

Evaluation Report for Category B, Subcategory 2.5, 3.9 Application

Application Number:	2017-0637
Application:	Changes to End-Use Product Chemistry – Formulation Type
	Changes to Product Labels – Level of Control
Product:	Peak 75WG Herbicide
Registration Number:	25310
Active ingredient (a.i.):	Prosulfuron
PMRA Document Number	2834818

Purpose of Application

The purpose of this application was 1) to amend the label of Peak 75WG Herbicide to allow the use of the product alone and not just in a tank mix for use in field corn or winter wheat and 2) amend the registration to allow for packaging of the product in plastic containers (size range 270 g to 10 kg), in addition to currently registered packaging in water soluble bags.

Chemistry Assessment

Peak 75WG Herbicide is formulated as a granule containing prosulfuron at a nominal concentration of 75 %. This end-use product has a density of 0.4 - 0.7 g/cm³ and pH of 5 - 8. The required chemistry data for Peak 75WG Herbicide have been provided, reviewed and found to be acceptable.

Health Assessments

Peak 75WG Herbicide, for the control of broadleaf weeds in field corn, winter wheat, seed corn, sorghum and millet, fits within the registered use pattern for prosulfuron. The change in product packaging from water dispersible granules in water soluble bags to water dispersible granules in plastic containers ranging from 270 g to 10 kg will result in an increase in exposure to workers mixing and loading the product. A mixer/loader/applicator quantitative risk assessment was conducted and no risks to human health are expected from the use of Peak 75WG Herbicide.

No new residue chemistry data were submitted in support of the application to include a solo use claim on the Peak 75WG Herbicide label. Since the use patterns were within that of the registered product, previously reviewed residue chemistry data conducted in/on field and seed corn, winter wheat, grain and forage millet and sorghum were reassessed in the framework of this application. The change in use of Peak 75WG Herbicide is not expected to result in an increase in the magnitude of prosulfuron residues in/on the treated crops. Therefore, the use of Peak 75WG Herbicide will not pose an unacceptable risk to any segment of the population, including infants, children, adults and seniors.



A toxicology assessment was not required for this application.

Environmental Assessment

The application rate and method for the amendment is within the registered use pattern. Therefore, there are no unacceptable environmental risks expected associated with the amendment and use of the subject product.

Value Assessment

Peak 75WG Herbicide applied as a solo herbicide treatment will provide growers with greater flexibility to apply Peak 75WG Herbicide alone or in combination with other registered herbicides.

Value information previously submitted by the registrant demonstrated that the application of Peak 75WG Herbicide plus a registered surfactant can be expected to provide acceptable control of wild mustard and suppression of wild buckwheat, lady's thumb, lamb's-quarters, redroot pigweed, velvetleaf, and common ragweed.

Crop safety is not of concern since the label amendment is to remove an herbicide component from the registered treatments.

Conclusion

The Pest Management Regulatory Agency has completed an assessment of the available information and has found it sufficient to support the amendments to the product label for Peak 75WG Herbicide.

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