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Assessment Report



C(M)IT/MIT

Product-type 11
(Biocide for use as preservatives for liquid-cooling and processing systems)

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1 STATEMENT OF SUBJECT MATTER AND PURPOSE

1.1 PRINCIPLE OF EVALUATION AND PROCEDURE FOLLOWED

This Competent Authority report has been established as a result of the evaluation of the active substance C(M)IT/MIT: 5-chloro-2-methylisothiazol-3(2H)-one (C(M)IT) and 2-methylisothiazol-3(2H)-one (MIT) in ratio (3:1), with CAS Nr. 26172-55-4 for C(M)IT, 2682-20-4 for MIT and 55965-84-9 for the mixture, as product-type 11 (preservatives for liquid-cooling and processing systems), carried out in the context of the work program for the review of existing active substances provided for in Article 16(2) of Directive 98/8/EC concerning the placing of biocidal products on the market¹, with the original view to the possible inclusion of this substance into Annex I or IA to that Directive, then carried out in the context of Regulation (EU) No 528/2012², with a view to the possible approval of this active substance

The evaluation has therefore been conducted to determine whether it may be expected, in light of the common principles laid down in Annex VI to Directive 98/8/EC, that there are products in product-type 11 containing C(M)IT/MIT that will fulfil the requirements laid down in Article 5(1) b), c) and d) of that Directive.

C(M)IT/MIT was notified as an existing active substance, by Rohm and Haas Europe Trading ApS, now a subsidiary of The Dow Chemical Company (hereafter referenced as "Dow")" and Thor in product-type 11.

Data submitted were collected to compile a single dossier on the hazard assessment of the active substance. Therefore, there will be references to the data submitted by both manufacturers Dow and Thor in this report.

Commission Regulation (EC) N^{o} 1451/2007 of the 4th of December 2007³ lays down the detailed rules for the evaluation of dossiers and for the decision-making process in order to include or not an existing active substance into the Annex I or IA of the Directive.

In accordance with the provisions of Article 3 paragraph 2 of that Regulation, France was designated as Reporter Member State to carry out the assessment of C(M)IT/MIT on the basis of the dossier submitted by the applicant. The deadline for submission of a complete dossier for C(M)IT/MIT as an active substance in product-type 11 was the 31^{st} of October 2008, in accordance with Article 9 paragraph 2 of Regulation (EC) N° 1451/2007.

On the 7^{th} of October 2008, the French competent authority received a dossier from Dow. The Rapporter Member State accepted the dossier as complete for the purpose of the evaluation, taking into account the supported uses, and confirmed the acceptance of this dossier on the 8^{th} of October 2009.

On the 29th of October 2008, the French competent authority received a dossier from Thor GmbH. The Rapporteur Member State accepted the dossier as complete for the purpose of

¹ Directive 98/8/EC of the European Parliament and of the Council of 16 February 1998 concerning the placing biocidal products on the market, OJ L 123, 24.4.98, p.1

² Regulation (EU n° 528/2012 of the European Parliament and of the council o 22 May 2012 concerning the making available on the market and use of biocidal products.

³ Regulation EC n° 1451/2007 of december 2007 on the second phase of 10-year work programme referred to in article 16(2) of Directive 98/8/EC of the European Parliament and of the Council concerning the placing biocidal products on the market OJ L 325, 11.12.2007, p. 3.

the evaluation, taking into account the supported uses, and confirmed the acceptance of the dossier on the 28th of April 2009.

On 22nd of April 2013, the Rapporteur Member State submitted to the Commission, the applicant and the others members states a copy of the evaluation report, hereafter referred to as the competent authority report (CAR).

In order to review the competent authority report and the comments received on it, consultations of technical experts from all Member States (peer review) were organised by the Agency. Revisions agreed upon were presented at the Biocidal Products Committee and its Working Groups meetings and the competent authority report was amended accordingly.

1.2 PURPOSE OF THE ASSESSMENT

The aim of the Competent Authority report is to support a decision on the approval of C(M)IT/MIT for product-type 11, and should it be approved, to facilitate the authorisation of individual biocidal products in product-type 11 that contain C(M)IT/MIT. In the evaluation of applications for product-authorisation, the provisions of Regulation (EU) No 528/2012 shall be applied, in particular the provisions of Chapter IV, as well as the common principles laid down in Annex VI.

The conclusions of this report were reached within the framework of the uses that were proposed and supported by the applicant (see Appendix II). For the implementation of the common principles of Annex VI, the content and conclusions of this assessment report shall be taken into account.

However, where conclusions of this assessment report are based on data protected under the provisions of Regulation (EU) No 528/2012, such conclusions may not be used to the benefit of another applicant, unless access to these data has been granted.

2 OVERALL SUMMARY AND CONCLUSIONS

2.1 PRESENTATION OF THE ACTIVE SUBSTANCE

2.1.1 Identity, Physico-Chemical properties & Methods of Analysis

2.1.1.1 Active substance

The active substance as manufactured is a mixture of 5-chloro-2-methylisothiazol-3(2H)-one (C(M)IT) and 2-methylisothiazol-3(2H)-one (MIT) 4 in ratio (3:1), with CAS Nr. 26172-55-4 for C(M)IT, 2682-20-4 for MIT and 55965-84-9 for the mixture. The active ingredient is named C(M)IT/MIT (3:1).

The active substance is manufactured as a technical concentrate (TK) with different solvents and stabilizers. The minimum purity of the technical material (TC) has been theoretically calculated based on the composition of the solutions. The different solutions have been assessed and four are acceptable and proposed as reference source with a minimum purity for the TC of: 57.9% of C(M)IT/MIT 3:1 in dry weight.

Among the different stabilisers used, two are of concern: magnesium nitrate and magnesium chloride.

Please see the confidential annex: Confidential appendix to doc IIA for details of accepted sources and calculation.

The notified active substance is manufactured by two compagnies: Thor Gmbh (hereafter reffered to as "Thor") and Dow Chemical (formally Rohm and Haas Europe Trading ApS, hereafter reffered to as "Dow")).

C(M)IT/MIT (3:1) is very reactive with some substances and should be stabilized in the product. That is the reason why the active substance is manufactured in continuous directly at the product stage. The product mostly on the market is a solution at 14% in water with stabilizers salts and most of the (eco)toxicological studies have been performed with this solution. There are three sources for this solution.

C(M)IT/MIT (3:1) at 14% in water with stabilizers is a clear liquid, colourless to pale yellow with a mild odour. It is not flammable and does not have explosive and oxidising properties. As it is classified as a corrosive substance, aluminium, grey cast iron and steel (except some approved high-grade steels) are not suitable materials. There is no reactivity with high density PE containers, glass, PP, PVC, glass fibre reinforced plastics.

C(M)IT/MIT (3:1) has a low volatility and vapour pressure at 20° C. C(M)IT and MIT are extremely soluble in water and are not bioaccumulable (log Kow are respectively 0.401 for C(M)IT and -0.486 for MIT).

Validated methods for analysis of C(M)IT, MIT, additives and impurities in the active substance as manufactured have been provided. However for one additive and for the impurities for Thor, validation data are required to validate the analytical method used in the 5-batch analysis. Moreover some validation data are missing to fully validate the

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⁴ Mixture of 5-chloro-2-methylisothiazol-3(2H)-one and 2-methylisothiazol-3(2H)-one : CAS Name Reaction mass of 5-chloro-2-methylisothiazol-3(2H)-one and 2-methylisothiazol-3(2H)-one: REACH name

analytical methods used in the 5-batch analysis: complete validation data for one impurity in one source and for another impurity in another source for Dow.

Validated methods for analysis of residues of C(M)IT and MIT in soil and sediments, air, drinking and surface water and simulated food have been provided. A confirmation method for the determination of C(M)IT/MIT in soil is required at the product authorization stage for the use in PT11 which induces a continuous rejection of c(M)IT and MIT in soil. Thor has not submitted methods for analysis of C(M)IT and MIT in soil and sediments and in food. One use in PT11 induces a continuous rejection of CIT and MIT in soil, this use is now not acceptable in the dossier however if this use is claimed and acceptable at the product authorisation stage, an analytical method for the determination of CIT and MIT in soil should be provided. A validated method for analysis of C(M)IT and MIT in food is not necessary for PT11 as no contamination of food is expected.

It has been accepted that no method for determination of residues of C(M)IT and MIT in animals and human body fluids and tissues was provided, according to the toxicological profile of the substance.

The active substance hereafter named C(M)IT/MIT refers to the solution of C(M)IT/MIT (3:1) at 14% in water. In the report, it is also referred to the active ingredient C(M)IT/MIT or C(M)IT/MIT at 100%, meaning to C(M)IT/MIT (3:1) without water and additives.

2.1.1.2 Biocidal products

2.1.1.2.1 Dow Chemical's product: Kathon™ WT

Dow's product KathonTM WT contains between 12.21 and 15.78 % w/w of C(M)IT/MIT (3:1) in water.

KathonTM WT is a clear liquid, colourless to pale yellow with a mild odour. It is not flammable and does not have explosive and oxidising properties.

Validated methods for analysis of C(M)IT and MIT in the product are the same as analytical methods for the determination of C(M)IT and MIT in the technical active substance.

2.1.1.2.2 Thor GmbH's product: Acticide® SPX

Thor's product is Acticide® SPX which contains between 1.4 and 1.6 % w/w of C(M)IT/MIT (3:1) in water. The product Acticide SPX is an aqueous solution prepared from the active substance as manufactured.

Acticide[®] SPX is a clear liquid, colourless to pale yellow with a mild odour. It is not flammable and does not have explosive and oxidising properties. It is thermally stable at low (0°C) and ambient temperatures. Information about compatibility of Acticide[®] SPX with other products which will be used with, acidity and relative density are lacking and will have to be submitted at the product authorization stage.

Validated methods for analysis of C(M)IT and MIT in the technical active substance exist. These methods could be used to analyse C(M)IT and MIT in Acticide SPX.

2.1.2 Intended uses and efficacy

2.1.2.1 Field of use / function / Mode of action

2.1.2.1.1 Field of use / function

C(M)IT/MIT is used as a broad spectrum antimicrobial agent for preventing the growth of microorganisms (bacteria, fungi (and algae for Dow only)) that may occur within the liquid cooling and processing systems. C(M)IT/MIT biocidal products are exclusively used by professionals or industrial users in PT11.

C(M)IT/MIT exhibits rapid inhibition of growth at low level. For the preservation of liquid cooling and processing systems, typical use concentrations range claimed by Dow is from 1 to 50 mg/L of active ingredient,. Typical range use concentrations of C(M)IT/MIT claimed by Thor is from 0,2 to 1 mg/L by continuous dosing and 2 mg/L by shock dosing.

Concentrations of C(M)IT/MIT for which an efficacy is demonstrated are presented in the following tables:

✓ For Dow (KathonTM WT)

MG/PT	Field of use envisaged	Likely concentration at which active ingredient of C(M)IT/MIT. will be used
MG2/PT 11	Preservative for liquid cooling and processing systems	1 - 50 mg a.i/L by
	(i.e. Waste water treatment systems, Rinse baths, Photo-processing, Print fountain solutions, Textile and spinning fluids, Electrodeposition coating systems, Paint spray booths, Wood treatment solutions (not for wood protection),	continuous dosing:

✓ For Thor (Acticide[®] SPX)

MG/PT	Field of use envisaged	Likely concentration at which a.i. will be used
MG2/PT 11	Preservative for liquid cooling and processing systems	0.6-5 mg a.i/L by continuous dosing The application rate by shock
		dosing is not validated

Based on the information submitted by the applicants (Dow & Thor), the efficacy of C(M)IT/MIT against target organisms claimed is demonstrated. However in order to demonstrate the efficacy of the product in real conditions, field studies will have to be submitted for the authorization of biocidal products with C(M)IT/MIT.

2.1.2.1.2 Mode of action

C(M)IT/MIT is an isothiazolone biocide. It uses a two steps mechanism: nucleophilic attack at the activated N-S bound of isothiazolinones by amino, amido, thiol groups of large molecular systems such as proteins or nucleic acids of the micro-organisms. Consequently there is a rapid inhibition (minutes) of growth and metabolism, followed by irreversible cell damage resulting in loss of viability (hours). Cells are inhibited by disruption of the metabolic pathways and critical physiological functions are affected (respiration, ATP synthesis).

2.1.2.1.3 Object to be protected, Target organisms

C(M)IT/MIT is a biocide with a large spectrum. In the different laboratory studies presented, an efficacy has been demonstrated for the following micro-organisms:

✓ For Dow

Alcaligenes faecalis, Burkholderia cepacia, Desulfovibrio desulfuricans, Enterobacter cloacae, Enterobacter aerogenes, Escherichia coli, Klebsiella pneumoniae, Legionella pneumophila, Proteus vulgaris, Pseudomonas aeruginosa, Pseudomonas fluorescens, Staphylococcus aureus, Aspergillus niger, Penicillium funiculosom, Penicillium ochrochloron, Trichoderma viride, Candida albicans, Rhodotorula rubra, Saccharomyces cerevisiae, Chlorella pyrenoidosa, Anabaena flosaquae.

✓ For Thor

Escherichia coli, Klebsiella pneumonia, Corynebacterium ammoniagenes, Pseudomonas aeroginosa, Proteus vulgaris, Aspergillus niger, Proteus vulgaris, Penicillium funiculosum, Saccharomyces cerevisiae.

2.1.2.2 Resistance

The organisms with most frequently reported resistance to C(M)IT/MIT are Gram negative bacteria, such as *Pseudomonas* and *Burkholderia*. Resistance to increasing levels of C(M)IT/MIT was shown for bacteria adapted in lab cultures. Under-dosing or poor stability of C(M)IT/MIT was attributed as the primary cause of developing the resistant strains in metalworking fluid systems, which displayed stronger resistance than the lab-adapted isolates. The mechanism of resistance to C(M)IT/MIT biocide has been suggested to involve the loss of specific outer membrane (porin) proteins (35-42 k Dalton mass) resulting in reduced transport of C(M)IT/MIT to the interior of the cell. The vast majority of resistance attributed to C(M)IT/MIT is the result of phenotypic changes (adaptation) and does not represent a change in resistance due to altered genetic composition or mutation (acquired resistance). Microorganisms deemed resistance to C(M)IT/MIT have also shown varying degrees of cross-resistance to other Biocides. In commercial use, C(M)IT/MIT is often used in combination or rotation with other biocides in various applications. Microbial resistance to C(M)IT/MIT could be remedied by switching or alternating biocides, using combinations with other actives.

2.1.3 Classification

2.1.3.1 Current classification

There is a harmonized classification for C(M)IT/MIT.

• Active ingredient C(M)IT/MIT (3:1) 100%

Directive 67/548/EEC						
Class of danger	T - Toxic C - Corrosiv	/A				
		ous for the environment				
R phrases		25: Toxic by inhalation, in contact with skin and if				
it prirases	swallov	<u> </u>				
	R34: Cause					
	R43: May ca	ause sensitization by skin contact.				
		ry toxic to aquatic organisms, may cause long-term ects in the aquatic environment.				
S phrases	S26: In cas water a	ut of the reach of children. e of contact with eyes, rinse immediately with plenty of and seek medical advice. contact with skin, wash immediately with plenty of				
		Wear suitable protective clothing, gloves and eye/face				
		e of accident or if you feel unwell, seek medical advice iately (show the label where possible).				
	S60: This m	naterial and its container must be disposed of as ous waste.				
		release to the environment. Refer to special /Safety data sheets.				
Specific	C, R34: Cau	ises burns				
concentration limit	C ≥ 0.6%					
	Xi, R36/38: 0.06% ≤ C	Irritating to eyes and skin < 0.6%				
	Xi; R43: Ma C ≥ 0. 0015	y cause sensitization by skin contact				
		Regulation 1272/2008				
Hazard classes and / hazard statements	d categories	Acute Tox. 3/H331: Toxic if inhaled Acute Tox. 3/H311: Toxic in contact with skin				
		Acute Tox. 3/H301: Toxic if swallowed Skin Corr. 1B/H314: Causes severe skin burns and				
		eye damage Skin Sens. 1/H317: May cause an allergic skin reaction				
		Aquatic Acute 1/H400: Very toxic to aquatic life Aquatic chronic/H410 Very toxic to aquatic life with long lasting effects.				
Specific concentrati	on limit	Skin Corr. 1B; H314: Causes severe skin burns and				
		eye damage C ≥ 0.6%				
		Eye Irrit. 2; H319: Causes serious eye irritation Skin Irrit. 2; H315: Causes skin irritation 0.06% ≤ C < 0.6%				
		Skin Sens.1/H317: May cause an allergic skin reaction C ≥ 0.0015%				

2.1.3.2 Proposed classification

Based on the toxicological profil described in the dossier, RMS proposes the following classification:

Directive 67/548/EEC						
	Active substance C(M)IT/MIT 14%	Active ingredient C(M)IT/MIT 100%				
Class of	Xn: Harmful	T+: Very toxic				
danger	C: Corrosive	C: Corrosive				
	Xi: Irritant	Xi: Irritant				
	N: Dangerous to the environment	N: Dangerous for the environment				
R phrases	R20/21/22: Harmful by inhalation, in contact with skin and if swallowed R34: Causes burns. (R37: Irritating to the respiratory tract) R43: May cause sensitization by skin contact R50-53: Very toxic to aquatic organisms, may cause long-term adverse effects in the aquatic environment.	R26: Very toxic by inhalation R24/25*: Toxic in contact with skin and if swallowed. R34: Causes burns. (R37: Irritating to the respiratory tract) R43: May cause sensitization by skin contact. R50-53: Very toxic to aquatic organisms, may cause long-term adverse effects in the aquatic environment.				
S phrases S26: In case of contact with eyes, rinse immediately with plenty of water and seek medical advice. S28: After contact with skin, wash immediately with plenty of water S36/37/39: Wear suitable protective clothing, gloves and eye, protection. S45: In case of accident or if you feel unwell, seek medical advice immediately (show the label where possible). S60: This material and its container must be disposed of as hazard waste. S61: Avoid release to the environment. Refer to special						
Specific concentration limit	instructions/Safety data sheets C, R34: Causes burns C ≥ 0.6% Xi, R36/38: Irritating to eyes at 0.06% ≤ C < 0.6% Xi; R43: May cause sensitization C ≥ 0.0015% This specific concentration limit	nd skin				
	Regulation 127					
Hazard classes Acute Tox 4 for acute oral and categories hazard Acute Tox. 3 for acute oral hazard						

	Acute Tox 3 for acute dermal hazard Acute Tox 4 for inhalation hazard Skin Corr. 1B** Skin Sens. Cat 1A STOT SE 3 Aquatic Acute 1 Aquatic Chronic 1	Acute Tox 2 for acute dermal hazard Acute Tox 2 for acute inhalation hazard Skin Corr. 1B** Skin Sens. Cat 1A STOT SE 3 Aquatic Acute 1 Aquatic Chronic 1	
Hazard statements	H332: Harmful if inhaled	H 317: May cause an allergic skin reaction (H 335: May cause respiratory irritation) H400: Very toxic to aquatic life	
Specific concentration limit	Skin Corr. 1B; H314: Causes severe skin burns and eye damage C ≥ 0.6% Eye Irrit. 2; H319: Causes serious eye irritation Skin Irrit. 2; H315: Causes skin irritation 0.06% ≤ C < 0.6% Skin Sens.1/H317: May cause an allergic skin reaction C ≥ 0.0015% This specific concentration limit is considered relevant for this dossier.		

