body-weight gains, increased water intake, and, in the rat, irritation of the forestomach epithelium. There was no evidence of genotoxicity or, in rats and mice, carcinogenicity. There was no evidence of developmental toxicity in the rat. In the rabbit, abortions occurred at high doses and late in the gestation period, which were associated with maternal toxicity. The rat reproductive toxicity study demonstrated slight effects on reproductive parameters with an alteration the estrous cycle. Propoxycarbazone-sodium was not neurotoxic.

The risk assessment protects against the toxic effects noted above by ensuring that the level of human exposure is well below the lowest dose at which these effects occurred in animal tests.

Provided that the required PPE is worn and that all label restrictions are followed, mixers, loaders and applicators handling MKH 6561 70WG Herbicide, as well as workers re-entering treated winter wheat fields to do scouting, are not expected to be exposed to levels of propoxycarbazone-sodium that will result in health risks of concern. Bystander exposures are expected to be negligible.

The nature of the residues in plants and animals is adequately understood. The residue definition is propoxycarbazone and the 2-hydroxypropoxy metabolite in plant matrices and the residue

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NOI2005-01, List of Pest Control Product Formulants and Contaminants of Health or Environmental Concern under the New Pest Control Products Act.

<sup>8</sup> DIR2006-02, Formulants Policy and Implementation Guidance Document.

definition is propoxycarbazone in animal matrices. The proposed use of propoxycarbazone-sodium on winter wheat does not constitute a health risk of concern for chronic dietary exposure (food and drinking water) to any segment of the population, including infants, children, adults and seniors. Sufficient residue data have been reviewed to recommend MRLs. The PMRA recommends that the following MRLs be specified for residues of propoxycarbazone.

Commodity	Recommended MRL (ppm)
Fat, meat, meat byproducts (except kidney) of cattle, goat, horse and sheep	0.05
Kidney of cattle, goat, horse and sheep	0.07
Milk	0.01

#### 7.2 Environmental Risk

The use of MKH 6561 70WG Herbicide, containing the active ingredient, propoxycarbazone-sodium, may pose a risk to non-target terrestrial and aquatic vascular plants. As a result, buffer zones to protect sensitive terrestrial and aquatic habitats from spray drift and label statements to inform users of potential risks to the environment are required.

#### 7.3 Value

The registration of propoxycarbazone-sodium will provide winter wheat growers in western Canada a chemical control option for two difficult to control grassy weeds, downy brome and Japanese brome, as well as a number of specific annual broadleaf weed species. It offers flexibility in terms of application timing (i.e. fall vs. spring application), and will not restrict the sequential use of other herbicide products for the control of weeds not controlled by propoxycarbazone-sodium alone.

## 8.0 Proposed Regulatory Decision

Health Canada's Pest Management Regulatory Agency (PMRA), under the authority of the <u>Pest Control Products Act</u> and Regulations, is proposing full registration for the sale and use of Propoxycarbazone-sodium Technical Herbicide and MKH 6561 70WG Herbicide, containing the technical grade active ingredient propoxycarbazone-sodium, to control specific broadleaf weeds, including downy brome and Japanese brome in winter wheat in western Canada.

An evaluation of available scientific information found that, under the approved conditions of use, the product has value and does not present an unacceptable risk to human health or the environment.

#### **Key Risk-Reduction Measures**

#### **Human Health**

Because there is a concern with users coming into direct contact with the active ingredient propoxycarbazone-sodium on the skin or through inhalation of spray mists, all workers handling MKH 6561 70WG Herbicide, including applicators, must wear a long-sleeved shirt, long pants, shoes and socks. In addition, workers mixing and loading the product, or involved in equipment clean-up and repairs, must wear chemical-resistant gloves, rubber boots and protective eyewear. Furthermore, standard label statements to protect against drift during application have been added to the label and workers re-entering freshly treated wheat fields to perform postapplication activities, such as scouting, are required to respect the restricted-entry interval (REI) of 12 hours

#### **Environment**

To minimize potential risks to non-target terrestrial and aquatic plants, label statements and nospray buffer zones to protect sensitive terrestrial and aquatic habitats are to be specified on the end-use product label.

To mitigate potential exposures via spray drift, buffer zones of 1 metre are required on the enduse product label to protect sensitive terrestrial and aquatic habitats.

#### **List of Abbreviations**

μg micrograms

1/n exponent for the Freundlich isotherm

a.i. active ingredient
ADI acceptable daily intake
ALS acetolactate synthase
ARfD acute reference dose

atm atmosphere bw body weight

CAS Chemical Abstracts Service

cm centimetres DF dry flowable

DNA deoxyribonucleic acid

DT<sub>50</sub> dissipation time 50% (the dose required to observe a 50% decline in

concentration)

DT<sub>90</sub> dissipation time 90% (the dose required to observe a 90% decline in

concentration)

 $EC_{25}$  effective concentration on 25% of the population  $EC_{50}$  effective concentration on 50% of the population

 $ER_{25}$  effective rate for 25% of the population

g gram ha hectare(s)

HDT highest dose tested

Hg mercury

HPLC high performance liquid chromatography

IUPAC International Union of Pure and Applied Chemistry

kg kilogram

K<sub>d</sub> soil-water partition coefficient
 K<sub>F</sub> Freundlich adsorption coefficient

km kilometre

 $K_{oc}$  organic-carbon partition coefficient  $K_{ow}$  *n*-octanol-water partition coefficient

L litre

LC<sub>50</sub> lethal concentration 50%

LD<sub>50</sub> lethal dose 50%

LOAEL lowest observed adverse effect level LOEC low observed effect concentration

 $\begin{array}{ccc} LOQ & limit of quantitation \\ LR_{50} & lethal \ rate \ 50\% \\ mg & milligram \\ mL & millilitre \end{array}$ 

MAS maximum average score
MOE margin of exposure
MRL maximum residue limit
MS mass spectrometry
N/A not applicable

NOAEL no observed adverse effect level NOEC no observed effect concentration

NOEL no observed effect level NOER no observed effect rate

N/R not required

NZW New Zealand white
OC organic carbon content
OM organic matter content
PBI plantback interval
PHI preharvest interval
pKa dissociation constant

PMRA Pest Management Regulatory Agency

ppm parts per million

RSD relative standard deviation

SC soluble concentrate

 $t_{1/2}$  half-life

T3 tri-iodothyronine

T4 thyroxine

TRR total radioactive residue

TSMP Toxic Substances Management Policy

UAN urea ammonium nitrate UF uncertainty factor

USEPA United States Environmental Protection Agency

UV ultraviolet

v/v volume per volume dilution

# **Appendix I Tables and Figures**

Table 1Residue Analysis

Matrix	Method ID	Analyte	Method Type	LOQ	Reference (PMRA #)
Plant	N/A	Reviewed by Exposure Ass	Reviewed by Exposure Assessment Food of HED		
Animal	N/A	Reviewed by Exposure Ass	Reviewed by Exposure Assessment Food of HED		
Soil	N/A	Parent	HPLC-MS	1 ppb	2375455, 2375456
soil	N/A	II, III, IV, V, VI, VII, VIII	HPLC-MS	1 ppb	2375455, 2375456
Sediment	N/A	The soil method can be acce	The soil method can be accepted for sediment.		
Drinking water	N/A	Parent	HPLC-UV	0.05 μg/L	2375460
Surface water	N/A	Parent	HPLC-UV	1.0 μg/L	2375460

## Table 2 Toxicity Profile of MKH 6561 70WG Herbicide

(Effects are known or assumed to occur in both sexes unless otherwise noted; in such cases, sex-specific effects are separated by semi-colons)

Acute toxicity	Study Results		
Acute Oral LD <sub>50</sub> Rat PMRA# 2376426	LD <sub>50</sub> >2000 mg/kg bw		
	Low toxicity		
Acute Dermal LD <sub>50</sub> Rat	LD <sub>50</sub> >2000 mg/kg bw		
PMRA# 2376428	Low toxicity		
Acute Inhalation LC <sub>50</sub> Rat PMRA# 2376431	$LC_{50} > 4995 \text{ mg/L}$		
111111111111111111111111111111111111111	Low toxicity		
Eye Irritation	MAS $(24-72 \text{ hours}) = 0.0/110$		
Rabbit PMRA# 2376433	Non-Irritating		
Dermal Irritation	MAS (24-72 hours) = 0.0/8.0		
Rabbit PMRA# 2376435	Non-Irritating		
Skin Sensitization (Buehler patch test)	No dermal reaction for test and naïve control		
Guinea Pig	Positive control, 55% of test animals exhibited dermal reactions.		
PMRA# 2376438			
	Non-Sensitizer		

## Table 3 Toxicity of Propoxycarbazone (MKH 6561) and Metabolites/Impurities

(Effects are known or assumed to occur in both sexes unless otherwise noted; in such cases, sex-specific effects are separated by semi-colons)

Species, strain (test compound)	Study Results					
Metabolism/Toxicokinetics – TGAI (MKH 6561)						
Metabolism	<b>Absorption:</b> rapid but incomplete (~21-31%); plasma peak concentrations at					
Rat, Wistar	1h post-dosing; $T_{max} = 0.33 - 0.81 \text{ h}$					
PMRA# 1654848, 1653836, 1653857						
Triazolinon-3- <sup>14</sup> C]MKH 6561 or [Phenyl-UL- <sup>14</sup> C]MKH 6561. Triazole-labelled MKH 6561	<b>Distribution:</b> rapid, biphasic (~1 and 11 h post-dosing), mainly in gut, liver, and kidneys; but the level declined rapidly; no evidence of bioaccumulation.					
	<b>Excretion:</b> rapid; mainly in feces (64-83%); urinary elimination secondary (~21-31%); negligible via expired air (<0.15%).					
	<b>Metabolism:</b> minimal; unchanged parent compound the main compound excreted.					

Acute toxicity – TGAI (MKH 6561)					
Acute Oral LD <sub>50</sub>	$LD_{50} > 5000 \text{ mg/kg bw}$				
Rat, Wistar	LD <sub>50</sub> > 50000 mg/kg 0w				
PMRA# 1654546	Low toxicity				
Acute Dermal LD <sub>50</sub>	LD <sub>50</sub> >5000 mg/kg bw				
Rat, Wistar PMRA# 2375419					
	Low toxicity				
Acute Inhalation LC <sub>50</sub>	$LC_{50} > 5030 \text{ mg/L}$				
Rat, Wistar					
PMRA# 2375419	Low toxicity				
Eye Irritation	MAS (24-72 hours) = 0.22/110				
Rabbit, New Zealand White					
PMRA# 2375424	Minimally Irritating				
Skin Irritation	MAS (24-72 hours) = 0.3/8.0				
Rabbit, New Zealand White					
PMRA# 2375424	Minimally Irritating				
Skin Sensitization (Maximization test of Magnusson and Kligman)	No dermal reaction for test and naïve control				
Guinea Pig, Dunkin Hartley	Non-Sensitizer				
PMRA# 2375427	Non-Schsidzei				
Short-term toxicity – TGAI (MKH 6561)					
28-Day dietary	A NOAEL was not established in this range-finding study.				
Rat, Wistar PMRA# 1654563	No effects observed				
28-Day dermal	A NOAELwas not established in this supplemental study.				
Rat, Wistar					
PMRA# 2375438	Only one dose was examined, only minimal organ histopathology was conducted. Epididymides, ovary and uterus weights were missing, and the age				
	of the animals used were outside the range of the guideline recommendation.				

5-week dietary	A NOAEL was not established in this range-finding study.
Mouse, B6C3F <sub>1</sub>	A NOAEL was not established in this range-initing study.
PMRA# 1654560	10000 ppm (5579.4 mg/kg bw/d): ↑ food consumption, ↓ bwg (♂)
64-Day dietary Dog, Beagle	A NOAEL was not established in this range-finding study.
PMRA# 1654595	4000 ppm (mg/kg bw/d equivalent not reported): ↑ hepatic cytochrome P-450 activity (♂)
	↑ hepatic N-demethylase activity considered adaptive response not adverse (♀)
14-Week dietary Mouse, B6C3F <sub>1</sub>	NOAEL: $\[ \circlearrowleft = 625 \text{ ppm } (205 \text{ mg/kg bw/d}) \]$ $\[ \circlearrowleft = 2500 \text{ ppm } (1159 \text{ mg/kg bw/d}) \]$
PMRA# 1654579	
	LOAEL: ♂ = 2500 ppm (860 mg/kg bw/d). Effects included ↓ bw and ↑ food consumption
	$Q = 10000 \text{ ppm or } 5109 \text{ mg/kg bw/d. Effects included } \downarrow \text{ bw.}$
14-Week dietary with 4-week recovery	NOAEL = 4000 ppm $\circlearrowleft$ = 286, $\circlearrowleft$ = 351 mg/kg bw/d
Rat, Wistar PMRA# 1654568	LOAEL: 20000 ppm $\circlearrowleft$ = 1508, $\diamondsuit$ = 1770 mg/kg bw/d. Effects included forestomach irritation.
1-Year dietary	NOAEL: 10000 ppm $\circlearrowleft$ = 258, $\circlearrowleft$ = 236 mg/kg bw/d
Dog, Beagle	LOAEL: 25000 ppm $\delta = 631$ , $9 = 605$ mg/kg bw/d. Effects included $\downarrow$ food
PMRA# 1654604	efficiency.
Chronic toxicity and oncogenicity – TGA 107-Week dietary oncogenicity	NOAEL = 1400 ppm $3 = 369$ ; $9 = 627$ mg/kg bw/d
Mouse, B6C3F <sub>1</sub>	LOAEL = 7000 ppm $\circlearrowleft$ = 1881; $\mathcal{Q}$ = 3106 mg/kg bw/d. Effects included $\downarrow$ bw
PMRA# 1654621	and bwg
	No evidence of oncogenicity
2-Year dietary/oncogenicity	NOAEL = 1000 ppm $\circlearrowleft$ = 34; $\circlearrowleft$ = 49 mg/kg bw/d
Rat, Fischer 344	LOAEL = 10000 ppm $\circlearrowleft$ = 459; $\circlearrowleft$ = 525 mg/kg bw/d. Effects included $\downarrow$ bwg
PMRA# 1654648	No evidence of oncogenicity
Reproduction and developmental toxicity	7 – TGAI (MKH 6561)
1-Generation reproductive toxicity	NOAELs were not established in this range-finding study.
Rat, Wistar PMRA# 1654751	Parental systemic toxicity: 20000 ppm (1229.7 mg/kg bw/d): ♂ - Effects included ↓ bwg (wk 0-1), ↑ bwg (wk 1-2)
	Offspring toxicity: No effects observed
	Reproductive toxicity: 20000 ppm (1542.2 mg/kg bw/d): Effects included ↓ litter size, ↓ ♂ pups
2-Generation reproductive toxicity	Parental systemic toxicity:
Rat, Wistar	NOAEL $\mathring{S} = 1000$ ppm (75 mg/kg bw/d); $\mathcal{L} = 4000$ ppm (374 mg/kg bw/d) LOAEL: $\mathring{S} = 4000$ ppm (297 mg/kg bw/d). Effects included microscopic
PMRA# 1654755	lesions in forestomach; $Q = 16000$ ppm (1605 mg/kg bw/d). Effects included $\uparrow$
	food intake, ↓ food efficiency
	Offspring toxicity: NOAEL = 16000 ppm; $\circlearrowleft$ = 1231, $\circlearrowleft$ = 1605 mg/kg bw/d (HDT) LOAEL Not established.
	Reproductive toxicity:  NOAEL ♂ = 16000 ppm (1231 mg/kg bw/d) (HDT); ♀ = 4000 ppm (374 mg/kg bw/d)
	LOAEL ♂ Not established / 16000 ppm (1605 mg/kg bw/d) ♀ -Effect included ↑ metestrous/diestrous

