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Bring your REACH data up to speed

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Main focus

Your obligations

What to pay attention to

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Your obligations (1)

- Keep dossier up to date as of registration date
  - Complete and compliant
  - Substance and uses fully identified
  - Need to propose further testing

- Update promptly if situations change
  - Generally within 3 months of change
  - Keep record for inspection authorities

- Even if you cease manufacture or import, some obligations remain

Your obligations (2)

- Perform exposure and risk assessment if >10 tonnes per year and classified as CMR/PBT/vPvB
  - Report all hazards and outcomes in the chemical safety report and safety data sheet
  - Report all actual uses within the lifecycle
  - Identify how risks are controlled

- Keep classification and labelling up to date
  - Regardless of tonnage band
  - Using CLP criteria and most severe test results
  - Report all harmonised classifications

Your obligations (3)

- React promptly to evaluation draft decisions and update by the deadline even if studies delayed
  - Get organised with co-registrants to give comments
  - Agree who will do requested tests on everyone's behalf – inform ECHA within 90 days
  - Report studies in IUCLID format (robust study summaries)
  - Provide data adequate for classification and labelling for risk assessment

What to pay attention to
Tools (1)

- Use the public activities coordination tool (PACT)
  - Keep monitoring your substance's regulatory status
- Use REACH-IT regularly
  - Set up an email alert to receive notifications
  - Agree who monitors the inbox in your company
  - Use dossier evaluation status page to follow evaluation activities for your joint submission if you did not receive the decision
- Use IUCLID validation assistant
  - To enter required information in the correct sections

What to pay attention to
Tools (2)

- Use the EU Chemicals Legislation Finder (EUCLEF)
- Use maps with brief descriptions of main uses by industry sector
- Follow status of dossier evaluations
- Follow substance evaluations

What to pay attention to
Information

- Required information depends on substance property and tonnage
  - Deviations from standard information requirements must be thoroughly and appropriately justified
  - Testing on vertebrate animals only as last resort
- Results must be adequate for classification and labelling (CLP Regulation)
- Need to take further regulatory action and impact on other legislation
  - if CMR, PBT, ED, … properties

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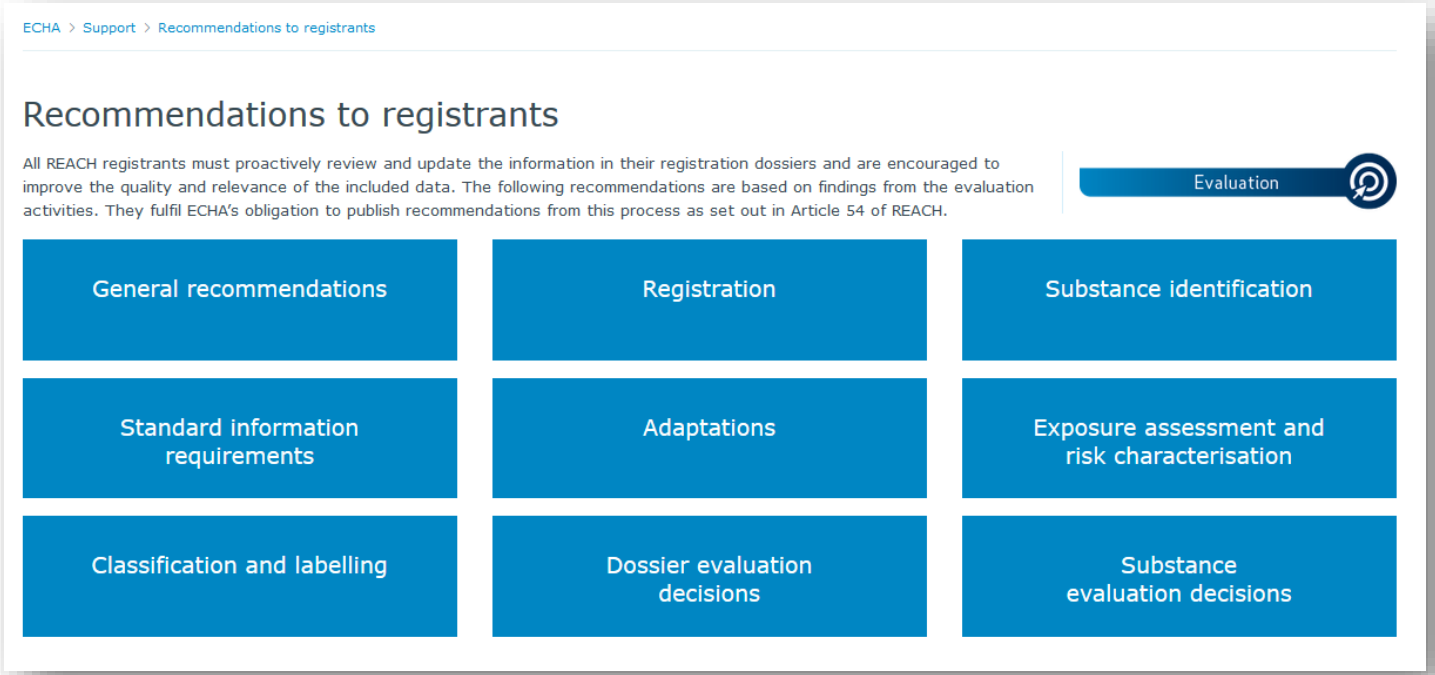
Recommendations to registrants

echa.europa.eu/recommendations-to-registrants



Take home

Your dossier is your business card

Your registration is as dynamic as your market volume and uses. Updates are always necessary over time

We screen all substances and dossiers, yours too

You have the means to check and follow activities around your substance and dossier – use them

Links

Before registering

Strategy for gathering your data

Preparing registrations for nanomaterials

How to register

Substance identification – get started

Practical guide for SME managers and REACH coordinators - How to fulfil your information requirements at tonnages 1-10 and 10-100 tonnes/year

Sector use map formats

C&L Inventory

Keep up to date

Questions and answers on information requirements, test methods and quality of data

European Commission Implementing Regulation 2020/1435 on dossier updates

Evaluation decisions

Evaluation process

Practical guide: How to act in dossier evaluation

Practical guide: How to act in substance evaluation

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