^{*} The C(M)IT/MIT has been supported by two different applicants. There is a disputation concerning the classification for the acute respiratory exposure, since different studies have been provided by the two applicants. This point will probably lead to an Annex XV dossier for a harmonized classification for C(M)IT/MIT. Additionally, although not readily biodegradable, C(M)IT/MIT has been shown to be fast degraded in several environmental compartiment and it should be stated by ECHA is it can be considered as rapidly biodegradable in the frame of the Regulation 1272/2008. At present, contradictory results are available and C(M)IT/MIT is considered as not rapidly biodegradable by the RMS, based on a weight of evidence approach. More explanations are provided in the document IIA and IIIA9. A final decision should be made by ECHA.

2.2 SUMMARY OF THE RISK ASSESSMENT

^{**} A classification as Skin Corr. 1C H 314: Causes severe skin burns and eye damage should be required due to the study results, however a harmonised classification as Skin Corr. 1B has been set, and therefore this classification is retained in the dossier.

The active substance hereafter named C(M)IT/MIT refers to the solution of C(M)IT/MIT (3:1) at 14% in water. In the full CAR, it is also referred to the active ingredient C(M)IT/MIT or C(M)IT/MIT at 100%, meaning to C(M)IT/MIT (3:1) without water and additives.

2.2.1 Human health risk assessment

2.2.1.1 Hazard identification

C(M)IT/MIT induces a local irritation observed by oral, dermal and inhalation routes. No real systemic effects were observed in any available study, except on body weight gain and food consumption. These effects are considered as secondary to the local toxicity.

2.2.1.2 Effects assessment

Toxicokinetics

- Absorption

Oral absorption studies were conducted in rats, following administration of C(M)IT/MIT with either ^{14}C -CMIT or ^{14}C -MIT. Bile-duct cannulation was not systematically performed. From this overall data set, it seems that MIT would be better absorbed than C(M)IT (55-90% versus 37-62%respectively). It is generally preferred to use data from studies where animals were cannulated, the study showed the absorption rates of 49% and 78% for C(M)IT and MIT respectively (Dow A6.2c/O1).It is therefore proposed to choose the lowest absorption rate value of 49%, rounded to 50% as a worst case.

The overall oral absorption rate to be used for a systemic risk characterisation is therefore 50%.

Dermal absorption was investigated both *in vitro* (in rat and human skin) and *in vivo* (in rats).

Based on all these data, and also due to uncertainties in some studies (poor recovery, poor description of the study), it is proposed to set the dermal absorption of C(M)IT/MIT 3:1 at **50 % for aqueous solutions below corrosive concentrations**. This value is based on the maximal absorption found in an *in vitro* study 43% rounded to 50 % due to uncertainties.

Moreover, this value is in line with the EFSA guidance document for dermal absorption as a value of 50 % for oral absorption as been set.

For **corrosive concentrations** of C(M)IT/MIT (> 0.6% the specific concentration limit), no study is available, but as for the other substances of the same family it can be assumed that a **100** % dermal absorption is appropriate.

A default inhalation absorption value of 100% has been adopted.

- Distribution

After administration of radiolabelled C(M)IT/MIT by gavage to rats, rat tissues contain less than 5% of dosed radioactivity, four days after exposure. The highest amount of radioactivity is found in blood, particularly in red blood cells, followed by muscle and liver. Therefore, CMIT and MIT are not considered to have an accumulative potential in human.

- Metabolism

Following an oral administration of radiolabelled CMIT in solution with MIT to rats, approximately twenty-nine radioactive components were observed in urine and faeces samples from the HPLC radioprofiling. No parent compound was detected in excreta, indicating an extensive metabolization of CMIT. The major component in urine was N-methyl malonamic acid, NMMA (M1A) (15.35-18.19%), and the major component in the faeces was the 3-mercapturic acid conjugate of 3-sulfinyl-N-methyl-propionamide (M15) (up to 32.54%) (it was found as a minor metabolite in urine). In bile-duct cannulated rats, M15 accounted for 8.83% of the dose in faeces, and was not detected in urine, indicating either that M15 may have been formed in the intestine and the cannulation has possibly broken up the entero-hepatic circulation, or the M15 may have been mainly produced at the hepatic level and is then excreted in the bile. All of the ten metabolites found in bile accounted for less than 5% of the dose.

- Excretion

MIT and C(M)IT are both rapidly excreted. Urine and faeces are equal major routes of excretion for C(M)IT whereas bile is a minor route of excretion (4.74%). On the contrary, MIT is largely excreted in urine and in a lesser extent in faeces, of which the major part came from the bile (29.09%). No parent compound is present in excreta. Therefore, C(M)IT/MIT is not considered to have an accumulative potential in human.

Acute toxicity

The acute oral LD $_{50}$ of C(M)IT/MIT in rats ranges from 457 to 472 mg/kg bw (corr. to 64 to 66 mg a.i./kg bw). Dead animals show effects on stomach and intestines which are consistent with the corrosive properties of C(M)IT/MIT. Therefore, C(M)IT/MIT meets the EU criteria for classification as 'Harmful if swallowed' and should be classified as Xn; R22 (corr. to 'toxic if swallowed', T; R25 for the active ingredient C(M)IT/MIT 100%) according to the directive 67/548/EC. A classification as Acute Tox 4 / H302: Harmful if swallowed is required according to the regulation 1272/2008/EC (corr. to Acute Tox. 3 /H 301: Toxic if swallowed for C(M)IT/MIT 100 %).

The acute dermal LD_{50} of C(M)IT/MIT in male rabbits is 660 mg/kg bw (corr. to 87 mg a.i/kg bw). In rats, the acute dermal LD_{50} is 1008 mg/kg bw (corr. to 141 mg a.i/kg bw). Observed effects are restricted to local effects or are subsequent to local effects. C(M)IT/MIT should be classified Xn; R21 'Harmful in contact with skin' according to the EU criteria for classification. (corr. to T; R24 'Toxic in contact with skin' for C(M)IT/MIT 100%) according to the directive 67/548/EC. A classification as Acute Tox 3 / H312: Harmful in contact with skin is required according to the regulation 1272/2008/EC (corr. to Acute tox 2 / H 310: Fatal in contact with skin for C(M)IT/MIT 100 %).

After acute exposure by inhalation, C(M)IT/MIT induces effects in relation with its corrosive properties.

The 4-hr nose-only acute inhalation LC_{50} of C(M)IT/MIT in rats ranges from 1.23 to 2.36 mg/L air (corr. to 0.171 to 0.33 mg a.i/L air). The effects observed are consistent with the clinical signs of respiratory irritation. It is likely that the deaths resulted from excess fluids in the respiratory tract due to the irritant/corrosive nature of C(M)IT/MIT. C(M)IT/MIT should be classified Xn; R20 'Harmful by inhalation' (corr. to T+; R26 'Very toxic by inhalation' for C(M)IT/MIT 3:1) according to the directive 67/548/EC. A classification as Acute Tox 4 / H332: Harmful if inhaled is required according to the regulation 1272/2008/EC (corr. to Acute tox 2 / H 330: Fatal if inhaled for C(M)IT/MIT 100 %).

Irritation/Sensitisation

C(M)IT/MIT is severely irritant to corrosive to the skin of rabbit in the different studies submitted. It should be classified as C; R34-'Corrosive/Causes burns' according to the EU criteria for classification with specific concentration limits: C \geq 0.6% (C, R34) and 0.06% \leq C < 0.6% (Xi, R36/38), according to the directive 67/548/EC. A classification as Skin Corr. 1C H 314: Causes severe skin burns and eye damage should be required due to the study results, however a harmonised classification as Skin Corr. 1B has been set, and therefore this classification is retained⁵. , Specific concentration limits: Skin Corr. 1B; H314: Causes severe skin burns and eye damage C \geq 0.6%, according to the regulation 1272/2008/EC are proposed.

Due to the corrosivity of C(M)IT/MIT observed in the skin irritation studies, an eye irritation study was not deemed necessary since the substance has to be considered as to pose a risk of serious damage to the eyes.

The classification of the C(M)IT/MIT as corrosive includes the risk of severe damages to the eyes.

Regarding the irritation of airways, a concentration of 69 μ g/l of product induced a 50% reduction in the respiratory rate in mice (RD50). C(M)IT/MIT should therefore be classified as Xi; R37-Irritating to respiratory system according to the directive 67/548/EC and STOT SE 3, H 335: May cause respiratory irritation according to the regulation 1272/2008/EC.

C(M)IT/MIT is a skin sensitizer according to a GPMT, a Bühler test, an open epicutaneous test and two LLNAs. A classification R43 – 'Sensitisation by skin contact' is appropriate according to the directive 67/548/EC and Skin Sens. Cat 1A/ H317: May cause an allergic skin reaction according to CLP regulation, with specific concentration limit of 0,0015% (equivalent to 15 ppm) set during the meeting of the commission working group on the C&L of dangerous substances of 21 January 2000. This value will be used as a threshold value in a qualitative risk assessment for local effects by dermal route.

It is not possible to evaluate the potential of respiratory sensitisation as no studies addressing respiratory sensitisation of C(M)IT/MIT are available..

Repeated dose toxicity

Oral studies

C(M)IT/MIT was tested in several oral repeated dose toxicity studies in rabbits, rats and dogs for 4 weeks and 3 months.

The major toxic effects observed were related to a gastric irritation. Decreases in body weight and in water intake reported after exposure to C(M)IT/MIT were attributed to palatability. There was no evidence of systemic toxicity at the highest tested doses.

From the 90-day study in rats, a gastric irritation can be considered as a critical effect for setting a NOAEC $_{oral}$ at 536 ppm (corr. to 75 ppm a.i.) (w/v). In the absence of systemic effects, the NO(A)EL for systemic effects can be set at the highest tested dose (16.3 mg ai/kg bw/d).

From the 90-day study in dogs, in the absence of systemic and local effects, the NO(A)EL can be set at the highest tested dose (750 ppm ai, corr. to 22 mg ai/kg bw/d). From the 4-week study in rabbits, a NOAEL at 27.9 mg/kg bw/d (corr. to 3.9 mg ai/kg.bw/d) based on mortality indirectly due to gastric irritation. There was no evidence of systemic toxicity at any dose level. A NOAEC of 2.9 mg/kg/day (corr. to 0.4 mg a.i./kg bw/d) based on the fundus irritation has been set.

From the 2-year study in rats, a NOAEL at 300 ppm a.i (corr. to 17.2 and 25.7 mg a.i/kg bw/d for males and females respectively) has been adopted based on no systemic effect

⁵ This classification may be revised in the CLH report.

observed. A NOAEC of 210 ppm (corr. to 30 ppm a.i) based on local irritation of the forestomach has been set.

In oral toxicity studies performed with metabolites of C(M)IT/MIT, NMMA (N-methyl malonamic acid) and MA (malonic acid), no treatment-related findings were noted up to the highest tested doses (500 ppm for NMMA and 100 ppm for MA).

Dermal studies

Two 90-day dermal repeated dose toxicity studies were performed with C(M)IT/MIT in rabbit and rat. Local skin irritation, with erythema, edema and eschar formation, was the main topic toxic response to the tested substance.

Results from the the 90-day dermal study in rabbit, submitted by Rohm & Hass (i.e. Dow) could not be fully validated, therefore, only the Thor study has been considered: in the absence of any systemic effect, a $NOAEC_{dermal}$ of 0.1 mg/kg bw/d (corr. to 0.174% a.i.), based on skin reactions like erythema, edema and eschar has been adopted. In the 30-month study in mice, no systemic effect was observed at necropsy.

Inhalation studies

In a 90-day inhalation study, it was demonstrated that C(M)IT/MIT induces an irritation of the respiratory tract at the contact site with chromo-rhinorrhea, rhinorrhea, eye squint, bradypnea and dyspnea. Since only local effects have been identified, the NOAEC based on these effects is 2.4 mg/m³ (corr. to 0.34 mg a.i./m³).

Genotoxicity

• In vitro tests

Several *in vitro* studies of genotoxicity were performed with C(M)IT/MIT. Positive results were observed in three Ames assays and in three tests in mammalian cells (one chromosomal aberration test and two mouse lymphoma assays), with or without S9 activation. In contrast, C(M)IT/MIT was not mutagenic in primary culture of rat hepatocytes (UDS) and in a mouse cell transformation test.

A test was also performed with the major metabolite of C(M)IT/MIT, N-(methyl)malonamic acid (NMMA), which appeared not to be mutagenic when tested in a bacterial gene mutation assay test (Ames assay).

• In vivo tests

C(M)IT/MIT was tested in one *in vivo* chromosomal aberrations assay in mice (bone marrow) and one micronucleus test in mice (bone marrow). Negative results were observed in these in vivo studies.

In the studies on tissue distribution of radiolabel in mouse presented in the dossier for MIT and C(M)IT (referenced A6.2.a/03 and A6.2.b/03, respectively in the doc IIIA), radioactivity has been detected in bone marrow tissue following a single oral dose of the test material to adult male and female. This information provides support to the validity of the chromosome aberration test on bone marrow in mice and the micronuclei on bone marrow in mice, since it determines the extent of C(M)IT and MIT distribution to bone marrow of mice after oral exposure.

In the absence of genotoxicity, additional tests were carried out in tissue other than bone marrow. Two UDS assays in rats confirmed the absence of genotoxicity of C(M)IT/MIT when tested *in vivo*.

In conclusion, despite a genotoxic potential *in vitro*, C(M)IT/MIT cannot be considered genotoxic *in vivo*.

The overall conclusion from these studies is that C(M)IT/MIT cannot be considered genotoxic.

Carcinogenicity

C(M)IT/MIT was tested in two chronic/carcinogenicity tests by either the oral route (rat) or dermal route (mouse). C(M)IT/MIT produced no evidence of carcinogenicity (ie., no treatment-related increase in the type or incidence of neoplasms in any group) up to the highest tested doses in these studies: 2140 ppm ai in rat and 2860 ppm ai in mice (corr. to 300 ppm a.i. in rat and 400 ppm a.i. in mice).

Reproductive toxicity

Developmental toxicity

C(M)IT/MIT was tested in two developmental toxicity studies in rats. None of them revealed a developmental toxicity in pups. In dams, irritating effects at gastric level were principally found, with effects on food consumption and body-weight gain. Based on the study submitted by Thor, the highest tested dose without maternal toxicity was 28.2 mg/kg/day (corr. to 3.95 mg a.i./kg/day). An apparent dose-related increase in mortality of dams was observed in the Dow's study but was eventually deemed as not treatment-related in the absence of mortality in the Thor's study and on the basis of the necropsy data (gross pathological examination showed red areas in the lungs indicating a wrong administration route).

One developmental study in rabbits is also available (Dow). It didn't reveal a developmental toxicity in pups. In dams, irritating effects at gastric level were principally found, with effects on food consumption and body-weight gain. The highest tested dose without maternal toxicity was 14 mg/kg/day (corr. to 2 mg a.i./kg/day).