Developmental toxicity	Maternal and developmental toxicity
Rat, Wistar	NOAEL = 1000  mg/kg bw/d (HDT)
PMRA# 1654774	LOAEL Not established
	No evidence of teratogenicity
Developmental toxicity	Maternal and developmental toxicity
Rabbit, Himalayan	NOAEL = 100 mg/kg bw/d
PMRA# 1654787	LOAEL = 500 mg/kg bw/d. Effects included ↑ abortion, ↓ bw and GI tract
	effects.
	Developmental terripita
	Developmental toxicity: NOAEL = 100 mg/kg bw/d
	LOAEL = 500 mg/kg bw/d. Effects included delayed fetal growth, ↑ abortion.
	No evidence of teratogenicity
Neurotoxicity – TGAI (MKH 6561)	NOATY G
Acute oral	NOAEL: Systemic $\mathcal{S} = 2000$ , $\mathcal{S} = 800$ mg/kg bw Neurotoxicity $\mathcal{S} \mathcal{S} = 2000$ mg/kg bw
Rat, Wistar PMRA# 2375440	Neurotoxicity $0.7 = 2000 \text{ mg/kg bw}$
1 WHO W 2575440	LOAEL: $\lozenge$ Not established; $\lozenge$ =2000 mg/kg bw. Effect included $\downarrow$ bwg.
Subchronic neurotoxicity (90-Day)	NOAEL: Systemic and neurotoxicity $\Im = 20000$ ppm. $\Im = 1321$ mg/kg bw/d
Rat, Wistar	= 1651  mg/kg bw/d
PMRA# 2375442	LOAEL: Systemic $\Im \varphi$ = not established
	LOAEL. Systemic $0 \neq -$ not established
	No evidence of neurotoxicity
Immunotoxicity – TGAI (MKH 6561)	
Plaque-Forming-Cell Assay	NOAEL = $20000 \text{ ppm } (2144 \text{ mg/kg bw/d}) (HDT)$
Rat, Wistar &	LOAEL Not established. No effects were observed.
PMRA#2375447	
Genotoxicity – TGAI (MKH 6561)	
Bacterial reverse mutation	Cytotoxicity: ≥200 μg/plate
Salmonella typhimurium strains TA98, TA100,	Negative
TA1535, TA1537	
PMRA# 1654801	
Gene mutations in mammalian cells in vitro	Cytotoxicity: nil
Chinasa hamatan W70 asila (UCDDT lasus)	Novellan
Chinese hamster V79 cells (HGPRT locus) /forward mutation in mammalian cells	Negative
/forward mutation in manimalian cens	
PMRA# 1654826	
Chromosome aberrations in vitro	Cytotoxicity: nil
Chinese hamster V79 cells	Negative
Chinese number 177 cens	Tiegaure
PMRA# 1654821	
In vitro unscheduled DNA synthesis	Cytotoxicity: 75.3 and 48.2% relative survival at 2000 and 4000 µg/mL,
Primary rat hepatocyte cultures	respectively
PMRA# 1654824	Negative
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Genotoxicity - Metabolites /Impurities			
In vivo mouse micronucleus assay	Negative		
Mouse, CD-1			
2500 mg/kg bw (intraperitoneal injection) MKH 6561			
PMRA# 1654828			
Bacterial reverse mutation	Cytotoxicity: weakly ≥ 50 μg/plate; more significant at 5000 μg/plate		
Salmonella typhimurium strains TA98, TA100, TA102, TA1535, TA1537 / MKH 8394	Negative		
PMRA# 1654813			
Bacterial reverse mutation	Cytotoxicity: ≥ 1581 µg/plate		
Salmonella typhimurium strains TA98, TA100, TA102, TA1535, TA1537 / bissulfonylurea - MKH 6561, a byproduct of MKH 6561	Negative		
PMRA# 1654819			
Bacterial reverse mutation	Cytotoxicity: ≥ 4 μg/plate		
Salmonella typhimurium strains TA98, TA100, TA102, TA1535, TA1537 / Methylthio analogue free acid - MKH 6561	Negative		
DMD 4# 1654907			
PMRA# 1654807  Bacterial reverse mutation	Cytotoxicity: ≥500 μg/plate; ≥158 μg/plate (TA102)		
Bacterial reverse matation	Cytotoxicity. 500 µg plate, 5130 µg plate (171102)		
Salmonella typhimurium strains TA98, TA100, TA102, TA1535, TA1537 / <b>4-OH-saccharine</b>	Negative		
PMRA# 1654815			
Chromosome aberrations <i>in vitro</i>	Cytotoxicity: nil		
Chinese hamster V79 cells / KTS 9061	Negative		
PMRA# 1654828			
Bacterial reverse mutation	Cytotoxicity: 1581 and 5000 μg/plate, all strains ≥ 500 μg/plate with TA102 and TA1535		
Salmonella typhimurium strains TA98, TA100, TA102, TA1535, TA1537 / <b>KTS 9061</b>	Negative		
PMRA# 1654804			
Bacterial reverse mutation	Negative		
Salmonella typhimurium strains TA98, TA100, TA102, TA1535, TA1537 / KTS 9304			
PMRA# 1654810			
Acute toxicity - Metabolites/impurities			
Acute oral	$LD_{50} > 5000 \text{ mg/kg bw}$		
Rat, Wistar (bissulfonylurea-MKH 6561)	Low toxicity		
PMRA# 1654548			
1 WINA# 1034340	I.		

Acute oral	$LD_{50} > 5000 \text{ mg/kg bw}$
Rat, Wistar (KTS 9061)	Low toxicity
PMRA# 1654550	
Acute oral	$LD_{50} > 5000 \text{ mg/kg bw}$
Rat, Wistar ( <b>MKH 8394</b> )	Low toxicity
PMRA# 1654553	
Acute oral	$LD_{50} > 5000 \text{ mg/kg bw}$
Rat, Wistar (4-OH-saccharine)	Low toxicity
PMRA# 1654555	
Acute oral	$LD_{50} > 5000 \text{ mg/kg bw}$
Rat, Wistar (methylthio analogue free acid – MKH 6561)	Low toxicity
PMRA# 1654558	
Short-term Toxicity - Metabolite/impurities	
28-Day dietary	A NOAEL was not established in this supplemental study.
Rat, Wistar / <b>KTS 9061</b>	No effects on clinical signs, food and water intake, bw, bwg, FOB, hematology, clinical chemistry, urinalysis, organ weights, gross and
PMRA# 1654589	histopathology at 880 mg/kg bw/d ♀, 905 mg/kg bw/d ♂ (HDT)

Table 4 Toxicology Endpoints for Use in Health Risk Assessment for propoxycarbazone

Exposure scenario	NOAEL, mg/kg bw/d	Study	Endpoint	CAF <sup>1</sup>	MOE <sup>2</sup>	
Acute dietary (ARfD), all population	Not required. N	Not required. No endpoint of concern attributed to a single exposure.				
Chronic dietary (ADI), all population	75	Rat, 2 generation reproductive toxicity study	LOAEL = 297 mg/kg bw/d	100	-	
			Epithelial vacuolation of fore-stomach (stomach irritation)			
	ADI =	0.8 mg/kg bw/d				
Short-term dermal and inhalation	100	Rabbit developmental toxicity	LOAEL = 500 mg/kg bw/d GIT toxicity (enlarged cecum) and light coloured feces.	100	100	
Intermediate-term dermal and inhalation	75	Rat, 2 generation reproductive toxicity study	LOAEL = 297 mg/kg bw/d  Epithelial vacuolation of fore-stomach (stomach irritation)	100	100	
Cancer	A cancer risk as	ssessment was not requ	uired as there was no evide	nce of onco	genicity	

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup>CAF (Composite Assessment Factor) refers to the total uncertainty and Pest Control Products Act factors for dietary risk assessment.

<sup>2</sup> MOE refers to a target MOE for occupational assessment.

Since an oral NOAEL was selected a dermal absorption factor of 100% (default value) was used in a route-to-route extrapolation

## Table 5 Integrated Food Residue Chemistry Summary

Only the relevant parts of this table are presented herein. i.e. DACO 7.3 (Storage Stability [Plants and Plant Products]), DACO 7.4.3 (Confined accumulation in rotational crops), and DACO 7.4.4 (Field crop rotational trials). For all other DACO parts, please refer to the Evaluation Report for Application Number 2008-4377 available in the Pesticides and Pest Management section of Health Canada's website (http://www.hc-sc.gc.ca/cps-spc/pest/indexeng.php), under Public Registry, Pesticide Product Information Database.

CONFINED ACCUME Kale, Turnips and Wh		IN ROTATIONAL CROPS –	PMRA # 2376473		
Radiolabel Position		[phenyl-UL- <sup>14</sup> C] propoxycarbazone and [triazolinone-3- <sup>14</sup> C] propoxycarbazone			
Test site		Outdoor and indoor above ground confined plots			
Formulation		Propoxycarbazone – formulation type not	indicated		
Application rate and timing		Bare soil was treated at 45 g a.i./ha, and aged for 30, 120 and 365 days prior to planting spring wheat, turnip and kale seeds. Raw agricultural commodities (RACs) were harvested from each crop for each time interval except at the 30-day interval where kale and turnips failed to germinate.			
Metabolites Identifie	d	Total Radioactive F	Residues (TRRs) (ppm)		
Matrices	PBI (days)	[phenyl-UL- <sup>14</sup> C]	[triazolinone-3- <sup>14</sup> C]		
	30	0.007	0.006		
Wheat grain	120	0.004	0.002		
	365	0.005	0.005		
	30	0.055	0.050		
Wheat forage	120	0.011	0.016		
	365	0.013	0.028		
	30	0.105	0.129		
Wheat hay	120	0.026	0.063		
	365	0.046	0.106		
	30	0.051	0.096		
Wheat straw	120	0.045	0.073		
	365	0.023	0.087		
Turnip roots	120	< 0.002	0.002		
	365	< 0.002	0.002		
Turnip tops	120 365	0.004 0.003	0.018 0.013		
	303	0.005	0.013		
Kale	120	0.003	0.010		
	365	0.007	0.014		

