

Monday, 2 March 2015

Session 1: Welcome & Introduction

Chair: *Andreas Luch, Federal Institute for Risk Assessment (BfR)*

10:00–10:10 a.m.

Welcoming Address

Andreas Hensel, President of the Federal Institute for Risk Assessment (BfR)

10:10–10:25 a.m.

Introduction

Jörg Lebsanft, Federal Ministry for the Environment, Nature Conservation, Building and Nuclear Safety (BMUB)

10:25–10:45 a.m.

ECHA's New Strategy to ensure Data Quality in REACH Registrations

Leena Ylä-Mononen, European Chemicals Agency (ECHA)

10:45–11:05 a.m.

KnowSEC - A Web-System for Managing Data on Substances

Albrecht Striffler, denkbares GmbH

11:05–11:30 a.m. *Coffee Break*

Session 2: The Project

Chair: *Adolf Eisenträger, Federal Environment Agency (UBA)*

11:30–11:55 a.m.

Availability of Health and Environmental Data for High Tonnage Chemicals under REACH: Introduction to the Project

Andrea Springer, Federal Institute for Risk Assessment (BfR)

11:55–12:20 a.m.

Results from the Human Health Endpoints

Dana Sittner, Federal Institute for Risk Assessment (BfR)

12:20–12:45 p.m.

Results from the Environmental Endpoints

Henning Herrmann, Federal Institute for Risk Assessment (BfR)

12:45–1:00 p.m.

Discussion of the Project Results

1:00– 2:00 p.m. *Lunch & Coffee*

Session 3: REACH Registrations – Challenges to Address Data Requirements

Chair: *Leena Ylä-Mononen, European Chemicals Agency (ECHA)*

2:00–2:20 p.m.

Quality of scientific data in REACH dossiers

Christina Ruden, Stockholm University

2:20–2:40 p.m.

The Perspective from a Lead Registrant

Edgar Leibold, BASF

2:40–3:00 p.m.

The Perspective from an NGO

Tony Musu, European Trade Union Confederation (ETUC)

3:00–3:50 p.m.

Podium Discussion

Moderator: *Alexander Nies, Federal Ministry for the Environment, Nature Conservation, Building and Nuclear Safety (BMUB)*

3:50–4:10 p.m.

Outlook

Agnes Schulte, Federal Institute for Risk Assessment (BfR)

End 4:10 p.m.

Workshop on Health and Environmental Data for High Tonnage Chemicals

Under the European regulation on chemicals, REACH, companies are obliged to register their substances and, thereby, provide required information on potential hazards and risk management of dangerous chemicals.

The German Federal Institute for Risk Assessment (BfR) conducted a project reviewing the data in REACH registration dossiers, including both lead and individual dossiers, covering phase-in substances with a tonnage level equal to or above 1,000 tonnes per year.

The aim of the project is to get an overview of the availability and quality of data on the most relevant toxicological endpoints for all high tonnage chemicals. These are for:

- human health: repeated dose toxicity, genetic toxicity and toxicity to reproduction
- the environment: biotic and abiotic degradation, bioaccumulation, aquatic toxicity and environmental exposure

This workshop presents the concept and results of this project and points to the lessons learned in terms of data gaps and problems in registration dossiers. Furthermore, the workshop aims to provide a platform to promote dialogue among all stakeholders with an interest in REACH registration. Common issues of interest could lead to possible solutions to enhance the data quality.

This project is carried out through financial support of the Federal Ministry for the Environment, Nature Conservation, Building and Nuclear Safety (BMUB), Germany, within the framework of the German Environmental Research Plan (UFO Plan). It was commissioned and supported by the Federal Environment Agency (UBA).

Venue

Federal Institute for Risk Assessment (BfR)
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Registration

This event is open to the public and free of charge, however, registration is necessary.

Please register by **23 February 2015** using the internet form under menu item "Events" on www.bfr.bund.de/en/events.html

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Mind the Gap – Data Availability in REACH Registrations



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Dialogue on the availability of health and environmental data in registration dossiers for high tonnage chemicals



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