Fertility

When tested in both one-generation and two-generation reproductive toxicity studies in the rat, C(M)IT/MIT produced no evidence of reproductive toxicity including no effects on fertility/mating or on post-natal development at any dose.

Neurotoxicity

No studies were requested due to the absence of neurotoxicity alert in the repeated-dose toxicity studies.

Human data

Skin reactions (irritation, chemical burns and sensitisation) are widely reported from medical data but no epidemiological studies are available.

Due to the strong sensitising potential of C(M)IT/MIT, the skin exposure should be reduced as much as possible (closed systems, protective equipment,...)

2.2.1.3 Exposure assessment

Summary of the major intended uses

Table 2.2.1.3-1: Summary of the major intended uses of KathonTMWT and ACTICIDE[®] SPX

MG/PT	Field of use envisaged	Likely concentration at which active substance (expressed in a.i.) will be used
PT11	Process and cooling water - Used to control the growth of bacteria, algae and fungi in the circulating water of open and closed cooling water systems (e.g., cooling tower - open cooling water system). Kathon™ WT is not used in once-through system.	1 to 6 ppm total a.i. for Kathon™ WT 0.6 to 5 ppm total a.i. for ACTICIDE® SPX
PT11	Air conditioning and air washing systems - The biocide is used for preservation of inuse water based air conditioning, air washing, humidifier, etc., process fluids to control the growth of bacteria, algae and fungi in the recirculating process fluid. ⁶	1 to 6 ppm total a.i. for Kathon™ WT
PT11	Preservative for aqueous wood preservative treatment solution – The biocide is used in water based solutions used to pressure treat and dip treat wood. Wood treatment solutions are dosed with biocide to prevent the growth of micro-organisms (mould, slime) in the treatment solutions that could accumulate in storage tanks, block pumps and pipework and prevent the operation of the treatment plant. The biocide is not intended to function as a wood preservative.	Kathon™ WT
PT11	Textile and spinning fluids - The biocide is used for the preservation of textile and spinning fluids, photo processing solutions and print fountain solutions to control the integrity of recirculating fluid by reducing microbial contamination from bacteria, fungi and algae in the bulk solution.	Kathon™ WT
PT11	Paint spray booths and electrodeposition coating systems – The biocide is used for preservation of fluids in paint spray booths and electrodeposition coating systems to control the integrity of recirculating fluid by reducing microbial contamination from bacteria, fungi and algae in the bulk solution.	Kathon™ WT
PT11	Industrial hygiene, clean in place (CIP) - The biocide is used for remediation of industrial water based process fluid streams to control the integrity of recirculating fluid by reducing microbial contamination from	1 to 30 ppm total a.i. for Kathon™ WT

 $^{^6}$ This application is borderline between PT2 and PT11. After consultation of the competent authorities, Rohm and Haas has addressed these uses in a specific dossier for C(M)IT/MIT in PT2. They are mentioned here for completeness, but no risk assessement will be addressed.

bacteria, fungi and algae.	

In addition to these major uses, minor applications for potential use of Kathon™ WT Biocide include the preservation of process fluids used for non-food pasteurizers/sterilizers/can warmers, reverse osmosis or ultrafiltration membranes [non-food, non potable water, non-medical], wastewater treatment, rinse baths, and conveyor lubricants (outside the food industry). The recommended end use concentration for all of these applications is 1 to 6 ppm active ingredient. These end-use applications for potential PT11 uses (Preservatives for liquid cooling and processing systems) for Kathon™ WT Biocide are considered minor in comparison to the major applications listed in the table above. The major end-use exposure scenarios are sufficiently conservative and broad such that the exposure to Kathon™ WT Biocide in the minor end-use applications will be adequately addressed.

2.2.1.3.1 Kathon™ WT (Dow's product)

Kathon™ WT Biocide may be used directly or formulated as a preservative product for liquid cooling and processing systems, which are ultimately utilized by professionals in industrial applications described in Table 3.1-01 (major uses). These biocidal products are for professional/industrial use only and are not sold to non-professional users (consumers). However, indirect exposure to the general public is possible for certain enduse applications (e.g., handling treated wood in non-industrial applications). A summary of the major PT 11 end-use application(s) and the relevant routes of exposure for potential direct human contact to the treated end-use products are shown in Table below.

PRIMARY EXPOSURE

Professional Users

- Production/formulation of the C(M)IT/MIT active substance and Kathon™ WT biocidal product with 14% a.s. as typical concentration (Professional Users Exposure, Section 3.2.2.1).
- Formulation of Kathon™ WT into biocidal products of lower active substance concentration (Professional Users Exposure, Section 3.2.2.2).
- Application of biocidal product in major fields of use as outlined in Table 3.1-01 (Professional Users Exposure, Section 3.2.2.3).

Non professional Users and consumers

Non-professional and consumer primary exposure to the treated recirculating systems containing C(M)IT/MIT is not relevant since these products are recommended and sold for industrial/professional use only.

INDIRECT AND/OR SECONDARY EXPOSURE

- Indirect exposure to the active substance from its use in major end-use applications (Section 3.2.4.1).
- Indirect exposure to residues via environmental compartments is not considered relevant due to the low potential for bioaccumulation and the rapid biodegradation.

Table 2.2.1.3.1-1: Main paths of human exposure toward active ingredient (C(M)IT/MIT (3:1)) from its major uses in **the biocidal product (Kathon™ WT)**

End-use application	Exposure path	Industria I use	Profession al use	General public	Via the environment
Process	Inhalation	Yes	Yes	Yes	No
and cooling	Dermal	Yes	Yes	No	No
water	Oral	No	No	No	No
Airconditio	Inhalation	Yes	Yes	No	No
ning and air	Dermal	Yes	Yes	No	No
washing systems	Oral	No	No	No	No
Preservativ	Inhalation	Yes	Yes	Yes	No
e for aqueous	Dermal	Yes	Yes	Yes	No
wood preservativ e treatment solution	Oral	No	No	Yes	No
	Inhalation	Yes	Yes	No	No
Textile and spinning	Dermal	Yes	Yes	No	No
fluids	Oral	No	No	No	No
Paint spray	Inhalation	Yes	Yes	No	No
booths and electrodep	Dermal	Yes	Yes	No	No
osition coating systems	Oral	No	No	No	No
Industrial	Inhalation	Yes	Yes	No	No
hygiene, clean in	Dermal	Yes	Yes	No	No
place (CIP)	Oral	No	No	No	No

^{*} Exposure to humans via the environment is not considered a relevant route of exposure due to the low production volume of the a.s. (<<1000 MT, see Confidential section for exact value), the low potential for bioaccumulation and the rapid biodegradation.

PRIMARY EXPOSURE

Production of the active substance and formulation into biocidal products (Industrial/Professional users)

The production of biocidal products is not covered by the Regulation (EU) No 528/2012 on the placing of biocidal products on the market. Therefore, this section is not relevant in the Dossier. (Not evaluated).

Formulation of the Biocidal Product Kathon™ WT into end-use treatment concentrates used in PT11 applications

Kathon $^{\text{\tiny MT}}$ WT Biocide (14 wt $^{\text{\tiny M}}$ a.i.) is a water treatment preservative that is presently sold to formulators who manufacture their own water treatment biocidal products at active ingredient concentrations of up to 5% C(M)IT/MIT for use in the applications listed in Table above.

As described in Document IIB, the application or use phase includes mixing/loading the biocidal product (14% C(M)IT/MIT a.i.), application and post-application tasks (5% to 14% C(M)IT/MIT a.i).

Table 2.2.1.3.1-2: Exposure estimates for industrial worker using biocidal products in diluting process

Tier	Inhalation exposure		Dermal	Total exposure		
PPE	External concentratio n (8-hrs TWA)	Systemic dose	Skin deposit concentrati on	Systemic dose	Systemic dose	
	mg a.i. / m³ air	mg a.i./kg /d	ppm a.i.	mg a.i./kg /d	mg a.i./kg /d	
Task - time frame :	Automate	d Loading	systems (in	dustrial wor	ker) - daily	
Tier 1: Without PPE	negligible	negligible	140000	1.29 x 10 ⁻¹	1.29 x 10 ⁻¹	
Tier 2: chemical resistant gloves and impermeable coveralls	negligible	negligible	140000	1.29 x 10 ⁻²	1.29 x 10 ⁻²	
Task - time frame :	Mai	Manual Loading (industrial worker) - daily				
Tier 1: Without PPE	1.65 x 10 ⁻²	2.74 x 10 ⁻³	140000	14.1	14.1	
Tier 2: chemical resistant gloves and impermeable coveralls + RPE	1.65 x 10 ⁻³	2.74 x 10 ⁻⁴	140000	1.41 x 10 ⁻¹	1.42 x 10 ⁻¹	
Task - time frame :	Cleaning	dispensing	pumps (in	dustrial wor	ker) - daily	
Tier 1: Without PPE	negligible	negligible	140000	7.70	7.70	
Tier 2a: chemical resistant gloves and impermeable coveralls	negligible	negligible	140000	6.36 x 10 ⁻¹	6.36 x 10 ⁻¹	
Tier 2b: chemical resistant gloves and impermeable coveralls + rinse*	negligible	negligible	1400	3.18 x 10 ⁻³	3.18 x 10 ⁻³	

^{*:} the pump is considered to be rinsed before cleaning diluting the a.i. by a factor of 100.

Table 2.2.1.3.1-3: Estimation of combined exposure concerning automated process for industrial worker

Tier	posure		Dermal expos	Total exposure			
		Loading: 1 + Cleaning: 1		Loading: Tier 2 + Cleaning: Tier 2	Loading: + Cleani Tier 2* +	ng:	
Dermal systemic bw/day)	dose (mg a.i./kg	7.83		6.48 x 10 ⁻¹	1.61 x	10 ⁻²	
Inhaled a.i. conc a.i./m³) • 8-hr TWA	. 0	negligibl	le	negligible	negligi	ble	
Inhalation syster bw/day)	mic dose (mg a.i./kg	negligibl	le	negligible	negligi	ble	
Total systemic de	ose (mg a.i./kg/day)	7.83		6.48 x 10 ⁻¹	1.61 x	10 ⁻²	

^{*:} PPE: gloves and impermeable coveralls

Table 2.2.1.3.1-4: Estimation of combined exposure concerning semi-automated process for industrial worker

	+	Loading: Tier 2 + Cleaning: Tier 2	Loading: Tier 2 + Cleaning: Tier 2* +rinse
Dermal systemic dose (mg a.i./kg bw/day)	21.84	7.77 x 10 ⁻¹	1.45 x 10 ⁻¹
Inhaled a.i. concentration (mg a.i./m ³) • 8-hr TWA	1.65 x 10 ⁻²	1.65 x 10 ⁻³	1.65 x 10 ⁻³
Inhalation systemic dose (mg a.i./kg bw/day)	2.74 x 10 ⁻³	2.74 x 10 ⁻³	2.74 x 10 ⁻³
Total systemic dose (mg a.i./kg/day)	21.84	7.77 x 10 ⁻¹	1.45 x 10 ⁻¹

^{*:} PPE: gloves and impermeable coveralls + RPE during mixing and loading

Process and Cooling Water (Cooling Towers)

KathonTM WT Biocide containing 14% active ingredient is used to control the growth of bacteria, algae and fungi in the recirculating water of open (e.g., cooling tower) and closed cooling water systems. This level represents the highest or worst-case concentration for potential exposure during mixing/loading and certain post application scenarios. Typical treatment concentrations for the recirculating water in cooling towers range from 1 to 6 ppm a.i.

As described in Document IIB, the application or use scenario includes mixing/loading the biocidal product (14% C(M)IT/MIT a.i.) and post-application tasks (6 ppm to 14% C(M)IT/MIT a.i).

Table 2.2.1.3.1-5 - Cooling tower uses professional primary exposure summary

PPE	External concentration	Systemic dose	Deposit on skin (hands)	Systemic dose	Systemic dose
	mg a.i. / m ³ air (8-hrs TWA)	mg a.i. / kg bw /day	ppm a.i.	mg a.i. / kg bw /day	mg a.i. / kg bw /day
Task – time frame:	Manua		cooling wat service work	A THEORY OF THE PARTY OF THE PA	water
Tier 1: Without PPE	6.58 x 10 ⁻³	1.10 x 10 ⁻³	140000	5.66	5.66
Tier 2: With gloves, RPE and impermeable coveralls	6.58 x 10 ⁻⁴	1.10 x 10 ⁻⁴	140000	5.66 x 10 ⁻²	5.67 x 10 ⁻²
Task – time frame:	Automat		in cooling was service work		s (water
Tier 1: Without PPE	negligible	negligible	140000	5.15 x 10 ⁻²	5.15 x 10 ⁻²
Task- time frame :	Cleaning		pumps (wat orker) – dai		t service
Tier 1: Without PPE	negligible	negligible	140000	7.70	7.70
Tier 2: With gloves and impermeable coveralls	negligible	negligible	140000	6.36 x 10 ⁻¹	6.36 x 10 ⁻¹
Tier 2 + rinse: With gloves and impermeable coveralls	negligible	negligible	1400	3.18 x 10 ⁻³	3.18 x 10 ⁻³
Task – time frame :		Cleaning for	iled system -	- every year	
Tier 1: Without PPE	negligible	negligible	6	9.90 x 10 ⁻⁴	9.90 x 10 ⁻⁴
Task – time frame :	Cooling water monitoring – daily				
Tier 1: Without PPE	negligible	negligible	6	3.30 x 10 ⁻⁴	3.30 x 10 ⁻⁴
Tasks			e – manual nd fouled sy		
Tier 1: Without PPE	6.58 x 10 ⁻³	1.10 x 10 ⁻³	Not relevant	13.4	13.4

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Tier 2: loading +pump cleaning Tier 1: fouled system cleaning	6.58 x 10 ⁻⁴	1.10 × 10 ⁻⁴	Not relevant	6.11 x 10 ⁻²	6.12 x 10 ⁻²
and monitoring					

Air Washers (Industrial use)

These uses are borderline between PT2 and PT11. They have been included in the PT02 dossier already assessed by FR.

Wood treatment solutions

Kathon™ WT is incorporated into water-based wood treatment solutions to prevent the growth of micro-organisms in the treatment solutions that could accumulate in storage tanks, block pumps and pipework and prevent the operation of the treatment plant. Since Kathon™ WT is not intended to function as a wood preservative but as a preservative for the recirculating wood treatment solution, it has been included in PT 11.02 (Preservatives used in recirculating process systems) and was evaluated in this assessment.

Industrial applications of wood preservative solutions are conducted by a number of application techniques including vacuum pressure, double-vacuum, deluge/flood spray and mechanical or manual dipping. Primary exposure to professionals working in these treatment plants will predominantly occur via the dermal route as a result of direct contact with the surface of treated timber and via inhalation.

The exposure estimates for C(M)IT/MIT in PT 11 (biocidal product containing 14% C(M)IT/MIT a.i. and wood treatment fluid containing a maximum concentration of 50 ppm C(M)IT/MIT a.i.) for the professional users as described in Document IIB. Summaries are shown in the following tables

Table 2.2.1.3.1-6: Wood protective fluids uses professional primary exposure summary

Tier	Inhalation exposure		Dermal ex	Total exposure	
PPE	External concentration	Systemic dose	Deposit on skin (hands)	Systemic dose	Systemic dose
	mg a.i. / m³ air (8-hrs TWA)	mg a.i. / kg bw /day	ppm a.i.	mg a.i. / kg bw /day	mg a.i. / kg bw /day
Task – time frame:	Manual Load	ling in wood pro wor	tective fluids ker) – daily	systems (p	professional
Tier 1: Without PPE	2.74 x 10 ⁻³	4.57 x 10 ⁻⁴	140000	2.36	2.36
Tier 2: With gloves, RPE and impermeable coveralls	2.74 x 10 ⁻⁴	4.57 x 10 ⁻⁵	140000	2.36 x 10 ⁻²	2.36 x 10 ⁻²
Task – time frame:	Automa	nted Loading in (profession	wood protecti nal worker) -		stems
Tier 1: Without PPE	negligible	negligible	140000	2.15 x 10 ⁻²	2.15 x 10 ⁻²
Task- time frame :	Industri	al Use of treate	d wood prote	ctive fluids	- daily
Tier 1: Without PPE	7.13 x 10 ⁻⁵	1.19 x 10 ⁻⁵	50	2.41 x 10 ⁻²	2.41 x 10 ⁻²
Task – time frame :	Cleaning dipping Tank- every year				
Tier 1: Without PPE	7.13 x 10 ⁻⁵	1.19 x 10 ⁻⁵	50	8.04 x 10 ⁻³	8.04 x 10 ⁻³
Tasks	Combined exposure – manual loading + use of treated wood protective fluid				ated wood
Tier 2: loading + Tier 1: application	3.45 x 10 ⁻⁴	5.76 x 10 ⁻⁵	Not relevant	4.77 x 10 ⁻	4.78 x 10 ⁻²

Textile systems/spinning fluids

Kathon™ WT Biocide is used for the preservation of textile processing fluids to control the integrity of these fluids by reducing microbial contamination from bacteria, fungi and algae in the bulk solution. This biocide is also used in photographic processing operations and print fountain solutions to control the integrity of the process fluids used in these systems. The use of Kathon™ WT Biocide in textile systems was considered representative of the use in photo processing and print fountain solutions since the end-use concentration is identical for these applications (6-30 ppm a.i.) and because it is anticipated that workers will have only short-term, intermittent contact with treated process fluid.