Metabolites Identified		Major Metabolites (>10% of the TRRs)	Minor Metabolites (<10% of the TRRs)	Major Metabolites (>10% of the TRRs)	Minor Metabolites (<10% of the TRRs)	
Matrices	PBI (days)	[phenyl-UL- <sup>14</sup> C]		[triazolinone-3- <sup>14</sup> C]		
	30	Pr-2-OH MKH 6561 (62%)				
Wheat grain	120					
	365		Not ar	nalysed		
	30	Pr-2-OH MKH 6561 (51%), saccharin (18%), saccharin conjugates (20%)	Unknown peak P2 (4%)	Pr-2-OH MKH 6561 (26%), Pr-2-OH NMT (22%), Pr-2-OH NMT Conjugates (32%)	Unknown peak T1 (4%), Unknown peak T4 (4%)	
Wheat forage	120	Pr-2-OH MKH 6561 (46%), saccharin (37%)		Pr-2-OH MKH 6561 (13%), Pr-2-OH NMT (42%), Pr-2-OH NMT Conjugates (27%)		
	365	Pr-2-OH MKH 6561 (48%), saccharin (40%)		Pr-2-OH MKH 6561 (10%), Pr-2-OH NMT (37%), Pr-2-OH NMT Conjugates (32%)		
	30	Pr-2-OH MKH 6561 (65%), saccharin (15%), saccharin conjugates (10%)		Pr-2-OH MKH 6561 (18%), Pr-2-OH NMT (26%), Pr-2-OH NMT Conjugates (38%)	Unknown peak T1 (3%)	
Wheat hay	120	Pr-2-OH MKH 6561 (57%), saccharin (17%), saccharin conjugates (15%)		Pr-2-OH MKH 6561 (13%), Pr-2-OH NMT (37%), Pr-2-OH NMT Conjugates (32%)	Unknown peak T1 (4%)	
	365	Pr-2-OH MKH 6561 (43%), saccharin (26%)	Saccharin conjugates (9%), unknown peak P1 (2%)	Pr-2-OH NMT (30%), Pr-2-OH NMT Conjugates (43%)	Pr-2-OH MKH 6561 (9%), unknown peak T1 (4%)	
	30	Pr-2-OH MKH 6561 (58%), saccharin conjugates (16%)		Pr-2-OH MKH 6561 (12%), Pr-2-OH NMT (10%)	Pr-2-OH NMT Conjugates (7%), unknown peak T1 (2%), Unknown peak T4 (4%)	
Wheat straw	120	Pr-2-OH MKH 6561 (53%), saccharin (24%), saccharin conjugates (14%)		Pr-2-OH NMT (44%), Pr-2-OH NMT Conjugates (34%)	Pr-2-OH MKH 6561 (4%), unknown peak T1 (5%)	
	365	Pr-2-OH MKH 6561 (32%), saccharin (29%)		Pr-2-OH MKH 6561 (14%), Pr-2-OH NMT (38%), Pr-2-OH NMT Conjugates (19%)	Unknown peak T1 (4%)	
Turnip roots	120					
	365		Not an	nalysed.	•	
Turnip tops	120	Saccharin (21%), saccharin conjugates (19%), unknown peak P2 (16%)				
	365			Pr-2-OH MKH 6561 (39%), unknown peak T4 (36%)	Pr-2-OH NMT (8%)	

Kale	120	Propoxycarbazone (24%), saccharin (18%), unknown peak P2 (34%)	 Pr-2-OH MKH 6561 (28%), Pr-2-OH NMT Conjugates (12%), unknown peak T4 (24%)	
	365		 Pr-2-OH MKH 6561 (48%), unknown peak T4 (36%)	

FREEZER STORAGE STABILITY

PMRA # 2420678

### Plant matrices: Turnips (tops and roots) and mustard greens

The freezer storage stability data indicate that residues of propoxycarbazone and the 2-hydroxypropoxy metabolite are stable at <-15°C for 12 months.

#### RESIDUE DATA IN ROTATIONAL CROPS

Wheat, Turnips and Mustard greens

PMRA # 2376475

Three field trials on turnips, mustard greens and wheat were conducted during the 1997-1999 growing seasons in NAFTA Growing Regions 2, 5 and 10. At each trial location, a single broadcast soil application of MKH 6561 70WG (a wettable granule formulation) was made at a rate of 45 g a.i./ha. A cover crop was planted just before application in most of the trials. The cover crop was disced and tilled into the soil prior to planting the rotational crops, at 1, 4, 8 and 12 months following the application of MKH 6561 70WG to the soil. Raw agricultural commodities (RACs) of all rotational crops were harvested at earliest maturity. Total propoxycarbazone residues were <0.01 ppm in all matrices at all PBIs. Mustard green samples were not available for the 1-month plant-back interval due to phytotoxicity.

	Total	nn.			Total Residue	Levels (ppm)		
Commodity	Application Rate (g a.i./ha)	PBI (mths)	n	LAFT *	HAFT *	Median *	Mean *	SD*
Propoxycarbazone-s	Propoxycarbazone-sodium + Pr-2-OH MKH 6561 (expressed as propoxycarbazone equivalents)							
Turnip tops and roots, mustard greens, and wheat forage, hay, grain and straw	45	1 - 12	2	<0.01	<0.01	<0.01	<0.01	n/a

<sup>\*</sup> Values based on per-trial averages. LAFT = Lowest Average Field Trial, HAFT = Highest Average Field Trial, SD = Standard Deviation. For computation of the LAFT, HAFT, median, mean and standard deviation, values < LOQ are assumed to be at the LOQ. n = number of field trials.

Based on the fact that certain crops failed to germinate both in the confined and the field accumulation studies, plant-back intervals of 30 days for cereal and root crops, and of 120 days for leafy vegetables are recommended.

### **LIVESTOCK FEEDING – Dairy cattle**

PMRA #1654958

Lactating dairy cows were orally administered propoxycarbazone-sodium via capsule at a dose level of 0.703, 2.07, 7.23 or 36.0 mg/kg (ppm) for 29 consecutive days. The dose levels of 0.703, 2.07, 7.23 and 36.0 ppm represent 0.2X, 0.6X, 2.0x and 10x, respectively, the estimated dietary burden for dairy cattle.

Matrix	Feeding Level (ppm)	n	Min	Max	Median	Mean	Standard Deviation
	0.703	3	< 0.002	< 0.002	< 0.002	< 0.002	n/a
Whole milk*	2.07	3	< 0.002	< 0.002	< 0.002	< 0.002	n/a
whole milk.	7.23	3	< 0.002	0.0044	0.0025	0.00293	0.000784
	36.0	3	0.0075	0.0255	0.0146	0.0148	0.00442
Liver	7.23	3	< 0.05	< 0.05	< 0.05	< 0.05	n/a
Livei	36.0	3	< 0.05	0.051	< 0.05	0.0503	0.00058
Kidney	2.07	3	< 0.05	< 0.05	< 0.05	< 0.05	n/a
	7.23	3	< 0.05	0.053	< 0.05	0.051	0.00173
	36.0	3	0.135	0.288	0.176	0.200	0.0792

Muscle	7.23	3	< 0.05	< 0.05	< 0.05	< 0.05	n/a
iviuscie	36.0	3	< 0.05	< 0.05	< 0.05	< 0.05	n/a
Г. /	7.23	3	< 0.05	< 0.05	< 0.05	< 0.05	n/a
Fat	36.0	3	< 0.05	< 0.05	< 0.05	< 0.05	n/a

\* Data from 0.703 and 2.07 ppm are from Day 28 milk. Data for 7.23 and 36 ppm are from Days 4 – 28 when residues had plateaued.

Commodity	Feeding Level	Highest Propoxycarbazone Residues	MBD (ppm)	Anticipated Residues
	(ppm)	(ppm)	Dairy	at MBD (ppm)
Whole milk	36.0	0.0166		0.005
Whey	36.0	0.0163		n/a
Cream	36.0	0.0079		n/a
Fat	36.0	< 0.05	8.82	0.05
Liver	36.0	0.051		0.05
Kidney	36.0	0.288		0.07
Muscle	36.0	< 0.05		0.05

**LIVESTOCK FEEDING – Laying hens** 

PMRA # 2376480

A hen feeding study waiver was supplied given that results from the poultry metabolism study demonstrated that residues would not be expected in edible poultry matrices in birds fed treated grain.

Table 6 Food Residue Chemistry Overview of Metabolism Studies and Risk Assessment

	PLANT STU	DIES		
RESIDUE DEFINITION FOR ENFO Primary crops (wheat) Rotational crops	RCEMENT	Propoxycarbazone and the 2-hydroxypropoxy metabolite [Pr-2-OH MKH 6561]		
RESIDUE DEFINITION FOR RISK Primary crops Rotational crops	ASSESSMENT	Propoxycarbazone and the 2-hydroxypropoxy metabolite [Pr-2-OH MKH 6561]		
METABOLIC PROFILE IN DIVERS	SE CROPS	The profile in diverse crops cannot be determined because only wheat was investigated.		
	ANIMAL STU	DIES		
ANIMALS		Ruminant and Poultry		
RESIDUE DEFINITION FOR ENFO	RCEMENT	Propoxycarbazone		
RESIDUE DEFINITION FOR RISK	ASSESSMENT	Propox	ycarbazone	
DIETARY RISK FROM FOOD AND	WATER			
Basic chronic non-cancer dietary exposure analysis	POPULATION		ATED RISK E DAILY INTAKE (ADI)	
ADI = 0.8 mg/kg bw/day	FORULATION	Food Alone (%)	Food and Drinking Water (%)	
Estimated chronic drinking water	All infants < 1 year	<0.1	0.9	
concentration = 0.088 mg/L [Level 1, groundwater]	Children 1–2 years	0.2	0.5	

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Children 3 to 5 years	0.1	0.4
Children 6–12 years	0.1	0.3
Youth 13–19 years	<0.1	0.2
Adults 20–49 years	<0.1	0.2
Adults 50+ years	<0.1	0.2
Females 13-49 years	<0.1	0.2
Total population	<0.1	0.3

Table 7 Fate and Behaviour of Propoxycarbazone-sodium in the Terrestrial Environment

Study type	Test material/test system	Value	Transformation products	Comments	Reference (PMRA#)	
Abiotic tra	nsformation					
Phototran	Propoxycarbazo	Half-life	Major: None	Phototransfor-	2375468	
S-	ne-sodium	(continuous		mation is not		
formation	[phenyl-14C-	irradiation) =	Minor: STJ 4934	an important		
on soil	labelled]	51 days	(M05), MKH	route of		
		Half-life	7284 (M07), CO <sub>2</sub>	dissipation for		
	pH 7; 20 °C	(environment		propoxycarbaz		
		al at 40°N		one-sodium.		
		latitude) = 70				
		days				
	Propoxycarbazo	Half-life	Major: None	Phototransfor-	2375467	
	ne-sodium	(continuous		mation is not		
	[triazolinone-	irradiation) =	Minor: MKH	an important		
	<sup>14</sup> C-labelled]	22 days	7017 (M10), CO <sub>2</sub>	route of		
		Half-life		dissipation for		
	pH 7; 20 °C	(environment		propoxycarbaz		
		al at 40°N		one-sodium.		
		latitude) = 38				
		days				
Phototran	Propoxycarbazone	e-so <del>dium is not e</del>	expected to be volation	le under field cond	litions based	
S-	on vapour pressur	e, Henry's law c	onstant and the vola	tility study. Transf	formation	
formation	products of propoxycarbazone-sodium are not expected to be volatile under field					
in air	conditions based of	on low detection	of volatile organics	in soil biotransfor	mation	
	studies. A phototr	ansformation stu	ıdy in air is not requi	red.		

Biotransfo					
Biotrans-	Propoxycarbazon		) ( ) YEE 00		007717
formation in aerobic soil	Propoxycarbazo ne-sodium [phenyl- <sup>14</sup> C- labelled] Soil: Quincy loamy sand (Ephrata, Washington) 0.81% OM; pH 6.4; 20°C; 361 d	$DT_{50} = 83.1$ days ( $t_{R \text{ IORE}}$ ) $DT_{90} = 276$ days	Major: KTS 9357 (M08), CO <sub>2</sub> Minor: MKH 7018 (M04), STJ 4934 (M05), MKH 7284 (M07)	Propoxycarbazo ne-sodium is moderately persistent.  Up to 20% of the applied radioactivity was not extracted from the soil by the final sampling interval. At study termination, CO <sub>2</sub> averaged a total of 49% and volatile organics averaged a total	2375477
	Propoxycarbazo ne-sodium [triazolinone- 14C-labelled] Soil: Quincy loamy sand (Ephrata, Washington) 0.86% OM; pH 6.8; 20°C; 365 d	DT <sub>50</sub> = 103 days (SFO) DT <sub>90</sub> = 344 days	Major: KTS 9304 (M09), MKH 7017 (M10), CO <sub>2</sub> Minor: None	of 0.1%.  Propoxycarbazo ne-sodium is moderately persistent.  Up to 29% of the applied radioactivity was not extracted from the soil by the final sampling interval. At study termination, CO <sub>2</sub> averaged a total of 9% and volatile organics averaged a total of 0.2%.	2375480
	Propoxycarbazo ne-sodium [phenyl- <sup>14</sup> C- labelled]	$DT_{50} = 8.7$ days (SFO) $DT_{90} = 28.9$ days	Major: STJ 4934 (M05), MKH 7284 (M07), KTS 9357 (M08), CO <sub>2</sub>	Propoxycarbazo ne-sodium is non-persistent.	2375479

Soil: Höfchen am Hohenseh silt (Germany) 2.62% OC; pH 7.2; 20°C; 184 d		Minor: MKH 7018 (M04), MKH 7283 (M06)	Up to 28% of the applied radioactivity was not extracted from the soil by the final sampling interval. At study termination, CO <sub>2</sub> averaged a total of 44%. Volatile organics were not detected.	
Propoxycarbazo ne-sodium [triazolinone- 14C-labelled] Soil: Höfchen am Hohenseh silt (Germany) 2.62% OC; pH 7.2; 20°C; 182 d	$DT_{50} = 21$ days (SFO) $DT_{90} = 69.8$ days	Major: MKH 7017 (M10), CO <sub>2</sub> Minor: MKH 7018 (M04), KTS 9304 (M09)	Propoxycarbazo ne-sodium is slightly persistent.  Up to 66% of the applied radioactivity was not extracted from the soils by the final sampling interval. At study termination, CO <sub>2</sub> averaged a total of 13%. Volatile organics were not detected.	2375478
Propoxycarbazo ne-sodium [phenyl- <sup>14</sup> C- labelled] Soil: Laacherhof Axxa loamy sand (Germany) 1.8% OC; pH 6.4; 20°C; 183 d	$DT_{50} = 46.5$ days (SFO) $DT_{90} = 154$ days	Major: STJ 4934 (M05), MKH 7284 (M07), KTS 9357 (M08), CO <sub>2</sub> Minor: MKH 7018 (M04), MKH 7283 (M06)	Propoxycarbazo ne-sodium is slightly persistent.  Up to 20% of the applied radioactivity was not extracted from the soil by the final sampling interval. At study	2375479

			termination, CO <sub>2</sub> averaged a total of 26%. Volatile organics were not detected.	
Propoxycarbazo ne-sodium [triazolinone- <sup>14</sup> C-labelled] Soil: Laacherhof Axxa loamy sand (Germany) 1.8% OC; pH 6.4; 20°C; 182 d	$DT_{50} = 16.1$ days (SFO) $DT_{90} = 53.5$ days	Major: MKH 7017 (M10) Minor: MKH 7018 (M04), KTS 9304 (M09), CO <sub>2</sub>	Propoxycarbazo ne-sodium is slightly persistent.  Up to 62% of the applied radioactivity was not extracted from the soils by the final sampling interval. At study termination, CO <sub>2</sub> averaged a total of 9%. Volatile organics were not detected.	2375478
Propoxycarbazo ne-sodium [phenyl- <sup>14</sup> C- labelled] Soil: Loamy sand standard BBA 2.2 (Germany) 2.48% OC; pH 6.3; 20°C; 184 d	DT <sub>50</sub> = 223 days (SFO) DT <sub>90</sub> = 742 days	Major: CO <sub>2</sub> Minor: MKH 7018 (M04), STJ 4934 (M05), MKH 7283 (M06), MKH 7284 (M07), KTS 9357 (M08)	Propoxycarbazo ne-sodium is persistent.  Up to 8% of the applied radioactivity was not extracted from the soil by the final sampling interval. At study termination, CO <sub>2</sub> averaged a total of 22%. Volatile organics were not detected.	2375479
Propoxycarbazo ne-sodium [triazolinone- <sup>14</sup> C-labelled]	$DT_{50} = 82.7$ days (SFO) $DT_{90} = 275$ days	Major: MKH 7017 (M10) Minor: MKH 7018 (M04), KTS	Propoxycarbazo ne-sodium is moderately persistent.	2375478

