

Evaluation Report for Category B, Subcategory B.3.11 Application (New or Changes to Product Label – New Pests)

Application Number: 2014-0067
Application: Category B, Subcategory B.3.11 (new or changes to product label – new pests)
Product: Converge Pro Herbicide
Registration Number: 27446
Active ingredients (a.i.): 480 g/L isoxaflutole
PMRA Document Number : 2388166

Background

Converge Pro Herbicide is registered at 110, 165, and 220 mL/ha for control of grasses and broadleaf weeds in field corn in eastern Canada and British Columbia and in seed corn in eastern Canada. For specific details of uses, application rates and methods, precautions, restrictions, and personal protective equipment requirements, refer to the product label.

Purpose of Application

The purpose of this application was to amend the registration of Converge Pro Herbicide to include early season control claims for annual sowthistle and spiny annual sowthistle at 110 mL/ha and as well season long control claims for the same weeds at 165 mL/ha.

Chemistry, Health, and Environmental Assessments

Chemistry, health, and environmental assessments were not required as there was no change to product chemistry, product formulation, or use pattern.

Value Assessment

Value information in the form of trial data demonstrated that early season control of annual sowthistle and spiny annual sowthistle as well as season long control of these weeds can be expected with Converge Pro Herbicide applied at 110 mL/ha and 165 mL/ha, respectively.

Crop tolerance data are not required for a request to add new pest claims to registered use patterns.

Conclusions

The PMRA has completed an assessment of the subject application and has found the information sufficient to amend the registration of Converge Pro Herbicide to include early season control of annual sowthistle and spiny annual sowthistle with the 110 mL/ha rate and season long control of the same weeds with the 165 mL/ha rate.

Reference

List of Studies/Information Submitted by Registrant

PMRA # 2379300

2013, Converge Flexx and Converge Pro Herbicides - Label expansion to include control of annual sowthistle and spiny annual sowthistle, DACO: 10.1, 10.2.3.1, 10.2.3.3(B), 10.3, 10.3.1, and 10.3.2(A).

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