Table 2.2.1.3.1-7: Textile process fluids uses professional primary exposure summary

Tier	Tier Inhalation exposure		Dermal	Dermal exposure		
PPE	External concentration	Systemic dose	Deposit on skin (hands)	Systemic dose	Systemic dose	
	mg a.i. / m³ air (8-hrs TWA)	mg a.i. / kg bw /day	ppm a.i.	mg a.i. / kg bw /day	mg a.i. / kg bw /day	
Task – time frame:	Manual Loadi	ng in textile pr	ocess fluid sys – daily	stems (professi	onal worker)	
Tier 1: Without PPE	2.74 x 10 ⁻³	4.57 x 10 ⁻³	140000	2.36	2.36	
Tier 2: With gloves, RPE and impermeable coveralls	2.74 x 10 ⁻⁴	4.57 x 10 ⁻⁴	140000	2.36 x 10 ⁻²	2.36 x 10 ⁻²	
Task – time frame:	Automated	Automated Loading in textile process fluid systems (profe worker) – daily				
Tier 1: Without PPE	negligible	negligible	140000	2.15 x 10 ⁻²	2.15 x 10 ⁻²	
Task- time frame :	Indu	Industrial Use of treated textile process fluid – daily				
Tier 1: Without PPE	9.46 x 10 ⁻⁴	1.58 x 10 ⁻⁴	30	6.90 x 10 ⁻³	7.06 x 10 ⁻³	
Task – time frame :		Cleaning dispensing pump – every week				
Tier 1: Without PPE	negligible	negligible	140000	6.42 x 10 ⁻¹	6.42 x 10 ⁻¹	
Tier 2: With gloves and impermeable coveralls	negligible	negligible	140000	5.30 x 10 ⁻²	5.30 x 10 ⁻²	
Tasks	Combined exposure – manual loading + application + cleaning o dispensing pump				leaning of	
Tier 2: loading and post-application + Tier 1: application + Tier 2: cleaning	1.22 x 10 ⁻³	2.03 x 10 ⁻⁴	not relevant	8.34 x 10 ⁻²	8.36 x 10 ⁻²	

Paint spray booths and Electrodeposition coating systems (Industrial use)

Kathon™ WT Biocide is used for the preservation of process fluids in paint spray booths and electrodeposition coating systems to control the integrity of recirculating fluid by reducing microbial contamination from bacteria, fungi and algae in the bulk solution. The use of the biocidal product in paint spray booths was considered worst-case since this operation involves aerosolising the treated recirculating paint and because this task may

be conducted manually. The end-use concentration for both of these applications is 6 to 30 ppm C(M)IT/MIT. Therefore, the exposure assessment presented below for paint spray booths is considered sufficiently conservative and broad such that it adequately addressed exposure to electrodeposition coating systems.

The exposure assessment below addresses the use of C(M)IT/MIT in the biocidal product at 14% a.i. and as a preservative for paint spray booth process fluids at a maximum a.i. concentration of 30 ppm. Both of these levels represent the highest or worst-case concentrations for the exposure scenarios to which they apply.

As described in Document IIB, the application or use phase includes mixing/loading the biocidal product (14% C(M)IT/MIT a.i.), application of treated processing fluids (30 ppm C(M)IT/MIT a.i.) and post-application cleaning (30 ppm C(M)IT/MIT a.i.).

The primary exposure scenario for mixing/loading presented in Document IIB for aqueous wood treatment solutions also applies to mixing/loading biocidal products for paint spray booth and electrodeposition applications since these scenarios are essentially similar. Exposure models, inputs and assumptions (e.g., treatment concentrations, exposure duration and frequency, PPE, RPE, dermal absorption) used for mixing/loading wood treatment solutions also apply to the corresponding paint spray booth and electrodeposition mixing/loading scenarios.

Table 2.2.1.3.1-8: Spray booth uses professional primary exposure summary

Tier	Inhalation	n exposure	Dermal exposure		Total exposure	
PPE	External concentration	Systemic dose	Deposit on skin (hands)	Systemic dose	Systemic dose	
	mg a.i. / m³ air (8-hrs TWA)	mg a.i. / kg bw /day	ppm a.i.	mg a.i. / kg bw /day	mg a.i. / kg bw /day	
Task – time frame:	Manual Loa	ding in paint sp	oraying systen daily	ns (professiona	l worker) –	
Tier 1: Without PPE	2.74 x 10 ⁻³	4.57 x 10 ⁻³	140000	2.36	2.36	
Tier 2: With gloves, RPE and impermeable coveralls	2.74 x 10 ⁻⁴	4.57 x 10⁻⁴	140000	2.36 x 10 ⁻²	2.36 x 10 ⁻²	
Task – time frame:	Automated Loading in paint spraying systems (professional wordaily				nal worker) -	
Tier 1: Without PPE	negligible	negligible	140000	2.15 x 10 ⁻²	2.15 x 10 ⁻²	
Task- time frame :		Spraying treated paint- daily				
Tier 1: Without PPE	1.99 x 10 ⁻⁴	3.32 x 10 ⁻⁵	30	1.16 x 10 ⁻²	1.16 x 10 ⁻²	
Task – time frame :		Cleaning spra	ay equipment-	- every week		
Tier 1: Without PPE	negligible	negligible	30	6.88 x 10 ⁻⁵	6.88 x 10 ⁻⁵	
Tasks	Combined exposure – manual loading + use of treated wood protective fluid					
Tier 2: mixing and loading + Tier 1: spraying and cleaning equipment	4.73 × 10 ⁻⁴	7.89 x 10 ⁻⁵	Not relevant	3.52 x 10 ⁻²	3.53 x 10 ⁻²	

Industrial Hygiene, Clean in Place (CIP)

Biocidal products containing C(M)IT/MIT are used for remediation of industrial water based process fluid streams to control the integrity of recirculating fluid by reducing microbial contamination from bacteria, fungi and algae. The primary exposure scenario for mixing/loading presented in Document IIB for aqueous wood treatment solutions also applies to mixing/loading in clean in place (CIP) applications since these scenarios are essentially similar. Likewise, the primary exposure scenario for post-application pump maintenance presented in Document IIB for cooling towers also applies to post-application pump maintenance in CIP applications since these scenarios are essentially similar. Exposure models, inputs and assumptions (e.g., treatment concentrations, exposure duration and frequency, PPE, RPE, dermal absorption) used for mixing/loading wood

treatment solutions and post-application pump maintenance for cooling towers also apply to the corresponding CIP scenarios.

As described in Document IIB, the CIP application phase involves circulating an aqueous solution of the biocidal product through a closed system (e.g., pipework) to treat the internal surfaces. Due to the closed and automated nature of the process, exposure to C(M)IT/MIT is not anticipated during this process and therefore the exposure potential is considered negligible.

Table 2.2.1.3.1-9: CIP uses professional primary exposure summary

Tier Inhalation exposure		Dermal	Dermal exposure		
PPE	External concentration	Systemic dose	Deposit on skin (hands)	Systemic dose	Systemic dose
	mg a.i. / m³ air (8-hrs TWA)	mg a.i. / kg bw /day	ppm a.i.	mg a.i. / kg bw /day	mg a.i. / kg bw /day
Task – time frame:	Manual Loa	ding in CIP flui	d systems (pr	ofessional work	er) - daily
Tier 1: Without PPE	2.74 x 10 ⁻³	4.57 x 10 ⁻⁴	140000	2.36	2.36
Tier 2: With gloves, RPE and impermeable coveralls	2.74 x 10 ⁻⁴	4.57 x 10 ⁻⁵	140000	2.36 x 10 ⁻²	2.36 x 10 ⁻²
Task – time frame:	Automated L	oading in CIP fl	uid systems (professional wo	rker) - daily
Tier 1: Without PPE	negligible	negligible	140000	2.15 x 10 ⁻³	2.15 x 10 ⁻²
Task - time frame :		Cleaning dispensing pump – every we			
Tier 1: Without PPE	negligible	negligible	140000	6.42 x 10 ⁻¹	6.42 x 10 ⁻¹
Tier 2: With gloves and impermeable coveralls	negligible	negligible	140000	5.30 x 10 ⁻²	5.30 x 10 ⁻²
Tasks	Combined exposure - manual loading + cleaning dispensing sum				
Tier 2: manual loading and cleaning dispensing sump	2.74 x 10 ⁻⁴	4.57 x 10 ⁻⁵	Not relevant	7.65 x 10 ⁻²	7.66 x 10 ⁻²

Others end-use applications

The reasonable worst-case dermal and inhalation exposure potential to C(M)IT/MIT in other potential liquid cooling and processing system preservative (PT11) end-use applications such as non-food pasteurizers/sterilizers/can warmers, reverse osmosis or ultrafiltration membranes [non-food, non potable water, non-medical], wastewater

treatment, rinse baths, and conveyor lubricants is considered to be adequately addressed by the conservative detailed exposure scenarios and risk characterisation provided above for cooling towers, wood, textile, paint spray booth and CIP. Specifically, the reasonable worst-case occupational exposure to C(M)IT/MIT as a preservative for other potential liquid cooling and processing system end-uses would not be higher than the exposure scenarios identified above for cooling towers, air washers, etc. treated with C(M)IT/MIT.

INDIRECT EXPOSURE

Indirect or secondary exposure to bystanders: treated recirculating systems

Bystander exposure to treated recirculating systems is considered negligible or irrelevant since these operations are conducted in closed building or aeras with restricted access.

Indirect or secondary exposure to bystanders: cooling towers

Workers in the proximity of the Cooling towers and bystanders can be exposed to the drift containing the active substance.

In doc IIB a reverse scenario was build to define the characteristics that lead to an acceptable risk of the small / medium / large cooling towers as categorized in the ESD for PT 11. This evaluation is summarized in the risk characterization section (section 2.2.1.4.1.5).

Indirect or secondary exposure to treated wood

Indirect or secondary dermal, inhalation and/or oral exposure to C(M)IT/MIT residues (50 ppm) from treated wood is possible for adults (professionals and non-professionals), children and/or infants who come in contact with treated articles. This scenarios cover the exposure articles covered by treated paint too as they are similar and the concentration of a.i. in wood preservatives is higher than in paint. Reasonable worst-case indirect exposure scenarios are presented in Document IIB and are summarized below in Table 1.4.2-01.

Acute phase reference scenarios

Adult – cutting and sanding treated wood (non-professional)

Infant - chewing wood off-cut

Chronic phase reference scenarios

Adult - cutting and sanding treated wood (professional)

Adult - inhalation of volatilized residues indoors

Child – playing on playground structure outdoors

Infant - playing on weathered structure and mouthing

Table 2.2.1.3.1-10: Indirect Exposure - Acute and Chronic Reference Scenarios

Tier	Inhalation	exposure	Dermal e	exposure	Oral exposure	Total exposure
PPE	External concentrat ion	Systemic dose	Deposit on skin (hands)	Systemic dose	Systemic dose	Systemic dose
	mg a.i. / m³ air (8-hrs TWA)	mg a.i. / kg bw /day	ppm a.i.	mg a.i. / kg bw /day	mg a.i. / kg bw /day	mg a.i. / kg bw /day
Task - time frame:	Adult (no	n-professi	AND DESCRIPTION OF THE PERSON	ing and sai ute	nding treate	d wood -
Tier 1: Without PPE	1.17 x 10 ⁻	1.95 x 10 ⁻	Not relevant	1.05 x 10 ⁻	Not relevant	1.05 x 10
Task - time frame:	Adult (profession		g and sand onic	ing treated	wood -
Tier 1: Without PPE	7.03 × 10 ⁻	1.17 x 10 ⁻	Not relevant	1.05 x 10 ⁻	Not relevant	1.05 x 10
Task – time frame:	Adult -	inhalation	of volatiliz	ed residues	s indoors - C	Chronic
Tier 1: Without PPE	5.4 x 10 ⁻³	1.66 x 10	Not relevant	Not relevant	Not relevant	1.66 x 10
Task - time frame :		Infant -	- chewing w	vood off-cu	t - Acute	
Tier 1: Without PPE	negligible	negligible	Not relevant	Not relevant	1.20 x 10 ⁻³	1.20 x 10
Task - time frame:	Infant -	- inhalatio	n of volatiliz	zed residue	s indoors -	Chronic
Tier 1: Without PPE	5.4 x 10 ⁻³	2.16 x 10 ⁻³	Not relevant	Not relevant	Not relevant	2.16 x 10
Task - time frame:	Child -	playing on	playground	structure	outdoors - (Chronic
Tier 1: Without PPE	negligible	negligible	Not relevant	2.00 x 10 ⁻	Not relevant	2.00 x 10
Task – time frame:	Infant - p	laying on v	veathered s	tructure an	d mouthing	- Chronic
Tier 1: Without PPE	negligible	negligible	Not relevant	3.00 x 10 ⁻	3.75 x 10 ⁻²	6.75 x 10

Indirect or secondary exposure to textiles

Secondary exposure to consumers from textiles is considered negligible due to the low treatment levels (6 - 30 ppm a.i.) used to preserved textile processing fluids and because of degradation of the active substance during the manufacturing process.

Indirect or secondary exposure to paint spray booths

Secondary exposure to consumers from dried paint is considered negligible due to the low treatment levels (6 - 30 ppm a.i.) used to preserve these recirculating paint systems and because exposure from dried paint is considered insignificant. Moreover, exposure to treated wood corresponds to a worst-case for this kind of exposure (because the applied dose is higher).

Indirect or secondary exposure to Industrial hygiene, clean in place

Secondary exposure is considered negligible for industrial hygiene CIP applications since this process is conducted on closed systems (e.g., pipework) at industrial facilities.

Indirect exposure to humans via the environment

Exposure to humans via the environment is not considered a relevant route of exposure due to the low production volume of the active substance, its low potential for bioaccumulation and rapid biodegradation.

COMBINED EXPOSURE

Combined exposure is not relevant for this assessment since these PT11 applications involve industrial/professional workers, only and consumers (non-professionals) are not directly exposed. Additionally, exposure estimates for humans via the environment are insignificant when compared to exposure estimates for workplace or occupational exposure.

2.2.1.3.2 Acticide® SPX (Thor's product)

ACTICIDE® SPX is used as preservative for liquid cooling and processing systems which are ultimately utilized by professionals in industrial applications. It is used to control the growth of bacteria, algae and fungi in the recirculating water of open (e.g., cooling tower) and closed cooling water systems. This use represents the worst-case scenario with the highest concentration for potential exposure during mixing/loading and certain post application scenarios.

A summary of the major PT 11 end-use application and the relevant routes of exposure are shown in Table below.

Table 2.2.1.3.2-1: Ex	kposure paths	s to Acticide®	SPX
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End use application	Exposure path	Industrial use	Professio nal use	General public (secondary exposure)	Via the Environmen t
Process and	Oral	No	No	Negligible	Negligible
cooling water	Dermal Negligible/ Yes		Yes	Yes	Negligible
	Inhalation	Negligible/ No	Yes	No	Negligible

PRIMARY EXPOSURE

Professional Users

The significant primary exposure scenarios, described in details in Document IIB 3.2.2, are the following:

- <u>Mixing/Loading</u>: manual loading of the biocidal product (ACTICIDE® SPX containing 1.5% w/w C(M)IT/MIT) to the reservoir for system,
- <u>Post-application</u> (maintenance and disposal): Cleaning the dispensing pump, maintenance of the equipment, monitoring the system and waste disposing.

Combined exposure of professional user doing several tasks in the same day is also calculated. The predicted exposures for each professional user scenario (as calculated in Document IIB) are presented below.

For each exposure scenario, Tier 1 exposure estimates are provided. Tier 2 assessment has been developed only when tier 1 assessment leads to unacceptable risks. Tier 1 estimates assume no Personal Protective Equipment (PPE). Tier 2 estimates assume appropriate PPE and/or risk mitigation measures.

The most relevant paths of exposure to C(M)IT/MIT are the dermal and inhalation routes. The oral route is considered negligible.