Soil: Loamy sand standard BBA 2.2 (Germany) 2.48% OC; pH 6.3; 20°C; 182 d		9304 (M09), CO <sub>2</sub>	Up to 18% of the applied radioactivity was not extracted from the soil by the final sampling interval. At study termination, CO <sub>2</sub> averaged a total of 3%. Volatile organics were not detected.	
Transformation 1				
MKH 7284 (M07) [phenyl-14C-labelled] Soil: Quincy loamy sand (Ephrata, Washington) 0.81% OM; pH 6.4; 20°C; 121 d	$DT_{50} = 27.3$ days (SFO)	M08 (max 37.0% AR, day 121)	MKH 7248 is slightly persistent.  Up to 28% of the applied radioactivity was not extracted from the soil by the final sampling interval. At study termination, CO <sub>2</sub> averaged a total of 21% and volatile organics averaged a total of 0.3%.	2375475
KTS 9357	Half-life for	Höfchen	KTS 9357 is	2375476
[phenyl- <sup>14</sup> C-labelled]  Soils: Höfchen am Hohenseh silt (Germany) 2.62% OC; pH 7.8; 20°C; 123 d	Häll-life for Höfchen and Laacherhof = 173 days, Quincy = stable	Holchen M07 (max 16.6% AR, day 62) Laacherhof M07 (maximum 31.2% AR, day 62) Quincy M07 (max 5.7% AR, day 30)	persistent.  Up to 7-13% of the applied radioactivity was not extracted from the soil by the final sampling interval. At study	23/34/0

T		I		
Laacherhof			termination,	
Axxa loamy			CO <sub>2</sub> averaged a	
sand (Germany)			total of 2-7%	
1.8% OC; pH			and volatile	
7.0; 20°C; 123 d			organics	
			averaged a	
Quincy loamy			total of 0.2%.	
sand (Ephrata,			10141 01 0.270.	
Washington)				
• /				
0.47% OC; pH				
6.4; 20°C; 123 d	XX 101'0 0	x 1 1 0	TTTTC 0204:	2275472
KTS 9304	Half-life for	Laacherhof	KTS 9304 is	2375473
(M09)	Höfchen = 75	M10 (maximum	moderately	
[triazolinone-	days,	47.9% AR, day	persistent to	
<sup>14</sup> C-labelled]	Laacherhof =	62)	persistent.	
	62 days,			
Soils: Höfchen	Quincy =	Höfchen	Up to 5-28% of	
am Hohenseh	stable	M10 (max 37.6%	the applied	
silt (Germany)	= <del></del>	AR, day 62)	radioactivity	
2.62% OC; pH		1111, duy 02)	was not	
7.8; 20°C; 120 d		Ouinov	extracted from	
7.8, 20 C, 120 u		Quincy		
x 1 1 0		M10 (max 14.6%	the soil by the	
Laacherhof		AR, day 90)	final sampling	
Axxa loamy			interval. At	
sand (Germany)			study	
1.8% OC; pH			termination,	
7.0; 20°C; 120 d			CO <sub>2</sub> averaged a	
			total of 0.2-5%	
Quincy loamy			and volatile	
sand (Ephrata,			organics	
Washington)			averaged a	
0.47% OC; pH			total of 0.1%.	
6.4; 20°C; 120 d			ισιαι σι σ.1 /0.	
	Half-life = 59	None	MVH 7017 :~	2275474
MKH 7017		None	MKH 7017 is	2375474
(M10)	days		moderately	
[triazolinone-			persistent.	
<sup>14</sup> C-labelled]				
			Up to 51% of	
Soil: Quincy			the applied	
loamy sand			radioactivity	
(Ephrata,			was not	
Washington)			extracted from	
0.47% OC; pH			the soil by the	
6.4; 20°C; 121 d			final sampling	
0.1, 20 C, 121 d			interval. At	
			study	
			termination,	

			CO <sub>2</sub> averaged a total of 9% and volatile organics averaged a	
STJ 4934 (M05) [phenyl- <sup>14</sup> C-labelled]	Höfchen $DT_{50} = 3.1$ days (SFO) Laacherhof $DT_{50} = 22.3$ days (SFO) Quincy $DT_{50}$ = 3.0 days (SFO)	N/A	total of 0.1%.  STJ 4934 is non-persistent to slightly persistent.  Data from the studies of Ripperger <i>et al.</i> , 1999 and Helfrich <i>et al.</i> , 1999 were used to estimate the degradation	2375483
MKH 7284 (M07) [phenyl- <sup>14</sup> C-labelled]	Höfchen $DT_{50} = 5.0$ days (SFO) Laacherhof $DT_{50} = 57.0$ days (SFO)	N/A	rate of M05.  MKH 7284 is non-persistent to slightly persistent.  Data from the studies of Ripperger <i>et al.</i> , 1999 were used to estimate the degradation rate of M07.	2375483
MKH 7017 (M10) [triazolinone- <sup>14</sup> C-labelled]	Höfchen $DT_{50} = 38.7$ days Laacherhof $DT_{50} = 51.3$ days	N/A	MKH 7017 is slightly persistent.  Data from the studies of Ripperger <i>et al.</i> , 1999 were used to estimate the degradation rate of M10.	2375482

Biotrans- formation in anaerobic soil	Propoxycarbazo ne-sodium [phenyl and triazolinone- <sup>14</sup> C- labelled] Soil: Höfchen am Hohenseh silt (Germany) 2.5% OC; pH 6.9; 20°C; 150 d	$DT_{50} = 185$ days $DT_{90} = 613$ days (SFO – phenyl label) $DT_{50} = 99.9$ days $DT_{90} = 332$ days (SFO – troiazolinone label)	Major: MKH 7284 (M07), KTS 9357 (M08), MKH 7017 (M10), 4- methoxy saccharin (transformation product unique to this study), CO <sub>2</sub> Minor: None	Propoxycarbaz one-sodium is persistent.  The PMRA reviewer did not agree with the study author on when anaerobic conditions were met; therefore, half-lives calculated by the reviewer differ from those presented by the study author.	2375484
Mobility	Dronovyzaarhaza	BBA 2.2	N/A	Dronovyzonhoza	2375489
Adsorption / desorption in soil  (Adsorption / desorption values were obtained in 5 soils: 2 USA soils and 3 German soils. Soils were used in other laboratory fate studies.)	Propoxycarbazo ne-sodium	(loamy sand) $K_{FD} = 0.32$ $K_{FOC} = 12.9$ Höfchen (silt) $K_{FD} = 0.70$ $K_{FOC} = 23.9$ Laacherhof (silt loam) $K_{FD} = 0.25$ $K_{FOC} = 28.8$ Ephrata (loamy sand) $K_{FD} = 0.22$ $K_{FOC} = 59.1$ Stilwell (silty clay loam) $K_{FD} = 1.71$ $K_{FOC} = 106.2$		Propoxycarbazo ne-sodium is classified as having a high to very high potential for mobility in soil.	
	MKH 7018 (M04)	$BBA 2.2$ (loamy sand) $K_{FD} = 0.19$	N/A	MKH 7018 is classified as having a very	2375491

	$K_{FOC} = 7.5$		high potential	
	Höfchen (silt) $K_{FD} = 0.24$ $K_{FOC} = 9.0$ Laacherhof (silt loam) $K_{FD} = 0.12$ $K_{FOC} = 13.7$ Ephrata (loamy sand) $K_{FD} = 0.10$ $K_{FOC} = 26.2$ Stilwell (silty		high potential for mobility in soil.	
	clay loam) $K_{FD} = 0.61$ $K_{FOC} = 37.7$			
STJ 4934	(M05) Not determined	N/A	STJ 4934 was not stable in aqueous solution; therefore, adsoption / desorption tests could not be performed and a column leaching test was conducted to assess its leaching potential.	2375495
MKH 72 (M06)	BBA 2.2 (loamy sand) $K_{FD} = 0.003$ $K_{FOC} = 0.13$ Höfchen (silt) $K_{FD} = 0.053$ $K_{FOC} = 2.0$ Laacherhof	N/A	MKH 7283 is classified as having a very high potential for mobility in soil.	2375493

	$(silt loam)$ $K_{FD} = 0.019$ $K_{FOC} = 2.16$ Ephrata $(loamy sand)$ $K_{FD} = 0.003$ $K_{FOC} = 0.90$ Stilwell (silty clay loam) $K_{FD} = 0.110$ $K_{FOC} = 6.84$			
MKH 7284 (M07)	BBA 2.2 (loamy sand) $K_{FD} = 0.13$ $K_{FOC} = 5.2$ Höfchen (silt) $K_{FD} = 0.12$ $K_{FOC} = 4.6$ Laacherhof (silt loam) $K_{FD} = 0.04$ $K_{FOC} = 5.2$ Ephrata (loamy sand) $K_{FD} = 0.02$ $K_{FOC} = 6.7$	N/A	MKH 7284 is classified as having a very high potential for mobility in soil.	2375498
KTS 9357 (M08)	Stilwell (silty clay loam) $K_{FD} = 0.25$ $K_{FOC} = 15.5$ BBA 2.2 (loamy sand) $K_{FD} = 11.3$ $K_{FOC} = 456.9$ Höfchen (silt) $K_{FD} = 18.6$	N/A	KTS 9357 is classified as having a slight to medium potential for mobility in soil.	2375502
	$K_{FOC} = 867.5$			

	ı			
	Laacherhof			
	(silt loam)			
	$K_{FD} = 20.0$			
	$K_{FOC} =$			
	2324.3			
	2324.3			
	Ephrata			
	(loamy sand)			
	$K_{FD} = 7.53$			
	$K_{FOC} =$			
	2033.8			
	2033.0			
	C4:1 11 ( :14			
	Stilwell (silty			
	clay loam)			
	$K_{FD} = 46.3$			
	$K_{FOC} =$			
	2872.7			
KTS 9304	BBA 2.2	N/A	KTS 9304 is	2375504
(M09)	(loamy sand)	- 1/ L T	classified as	25,5501
(14103)				
	$K_{FD} = 0.26$		having a low to	
	$K_{FOC} = 10.4$		very high	
			potential for	
	Höfchen		mobility in soil.	
	(silt)		•	
	$K_{FD} = 1.35$			
	$K_{FOC} = 63.1$			
	$\mathbf{K}_{\mathrm{FOC}} = 0.5.1$			
	T 1 1 C			
	Laacherhof			
	(silt loam)			
	$K_{FD} = 0.86$			
	$K_{FOC} = 99.9$			
	Ephrata			
	(loamy sand)			
	$K_{FD} = 2.04$			
	$K_{FOC} = 551.5$			
	Stilwell (silty			
	clay loam)			
	$K_{FD} = 3.90$			
	$K_{FOC} = 242.1$			
MKH 7017	BBA 2.2	N/A	MKH 7017 is	2375500
		11/11	classified as	2313300
(M10)	(loamy sand)			
	$K_{FD} = 0.22$		having a high to	
	$K_{FOC} = 8.9$		very high	
			potential for	
	Höfchen		mobility in soil.	
			•	

		$(silt)$ $K_{FD} = 0.38$ $K_{FOC} = 14.5$ Laacherhof $(silt loam)$ $K_{FD} = 0.18$ $K_{FOC} = 20.6$ Ephrata $(loamy sand)$ $K_{FD} = 0.26$ $K_{FOC} = 69.6$ Stilwell (silty clay loam) $K_{FD} = 1.22$ $K_{FOC} = 75.7$			
Soil leaching	Column leaching study  STJ 4934 (M05) [phenyl- <sup>14</sup> C-labelled]  Quincy loamy sand (Ephrata, Washington) 0.47% OC; pH 6.4; 20°C; 48 h	$K_{OC} = 35$	N/A	STJ 4934 is classified as having a very high potential for mobility in soil.	2375506
	Aged column leaching study  Propoxycarbazo ne-sodium [phenyl and triazolinone-14C-labelled]  Quincy loamy sand (Ephrata, Washington) 0.47% OC; pH 6.4; 20°C; 28-29 d	Total radioactive residues recovered in the leachates averaged 85.9-89.0% of the applied radioactivity: 76.5% propoxycarba zone-sodium 3.1-3.6% M04 0.8% M06 4.3% M07 0.0% M09	N/A	Propoxycarbazo ne-sodium and its transformation products, MKH 7018 (M04), MKH 7283 (M06), MKH 7284 (M07) and MKH 7017 (M10) have a high potential to leach.  It is noted that the loamy sand used in this	2375507