Table 2.2.1.3.2-2: Cooling tower uses professional primary exposure summary

Tier	Inhalation exposure		Dermal exposure		Total exposure	
PPE	External concentration	Systemic dose	Deposit on skin (hands)	Systemic dose	Systemic dose	
	mg a.i. / m³ air (8-hrs TWA)	mg a.i. / kg bw /day	ppm a.i.	mg a.i. / kg bw /day	mg a.i. / kg bw /day	
Task - time frame:	Manual L		oling water sys vice worker) -		reatment	
Tier 1: Without PPE	7.05 x 10 ⁻⁴	1.18 x 10 ⁻⁴	15 000	6.06 x 10 ⁻¹	6.06 x 10 ⁻¹	
Tier 2: With gloves and impermeable coveralls	7.05 x 10 ⁻⁴	1.18 x 10 ⁻⁴	15 000	6.06 x 10 ⁻³	6.18 x 10 ⁻³	
Task - time frame:	Automated		cooling water sy vice worker) -		rtreatment	
Tier 1: Without PPE	negligible	negligible	15 000	5.52 x 10 ⁻³	5.52 x 10 ⁻³	
Task- time frame :	Cleaning di	spensing pu	mps (water trea	atment service	e worker) -	
Tier 1: Without PPE	negligible	negligible	15 000	8.25 x 10 ⁻¹	8.25 x 10 ⁻¹	
Tier 2: With gloves and impermeable coveralls	negligible	negligible	15 000	6.81 x 10 ⁻²	6.81 x 10 ⁻²	
Tier 2 + rinse: With gloves and impermeable coveralls	negligible	negligible	150	3.41 × 10 ⁻⁴	3.41 × 10 ⁻⁴	
Task - time frame :		Cleaning 1	fouled system – every year			
Tier 1: Without PPE	negligible	negligible	5	8.25 x 10 ⁻³	8.25 x 10 ⁻³	
Task - time frame :		Cooling	water monitori	ng – daily		
Tier 1: Without PPE	negligible	negligible	5	2.75 x 10 ⁻⁴	2.75 x 10 ⁻⁴	
Tasks	Combined exposure – manual loading + cleaning dispension pump and fouled system + monitoring			lispensing		
Tier 1: Without PPE	7.05 x 10 ⁻⁴	1.18 × 10 ⁻⁴	Not relevant	1.4	1.4	
Tier 2: loading +pump cleaning Tier 1: fouled system cleaning and monitoring	7.05 x 10 ⁻⁴	1.18 x 10 ⁻⁴	Not relevant	7.50 x 10 ⁻³	7.62 x 10 ⁻³	

Non Professional users and consumers

Non-professional and consumer primary exposure to the treated process and cooling water systems containing C(M)IT/MIT is not relevant since the product is recommended and sold for industrial/professional use only.

INDIRECT EXPOSURE

Workers and bystanders around the cooling towers can be exposed to the drift containing the active substance.

In doc IIB a reverse scenario was build to define the characteristics that lead to an acceptable risk (a.i. concentration in the drift < long term AEC 0.02 mg a.i./ m^3) of the small / medium / large cooling towers as categorized in the ESD for pt 11. This evaluation is summarized in the risk characterization section (section 2.2.1.4.2.4)

COMBINED EXPOSURE

Combined exposure is not relevant for this assessment since these PT11 applications involve industrial/professional workers, only and consumers (non-professionals) are not directly exposed. Additionally, exposure estimates for humans via the environment are insignificant when compared to exposure estimates for workplace or occupational exposure.

2.2.1.4 Risk characterisation

Quantitative risk assessment was performed for both systemic and local effects by inhalation route (irritation), comparing the estimated exposure with relevant reference values (AELs/AECs). The Margin of Exposure (MOE) approach was used as well, comparing the critical NO(A)EL with the estimated exposure.

Concerning the local effects by dermal route, in order to take into account the sensitizing properties of the active ingredient, a qualitative risk assessment was performed comparing the exposure concentrations with the threshold value presented above (15 ppm a.i.).

AELs determination

According to the TNsG on Annex I Inclusion chapter 4.1 (Quantitative Risk Characterisation, September 2009), Acceptable Exposure Levels (AELs) were derived for acute-, medium- and long -term exposures.

These AELs represent the internal (absorbed) dose available for systemic distribution from any route of absorption, and is expressed in mg ai/kg bw/d.

AEL = NO(A)EL * % absorption / assessment factors

An acute- and medium-term AEL can be derived from the 90-day toxicity study in dogs exposed through diet, where a NO(A)EL was identified at 750 ppm ai (corr. to 22 mg ai/kg bw/d) as no systemic effect was observed at the highest tested dose.

A long-term AEL can be derived from the carcinogenicity study in rats exposed through drinking water, where a NO(A)EL was identified at 300 ppm ai (corr. to 17.2 mg ai/kg bw/d) as no systemic effect was observed at the highest tested dose.

The critical studies used for the derivation of AELs were summarised in the table below.

Critical endpoints for the determination of AELs

Study NO(A)EL		Effects at LO(A)EL				
Acute and medium-term AELs						
90-day study in dogs (A6.4.1/02) (Thor)	22 mg ai/kg bw/d	none				
Long-term AEL						
2-year study in rats (A6.5/01-A6.7/01) (Dow)	17.2 mg ai/kg bw/d	none				

AEL approach

To translate the selected NOAEL into an AEL, the NOAEL is divided by the assessments factors (safety factors). Systemic AELs should be derived using a default factor of 100 corresponding to 10 for inter-species variation and 10 for intra-species variation and an oral absorption factor of 50%.

The following AELs were therefore derived:

- Acute/medium-term AEL= $(22/100) \times 50\% = 0.11 \text{ mg ai/kg bw/d}$
- Long-term AEL= $(17.2/100) \times 50\% = 0.09 \text{ mg ai/kg bw/d}$

In the AEL approach, a risk is considered acceptable if AEL > exposure. In practice, exposure is expressed as a percentage of the AEL (%AEL). The risk is therefore considered acceptable if %AEL < 100.

MOE Approach

To translate the selected NOAEL into an MOE, the systemic NOAEL is divided by the exposure value.

A default factor of 100 corresponding to 10 for inter-species variation and 10 for intraspecies variation will be used as reference margin of exposure (MOE_{ref}).

- If the MOE ≤ MOE_{ref}, the risk is not considered as acceptable,
- If the MOE > MOE_{ref}, the risk is considered as acceptable

AECs determination

As local toxicity is considered as the critical endpoint associated with exposure, a qualitative approach with the threshold value of 15 ppm (specific concentration limit for sensitizing effect) will be used for dermal route. A quantitative approach will be realized for the inhalation route with the derivation of an Acceptable Exposure Concentrations (AECs); according to the guidance for Human Health Risk Assessment (Volume III, Part B, December 2013).

As well as for the AEL, the AEC corresponds to the NOAEC divided by the assessment factors.

AEC = NOAEC / assessment factors

C(M)IT/MIT induces irritation of the respiratory tract with chromo-rhinorrhea, rhinorrhea, eye squint, bradypnea, dyspnea after inhalation administration. The NOAEC of 0.34 mg $ai/m^3/d$ from the 90-day toxicity study by inhalation route in rat was chosen for the derivation of the AEC_{inhalation}.

<u>Critical endpoints for the determination of the AECs</u>

Study	NOAEC	Effects at LO(A)EL/LO(A)EC
	Local effects (inh	alation)
90-day inhalation study in rats (A6.4.3/01)	0.34 mg ai/m³	Irritation of the respiratory tract with chromo-rhinorrhea, rhinorrhea, eye squint, bradypnea, dyspnea

As far as only local effects were observed, a refined inter-species factor is directly proposed. It can actually be assumed that for a local effect at the port of entry, toxicokinetics do not contribute significantly to interspecies differences. In contrast, as the mechanism is not clearly known, it is prudent to assume that the toxicodynamic component should be kept at 2.5.

As well, it is assumed that toxicokinetic does not contribute significantly to intraspecies differences, therefore, this component can be reduced to 1. The intra-species assessment factor is therefore set at 3.2. An additional assessment factor of 2, accounting for the duration extrapolation from subchronic to chronic, is applied for deriving long-term inhalation AEC from medium-term studies.

These values (8 or 16) are used as reference margins of exposure (MOE_{ref}).

The following AECs were therefore derived for inhalation route:

- short/medium-term AEC_{inhalation} = 0.34/8 = 0.04 mg a.i./m³
- long-term AEC_{inhalation} = 0.34/16 = 0.02 mg a.i. /m³.

In the AEC approach, a risk is considered acceptable if AEC > exposure.

In practice, exposure is expressed as a percentage of the AEC (%AEC). The risk is therefore considered acceptable if %AEC < 100.

In the MOE approach, a risk is considered acceptable if MOE > MOE_{ref} (where

$$MOE = \frac{NOAEC}{Exposure}$$
).

Other determination

Derivation of ARfD (Acute Reference Dose)

The ARfD can be derived from the NOAEL of 2 mg ai/kg bw/d, based on decreased food consumption and decreased body weight gain (due to gastric irritation), determined in the developmental study in rabbits by applying an overall assessment factor of 100 (10 for interspecies variability and 10 for intraspecies variability).

$$ARfD = NOAEL/AF = 2/100 = 0.02 mg a.i./kg bw/d$$

Derivation of ADI (Acceptable Daily intake)

The ADI for C(M)IT/MIT can be derived from the NOAEC of 0.4 mg a.i./kg bw/d, based on gastric irritation, identified in the 28-days rabbit study, by applying an overall assessment factor of 100 (10 for interspecies variability and 10 for intraspecies variability). An additional assessment factor for extrapolating from sub-acute to chronic is considered not necessary since the chosen NOAEC is already a conservative value, the lowest of the data package.

$$ADI = NOAEL/AF = 0.4/100 = 0.004 \text{ mg/kg bw/d}$$

Local effects are concentration dependent, therefore for concentrations leading no gastric irritation, no ADI has to a taken into account.

2.2.1.4.1 Risk characterisation for KathonTM WT (Dow's product)

PRIMARY EXPOSURE

2.2.1.4.1.1 Production / formulation of the active substance and biocidal products

The production of biocidal products is not covered by the Regulation (EU) No 528/2012 on the placing of biocidal products on the market. Therefore, this section is not relevant in the Dossier and the text submitted by the Applicant is removed (see document IIB).

2.2.1.4.1.2 Formulation of the Biocidal Product Kathon™ WT into end-use treatment concentrates used in PT11 applications

Kathon[™] WT Biocide (14 wt % a.i.) is a water treatment preservative that is presently sold to formulators who manufacture their own water treatment biocidal products at active ingredient concentrations of up to 5% C(M)IT/MIT for use in the applications listed in document IIB.

• Quantitative risk assessment for systemic effects

Table 2.2.1.4-1: Summary of risk assessment for industrial worker using biocidal products in diluting process

	Total exposure (mg a.i/kg bw/f)	Relevant NOAEL* (mg a.i./kg bw/d)	MOE _{ref} (sum of AFs)	MOE	AEL (mg a.i./kg bw/d)	%AEL
Task- time frame	Automat	ed Loading	systems	(industri	ial worker)	- daily
Tier 1: Without PPE	1.29 x 10 ⁻¹	8.6	100	67	0.09	143
Tier 2: Chemical gloves and impermeable coveralls	1.29 x 10 ⁻²	8.6	100	667	0.09	14.3
Task- time frame	Manua	l loading s	ystems (in	dustrial	worker) -	daily
Tier 1: Without PPE	14.1	8.6	100	0.6	0.09	15 667
Tier 2: With gloves and impermeable coveralls+ RPE	1.42 x 10 ⁻¹	8.6	100	61	0.09	158
Task – time frame:	Cleaning	dispensin	g pumps (industri	al worker)	- daily
Tier 1: Without PPE	7.70	8.6	100	1.1	0.09	8 556
Tier 2a: With gloves and impermeable coveralls	6.36 x 10 ⁻¹	8.6	100	14	0.09	707
Tier 2b: With gloves, impermeable coveralls and rinse	3.18 × 10 ⁻³	8.6	100	2 704	0.09	3.5
Task – time frame:	Combin	ed exposu	re – auton dispensing		ading + cle	aning
Tier 1: Without PPE	7.83	8.6	100	1.1	0.09	8 700
Tier 2: loading Tier 2: cleaning	6.48 x 10 ⁻¹	8.6	100	14	0.09	720
Tier 2: loading Tier 2: cleaning + rinse	1.61 x 10 ⁻²	8.6	100	534	0.09	17.8
Task – time frame:	Combined exposure – manual loading + cleaning dispensing pump					lispensing
Tier 1: Without PPE	21.84	8.6	100	0.4	0.09	2 427
Tier 2: loading Tier 2: cleaning	7.77 x 10 ⁻¹	8.6	100	11	0.09	867
Tier 2: loading Tier 2: cleaning + rinse	1.45 x 10 ⁻¹	8.6	100	60	0.09	161

The risk for systemic exposure during the loading of the biocidal product (14% a.i.) is acceptable for the automated transfer in Tier 2 (with gloves and impermeable coverall). For the manual transfer, the risk is unacceptable even in tier 2 (with gloves and impermeable coveralls and RPE) with a MOE (61) lower than the MOE_{ref} (100) and a %AEL (158) above 100%.

The risk is considered acceptable during the cleaning of the dispensing pumps in Tier 2b (with gloves, impermeable coveralls and a rinse step), with a MOE (2 704) higher than MOE_{ref} (100) and the%AEL (3.5) below 100%.

Concerning the combined exposure (automated loading in Tier 2 + cleaning dispensing pumps in Tier 2b), the risk is deemed acceptable, with a MOE (534) higher than the MOE_{ref} (100) and a %AEL (17.8) below 100%. For the combined exposure (manual loading in Tier 2 + cleaning dispensing pumps in Tier 2b), the risk is deemed unacceptable, with a MOE (60) higher than the MOE_{ref} (100) and a %AEL (161) above 100%.

The risk characterisation for manual transfer and for combined systemic exposure identified an unacceptable risk. When PPE and RMM for local effect are taken into account, no systemic exposure during loading is considered, and the risk can be considered acceptable.

Quantitative risk assessment for local effects

Inhalation exposure

Table 2.2.1.4-2: Summary of risk assessment for industrial worker using biocidal products in diluting process after repeated inhalation exposure

	Inhalation exposure (mg a.i. /m³ air)	Relevant NOAEC (mg a.i. /m³ air)	MOE _{ref} (sum of AFs)	MOE	AEC _{inhalation} (mg a.i./m³ air)	%AEC _{inhalati}
Task- time frame :	Automate	ed Loading	systems	(indust	trial worker)	- daily
Tier 1 : Without PPE	Negligible	0.34	16	∞	0.02	Negligible
Task- time frame	Semi autom	ated Load	ing syste	ms (ind	ustrial work	er) - daily
Tier 1: Without PPE	1.65 x 10 ⁻²	0.34	16	20.6	0.02	82.5
Task – time frame:	Cleaning	dispensin	g pumps	(indust	rial worker)	- daily
Tier 1 : Without PPE	Negligible	0.34	16	00	0.02	Negligible

No unacceptable risk has been identified during automated, manual transfer and cleaning of the dispensing pumps, since MOEs are higher than MOE_{ref} (16) and associated %AELs are below 100%.

· Qualitative risk assessment for local effects

Dermal exposure

^{*} NOAEL corrected by the oral absorption factor of 50%.

Table 2.2.1.4-3: Summary of risk assessment for industrial worker using biocidal products in diluting process after repeated dermal exposure

	Concentration of active ingredient on skin (ppm a.i.)	Threshold value (ppm a.i.)
Task- time frame :	Automated Loading systems	(industrial worker) - daily
Tier 1: Without PPE	140 000	15
Task- time frame :	Semi automated Loading sys daily) –	
Tier 1: Without PPE	140 000	15
Tier 2: chemical resistant gloves and impermeable coveralls + RPE	140 000	15
Task – time frame:	Cleaning dispensing pumps	(industrial worker) - daily
Tier 1: Without PPE	140 000	15
Tier 2: With gloves and impermeable coveralls	140 000	15
Tier 2 + rinse: With gloves and impermeable coveralls	1 400	15

It should be noted that PPE for dermal protection will not decrease the concentration of exposure but the occurrence of the event of skin contact with the active substance.

The concentrations of C(M)IT/MIT used for these exposure scenarios are above the threshold concentration (15 ppm a.i.).

During production, exposure to product is limited to loading operations involving automated or manual systems and cleaning tasks. Therefore, this risk of skin sensitization from C(M)IT/MIT active substance is readily controllable through the use of proper risk mitigation measures when handling formulations. Besides, the use of concentrated formulations is restrained to professional operators, the occurrence of exposure should be considered as accidental and manageable as such.

Therefore, packaging, equipments and procedures, e.g. **automated dosing systems**, should be designed to prevent exposure as much as possible. Moreover, effective skin protection such as gloves, goggles, protective overalls and boots is required under all the identified scenarios for use of C(M)IT/MIT based products. MSDS and product use instructions shall inform the users of the potential risks and prevention measures.

By using adapted processes, protective equipments and respecting good professional practices, the exposure potential to C(M)IT/MIT based products can be avoided and the risk of adverse health effects can be reduced to an acceptable level.

An approval is therefore still possible, provided such risk mitigation measures are implemented.

2.2.1.4.1.3 Professional use of Kathon™ WT under PT 11

A. Process and Cooling Water (Cooling Towers)

- Quantitative risk assessment for systemic effects

Table 2.2.1.4-4: Summary of risk assessment for professionals for cooling tower uses

	Total exposure (mg a.i/kg bw/f)	Relevant NOAEL* (mg a.i./kg bw/d)	MOE _{ref} (sum of AFs)	MOE	AEL (mg a.i./kg bw/d)	%AEL
Task- time frame	Automa	ted Loadin				water
: 	E 4 E 4 0 - 2		t service		C	F7.5
Tier 1 : Without PPE	5.15 10-2	8.6	100	167	0.09	57.2
Task- time frame	Manual Loa		oling wate vice work			reatment
Tier 1: Without PPE	5.66	8.6	100	1.5	0.09	6.3 10 ³
Tier 2: With gloves and impermeable coveralls + RPE	5.67 x 10 ⁻²	8.6	100	152	0.09	63
Task - time	Cleaning dis	pensing pu			nent servi	ce worker
frame:			– dai	ly	1	
Tier 1: Without PPE	7.70	8.6	100	1.1	0.09	8.6 10 ³
Tier 2a: With gloves and impermeable coveralls	6.36 x 10 ⁻¹	8.6	100	14	0.09	707
Tier 2b: With gloves, impermeable coveralls and rinse	3.18 x 10 ⁻³	8.6	100	2 705	0.09	3.5
Task – time frame:		Cleaning f	ouled sys	tem – ev	ery year	
Tier 1: Without PPE	9.90 x 10 ⁻⁴	8.6	100	1.8.7 10 ³	0.09	1.1
Task – time frame:		Cooling	water mo	nitoring ·	- daily	
Tier 1: Without PPE	3.30 x 10 ⁻⁴	8.6	100	2.6 10 ⁴	0.09	0.4
Task – time frame:	Combined e	exposure – pump and				lispensing
Tier 1: Without PPE	13.4	8.6	100	0.7	0.09	1.5 10 ⁴
Tier 2: loading +pump cleaning Tier 1: fouled system cleaning and monitoring	6.12 x 10 ⁻²	8.6	100	141	0.09	68

^{*} NOAEL corrected by the oral absorption factor of 50%.

The risk for systemic exposure during the loading of the biocidal product (14 % a.i.) is acceptable for the automated transfer and the manual transfer in Tier 2 (with gloves and impermeable coveralls) with a MOE (167 and 152, respectively) higher than the MOE_{ref} (100) and a %AEL (57.2 and 63, respectively) below 100%.

The risk is considered acceptable during the cleaning of the dispensing pumps in Tier 2b (with gloves, impermeable coveralls and a rinse step) and the cleaning fouled system in Tier 1 (without PPE), with a MOE (2 705 and 8.7 10^3 , respectively) higher than MOE_{ref} (100) and the %AEL (3.5 and 1.1, respectively) below 100%.

The MOE set for the cooling water monitoring scenario (2.6 10^4) is higher than the MOE_{ref} (100) and the associated % AEL (0.4) is below 100 %, therefore the risk is considered as acceptable.

Concerning the combined exposure (loading biocidal product 14 % a.i. with a manual transfer in Tier 2 combined with the cleaning of the dispensing pumps in Tier 2 and a fouled system cleaning and monitoring in Tier 1), the risk is deemed acceptable with a MOE (141) higher than the MOE_{ref} (100) and a %AEL (68) below 100%.

- Quantitative risk assessment for local effects

Inhalation exposure

Table 2.2.1.4-5: Summary of risk assessment for professionals for cooling tower uses after repeated inhalation exposure

	Inhalation exposure (mg a.i. /m ³ air)	Relevant NOAEC (mg a.i. /m³ air)	MOE _{ref} (sum of AFs)	MOE	AEC _{inhalation} (mg a.i./m³ air)	%AEC _{inhalati}
Task- time frame :	Automa		ng in cool nt service		er systems (·) – daily	water
Tier 1 : Without PPE	Negligible	0.34	16	00	0.02	Negligible
Task- time frame	Manual Loa		oling wat vice work		ems (water t a <mark>ily</mark>	reatment
Tier 1 : Without PPE	6.58 10 ⁻³	0.34	16	51.7	0.02	33
Task - time frame:	Cleaning F		dispensi vice work		ps (water traily	eatment
Tier 1 : Without PPE	Negligible	0.34	16	∞	0.02	Negligible
Task - time frame:		Cleaning fouled system – every year				
Tier 1 : Without PPE	Negligible	0.34	16	∞	0.02	Negligible
Task – time frame:	Cooling water monitoring – daily					
Tier 1 : Without PPE	Negligible	0.34	16	∞	0.02	Negligible

No unacceptable risk of local effects from inhalation has been identified for the different tasks considered, since MOEs are higher than MOE_{ref} (16) and associated %AELs are below 100%.

- Qualitative risk assessment for local effects

Dermal exposure

Table 2.2.1.4-6: Summary of risk assessment for professionals for cooling tower uses after repeated dermal exposure.

	Concentration of active ingredient on skin (ppm a.i.)	Threshold value (ppm a.i.)		
Task- time frame :		ling water systems (water e worker) – daily		
Tier 1 : Without PPE	140 000	15		
Task- time frame :		ter systems (water treatment ker) – daily		
Tier 1: Without PPE	140 000	15		
Tier 2: With gloves and impermeable coveralls	140 000	15		
Task – time frame:		sing pumps (water treatment ker) – daily		
Tier 1: Without PPE	140 000	15		
Tier 2: With gloves and impermeable coveralls	140 000	15		
Tier 2 + rinse: With gloves and impermeable coveralls	1 400	15		
Task – time frame:	Cleaning fouled system – every year			
Tier 1: Without PPE	6	15		
Task - time frame :	Cooling water monitoring – daily			
Tier 1 : Without PPE	6	15		

The concentrations of C(M)IT/MIT used in these exposure scenarios are below the concentration that would lead to sensitization (15 ppm a.i.) for the cleaning fouled system and for the monitoring, but above 15 ppm a.i. for the automated loading, manual loading and for the cleaning of the dispensing pumps. During production, exposure to product is limited to loading operations involving automated or manual systems and cleaning tasks. Therefore, this risk of skin sensitization from C(M)IT/MIT active substance is readily controllable through the use of proper risk mitigation measures when handling formulations. Besides, the use of concentrated formulations is restrained to professional operators, the occurrence of exposure should be considered as accidental and manageable as such.

Therefore, packaging, equipments and procedures, e.g. **automated dosing systems**, should be designed to prevent exposure as much as possible. Moreover, effective skin protection such as gloves, goggles, protective overalls and boots is required under all the identified scenarios for use of C(M)IT/MIT based products. MSDS and product use instructions shall inform the users of the potential risks and prevention measures.

By using adapted processes, protective equipments and respecting good professional practices, the exposure potential to C(M)IT/MIT based products can be avoided and the risk of adverse health effects can be reduced to an acceptable level.

An approval is therefore still possible, provided such risk mitigation measures are implemented.

B. Air Washers (Industrial use)

These systems can be considered borderline between PT2 and PT11. These uses have been included in the PT02 dossier already assessed by FR.

C. Wood treatment solutions

Summaries of the risk characterisation for C(M)IT/MIT in PT 11 (biocidal product containing 14% C(M)IT/MIT a.i. and wood treatment fluid containing a maximum concentration of 50 ppm a.i.) for the professional user scenarios as described in Document IIB are shown in the following tables.

- Quantitative risk assessment for systemic effects

Table 2.2.1.4-7: Summary of risk assessment for professionals using wood treatment solutions

	Total exposure (mg a.i/kg bw/f)	Relevant NOAEL* (mg a.i./kg bw/d)	MOE _{ref} (sum of AFs)	MOE	AEL (mg a.i./kg bw/d)	%AEL
Task- time frame :	Automa		g in wood ssional wo		ve fluids sy daily	stems
Tier 1 : Without PPE	2.15 x 10 ⁻²	8.6	100	400	0.09	23.8
Task- time frame :	Manua		n wood pi ssional wo		fluids syst	tems
Tier 1: Without PPE	2.36	8.6	100	3.7	0.09	2 622
Tier 2: With gloves and impermeable coveralls	2.36 x 10 ⁻²	8.6	100	365	0.09	26.2
Task – time frame:	Industria	al Use of tr	eated woo	d prote	ctive fluids	- daily
Tier 1: Without PPE	2.41 x 10 ⁻²	8.6	100	357	0.09	26.8
Task – time frame:		Cleaning dipping Tank- every year				
Tier 1: Without PPE	8.04 x 10 ⁻³	8.6	100	1 070	0.09	8.9
Task – time frame:	Combined exposure – manual loading (Tier 2) + use of treated wood protective fluid					
Tier 2: loading + Tier 1: application	4.78 x 10 ⁻²	8.6	100	180	0.09	53.1

^{*} NOAEL corrected by the oral absorption factor of 50%.

The risk for systemic exposure during the loading of the biocidal product (14 % a.i.) is acceptable for the automated transfer and the manual transfer in Tier 2 (with gloves and impermeable coveralls) with a MOE (400 and 365, respectively) higher than the MOE_{ref} (100) and a %AEL (23.8 and 26.2, respectively) below 100%.

The risk is considered as acceptable during the application and the post-application phases in Tier 1 (without PPE) with a MOE (357 and 1 070, respectively) are higher than MOE_{ref} (100) and the %AEL (6.8 and 8.9, respectively) are below 100%...

Concerning the combined exposure (manual loading of the biocidal product 14 % a.i. in Tier 2 combined with the application phase), the risk is deemed acceptable, with a MOE (180) higher than MOE_{ref} (100) and a % AEL (53.1) below 100 %.

- Quantitative risk assessment for local effects

Inhalation exposure

Table 2.2.1.4-8: Summary of risk assessment for professionals using wood treatment solutions after repeated inhalation exposure.

	Inhalation exposure (mg a.i. /m³ air)	Relevant NOAEC (mg a.i. /m³ air)	MOE _{ref} (sum of AFs)	MOE	AEC _{inhalation} (mg a.i./m³ air)	%AEC _{inhalati}
Task- time frame	Automat			d protect al worke	ive fluids sy er)	/stems
Tier 1 : Without PPE	Negligible	0.34	16	∞	0.02	Negligible
Task- time frame	Manua			protectiv vorker) -	e fluids sys daily	tems
Tier 1 : Without PPE	2.74 10 ⁻³	0.34	16	124.1	0.02	13.7
Task – time frame:	Industria	Industrial Use of treated wood protective fluids – daily				
Tier 1 : Without PPE	7.13 10 ⁻⁵	0.34	16	4 768.6	0.02	0.36
Task - time frame:		Cleaning	dipping	Tank- ev	ery year	
Tier 1 : Without PPE	7.13 10 ⁻⁵	0.34	16	4 768.6	0.02	0.36

No unacceptable risk has been identified for inhalation exposure during the different tasks considered, with MOEs higher than $MOE_{ref}(16)$ and %AEC below 100%.

- Qualitative risk assessment for local effects

Dermal exposure

Table 2.2.1.4-9: Summary of risk assessment for professionals using wood treatment solutions after repeated dermal exposure.

	Concentration of active ingredient on skin (ppm a.i.)	Threshold value (ppm a.i.)				
Task- time frame :	Automated Loading in wood protective fluids system (professional worker) – daily					
Tier 1 : Without PPE	140 000	15				
Task- time frame :		protective fluids systems worker) – daily				
Tier 1 : Without PPE	140 000	15				
Tier 2: With gloves and impermeable coveralls	140 000	15				
Task – time frame:	Industrial Use of treated wood protective fluids – daily					
Tier 1 : Without PPE	50	15				
Tier 2: With gloves and impermeable coveralls	50	15				
Task – time frame:	Cleaning dipping Tank- every year					
Tier 1 : Without PPE	50	15				
Tier 2: With gloves and impermeable coveralls	50	15				

In all phases, the concentrations of C(M)IT/MIT are above the concentration that would lead to sensitisation (15 ppm a.i.).

During production, exposure to product is limited to loading operations involving automated or manual systems and cleaning tasks. Therefore, this risk of skin sensitization from C(M)IT/MIT active substance is readily controllable through the use of proper risk mitigation measures when handling formulations. Besides, the use of concentrated formulations is restrained to professional operators, the occurrence of exposure should be considered as accidental and manageable as such.

Therefore, packaging, equipments and procedures, e.g. **automated dosing systems**, should be designed to prevent exposure as much as possible. Moreover, effective skin protection such as gloves, goggles, protective overalls and boots is required under all the identified scenarios for use of C(M)IT/MIT based products. MSDS and product use instructions shall inform the users of the potential risks and prevention measures.

By using adapted processes, protective equipments and respecting good professional practices, the exposure potential to C(M)IT/MIT based products can be avoided and the risk of adverse health effects can be reduced to an acceptable level.

An approval is therefore still possible, provided such risk mitigation measures are implemented.

D. Textile systems/spinning fluids

Kathon™ WT Biocide is used for the preservation of textile processing fluids to control the integrity of these fluids by reducing microbial contamination from bacteria, fungi and algae in the bulk solution. This biocide is also used in photographic processing operations and print fountain solutions to control the integrity of the process fluids used in these systems. The use of Kathon™ WT Biocide in textile systems was considered representative of the use in photo processing and print fountain solutions since the end-use concentration is identical for these applications (6-30 ppm a.i.) and because it is anticipated that workers will have only short-term, intermittent contact with treated process fluid.

The risk characterisation for the textile application phase (textile processing fluids containing 30 ppm C(M)IT/MIT) for the professional user scenario as described in Document IIB is shown in the following table.

- Quantitative risk assessment for systemic effects

Table 2.2.1.4-10: Summary of risk assessment for professionals using textile systems and spinning fluids

	Total exposure (mg a.i/kg bw/f)	Relevant NOAEL* (mg a.i./kg bw/d)	MOE _{ref} (sum of AFs)	MOE	AEL (mg a.i./kg bw/d)	%AEL
Task- time frame :	Autom		ng in texti ssional wo		ss fluid sys daily	tems
Tier 1 : Without PPE	2.15 x 10 ⁻²	8.6	100	400	0.09	23.9
Task- time frame :	Manual Load	ding in text	ile proces worker) -		ystems (pr	ofessiona
Tier 1: Without PPE	2.36	8.6	100	3.7	0.09	2 622
Tier 2: With gloves, impermeable coveralls and RPE	2.36 x 10 ⁻²	8.6	100	365	0.09	26.2
Task – time frame:	Industr	Industrial Use of treated textile process fluid – daily				
Tier 1: Without PPE	7.06 x 10 ⁻³	8.6	100	1 218	0.09	7.8
Task – time frame:	C	leaning dis	pensing p	ump – e	very week	
Tier 1: Without PPE	6.42 x 10 ⁻¹	8.6	100	14	0.09	713
Tier 2: With gloves and impermeable coveralls	5.30 x 10 ⁻²	8.6	100	118	0.09	58.9
Task – time frame:	Combined exposure – manual loading (Tier 2) + use of treated textile process fluid					
Tier 2:loading and post-application + Tier 1: application	8.36 x 10 ⁻²	8.6	100	103	0.09	92.9

^{*} NOAEL corrected by the oral absorption factor of 50%.

The risk is considered acceptable in Tier 1 for the loading task (automated transfer) and the textile treatment phase, with a MOE higher than MOE $_{\rm ref}$ (400 and 1 218, respectively) and a %AEL (23.9 and 7.8, respectively) below 100%. For the mixing and loading (manual addition) and the cleaning of pumps, the risk is deemed as acceptable considering the wear of PPE (gloves, impermeable coveralls and RPE), with a MOE higher than the MOE $_{\rm ref}$ (365 and 118, respectively) and a %AEL (26.2 and 58.9, respectively) below 100%. Concerning the combined exposure (loading biocidal product 14% a.i. with a manual transfer in Tier 2 combined with the application phase in Tier 1 and the cleaning of pumps in Tier 2), the risk is deemed acceptable, with a MOE (103) higher than MOE $_{\rm ref}$ (100) and a %AEL (92.9) below 100%.

- Quantitative risk assessment for local effects

Inhalation exposure

Table 2.2.1.4-11: Summary of risk assessment for professionals using textile systems and spinning fluids after repeated inhalation exposure

	Inhalation exposure (mg a.i. /m³ air)	Relevant NOAEC (mg a.i. /m³ air)	MOE _{ref} (sum of AFs)	MOE	AEC _{inhalation} (mg a.i./m³ air)	%AEC _{inhalati}
Task- time frame	Automa		ng in text ssional w		ess fluid sys - daily	tems
Tier 1 : Without PPE	Negligible	0.34	16	∞	0.02	Negligible
Task- time frame :	Manual Load	ling in tex	tile proce worker)		systems (pr	ofessional
Tier 1 : Without PPE	2.74 10 ⁻³	0.34	16	124.1	0.02	13.7
Task - time frame:	Industr	Industrial Use of treated textile process fluid – daily				
Tier 1 : Without PPE	9.46 10 ⁻⁴	0.34	16	359.4	0.02	4.7
Task - time frame:	C	leaning dis	spensing	pump –	every week	
Tier 1 : Without PPE	Negligible	0.34	16	œ	0.02	Negligible

No unacceptable risk has been identified for inhalation exposure during the different tasks considered, with MOEs higher than MOE $_{\rm ref}$ and %AEC below 100%.