		7.9% M10  The radioactive residue remaining in the soil column averaged 8-11% of the		study has a very low organic carbon content, resulting in a lower degradation rate for poxycarbazone-sodium and its transformation	
		applied radioactivity.		products.	
Field studi	es		l l		I
Field dissipatio n	Utah  Single application of WG 70 formulation to wheat in May (49.5 g a.i./ha)	Half-life = 16.8 days	Major: None  Minor: STJ 4934 (M05), MKH 7284 (M07), KTS 9357 (M08), MKH 7017 (M10)	Propoxycarbaz one-sodium is slightly persistent.	2376494
	Kansas  One application of WG 70 formulation at 32.9 g a.i./ha to bare soil in November and again in April (total of 65.8 g a.i./ha)	Half-life = 22.4 days	Major: None  Minor: STJ 4934 (M05), MKH 7284 (M07), MKH 7017 (M10)	Propoxycarbaz one-sodium is slightly persistent.	2376492
	Washington  Single application of WG 70 formulation to bare soil in the spring (70 g a.i./ha)	Half-life = 44.4 days	Major: None  Minor: STJ 4934 (M05), KTS 9357 (M08), KTS 9304 (M09)	Propoxycarbaz one-sodium is slightly persistent.	2376489
	France, Germany, Great Britain Single application of	Northern France (silt loam soil, cropped) $DT_{50} = 4.55$ days	Major: STJ 4934 (M05), MKH 7017 (M10) Minor: STJ 4934 (M05), KTS 9357	Propoxycarbaz one-sodium is non-persistent to slightly persistent.	2376498

	WC 70	DT - 20	(1400)		
	WG 70	$DT_{90} = 30$	(M08)		
	formulation to	days			
	wheat or bare				
	soil in	Germany			
	September (49.5	(sandy loam			
	g a.i./ha)	soil, bare)			
		$DT_{50} = 9.6$			
		days			
		$DT_{90} = 22$			
		days			
		,			
		Germany (silt			
		loam soil,			
		bare)			
		$DT_{50} = 13$			
		days			
		$DT_{90} = 40$			
		days			
		Great Britain			
		(sandy clay			
		soil, cropped)			
		$DT_{50} = 26.6$			
		days			
		$DT_{90} = 67$			
		days			
		Court Duitsin			
		Great Britain			
		(sandy loam			
		soil, cropped)			
		$DT_{50} = 9.4$			
		days			
		$DT_{90} = 54$			
		days			
Field	Lysimeter study	Leachate:	N/A		2376502
leaching	Germany	Total			
		radioactive			
	WG 70	residues in			
	formulation	the annual			
	mixture of	leachates			
	[phenyl and	were < 0.1			
	triazolinone- <sup>14</sup> C-	μg/L.			
	labelled]	Propoxycarba			
	propoxycarbazo	zone-sodium			
	ne-sodium	as well as its			
		transformatio			
	70 g a.i./ha	n products			
	/ 0 5 a.i./iia	ii producis	<u>l</u>	<u> </u>	

sprin	_	were detected		
appli	ication;	significantly		
singl	le	below 0.1		
appli	ication in	μg/L for all		
year	1 and 2; 2	test years.		
1	neters over	,		
3 year		Soil core:		
		Radioactivity		
Soil.	Sandy	in soil after		
	depth 0-	three test		
	n); pH 6.1-	years was		
	0.34-1.41%	37% of the		
	and loamy	applied, 34%		
		of which was		
	(depth 0.7-	located in the		
	m); pH 6.3-			
	0.17-0.19%	upper 0-30		
OC		cm soil		
		layers. The		
		main portion		
		of total		
		radioactive		
		residues in		
		the soil was		
		comprised of		
		bound		
		residues		
		(80%). No		
		parent		
		compound		
		was present		
		in the soil		
		after study		
		termination.		
		The only		
		transformatio		
		n product		
		identified,		
		MKH 7017		
		(M10), was		
		detected at		
		1.0 and 0.8		
		μg/kg in the		
		0-10 and 10-		
		20 cm soil		
		layers,		
		respectively.		

Table 8 Fate and Behaviour of Propoxycarbazone-sodium in the Aquatic Environment

Study type	Test material/test system	Value	Transformati on products	Comments	Reference (PMRA#)
Abiotic tra	nsformation				
Hydrolysis	Propoxycarbaz one-sodium [phenyl- <sup>14</sup> C- labelled] pH 4, 7 and 9; 25°C	Stable to hydrolysis	Major: STJ 4934 (M05) Minor: MKH 7284 (M07)	Hydrolysis is not an important route of dissipation for propoxycarbazo ne-sodium.	2375463
	Propoxycarbaz one-sodium [triazolinone- <sup>14</sup> C-labelled] pH 4, 7 and 9; 25°C	Stable to hydrolysis	Major: MKH 7017 (M10) Minor: None	Hydrolysis is not an important route of dissipation for propoxycarbazo ne-sodium.	2375464
Phototrans- formation in water	Propoxycarbaz one-sodium [phenyl- <sup>14</sup> C- labelled] pH 7; 25 °C	Half-life (continuous irradiation) = 16 days Half-life (environmental at 40°N latitude) = 37 days	Major: MKH 7284 (M07) Minor: STJ 4934 (M05), CO <sub>2</sub>	Phototransfor- mation is not an important route of dissipation for propoxycarbazo ne-sodium.	2375469
	Propoxycarbaz one-sodium [triazolinone- <sup>14</sup> C-labelled] pH 7; 25 °C	Half-life (continuous irradiation) = 42 days Half-life (environmental at 40°N latitude) = 94 days	Major: MKH 7017 (M10) Minor: CO <sub>2</sub>	Phototransfor- mation is not an important route of dissipation for propoxycarbazo ne-sodium.	2375470
	MKH 7284 (M07) [phenyl- <sup>14</sup> C-labelled] pH 7; 25 °C	Half-life (continuous irradiation) = 49 days Half-life (environmental at 40°N latitude) = 117 days	Major: None Minor: CO <sub>2</sub>	Phototransformation is not an important route of dissipation for MKH 7284 (M07).	2375471

Biotransfo	rmation				
Biotrans- formation in aerobic water systems	Propoxycarbazo ne-sodium [phenyl and triazolinone-14C- labelled]  Test system: Hönniger Pond (Germany) 3.4% OC; pH 5.6; 20°C; 100 d  Von Diergardt Lake (Germany) 0.4% OC; pH 6.7; 20°C; 100 d	Hönniger (total system) $DT_{50} = 11.6$ $days (SFO - phenyl label)$ $DT_{50} = 12.4$ $days (SFO - troiazolinone label)$ $Von Diergardt (total system)$ $DT_{50} = 189 days (SFO - phenyl label)$ $DT_{50} = 207 days (SFO - troiazolinone label)$	Major: MKH 7018 (M04), STJ 4934 (M05), MKH 7283 (M06), MKH 7017 (M10), CO <sub>2</sub> Minor: None	Propoxycarbazo ne-sodium is non-persistent to persistent.	2375486
Biotrans- formation in anaerobic water systems	Propoxycarbazo ne-sodium [phenyl- <sup>14</sup> C- labelled]  Test system: Ephrata, Washington 0.45% OC; pH 6.7; 20°C; 365 d	$DT_{50} = 26.1$ days (SFO – total system)	Major: MKH 7018 (M04), MKH 7283 (M06) Minor: CO <sub>2</sub>	Propoxycarbazo ne-sodium is slightly persistent.	2375487
	Propoxycarbazo ne-sodium [triazolinone-  14C-labelled]  Test system: Ephrata, Washington 0.45% OC; pH 6.7; 20°C; 365 d	DT <sub>50</sub> = 28.4 days (SFO – total system)	Major: MKH 7018 (M04), MKH 7017 (M10) Minor: CO <sub>2</sub>	Propoxycarbazo ne-sodium is slightly persistent.	2375488

Table 9 Transformation Products of Propoxycarbazone-sodium Formed in the Environment

Code name and synonyms	Chemical name	Chemical structure	Study <sup>1</sup>			Max %AR (day)	%AR at study end (study length) <sup>2</sup>			
M04	Benzoic			Quincy	Phenyl	1.2 (88)	0.5 (361)			
MIZIL (5(1	acid, 2-	COOH	COOH N	COOH N			loamy sand	Triazolinone	nd	
MKH 6561 carboxylic	(((4,5- dihydro-4-				Phenyl	0.3 (6)	nd (184)			
acid	methyl-5- oxo-3-		Aerobic soil	am Hohenseh	Triazolinone	0.4(2)	nd (182)			
MKH 7018	propoxy-1H-		5011	Laacherhof	Phenyl	2.1 (67)	nd (183)			
WIKII /018	1,2,4-triazol-			Axxa	Triazolinone	0.3 (8)	nd (182)			
MKH 8394	1-			BBA 2.2	Phenyl	3.7 (184)	3.7 (184)			
	yl)carbonyl)			Höfchen	Triazolinone	2.4 (43)	1.3 (182)			
	amino)sulfo		Anaerobic soil	am Hohenseh	na					
			Soil photoly		nd					
			Aqueous ph	otolysis	nd					
			Hydrolysis	T	nd	=4 < (<0)	4= 4 (400)			
				Hönniger	Phenyl Triazolinone	71.6 (62)	47.4 (100)			
			Aerobic aquatic	Von	Phenyl	<b>67.8 (30)</b> 0.21 (30)	<b>48.3 (100)</b> 0.16 (100)			
		a		Diergardt	Triazolinone	0.21 (30)	0.10 (100)			
			Anaerobic	Ephrata	Phenyl	84.9 (120)	68.8 (365)			
			aquatic	F	Triazolinone	87.8 (90)	76.1 (365)			
M05	Benzoic			Quincy	Phenyl	4.1 (13)	0.2 (361)			
G 10	acid, 2-	o⁄		loamy sand	Triazolinone	nd				
Sulfonamide	(aminosulfo			Höfchen	Phenyl	20.9 (6)	0.6 (184)			
methyl ester	nyl)-, methyl ester	NH <sub>2</sub>	Aerobic soil	am Hohenseh	Triazolinone	nd				
STJ 4934	CAS No.:	o″ °o	3011	Laacherhof	Phenyl	10.0 (67)	4.0 (183)			
	57683-71-3			Axxa	Triazolinone	nd	4.6.(10.4)			
				BBA 2.2	Phenyl Triazolinone	4.6 (184) nd	4.6 (184)			
				Höfchen	THazonnone	nu				
			Anaerobic soil	am Hohenseh	na					
			Soil	Phenyl	pH 7 – irradiated	9.7 (11)	8.7 (18)			
			photolysis	m · · · ·	pH 7 – dark	1.2 (7)	0.8 (18)			
			1 ,	Triazolino ne	nd					
			Aqueous	Phenyl	pH 7 – irradiated	5.80 (7)	4.16 (19)			
			photolysis		pH 7 – dark	0.99 (19)	0.99 (19)			
				Triazolino ne	nd					
			Hydrolysi	Phenyl	pH 4	16.6 (30)	16.6 (30)			

Code name and synonyms	Chemical name	Chemical structure	Study <sup>1</sup>			Max %AR (day)	%AR at study end (study length) <sup>2</sup>
			S		pH 7	nd	
					pH 9	nd	
				Triazolino ne	nd		
			A 1:	Hönniger	Phenyl Triazolinone	2.6 (1) nd	nd (100)
			Aerobic aquatic	Von Diergardt	Phenyl Triazolinone	11.3 (100) nd	11.3 (100)
			Anaerobic aquatic	Ephrata	na	i iid	
M06	Benzoic			Quincy	Phenyl	nd	
Sulfonamide	acid, 2-	НО		loamy sand	Triazolinone	nd	1
acid	(aminosulfo nyl)		Aerobic soil	Höfchen	Phenyl	5.0 (14)	nd (184)
MKH 7283	CAS No.:	NH <sub>2</sub>		am Hohenseh	Triazolinone	nd	T
632-24-6		o" "o		Laacherhof		1.8 (36)	nd (183)
	052 2 . 0			Axxa	Triazolinone Phenyl		nd (194)
				BBA 2.2	Triazolinone	nd 0.1 (15)   nd (184) nd	
			Anaerobic soil	Höfchen am Hohenseh	na	1	
			Soil photoly		nd		
			Aqueous ph	notolysis	nd		
			Hydrolysis	I	nd	10.4	1
			Aerobic	Hönniger		(100)	19.4 (100)
			aquatic		Triazolinone	nd	1 ( (100)
				Von	Phenyl Triazolinone	1.6 (100) nd	1.6 (100)
			Anaerobic Ephrota Phenyl		24.6 (365)	24.6 (365)	
			aquatic	_p	Triazolinone	na	I
M07	1,2-			Quincy	Phenyl	1.4 (88)	1.4 (361)
	Benzisothiaz	9		loamy sand	Triazolinone	nd	<u> </u>
Saccharin	ol-3(2H)-	<u> </u>		Höfchen	Phenyl	26.6 (14)	ND (184)
MKH 7284	one, 1,1,dioxide	N-H	Aerobic soil	am Hohenseh	Triazolinone	nd	
	CAS No.:			Laacherhof Axxa	Phenyl	18.3 (120)	15.6 (183)
	81-07-2			111/14	Triazolinone	nd	T
				BBA 2.2	Phenyl	2.0 (7)	1.4 (184)
			Anaerobic	Höfchen am	Triazolinone Phenyl	nd 35.5 (120)	26.4 (150)
			soil	Hohenseh	Triazolinone	nd	
			Soil	Phenyl	pH 7 –	4.7 (18)	4.7 (18)