- Qualitative risk assessment for local effetcs

Dermal exposure

Table 2.2.1.4-12: Summary of risk assessment for professionals using textile systems and spinning fluids after repeated dermal exposure

	Concentration of active ingredient on skin (ppm a.i.)	Threshold value (ppm a.i.)
Task- time frame		xtile process fluid systems worker) – daily
Tier 1 : Without PPE	140 000	15
Task- time frame:		cess fluid systems (professional
Tier 1 : Without PPE	140 000	15
Tier 2: With gloves, impermeable coveralls and full face RPE	140 000	15
Task – time frame:	Industrial Use of treated	textile process fluid - daily
Tier 1 : Without PPE	30	15
Task - time frame:	Cleaning dispensing	pump - every week
Tier 1 : Without PPE	140 000	15
Tier 2a: With gloves and impermeable coveralls	140 000	15
Tier 2b: With gloves and impermeable coveralls + rinse	1 400	15

The concentrations of C(M)IT/MIT used for these exposure scenarios are above the concentration that would lead to sensitisation (15 ppm a.i.).

During production, exposure to product is limited to loading operations involving automated or manual systems and cleaning tasks. Therefore, this risk of skin sensitization from C(M)IT/MIT active substance is readily controllable through the use of proper risk mitigation measures when handling formulations. Besides, the use of concentrated formulations is restrained to professional operators, the occurrence of exposure should be considered as accidental and manageable as such.

Therefore, packaging, equipments and procedures, e.g. **automated dosing systems**, should be designed to prevent exposure as much as possible. Moreover, effective skin protection such as gloves, goggles, protective overalls and boots is required under all the

identified scenarios for use of C(M)IT/MIT based products. MSDS and product use instructions shall inform the users of the potential risks and prevention measures.

By using adapted processes, protective equipments and respecting good professional practices, the exposure potential to C(M)IT/MIT based products can be avoided and the risk of adverse health effects can be reduced to an acceptable level. An approval is therefore still possible, provided such risk mitigation measures are implemented.

E. Paint spray booths and Electrodeposition coating systems (Industrial use)

Summaries of the risk characterisation for the paint spray booth application phase and post-application equipment cleaning (paint containing 30 ppm C(M)IT/MIT a.i.) for the professional user scenarios as described in Document IIB are shown in the following tables.

- Quantitative risk assessment for systemic effects

Table 2.2.1.4-13: Summary of risk assessment for professionals using Paint spray booths and Electrodeposition coating systems

	Total exposure (mg a.i/kg bw/f)	Relevant NOAEL* (mg a.i./kg bw/d)	MOE _{ref} (sum of AFs)	MOE	AEL (mg a.i./kg bw/d)	%AEL	
Task- time frame :	Autom		ng in pair ssional w		s fluid syst daily	tems	
Tier 1: Without PPE	2.15 x 10 ⁻²	8.6	100	400	0.09	23.9	
Task- time frame :	Manual Loa	ding in pai	nt proces worker)		stems (pro	ofessional	
Tier 1: Without PPE	2.36	8.6	100	3.7	0.09	2 622	
Tier 2: With gloves, impermeable coveralls and RPE	2.36 x 10 ⁻²	8.6	100	365	0.09	26.2	
Task – time frame:	,	Sprayi	ng treated	d paint-	daily		
Tier 1: Without PPE	1.16 x 10 ⁻²	8.6	100	742	0.09	12.9	
Task – time frame:	C	leaning sp	ray equip	ment- e	very week		
Tier 1: Without PPE	6.88 x 10 ⁻⁵	8.6	100	13 10 ⁴	0.09	0.076	
Task – time frame:	Combined exposure – manual loading (Tier 2) + use of treated wood protective fluid						
Tier 2: mixing and loading + Tier 1: spraying and cleaning equipment	3.53 x 10 ⁻²	8.6	100	244	0.09	39.2	

^{*} NOAEL corrected by the oral absorption factor of 50%.

The risk is deemed acceptable for all exposure scenarios considered in Tier 1, except for the manual loading scenario for which an acceptable risk is considered in Tier 2 with the use of PPE. The MOEs are all greater than MOE_{ref} and the %AELs are below 100%.

- Quantitative risk assessment for local effects

Inhalation exposure

Table 2.2.1.4-14: Summary of risk assessment for professionals using Paint spray booths and Electrodeposition coating systems after repeated inhalation exposure

	Inhalation exposure (mg a.i. /m³ air)	Relevant NOAEC (mg a.i. /m³ air)	MOE _{ref} (sum of AFs)	MOE	AEC _{inhalation} (mg a.i./m³ air)	%AEC _{inhalati}	
Task- time frame	Autom		ing in pa ssional v		ss fluid syst	tems	
Tier 1 : Without PPE	Negligible	0.34	16	∞	0.02	Negligible	
Task- time frame	Manual Loa	ding in pa	int proce worker)		systems (pro	ofessional	
Tier 1 : Without PPE	2.74 10 ⁻³	0.34	16	124.1	0.02	13.7	
Task – time frame:		Sprayi	ing treate	ed paint-	daily		
Tier 1 : Without PPE	1.99 10-4	0.34	16	1 708.5	0.02	0.1	
Task - time frame:	Cleaning spray equipment- every week						
Tier 1 : Without PPE	Negligible	0.34	16	∞	0.02	Negligible	

No unacceptable risk has been identified for inhalation exposure during the different tasks considered, with the MOEs higher than MOE $_{\rm ref}$ and the %AECs below 100%.

- Qualitative risk assessment for local effects

Dermal exposure

Table 2.2.1.4-15: Summary of risk assessment for professionals using Paint spray booths and Electrodeposition coating systems after repeated dermal exposure

	Concentration of active ingredient on skin (ppm a.i.)	Threshold value (ppm a.i.)
Task- time frame :		aint process fluid systems worker) – daily
Tier 1 : Without PPE	140 000	15
Task- time frame		ess fluid systems (professional) – daily
Tier 1 : Without PPE	140 000	15
Tier 2: With gloves, impermeable coveralls and full face RPE	140 000	15
Task – time frame:	Spraying trea	ted paint- daily
Tier 1: Without PPE	30	15
Task – time frame:	Cleaning spray equ	ipment- every week
Tier 1: Without PPE	30	15

The concentrations of C(M)IT/MIT used for these exposure scenarios are above the concentration that would lead to sensitisation (15 ppm a.i.).

During production, exposure to product is limited to loading operations involving automated or manual systems and cleaning tasks. Therefore, this risk of skin sensitization from C(M)IT/MIT active substance is readily controllable through the use of proper risk mitigation measures when handling formulations. Besides, the use of concentrated formulations is restrained to professional operators, the occurrence of exposure should be considered as accidental and manageable as such.

Therefore, packaging, equipments and procedures, e.g. **automated dosing systems**, should be designed to prevent exposure as much as possible. Moreover, effective skin protection such as gloves, goggles, protective overalls and boots is required under all the identified scenarios for use of C(M)IT/MIT based products. MSDS and product use instructions shall inform the users of the potential risks and prevention measures.

By using adapted processes, protective equipments and respecting good professional practices, the exposure potential to C(M)IT/MIT based products can be avoided and the risk of adverse health effects can be reduced to an acceptable level.

An approval is therefore still possible, provided such risk mitigation measures are implemented.

F. Industrial Hygiene, Clean in Place (CIP)

Biocidal products containing C(M)IT/MIT are used for remediation of industrial water based process fluid streams to control the integrity of recirculating fluid by reducing microbial contamination from bacteria, fungi and algae. As described in Document IIB, the CIP application phase involves circulating an aqueous solution of the biocidal product through a closed system (e.g., pipework) to treat the internal surfaces. Due to the closed and automated nature of the process, exposure to C(M)IT/MIT is not anticipated during this process and therefore the exposure potential is considered negligible.

- Quantitative risk assessment for systemic effects

Table 2.2.1.4-16: Summary of risk assessment for professionals in industrial hygiene

	Total exposure (mg a.i/kg bw/f)	Relevant NOAEL* (mg a.i./kg bw/d)	MOE _{ref} (sum of AFs)	MOE	AEL (mg a.i./kg bw/d)	%AEL			
Task- time frame :	Automat	Automated Loading in CIP fluid systems (professional worker) – daily							
Tier 1: Without PPE	2.15 x 10 ⁻²	8.6	100	400	0.09	23.9			
Task- time frame :	Manual Loa	ding in CIP	fluid syst daily		ofessional	worker) -			
Tier 1: Without PPE	2.36	8.6	100	3.7	0.09	2 622			
Tier 2: With gloves, impermeable coveralls and RPE	2.36 x 10 ⁻²	8.6	100	365	0.09	26.2			
Task – time frame:	Applic	ation phas	e (industr	ial hygid	ene CIP) - d	laily			
Tier 1: Without PPE	Not relev		he closed a application		nated nature	of the			
Task – time frame:	c	leaning dis	pensing p	ump – e	every week				
Tier 1: Without PPE	6.42 x 10 ⁻¹	8.6	100	13.4	0.09	713			
Tier 2a With gloves and impermeable coveralls	5.30 x 10 ⁻²	8.6	100	118	0.09	58.9			
Task – time frame:	Combined exposure – manual loading + cleaning dispensing sump								
Tier 2: manual loading and cleaning dispensing sump	7.66 x 10 ⁻²	8.6	100	113	0.09	85			

^{*} NOAEL corrected by the oral absorption factor of 50%.

The risk is deemed acceptable for the automated loading scenario in Tier 1, with a MOE (400) higher than the MOEref and a %AEL (23.9) below 100%. For the manual loading

scenario and the cleaning of the pumps, an acceptable risk is considered in Tier 2 with the use of PPE. The associated MOEs are greater than MOE_{ref} and the %AELs are below 100%.

- Quantitative risk assessment for local effects

Inhalation exposure

Table 2.2.1.4-17: Summary of risk assessment for professionals in industrial hygiene after repeated inhalation exposure

	Inhalation exposure (mg a.i. /m ³ air)	Relevant NOAEC (mg a.i. /m³ air)	MOE _{ref} (sum of AFs)	MOE	AEC _{inhalation} (mg a.i./m³ air)	%AEC _{inhalati}	
Task- time frame	Automat	ed Loadin	g in CIP f worker)		tems (profe	ssional	
Tier 1 : Without PPE	Negligible	0.34	16	∞	0.02	Negligible	
Task- time frame	Manual Load	ding in CIF	fluid sys dai	The second secon	professional	worker) -	
Tier 1 : Without PPE	2.74 10 ⁻³	0.34	16	124.1	0.02	13.7	
Task - time frame:	Applic	ation phas	se (indust	trial hyg	iene CIP) - (daily	
Tier 1: Without PPE	Not relevant due to the closed and automated nature of the application process						
Task – time frame:	Cleaning dispensing pump – every week						
Tier 1 : Without PPE	Negligible	0.34	16	∞	0.02	Negligible	

No unacceptable risk has been identified for inhalation exposure during the different tasks considered, with the MOEs higher than MOE $_{\rm ref}$ and the %AECs below 100%.

- Qualitative risk assessment for local effetcs

Dermal exposure

Table 2.2.1.4-18: Summary of risk assessment for professionals in industrial hygiene for after repeated dermal exposure

	Concentration of active ingredient on skin (ppm a.i.)	Threshold value (ppm a.i.)
Task- time frame :		fluid systems (professional) – daily
Tier 1 : Without PPE	140 000	15
Task- time frame		ystems (professional worker) – aily
Tier 1 : Without PPE	140 000	15
Tier 2: With gloves, impermeable coveralls and full face RPE	140 000	15
Task - time frame:	Application phase (indu	strial hygiene CIP) - daily
Tier 1 : Without PPE	The same of the same and the sa	d and automated nature of the on process
Task – time frame:		g pump – every week
Tier 1 : Without PPE	140 000	15
Tier 2a: With gloves, impermeable coveralls	140 000	15
Tier 2b: With gloves, impermeable coveralls + rinse	1 400	15

The concentrations of C(M)IT/MIT used for these exposure scenarios are equal or above the concentration that would lead to sensitisation (15 ppm a.i.).

During production, exposure to product is limited to loading operations involving automated or manual systems and cleaning tasks. Therefore, this risk of skin sensitization from C(M)IT/MIT active substance is readily controllable through the use of proper risk mitigation measures when handling formulations. Besides, the use of concentrated formulations is restrained to professional operators, the occurrence of exposure should be considered as accidental and manageable as such.

Therefore, packaging, equipments and procedures, e.g. automated dosing systems, should be designed to prevent exposure as much as possible. Moreover, effective skin

protection such as gloves, goggles, protective overalls and boots is required under all the identified scenarios for use of C(M)IT/MIT based products. MSDS and product use instructions shall inform the users of the potential risks and prevention measures.

By using adapted processes, protective equipments and respecting good professional practices, the exposure potential to C(M)IT/MIT based products can be avoided and the risk of adverse health effects can be reduced to an acceptable level.

An approval is therefore still possible, provided such risk mitigation measures are implemented.

G. Risk characterisation for other end-use applications

The reasonable worst-case dermal and inhalation exposure potential to C(M)IT/MIT in other potential liquid cooling and processing system preservative (PT11) end-use applications such as non-food pasteurizers/sterilizers/can warmers, reverse osmosis or ultrafiltration membranes [non-food, non potable water, non-medical], wastewater treatment, rinse baths, and conveyor lubricants is considered to be adequately addressed by the conservative detailed exposure scenarios and risk characterisation provided above for cooling towers, air washers, wood, textile, paint spray booth and CIP. Specifically, the reasonable worst-case occupational exposure to C(M)IT/MIT as a preservative for other potential liquid cooling and processing system end-uses would not be higher than the exposure scenarios identified above for cooling towers, air washers, etc. treated with C(M)IT/MIT.

2.2.1.4.1.4 Risk characterisation for non professional user's applications of preserved product

Kathon™ WT Biocide is used as a biocide in recirculating liquid cooling and processing systems in industrial applications. The biocide functions as a preservative for these water based recirculating systems. Major industrial applications include cooling towers, air conditioning/air washers, wood treatment solutions, textile processing systems, paint spray booth systems, and industrial hygiene CIP operations. Non-professional and consumer exposure to these treated recirculating systems containing C(M)IT/MIT is not relevant since these products are recommended and sold for industrial/professional use only. Bystander exposure to treated recirculating systems is also considered irrelevant since these operations are conducted in closed buildings or areas with restricted access.

SECONDARY EXPOSURE

2.2.1.4.1.5 Indirect exposure as a result of use of the active ingredient in the biocidal product

The most relevant paths of exposure to C(M)IT/MIT in the product from non professional use are from the dermal, oral and inhalation routes as quantified by total systemic exposure.

A. Indirect or secondary exposure to adult bystander (Cooling towers)

Workers and bystanders around the cooling towers can be exposed to the drift containing the active substance.

In doc IIB a reverse scenario was build to define the characteristics that lead to an acceptable risk (a.i. concentration in the drift < long term AEC 0.02 mg a.i./ m^3) of the small / medium / large cooling towers as categorized in the ESD for PT 11 7 .

Table 2.2.1.4.1.5-1: Reverse calculation to determined exit surface needed for "ESD" cooling towers

	Cool			
	Large	Medium	Small	Unit
Recirculating Flow rate	9000	100	10	m³/h
Exit surface needed to have an acceptable risk of the tower (S _{exit})	37.50	4.17 x 10 ⁻¹	4.17 x 10 ⁻	m²

To verify if this characteristics can be achieved for "real" cooling tower a comparison was made for small and medium models with cooling towers from the catalogue of one of the main fabricant of cooling tower⁸ and as large cooling towers are designed specifically for each process, the example of the cooling tower of the hospital of Lens was used⁹.

Table 2.2.1.4.1.5-2: Existing cooling towers parameters, air concentration and maximum acceptable water flow calculations

Cooling tower model	Exit surface (m²)	Maximal acceptable water flow rate (m ³ /h)
FXVD closed cooling tower	13.69 to 18.49	3286 to 4438
FXV-E closed cooling tower	6.76 to 12.96	1622 to 3110
HFL closed cooling tower	3.87 to 13.32	930 to 3197
HXI closed cooling tower	2.88 to 6.48	691 to 1555
PFE/PTE opened/closed cooling tower	4.15 to 10.75	997 to 2581
S3000-D opened cooling tower*	5.27 to 14.32	1264 to 3437
Lens Noroxo Plant cooling tower	120	28800

^{*}normal water flow rate: 108-1008 m³/h

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^{**}normal water flow rate: 3000 m³/h

⁷ Supplement to the methodology for risk evaluation of biocides, harmonisation of environmental emission scenarios for biocides used as preservatives for liquid cooling systems (product type 11), European Commission, september 2003.

⁸ Baltimore Air Coil: http://www.baltimoreaircoil.eu/products

⁹ INERIS report February 2004 « Evaluation de la dispersion atmosphérique d'aérosols potentiellement contaminés dans la région de Lens »

The medium cooling towers proposed by the fabricant have exit surfaces greater than the calculated ones required to reach the $AEC_{long-term}$ of 0.02 mg/m³ according to the ESD parameters.

For the S3000- opening and the Noroxo plant cooling towers, normal water flow rates were available and the following drift a.i. concentrations were calculated:

	Drift a.i; concentration	Unit
S3000-D opened cooling tower (Based on min and max water flow rate)	1.71 x 10 ⁻³ to 5.87 x 10 ⁻³	mg a.i./m ³
Noroxo plant cooling tower **	2.08 x 10 ⁻³	mg a.i./m³

The calculated drift a.i. concentrations are below the long term AEC value of 0.02 mg a.i./m³ therefore the risk is considered as acceptable for secondary exposure to the drift of cooling towers.