Code name and synonyms	Chemical name	Chemical structure	Study <sup>1</sup>		Max %AR (day)	%AR at study end (study length) <sup>2</sup>	
			photolysis		irradiated		
				T. 1:	pH 7 – dark	nd	
				Triazolino ne	nd		
			Aqueous	Phenyl	pH 7 – irradiated	22.3 (19)	22.3 (19)
			photolysis	Triazolino	pH 7 – dark	3.76 (19)	3.76 (19)
			ne pH 4		1.19 (30)	1.19 (30)	
			Hydrolysi	Phenyl	pH 7	3.26 (30)	3.26 (30)
			s	Triazolino ne	pH 9	3.78 (30)	3.78 (30)
				Hönniger	na		
			Aerobic aquatic	Von Diergardt	na		
			Anaerobic aquatic	Ephrata	na		
M08	1,2- Benzisothiaz	он о		Quincy	Phenyl	13.8 (361)	13.8 (361)
4-	ol-3(2H)-			loamy sand	Triazolinone	nd	0 1== 400
hydroxysacc	one, 4-	( ) N−H		Höfchen	Phenyl	19.5 (36)	17.5 (184)
harin	hydroxy- ,1,1,dioxide		Aerobic soil	am Hohenseh	Triazolinone	nd	
KTS 9357	CAS No.: 80563-77-5		SOII	Laacherhof Axxa	Phenyl	21.9 (183)	21.9 (183)
	80563-77-5				Triazolinone	nd	1.0 (104)
				BBA 2.2	Phenyl Triazolinone	1.8 (184) nd	1.8 (184)
				Höfchen	Phenyl	15.7 (0)	15.2 (150)
			Anaerobic soil	am Hohenseh	Triazolinone	nd	10.2 (100)
			Soil photoly		nd		
			Aqueous photolysis		nd		
			Hydrolysis		nd		
			Aerobic	Hönniger	na		
			aquatic	Von Diergardt	na		
			Anaerobic aquatic	Ephrata	na	Γ	
M09	3H-1,2,4- Triazol-3-		<u> </u> -	Quincy	Phenyl	nd	
N-methyl propoxy	one-2- carboxamide	H <sub>1</sub> N <sub>1</sub> N <sub>2</sub> N <sub>3</sub> N <sub>4</sub> N <sub>4</sub> N <sub>4</sub> N <sub>5</sub>	Aerobic	loamy sand	Triazolinone	16.1 (313)	16.0 (365)
triazolinone	-2,4-	Y	soil	Höfchen	Phenyl	nd	
amide	dihydro-4- methyl-5-	0 0		am Hohenseh	Triazolinone	0.8 (28)	nd (182)
				Laacherhof	Phenyl	nd	

Code name and synonyms	Chemical name	Chemical structure	Study <sup>1</sup>			Max %AR (day)	%AR at study end (study length) <sup>2</sup>
KTS 9304	propoxy			Axxa	Triazolinone	0.8 (29)	nd (182)
				BBA 2.2	Phenyl		T
					Triazolinone	8.0 (93)	7.1 (182)
			Anaerobic soil	Höfchen am Hohenseh	na		
			Soil photoly		nd		
			Aqueous ph	otolysis	nd		
			Hydrolysis	l	nd		
			Aerobic	Hönniger	na		
			aquatic	Von Diergardt	na		
7410	211 1 2 4		Anaerobic aquatic	Ephrata	na	Г.	
M10	3H-1,2,4- Triazol-3-			Quincy	Phenyl		T
N-methyl	one, 2,4- dihydro-4-	'n=⟨o−		loamy sand	Triazolinone	(365) 28.7 (365	28.7 (365)
propoxy triazolinone	methyl-5-	,,, N N		Höfchen	hen Phenyl	nd	T
MKH 7017	propoxy	H O	Aerobic soil	am Hohenseh	Triazolinone	32.0 (28)	14.0 (182)
WIKII /01/	CAS No.:			Laacherhof	Phenyl		100(100)
	145027-96-9			Axxa	Triazolinone	` /	19.9 (182)
			BBA 2.2 Phenyl Triazolinone	55.2	55.2 (182)		
				Höfchen	Phenyl		
			Anaerobic soil	am Hohenseh	Triazolinone	54.1 (120)	44.5 (150)
				Phenyl	nd		
			Soil photolysis	Triazolino ne	pH 7 – irradiated	8.57 (18)	8.57 (18)
					pH 7 – dark	2.85 (0)	2.32 (18)
				Phenyl	nd	ı	I
			Aqueous photolysis	Triazolino	pH 7 – irradiated	13.6 (19)	13.6 (19)
			photorysis	ne	pH 7 – dark	na	2.87 (19)
				Phenyl	nd	1 1100	<u> </u>
			Hydrolysi	_	pH 4	13.9 (33)	13.9 (33)
			s	Triazolino	pH 7	nd 28.7 (365) nd 32.0 (28) 14.0 (182) nd 43.9 (29) 19.9 (182) nd 55.2 (182) nd 54.1 (120) 44.5 (150) 8.57 (18) 2.85 (0) 2.32 (18)  13.6 (19) 13.6 (19) na 2.87 (19)	
				ne	pH 9		4.72 (33)
					Phenyl		Ι
			Aerobic aquatic	Hönniger	Triazolinone	(100)	34.4 (100)
			aquatio	Von	Phenyl		60/100
				Diergardt	Triazolinone		6.9 (100)
			Anaerobic	Ephrata	Phenyl		
			aquatic	Бригата	Triazolinone		15.1 (365)

Code name and synonyms	Chemical name	Chemical structure	Study <sup>1</sup>		Max %AR (day)	%AR at study end (study length) <sup>2</sup>	
4-Methoxy	4-methoxy	014-	Aerobic soi		na	1	
saccharin	saccharin	OMe O	Anaerobic	Höfchen	Phenyl	17.1 (14)	0.0 (150)
		NH	soil	am Hohenseh	Triazolinone	nd	
		o s	Soil photol	ysis	na		
			Aqueous pl	notolysis	na		
			Hydrolysis		na		
			Aerobic aq	uatic	na		
			Anaerobic a	aquatic	na		
Carbon dioxide	Carbon dioxide	O=C=O		Quincy	Phenyl	49.0 (361)	49.0 (361)
	CAS No.:			loamy sand	Triazolinone	13.0 (313)	8.6 (365)
	124-38-9			Höfchen am	Phenyl	44.2 (184)	44.2 (184)
			Aerobic soil	Hohenseh	Triazolinone	12.6 (182)	12.6 (182)
				Laacherhof Axxa	Phenyl	26.3 (183)	26.3 (183)
					Triazolinone	9.0 (182)	9.0 (182)
				BBA 2.2	Phenyl	21.7 (184)	21.7 (184)
					Triazolinone	2.6 (182)	2.6 (182)
			Anaerobic soil	Höfchen	Phenyl	13.5 (total	at day 150)
				am Hohenseh	Triazolinone	7.6 (total a	t day 150)
				Phenyl	pH 7 – irradiated	4.8 (11)	4.6 (18)
			Soil		pH 7 – dark pH 7 –	0.1 (18)	0.1 (18)
			photolysis	Triazolino ne	irradiated	9.01 (18)	9.01 (18)
				-	pH 7 – dark pH 7 –	0.16 (18)	0.16 (18)
				Phenyl	irradiated	6.08 (19)	6.08 (19)
			Aqueous		pH 7 – dark	na	0.03 (19)
			photolysis	Triazolino ne	pH 7 – irradiated	6.7 (19)	6.7 (19)
			Hydrolysis		pH 7 – dark	na	0.01 (19)
				Hönniger	na Phenyl	16.4 (100)	16.4 (100)
			Aerobic	11011111901	Triazolinone	1.6 (100)	1.6 (100)
			aquatic	Von	Phenyl	1.1 (100)	1.1 (100)
				Diergardt	Triazolinone	1.9 (100)	1.9 (100)
			Anaerobic aquatic	Ephrata	Phenyl	0.55 (272)	0.49 (365)
		aquatic		Triazolinone	1.6 (273)	0.90 (365)	

Code	Chemical	Chemical	Study <sup>1</sup>	Max	%AR at
name and	name	structure		%AR	study
synonyms				(day)	end
					(study
					length) <sup>2</sup>

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Refer to Tables 1 and 2 for study references <sup>2</sup> In DAT (days after treatment)

Table 10 Toxicity of Propoxycarbazone-sodium and Major Transformation Products to Non-Target Terrestrial Species

Organism	Exposure	Test substance	Endpoint value	Degree of toxicity <sup>1</sup>	Reference (PMRA#)
Invertebrates					
Earthworm,	14d-Acute	Propoxycarbazone-	$LC_{50} > 1000 \text{ mg}$	Not	2375511
Eisenia foetida		sodium	a.i./kg dw soil	applicable	
	56d-Chronic	EP – MKH 6561	NOEC ≥350 g	Not	2376506
		70WG (70.7% a.i.)	a.i./ha or ≥1.39	applicable	
			mg a.i./kg dw		
			soil (calculated		
			assuming		
			surface applied amount is in		
			the volume of		
			the test box)		
	14d-Acute	STJ 4934 (M05)	LC <sub>50</sub> >1000	Not	2375514
	1 rd 1 redic	(1100)	mg/kg dw soil	applicable	2575511
			8,8	or process	
	14d-Acute	MKH 7284 (M07)	LC <sub>50</sub> >1000	Not	2375513
		,	mg/kg dw soil	applicable	
	14d-Acute	MKH 7017 (M10)	$LC_{50} > 1000$	Not	2528378
			mg/kg dw soil	applicable	
	56d-Chronic	KTS 9304 (M09)	NOEC = 316	Not	2528387
			mg/kg dw soil	applicable	
Bee, Apis	48h-Acute	Propoxycarbazone-	$LC_{50} > 319  \mu g$	Relatively	2375515
mellifera	Oral	sodium	a.i./bee	non-toxic	
	48h-Acute	Propoxycarbazone-	LD <sub>50</sub> >200 μg	Relatively	-
	Contact	sodium	a.i./bee	non-toxic	
		5 5 47 4111			
	48h-Acute	EP – MKH 6561	LC <sub>50</sub> >402 μg	Relatively	2376508
	Oral	70WG (70% a.i.)	EP/bee	non-toxic	
			LC <sub>50</sub> >284 μg		
			a.i./bee		

AR = applied radioactivity

na = not analysed (either no reference standard used or minor non-volatile compounds which were not identified) nd = not detected

Bolded when appearing at >10% (major transformation product)

Organism	Exposure	Test substance	Endpoint value	Degree of toxicity <sup>1</sup>	Reference (PMRA#)
	48h-Acute Contact	EP – MKH 6561 70WG (70% a.i.)	LD <sub>50</sub> >200 μg EP/bee LC <sub>50</sub> >141 μg a.i./bee	Relatively non-toxic	
Ground dwelling predator, Pardosa spp.	14d- Overspray	EP – MKH 6561 70WG (70% a.i.)	LR <sub>50</sub> >70 g a.i./ha	Not applicable	2528380
Foliage dwelling predator, Coccinella septempunctata	5d-Contact, Glass plates	EP – MKH 6561 70WG (70% a.i.)	LR <sub>50</sub> >70 g a.i./ha	Not applicable	2528379
Predatory arthropod, Typhlodromus pyri	7d-Contact, Glass plates	EP – MKH 6561 70WG (70% a.i.)	LR <sub>50</sub> >70 g a.i./ha	Not applicable	2528381
Parasitic arthropod, <i>Aphidius</i> rhopalosiphi	48h-Contact, Glass plates	EP – MKH 6561 70WG (70% a.i.)	LR <sub>50</sub> >70 g a.i./ha	Not applicable	2528382
Birds					
Bobwhite quail, <i>Colinus</i> virginianus	14d-Acute Oral	Propoxycarbazone- sodium	LD <sub>50</sub> >2000 mg a.i./kg bw	Practically non-toxic	2375539
	5d-Dietary	Propoxycarbazone- sodium	LC <sub>50</sub> >10566 mg a.i./kg diet LD <sub>50</sub> >2120 mg a.i./kg bw/day	Practically non-toxic	2375543
	25w- Reproduction	Propoxycarbazone-sodium	NOEL = 324 mg a.i./kg diet (mean measured) or 45 mg a.i./kg bw/day	Not applicable	2375551
			Significant reductions were detected in the number of eggs laid per hen, number of hatchlings per hen and		

Organism	Exposure	Test substance	Endpoint value	Degree of toxicity <sup>1</sup>	Reference (PMRA#)
Mallard duck, Anas platyrhynchos	5d-Dietary  20w- Reproduction	Propoxycarbazone-sodium  Propoxycarbazone-sodium	number of survived hatchlings per hen at the highest treatment level (1000 ppm).  LC <sub>50</sub> >10339 mg a.i./kg diet LD <sub>50</sub> >2277 mg a.i./kg bw/day  NOEC = 268 mg a.i./kg diet NOEL = 36 mg a.i./kg bw/day  Significant reductions were detected in the ratios of viable embryos to eggs set, number of hatchlings to eggs laid, number of hatchlings to eggs set, number of survivors to eggs set, and eggshell thickness at the	Practically non-toxic  Not applicable	2375546 2375553
			highest treatment level (1250 ppm).		
Mammals					
Rat	Acute oral	Propoxycarbazone- sodium	LD <sub>50</sub> >5000 mg/kg bw	Practically non-toxic	1654546
	Acute oral	EP – MKH 6561 70WG (70.7% a.i.)	LD <sub>50</sub> >2500 mg/kg bw	Practically non-toxic	2376426
	Reproduction (2	Propoxycarbazone- sodium	NOAEL ≥16000 ppm	Not applicable	1654755

Organism	Exposure	Test substance	Endpoint value	Degree of toxicity <sup>1</sup>	Reference (PMRA#)
	F		value	toxicity	$(1 \text{ WIKA}\pi)$
	generation)		(1605 mg/kg		
	, ,		bw/d)		
Vascular plants					
Vascular plant,	21d-Seedling	EP – MKH 6561	$HC_5$ of $SSD = 2$	Not	2376513
10 crop species	emergence	70WG (71.3% a.i.)	g a.i./ha	applicable	
1 1	S			11	
Most sensitive	21d-	EP – MKH 6561	$HC_5$ of $SSD =$	Not	
test species	Vegetative	70WG (71.3% a.i.)	1.34 g a.i./ha	applicable	
from 10 tested:	vigour	,		11	
canola	6				
1	981) for bees an	d USEPA classification	on for others, when	e applicable	<u>l</u>

Table 11 Screening Level Risk Assessment of Propoxycarbazone-sodium and Major Transformation Products for Non-Target Terrestrial Species, Other Than Birds and Mammals

Organism	Exposure	Endpoint Value	EEC <sup>1</sup>	RQ	Level of Concern
Invertebrate	S				
Earthworm	Acute Propoxycarbazone- sodium	LC <sub>50</sub> /2 >500 mg/kg dw soil	0.2 mg/kg soil	<0.0004	Not exceeded
	Acute STJ 4934 (M05)	LC <sub>50</sub> /2 >500 mg/kg dw soil	0.01 mg/kg soil	<0.00002	Not exceeded
	Acute MKH 7284 (M07)	LC <sub>50</sub> /2 >500 mg/kg dw soil	0.009 mg/kg soil	<0.00002	Not exceeded
	Acute MKH 7017 (M10)	LC <sub>50</sub> /2 >500 mg/kg dw soil	0.007 mg/kg soil	<0.00001	Not exceeded
	Chronic Propoxycarbazone- sodium	NOEC ≥1.39 mg/kg dw soil	0.2 mg/kg soil	≤0.14	Not exceeded
	Chronic KTS 9304 (M09)	NOEC = 316 mg/kg dw soil	0.01 mg/kg soil	0.00003	Not exceeded
Bee	Oral	LD <sub>50</sub> >284 μg/bee	1.305 μg/bee	<0.004	Not exceeded
	Contact	LD <sub>50</sub> >141 μg/bee	0.108 μg/bee	< 0.0008	Not exceeded
Beneficial Insects	Contact	LR <sub>50</sub> >70 g/ha	45 g/ha	<0.64	Not exceeded
Vascular pla	nts				

Organism	Exposure	Endpoint	EEC <sup>1</sup>	RQ	Level of
		Value			Concern
Vascular	Seedling	$HC_5 = 2 \text{ g/ha}$	On-field: 45	22.5	Exceeded
plant	emergence		g/ha		
	Vegetative vigour	$HC_5 = 1.34$	On-field: 45	33.6	Exceeded
		g/ha	g/ha		

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Risk was assessed based on expected environmental concentrations (EECs) for the highest maximum seasonal application rate of 45 g a.i./ha.

Consequently, the acute contact EEC is 0.045 kg/ha  $\times$  2.4  $\mu$ g/bee per kg/ha = 0.108  $\mu$ g/bee.

Table 12 Screening Level Risk Assessment of Propoxycarbazone-sodium for Birds and Mammals

	Toxicity (mg ai/kg bw/d)	Feeding Guild (food item)	EDE (mg ai/kg bw) <sup>a</sup>	RQ	Level of Concern				
Small Bird (0.0	Small Bird (0.02 kg)								
Acute	>200	Insectivore (small insects)	3.66	<0.02	Not exceeded				
Reproduction	36	Insectivore (small insects)	3.66	0.10	Not exceeded				
<b>Medium Sized</b>	Bird (0.1 kg)								
Acute	>200	Insectivore (small insects)	2.86	<0.01	Not exceeded				
Reproduction	36	Insectivore (small insects)	2.86	0.08	Not exceeded				
Large Sized Bi	rd (1 kg)								
Acute	>200	Herbivore (short grass)	1.85	<0.01	Not exceeded				
Reproduction	36	Herbivore (short grass)	1.85	0.05	Not exceeded				
Small Mamma	l (0.015 kg)		l	I.					
Acute	>500	Insectivore (small insects)	2.11	< 0.00	Not exceeded				
Reproduction	≥1605	Insectivore (small insects)	2.11	≤0.00	Not exceeded				
Medium Sized	Mammal (0.0	)35 kg)							
Acute	>500	Herbivore (short grass)	4.09	<0.01	Not exceeded				

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> The oral exposure estimate for adult bees is calculated by multiplying the direct single rate by 29 μg a.i./bee per kg/ha. This conversion is based on consumption rates primarily derived from Rortais *et al.* (2005) and Crailsheim *et al.* (1992 and 1993). Consequently, the acute contact EEC is  $0.045 \text{ kg/ha} \times 29 \text{ μg/bee}$  per kg/ha = 1.305 μg/bee

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> The single application rate of the end-use products is used as the contact exposure estimate from foliar applications. The proposed upper-bound residue value for estimating exposure to bees is based on the maximum residue value reported by Koch and Weißer (1997).

	Toxicity (mg ai/kg bw/d)	Feeding Guild (food item)	EDE (mg ai/kg bw) <sup>a</sup>	RQ	Level of Concern			
Reproduction	≥1605	Herbivore (short grass)	4.09	≤0.00	Not exceeded			
Large Sized M	Large Sized Mammal (1 kg)							
Acute	>500	Herbivore (short grass)	2.18	< 0.00	Not exceeded			
Reproduction	≥1605	Herbivore (short grass)	2.18	≤0.00	Not exceeded			

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>a</sup> EDE = Estimated dietary exposure; is calculated using the following formula: (FIR/BW) × EEC, where:

FIR: Food Ingestion Rate (Nagy, 1987). For generic birds with body weight less than or equal to 200 g, the "passerine" equation was used; for generic birds with body weight greater than 200 g, the "all birds" equation was used:

Passerine Equation (body weight < or =200 g): FIR (g dry weight/day) = 0.398(BW in g)  $^{0.850}$  All birds Equation (body weight > 200 g): FIR (g dry weight/day) = 0.648(BW in g) 0.651. For mammals, the "all mammals" equation was used: FIR (g dry weight/day) = 0.235(BW in g) 0.822

BW: Generic Body Weight

EEC: Concentration of pesticide on food item based on Hoerger and Kenaga (1972) and Kenaga (1973) and modified according to Fletcher *et al.* (1994). At the screening level, relevant food items representing the most conservative EEC for each feeding guild are used.

Table 13 Toxicity of Propoxycarbazone-sodium and Major Transformation Products to Non-Target Aquatic Species

Organism	Exposure	Test substance	Endpoint value	Degree of toxicity <sup>1</sup>	Reference (PMRA#)
Freshwater	species				
	48h-Acute	Propoxycarbazone-	EC <sub>50</sub> >107 mg	Practically	2375517
Daphnia		sodium	a.i./L	non-toxic	
magna	21d-	Propoxycarbazone-	NOEC ≥106 mg	No	2375520
	Chronic	sodium	a.i./L	classification	
	48h-Acute	MKH 7017 (M10)	EC <sub>50</sub> >100 mg/L	Practically	2375518
			(nominal)	non-toxic	
	48h-Acute	MKH 7018 (M04)	EC <sub>50</sub> >100 mg/L	Practically	2375516
			(nominal)	non-toxic	
	48h-Acute	STJ 4934 (M05)	EC <sub>50</sub> >62 mg/L	Slightly toxic	2528385
Rainbow	96h-Acute	Propoxycarbazone-	LC <sub>50</sub> >77.2 mg	Slightly toxic	2375526
trout,		sodium	a.i./L		
Oncorhync					
hus mykiss					
Bluegill	96h-Acute	Propoxycarbazone-	LC <sub>50</sub> >94.2 mg	Slightly toxic	2375529
sunfish,		sodium	a.i./L		
Lepomis	96h-Acute	MKH 7017 (M10)	LC <sub>50</sub> >98.7 mg/L	Slightly toxic	2375532

Organism	Exposure	Test substance	Endpoint value	Degree of toxicity <sup>1</sup>	Reference (PMRA#)
macrochiru s	96h-Acute	MKH 7018 (M04)	LC <sub>50</sub> >87.7 mg/L	Slightly toxic	2375528
Fathead minnow, Pimephales promelas	35d- Chronic (ELS)	Propoxycarbazone- sodium	NOEC ≥105 mg a.i./L (embryo and larval/fry survival)	No classification	2375537
Zebra fish Brachydani o rerio	96h-Acute	STJ 4934 (M05)	LC <sub>50</sub> >79 mg/L	Slightly toxic	2528383
Diatom, Navicula pelliculosa	96h-Acute	Propoxycarbazone- sodium	EC <sub>50</sub> >111 mg a.i./L	No classification	2375559
Green algae,	96h-Acute	Propoxycarbazone- sodium	$EC_{50} = 1.57 \text{ mg}$ a.i./L (biomass)	No classification	2375560
Selenastru m	96h-Acute	MKH 7017 (M10)	EC <sub>50</sub> >100 mg/L (nominal)	No classification	2375561
capricornut um	96h-Acute	MKH 7018 (M04)	EC <sub>50</sub> >100 mg/L (nominal)	No classification	2375555
	72h-Acute	EP – MKH 6561 70WG (70.7% a.i.)	EC <sub>50</sub> = 4.8 mg a.i./L (cell density)	No classification	2376510
	72h-Acute	STJ 4934 (M05)	EC <sub>50</sub> >62 mg/L	No classification	2528384
Blue-green algae, Anabaena flos-aquae	96h-Acute	Propoxycarbazone- sodium	$EC_{50} = 11.3 \text{ mg}$ a.i./L	No classification	2375556
Vascular plant,	14d- Dissolved	Propoxycarbazone- sodium	$EC_{50} = 0.0064 \text{ mg}$ a.i./L (biomass)	No classification	2375565
Lemna gibba	7d- Dissolved	MKH 7017 (M10)	EC <sub>50</sub> >100 mg/L (nominal)	No classification	2375566
	7d- Dissolved	MKH 7018 (M04)	$EC_{50} = 12 \text{ mg/L}$	No classification	2375564
	7d- Dissolved	STJ 4934 (M05)	EC <sub>50</sub> >89.4 mg/L	No classification	2528386
Marine spec			T G 446		100=7701
Crustacean, mysid shrimp,	96h-Acute	Propoxycarbazo ne-sodium	LC <sub>50</sub> >146 mg a.i./L	Practically non-toxic	2375521
Mysidopsis bahia	27d- Chronic	Propoxycarbazo ne-sodium	NOEC ≥123 mg a.i./L (all endpoints)	No classification	2375524
Mollusk,	96h-Acute	Propoxycarbazo	EC <sub>50</sub> >130 mg	Practically	2375523

Organism	Exposure	Test substance	Endpoint value	Degree of toxicity <sup>1</sup>	Reference (PMRA#)
Eastern oyster, Crassostrea virginica		ne-sodium	a.i./L	non-toxic	
Sheepshead minnow, <i>Cyprinodon variegatus</i>	96h-Acute	Propoxycarbazo ne-sodium	LC <sub>50</sub> >108.3 mg a.i./L	Practically non-toxic	2375534
Marine diatom, Skeletonema costatum	96h-Acute	Propoxycarbazo ne-sodium	EC <sub>50</sub> >134.0 mg a.i./L	No classification	2375562
<sup>1</sup> USEPA class	sification, when	e applicable			

Table 14 Screening Level Risk Assessment of Propoxycarbazone-sodium and Major Transformation Products for Aquatic Organisms

Organism	Exposure	<b>Endpoint Value</b>	EEC <sup>1</sup>	RQ	Level of
					Concern
Freshwater s	pecies				
Invertebrates	Acute	$LC_{50}/2 > 53500$	5.6 μg/L	< 0.0001	Not
	Propoxycarbazone- sodium	μg/L			exceeded
		I.C. /2 > 50000	£ 1~/T	<0.0001	Not
	Acute MKH 7018 (M04)	$LC_{50}/2 > 50000$ $\mu g/L$	5.1 μg/L	<0.0001	Not exceeded
	Acute	$LC_{50}/2 > 31000$	2.9 μg/L	< 0.0001	Not
	STJ 4934 (M05)	μg/L			exceeded
	Acute	$LC_{50}/2 > 50000$	2.1 μg/L	< 0.00004	Not
	MKH 7017 (M10)	μg/L			exceeded
	Chronic	NOEC ≥106000	5.6 μg/L	≤0.00005	Not
	Propoxycarbazone-sodium	μg/L			exceeded
Fish	Acute	LC <sub>50</sub> /10 >7720	5.6 μg/L	< 0.0007	Not
	Propoxycarbazone- sodium	μg/L			exceeded
	Acute	$LC_{50}/10 > 8770$	5.1 μg/L	< 0.0006	Not
	MKH 7018 (M04)	μg/L	1.5		exceeded
	Acute	LC <sub>50</sub> /10 >7900	2.9 μg/L	< 0.0004	Not
	STJ 4934 (M05)	μg/L			exceeded
	Acute	LC <sub>50</sub> /10 >9870	2.1 μg/L	< 0.0002	Not
	MKH 7017 (M10)	μg/L			exceeded
	Chronic	NOEC ≥105000	5.6 μg/L	≤0.00005	Not
	Propoxycarbazone- sodium	μg/L			exceeded

Organism	Exposure	<b>Endpoint Value</b>	EEC <sup>1</sup>	RQ	Level of Concern
Amphibians <sup>2</sup>	Acute Propoxycarbazone- sodium	LC <sub>50</sub> /10 >7720 μg/L	30 μg/L	<0.004	Not exceeded
	Chronic Propoxycarbazone- sodium	NOEC ≥105000 μg/L	30 μg/L	≤0.0003	Not exceeded
Algae	Acute Propoxycarbazone- sodium	$EC_{50}/2 = 785$ $\mu g/L$	5.6 μg/L	0.007	Not exceeded
	Acute MKH 7018 (M04)	EC <sub>50</sub> /2 >50000 μg/L	5.1 μg/L	<0.0001	Not exceeded
	Acute STJ 4934 (M05)	EC <sub>50</sub> /2 >31000μg/L	2.9 μg/L	<0.00009	Not exceeded
	Acute MKH 7017 (M10)	$EC_{50}/2 > 50000$ µg/L	2.1 μg/L	<0.00004	Not exceeded
Vascular plant	Dissolved Propoxycarbazone- sodium	$EC_{50}/2 = 3.2$ $\mu g/L$	Direct overspray: 5.6 µg/L	1.75	Exceeded
	Dissolved MKH 7018 (M04)	$EC_{50}/2 = 6000$ $\mu g/L$	5.1 μg/L	0.0008	Not exceeded
	Dissolved STJ 4934 (M05)	EC <sub>50</sub> /2 >44700 μg/L	2.9 μg/L	<0.00006	Not exceeded
	Dissolved MKH 7017 (M10)	EC <sub>50</sub> /2 >50000 μg/L	2.1 μg/L	<0.00004	Not exceeded
Marine specie	es				
Crustacean	Acute Propoxycarbazone- sodium	LC <sub>50</sub> /2 >73000 μg/L	5.6 μg/L	<0.00008	Not exceeded
	Chronic Propoxycarbazone- sodium	NOEC ≥123000 μg/L	5.6 μg/L	≤0.00004	Not exceeded
Mollusk	Acute Propoxycarbazone- sodium	EC <sub>50</sub> /2 >65000 μg/L	5.6 μg/L	<0.00009	Not exceeded
Fish	Acute Propoxycarbazone- sodium	LC <sub>50</sub> /10 >10830 μg/L	5.6 μg/L	<0.0005	Not exceeded
Algae	Acute Propoxycarbazone- sodium essed based on expect	EC <sub>50</sub> /2 >67000 μg/L	5.6 μg/L	<0.00008	Not exceeded

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Risk was assessed based on expected environmental concentrations (EECs) for the highest maximum seasonal application rate of 45 g a.i./ha.

<sup>2</sup> Fish data used as a surrogate.

Table 15 Assessment of Potential Risk from Drift of Propoxycarbazone-sodium to Aquatic and Terrestrial Organisms

Organism	Exposure	<b>Endpoint value</b>	EEC	RQ	Level of
					Concern
Terrestrial	21d -	$HC_5 = 2 \text{ g/ha}$	On-field: 45 g/ha	22.5	Exceeded
vascular	Seedling		Off-field (3%	0.67	Not exceeded
plant	emergence		drift): 1.35 g/ha		
	21d -	$HC_5 = 1.34 \text{ g/ha}$	On-field: 45 g/ha	33.6	Exceeded
	Vegetative		Off-field (3%	1.01	Exceeded
	vigour		drift): 1.35 g/ha		
Aquatic	14d -	$EC_{50}/2 = 3.2 \mu g/L$	Direct overspray:	1.75	Exceeded
vascular	Dissolved		5.6 μg/L		
plant			Off-field (3%	0.05	Not exceeded
			drift): 0.17 μg/L		

Table 16 Risk Quotients for Aquatic Organisms Determined for Runoff of Propoxycarbazone-sodium in Water Bodies 80 cm deep

Organism	Endpoint value	EEC (μg a.i./L) – Peak	RQ	Level of
(exposure)		value and region		Concern
Vascular plant	$EC_{50}/2 = 3.2 \mu g/L$	1.5 μg a.i./L (BC)	0.5	Not exceeded
(Chronic, 14-d)		5.1 μg a.i./L (Prairies)	1.6	Exceeded
		2.9 μg a.i./L (ON)	0.9	Not exceeded
		3.2 μg a.i./L (QC)	1.0	Exceeded
		6.6 μg a.i./L (PEI)	2.1	Exceeded

Table 17 Toxic Substances Management Policy Considerations-Comparison to TSMP Track 1 Criteria

TSMP Track 1 Criteria	TSMP Track 1 Criterion value		Active Ingredient Endpoints
CEPA toxic or CEPA toxic equivalent <sup>1</sup>	Yes		Yes
Predominantly anthropogenic <sup>2</sup>	Yes		Yes
Persistence <sup>3</sup> :	Soil	Half-life ≥ 182 days	DT <sub>50</sub> of 8.7 to 223 days in aerobic and anaerobic soil systems.
	Water	Half-life ≥ 182 days	DT <sub>50</sub> of 11.6-207 days in total system of aerobic and anaerobic water/sediment systems.
	Sediment	Half-life ≥ 365 days	DT <sub>50</sub> of 11.6-207 days in total system of aerobic and anaerobic water/sediment systems.
	Air	Half-life ≥ 2 days or	Volatilisation is not an important route of dissipation and long-range atmospheric

TSMP Track 1	TSMP Track 1	Active Ingredient Endpoints
Criteria	Criterion value	
	evidence of long range transport	transport is unlikely to occur based on the vapour pressure ( $<1 \times 10^{-8}$ Pa) and Henry's Law Constant ( $9.9 \times 10^{-16}$ atm·m³/mol).
Bioaccumulation <sup>4</sup>	$Log K_{OW} \ge 5$	-1.55
	BCF ≥ 5000	Not available
	$BAF \ge 5000$	Not available
Is the chemical a TSMP Track 1 substance (all		No, does not meet TSMP Track 1 criteria.
four criteria must be met)?		

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> All pesticides will be considered CEPA-toxic or CEPA toxic equivalent for the purpose of initially assessing a pesticide against the TSMP criteria. Assessment of the CEPA toxicity criteria may be refined if required (i.e. all other TSMP criteria are met).

Table 18 Registered Alternatives (for Use in Western Canada)\*(as of May 7, 2015 when search was conducted)

		Registered Alternatives			
Wheat Market Class	Brome Species (C=control; S=suppression)	Application Timing a (F=Fall; S=Spring)	Active Ingredient <sup>b</sup>	Product Name (Reg. No.) b	Resistance Group No.
Winter (Norstar)	Downy (C)	Post (F)	metribuzin	Sencor 75 DF Herbicide (17242)	5
Spring, Durum, Winter	Downy (S)	Post (S)	ny roy ay lan	Simplicity Herbicide	2
Winter	Downy (C)	Post (F)	pyroxsulam		2
Spring, Durum	Japanese (C)	Post (S)		(28887)	
Spring (Clearfiel d)	Japanese (S)	Post (S)	imazamox	AC 299,263 120 AS Herbicide (26705)	2
Spring, Durum, Winter	Japanese (C or S)	Post (F, S)	thiencarbazone- methyl	Varro Herbicide (29070)	2

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> The policy considers a substance "predominantly anthropogenic" if, based on expert judgement, its concentration in the environment medium is largely due to human activity, rather than to natural sources or releases.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> If the pesticide and/or the transformation product(s) meet one persistence criterion identified for one media (soil, water, sediment or air) than the criterion for persistence is considered to be met.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4</sup> Field data (for example, BAFs) are preferred over laboratory data (for example, BCFs) which, in turn, are preferred over chemical properties (for example, log K<sub>OW</sub>).

Registered Alternatives			lternatives			
Wheat Market Class	Brome Species (C=control; S=suppression)	Application Timing a (F=Fall; S=Spring)	Active Ingredient <sup>b</sup>	Product Name (Reg. No.) b	Resistance Group No.	
Spring, Durum, Winter	Downy (C)	Pre (F, S)	glyphosate ± other active ingredients c	glyphosate ± other herbicide products c	9 ± others <sup>c</sup>	

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>a</sup> Application timing = relative to the crop; pre = pre-plant or pre-emergence, post = post-emergence.

Table 19 List of Supported Uses

#### **Summary of the Value Assessment Results**

Use Claims That Are Supported for 2013-7109 (MKH 6561 70WG Herbicide):

a) Items	Use claims that are supported		
Appl. rate	42 - 63 g/ha (30 - 45 g ai/ha) + 0.25% v/v nonionic surfactant.		
No. of Apps.	One per crop cycle, applied either in the fall or spring.		
Use range	Prairie Provinces and the Peace River, Okanagan and Creston Flats regions		
	of British Columbia.		
Weed claims	<u>Downy brome</u> : Fall – suppression (30 g ai/ha) and control (45 g		
	ai/ha).		
	Spring – suppression (30 and 45 g ai/ha).		
	Japanese brome: Fall – control (30 and 45 g ai/ha).		
	Spring – suppression (30 g ai/ha) and control (45 g ai/ha).		
	Flixweed, stinkweed, tansy mustard, wild mustard and volunteer canola:		
	Fall – control (30 and 45 g ai/ha)		
	Spring – control (30 and 45 g ai/ha).		
	Redroot pigweed: Fall – suppression (45 g ai/ha).		
	Spring – control (30 and 45 g ai/ha).		
	Shepherd's-purse, black mustard, burr buttercup, small seeded falseflax,		
	tumble mustard and wormseed mustard:		

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>b</sup> For some active ingredients, numerous products are registered; only one example is given for each active ingredient in the table above.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>c</sup> A wide range of glyphosate products are registered for the control of downy brome when applied alone or in tank mix with other herbicide products pre-emergent to wheat; specific products are not mentioned in this table.

<sup>\*</sup> Note that Table 10 denotes registered alternatives for Japanese and downy brome control in wheat grown in western Canada (i.e. the two weeds of particular importance for propoxycarbazone-sodium). However, various other herbicides are registered for the control of annual broadleaved weeds in winter wheat, including those containing active ingredients that belong to herbicide resistance group numbers 2, 4, 5, 6, 8 and 9.

	Fall – control (30 and 45 g ai/ha).		
	Spring – control (30 and 45 g ai/ha).		
	Blue mustard: Fall – control (30 and 45 g ai/ha).		
	Spring – suppression (30 g ai/ha) and control (45 g ai/ha).		
	Bushy wallflower:		
	Fall – suppression (30 g ai/ha) and control (45 g ai/ha).		
	Spring – suppression (30 g ai/ha) and control (45 g ai/ha).		
	Henbit: Fall – suppression (30 and 45 g ai/ha).		
	Spring – suppression (45 g ai/ha).		
	Mouseear chickweed:		
	Fall – suppression (30 g ai/ha) and control (45 g ai/ha).		
	Wild buckwheat:		
	Spring – suppression (45 g ai/ha).		
Use sites	Winter wheat.		
Appl. timing	Relative to crop: Post-emergence (1-lf to just prior to jointing).		
	Relative to weeds: Post-emergence (see label).		
Appl. method	Apply in a minimum of 46.8 L of water per hectare by ground equipment		
	only.		
Rotational	Winter wheat (10 months) and spring wheat (10 months).		
crops (months			
after			
application)			
Rainfastness	4 hours.		

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# Appendix II Supplemental Maximum Residue Limit Information— International Situation and Trade Implications

#### Differences Between MRLs in Canada and in Other Jurisdictions

Propoxycarbazone-sodium is a new active ingredient which is being registered in Canada. The MRLs proposed for propoxycarbazone on livestock commodities in Canada are different from certain (livestock) commodities in the United States, in accordance with Table 1, for which differences may be due to different livestock feed items and practices.

Currently, there are no Codex MRLs<sup>9</sup> listed for propoxycarbazone in or on any commodity on the Codex Alimentarius Pesticide Residues in Food website.

Table 1 compares the MRLs proposed for propoxycarbazone-sodium in Canada with corresponding American tolerances. American tolerances are listed in the Electronic Code of Federal Regulations, 40 CFR Part 180, by pesticide.

Table 1 Comparison of Canadian MRLs and American Tolerances (where different)

Food Commodity	Canadian MRL (ppm)	American Tolerance (ppm)
Fat, meat, meat byproducts (except kidney) of cattle, goat, horse and sheep	0.05	
Meat, of cattle, goat, horse and sheep	1	0.05
Kidney of cattle, goat, horse and sheep	0.07	
Meat by-products, of cattle, goat, horse and sheep		0.3
Milk	0.01	0.03

Under the North American Free Trade Agreement (NAFTA), Canada, the United States and Mexico are committed to resolving MRL discrepancies to the broadest extent possible. Harmonization will standardize the protection of human health across North America and promote the free trade of safe food products. Until harmonization is achieved, the Canadian MRLs specified in this document are necessary. The differences in MRLs outlined above are not expected to impact businesses negatively or adversely affect international competitiveness of Canadian firms or to negatively affect any regions of Canada.

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The Codex Alimentarius Commission is an international organization under the auspices of the United Nations that develops international food standards, including MRLs.

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# A. List of Studies/Information Submitted by Registrant

# 1.0 Chemistry

PMRA Document Number	Reference
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1654531	Product chemistry of Olympus technical herbicide 3125-LUG
1654520	Product chemistry of MKH 6561 technical
1654523	The composition of technical BAY MKH 6561
2375455	Analytical method for the determination of MKH 6561 and seven degradates in soil
2375456	Independent laboratory validation of the 'analytical method for the determination of MKH 6561 and seven degradates in soil'
2375457	Propoxycarbazone-sodium Technical Herbicide - Information to Address PMRA DACO Element 8.2.2.2
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# 2.0 Human and Animal Health

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