B. Indirect or secondary exposure to air washers

These systems can be considered borderline between PT2 and PT11. These uses have been included in the PT02 dossier already assessed by FR.

C. Indirect or secondary exposure to treated wood

Indirect or secondary dermal, inhalation and/or oral exposure to C(M)IT/MIT residues from treated wood is possible for adults (professionals and non-professionals), children and/or infants who manipulate treated articles.

- Quantitative risk assessment for systemic effects

Table 2.2.1.4.1.5-3: Summary of risk assessment for secondary exposure of adult and infant in contact with treated wood articles (systemic effects – acute exposure)

Total exposure (mg a.i/kg bw/f)	Relevant NOAEL* (mg a.i./kg bw/d)	MOE _{ref} (sum of AFs)	MOE	AEL (mg a.i./kg bw/d)	%AEL
rofessional)	- cutting a	nd sandin	g treate	d wood - Ad	cute
1.05 x 10 ⁻²	11	100	1048	0.11	9.5
essional) – cı	utting and	sanding tr	eated w	ood - Chro	nic
1.05 x 10 ⁻²	8.6	100	819	0.09	11.7
inhalation of	volatilized	l residues	indoors	- Chronic	
1.66 x 10 ⁻³	8.6	100	5 181	0.09	1.8
Infant - cl	newing wo	od off-cut	- Acute		
1.20 x 10 ⁻³	11	100	9 167	0.11	1.1
inhalation o	f volatilize	d residues	indoors	- Chronic	
2.16 x 10 ⁻³	8.6	100	3 981	0.09	2.4
olaying on pla	ayground s	tructure o	outdoors	- Chronic	
2.00 x 10 ⁻²	8.6	100	430	0.09	22.2
aying on wea	thered str	ucture and	l mouth	ing – Chron	ic
6.75 x 10 ⁻²	8.6	100	128	0.09	75
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^{*} NOAEL corrected by the oral absorption factor of 50%.

No unacceptable risk has been identified for secondary exposure as the MOEs are higher than MOEref (100) and the %AELs are below 100%.

· Quantitative risk assessment for local effects

Inhalation exposure

Table 2.2.1.4.1.5-4: Summary of risk assessment for secondary exposure of adult in contact with treated wood articles (local effects by inhalation route)

	Inhalation exposure (mg a.i. /m³ air)	Relevant NOAEC (mg a.i. /m³ air)	MOE _{ref} (sum of AFs)	MOE	AEC _{inhalati} on (mg a.i./m³ air)	%AEC _{inhalatio}
Adult (non-p	rofessional)	- cutting a	nd sandin	g treated	d wood - /	Acute
Tier 1 : Without PPE	1.17 x 10 ⁻⁵	0.34	8	29 060	0.04	0.3
Adult (prof	essional) – cı	itting and	sanding t	reated w	ood - Chr	onic
Tier 1 : Without PPE	7.03 x 10 ⁻⁵	0.34	16	4 836	0.02	0.4
Adult -	inhalation of	volatilized	l residues	indoors	- Chronic	
Tier 1: Without PPE	5.4 x 10 ⁻³	0.34	16	63	0.02	27
Infant -	inhalation of	f volatilize	d residues	indoors	- Chronic	
Tier 1 : Without PPE	5.4 x 10 ⁻³	0.34	16	63	0.02	27

No unacceptable risk has been identified for inhalation exposure, the MOE exceeds the MOEref and the %AEL is below 100%.

Concerning local effect by dermal route, exposure with freshly treated wood is not expected and is considered irrelevant.

D. Indirect or secondary exposure to air washer systems

Not evaluated in this dossier (see section 2.2.1.4.1.4).

E. Indirect or secondary exposure to textiles

Secondary exposure to consumers from textiles is considered negligible due to the low treatment levels (6 - 30 ppm a.i.) used to preserved textile processing fluids and because of degradation of the active substance during the manufacturing process.

F. Indirect or secondary exposure to paint spray booths

Secondary exposure to consumers from dried paint is considered negligible due to the low treatment levels (6 - 30 ppm a.i.) used to preserve these recirculating paint systems and because exposure from dried paint is considered insignificant.

G. Indirect or secondary exposure to Industrial hygiene, clean in place

Secondary exposure is considered negligible for industrial hygiene CIP applications since this process is conducted on closed systems (e.g., pipework) at industrial facilities.

H. Indirect exposure to humans via the environment

Exposure to humans via the environment is not considered a relevant route of exposure due to the low production volume of the active substance, its low potential for bioaccumulation and rapid biodegradation.

2.2.1.4.2 Risk characterisation for Acticide® SPX (Thor's product)

PRIMARY EXPOSURE

2.2.1.4.2.1 Production / formulation of active substance

The production/formulation of biocidal products is not covered by the Directive 98/8/EC on the placing of biocidal products on the market. Therefore, this section is not relevant in the Dossier.

2.2.1.4.2.2 Professional use of Acticide® SPX under PT 11

A. Process and Cooling Water (Cooling Towers)

ACTICIDE® SPX is used as preservative for liquid cooling and processing systems. It is used to control the growth of bacteria, algae and fungi in the recirculating water of open (e.g., cooling tower) and closed cooling water systems. This use represents worst-case scenario with the highest concentration for potential exposure during mixing/loading and certain post application scenarios.

Summaries of the risk characterization for C(M)IT/MIT in PT 11.01 (biocidal product containing 1.5% C(M)IT/MIT and process water containing up to 5 ppm C(M)IT/MIT) for the professional user scenarios as described below.

• Quantitative risk assessment for systemic effects

Table 2.2.1.4.2.2-1 Summary of risk assessment for professionals when loading water systems and post-application tasks

	Total exposure (mg a.i/kg bw/f)	Relevant NOAEL* (mg a.i./kg bw/d)	MOE _{ref} (sum of AFs)	MOE	AEL (mg a.i./kg bw/d)	%AEL			
Task- time frame	Manual load	Manual loading Acticide SPX in cooling water systems (w treatment service worker) - daily							
Tier 1 : Without PPE	6.06 x 10 ⁻¹	8.6	100	14	0.09	673			
Tier 2: With gloves, RPE and impermeable coveralls	6.18 x 10 ⁻³	8.6	100	1 392	0.09	6.9			
Task – time frame:	Automa	ted Loadin treatmer		ng water s worker) -		ater			
Tier 1: Without PPE	5.52 x 10 ⁻³	8.6	100	1 558	0.09	6.1			
Task – time frame:	Cleaning dis	pensing pu	mps (wa - da		ent service	worker)			
Tier 1: Without PPE	8.25 x 10 ⁻¹	8.6	100	11	0.09	917			
Tier 2: With gloves and impermeable coveralls	6.81 × 10 ⁻²	8.6	100	127	0.09	76			
Tier 2 + rinse: With gloves and impermeable coveralls	3.41 × 10 ⁻⁴	8.6	100	2.5 x 10 ⁴	0.09	0.38			
Task – time frame:		Cleaning f	ouled sys	tem - eve	ry year				
Tier 1: Without PPE	8.25 x 10 ⁻³	8.6	100	1.1 x 10 ³	0.09	0.92			
Task – time frame:		Cooling	water mo	nitoring -	daily				
Tier 1: Without PPE	2.75 x 10 ⁻⁴	8.6	100	3.1 × 10 ⁴	0.09	0.31			
Task – time frame :	Combined = loading + cleaning pumps + equipment maintenance + water monitoring - daily								
Tier 1 : Without PPE	1.4	8.6	100	6	0.09	1591			
Tier 2: loading +pump cleaning Tier 1: fouled system cleaning and monitoring	7.62 x 10 ⁻³	8.6	100	1.1 × 10 ³	0.09	8.5			

^{*} NOAEL corrected by the oral absorption factor of 50%.

The risk characterisation for systemic exposure during the manual loading is not acceptable in Tier 1, but is the risk became acceptable when PPE are worn with a MOE (1 392) higher than the $MOE_{ref}(100)$ and a %AEL (6.9) below 100.

Concerning the automated loading, the risk for professionals is acceptable, without any PPE, with a MOE of 1 558 and a %AEL of 6.1.

The risk for the cleaning scenario (cleaning of the dispensing pumps) is considered acceptable, in Tier 2 only. But the risk for cleaning fouled system is acceptable in Tier 1. The risk during process water monitoring is acceptable in Tier 1 (MOE > MOE_{ref} and MOE_{ref} and MOE

Finally, concerning the combined exposure the risk is considered acceptable in Tier 2 since MOE (1.1×10^3) is higher than the MOE_{ref} (100) and the %AEL (8.5) is lower than 100.

Quantitative risk assessment for local effects <u>Inhalation exposure</u>

Table 2.2.1.4.2.2-2 Summary of risk assessment for professionals when loading systems and post-application tasks after repeated inhalation exposure

	Inhalation exposure (mg a.i. /m³ air)	Relevant NOAEC (mg a.i. /m³ air)	MOE _{ref} (sum of AFs)	MOE	AEC _{inhalation} (mg a.i./m³ air)	%AEC _{inhalati}	
Task- time frame :	Manual loading Acticide SPX in process water system (water treatment service worker) - daily						
Tier 1 : Without PPE	7.05 x 10 ⁻⁴	0.34	16	482	0.02	3.5	
Task- time frame	Automated loading Acticide SPX in process water system (water treatment service worker) - daily						
Tier 1 : without PPE	Negligible	0.34	16	∞	0.02	Negligible	
Task- time frame	Cleaning dispensing pump - daily						
Tier 1 : Without PPE	Negligible	0.34	16	∞	0.02	Negligible	
Task- time frame:	Cleaning fouled system – every year						
Tier 1 : Without PPE	Negligible	0.34	16	œ	0.02	Negligible	
Task- time frame:	Cooling water monitoring – every year						
Tier 1 : Without PPE	Negligible	0.34	16	∞	0.02	Negligible	

The risk characterisation for inhalation exposure during the loading (manual or automated) only, the various post-applications tasks or during loading combined with the post-applications tasks are acceptable, with a MOE higher than the MOE_{ref} (16). This MOE is obtained by comparing the total inhalation exposure as indicated in Tier 1 with the NOAEC of 0.34 mg a.i./m³ obtained in a 3 months rat inhalation study where irritancy of the respiratory tract was detected. As well, the $\% AEC_{inhala\,on}$ is below 100 for the different cases.

Qualitative risk assessment for local effects

Dermal exposure

Table 2.2.1.4.2.2-3 Summary of risk assessment for professionals when loading chilledwater systems and cleaning dispensing pumps after repeated dermal exposure

	Concentration of active ingredient on skin (ppm a.i.)	Threshold value (ppm a.i.)			
Task- time frame :	Automated Loading in cooling water systems (water treatment service worker) – daily				
Tier 1 : Without PPE	15 000	15			
Task- time frame :	Manual Loading in cooling water systems (water treatment service worker) – daily				
Tier 1: Without PPE	15 000	15			
Tier 2: With gloves and impermeable coveralls	15 000	15			
Task – time frame:	Cleaning Kathon [™] WT dispensing pumps (water treatment service worker) - daily				
Tier 1: Without PPE	15 000	15			
Tier 2: With gloves and impermeable coveralls	15 000	15			
Tier 2 + rinse: With gloves and impermeable coveralls	150	15			
Task – time frame:	Cleaning fouled system – every year				
Tier 1: Without PPE	5	15			
Task - time frame :	Cooling water m	onitoring – daily			
Tier 1 : Without PPE	5	15			

The concentrations of C(M)IT/MIT used for these exposure scenarios are below the concentration that would lead to sensitization (15 ppm a.i.) for the cleaning fouled system and for the monitoring, but above 15 ppm a.i. for the loading, and the cleaning of the dispensing pumps.

During production, exposure to product is limited to loading operations involving automated or manual systems and cleaning tasks. Therefore, this risk of skin sensitization from C(M)IT/MIT active substance is readily controllable through the use of proper risk mitigation measures when handling formulations. Besides, the use of concentrated formulations is restrained to professional operators, the occurrence of exposure should be considered as accidental and manageable as such.

Therefore, packaging, equipments and procedures, e.g. **automated dosing systems**, should be designed to prevent exposure as much as possible. Moreover, effective skin protection such as gloves, goggles, protective overalls and boots is required under all the

identified scenarios for use of C(M)IT/MIT based products. MSDS and product use instructions shall inform the users of the potential risks and prevention measures.

By using adapted processes, protective equipments and respecting good professional practices, the exposure potential to C(M)IT/MIT based products can be avoided and the risk of adverse health effects can be reduced to an acceptable level.

An approval is therefore still possible, provided such risk mitigation measures are implemented.

2.2.1.4.2.3 Risk characterisation for non professional user's applications of preserved product

ACTICIDE®SPX is registered under PT 11 only for professional use.

SECONDARY EXPOSURE

2.2.1.4.2.4 Indirect exposure as a result of use of the active ingredient in the biocidal product

The most relevant paths of exposure to C(M)IT/MIT in the product from non professional use are from the dermal, oral and inhalation routes as quantified by total systemic exposure.

A. Indirect or secondary exposure to adult bystander (Cooling towers)

Workers and bystander around cooling towers can be exposed to the drift containing the active substance.

In doc IIB a reverse scenario was build to define the characteristics that lead to an acceptable risk (a.i. concentration in the drift < long term AEC 0.02 mg a.i./m³) of the small / medium / large cooling towers as categorized in the ESD for pt 11.

Table 2.2.1.4.2.4-1: Reverse calculation to determined exit surface needed for "ESD" cooling towers

	Cooli	_				
	Large	Medium	Small	Unit		
Recirculating Flow rate	9000	100	10	m³/h		
Exit surface needed to have an acceptable risk of the tower (S _{exit})	31.25	0.35	0.035	m²		

To verify if this characteristics can be achieved for "real" cooling tower a comparison was made for small and medium models with cooling towers from the catalogue of one of the main fabricant of cooling tower¹⁰ and as large cooling towers are designed specifically for each process, the example of the cooling tower of the hospital of Lens was used¹¹.

¹⁰ Baltimore Air Coil: http://www.baltimoreaircoil.eu/products

¹¹ INERIS report February 2004 « Evaluation de la dispersion atmosphérique d'aérosols potentiellement contaminés dans la région de Lens »

Table 2.2.1.4.2.3-2: Existing cooling towers parameters, air concentration and maximum acceptable water flow calculations

Cooling tower model	Exit surface (m²)	Maximal acceptable water flow rate (m³/h)
FXVD closed cooling tower	13.69 to 18.49	3943 to 5325
FXV-E closed cooling tower	6.76 to 12.96	1947 to 3732
HFL closed cooling tower	3.87 to 13.32	1116 to 3836
HXI closed cooling tower	2.88 to 6.48	829 to 1866
PFE/PTE opened/closed cooling tower	4.15 to 10.75	1197 to 3097
S3000-D opened cooling tower*	5.27 to 14.32	1517 to 4124
Lens hospital cooling tower	120	34560

^{*}normal water flow rate: 108-1008 m³/h **normal water flow rate: 3000 m³/h

The medium cooling towers proposed by the fabricant have exit surfaces greater than the calculated required ones to reach the $AEC_{long-term}$ of 0.02 mg/m³ based on the characteristics of the ESD.

For the S3000- opening and the Lens hospital cooling towers, normal water flow rates were available and the following drift a.i. concentrations were calculated:

	Drift a.i; concentration	Unit
S3000-D opened cooling tower (Based on min and max water flow rate)	1.42 x 10 ⁻³ to 4.89 x 10 ⁻³	mg a.i./m³
Lens hospital cooling tower **	1.74 × 10 ⁻³	mg a.i./m ³

The calculated drift a.i. concentrations are below the long term AEC value of 0.02 mg a.i./m³ therefore the risk is considered as acceptable for secondary exposure to the drift of cooling towers.

2.2.1.5 Overall conclusion of the risk characterization for human health

The active substance (3:1 ratio mixture of C(M)IT/MIT) and formulated product are manufactured in closed processes. Potential exposure to the small number of workers involved in production and/or formulation may occur during product sampling, packaging, equipment cleaning and sample analysis. Routine human contact with C(M)IT/MIT, excluding accidental exposure, does not occur because of the closed nature of the

production/formulation process, because the workers are well informed and trained regarding the hazards and risks of the active substance, and appropriate engineering controls and good industrial hygiene practices are implemented.

The workers, which are using biocidal products in PT11 applications, are well informed about potential health hazards of chemicals used to formulate biocidal concentrate products, well trained for working with hazardous chemicals and routinely wear personal protective equipment. Additionally, good engineering controls and industrial hygiene practices are implemented in these plants, therefore, the potential for worker exposure to C(M)IT/MIT is very limited. The risk during the production/formulation of the biocidal products has not been assessed in this dossier, as it is not in the scope of the Directive 98/8/EC.

C(M)IT/MIT is a skin irritant and has skin sensitization potential. In rare situations where exposure to the a.s. may occur (accidental spills, etc.) plant workers must wear the appropriate personal protective equipment (PPE) to prevent over-exposure and to avoid any potential for skin/respiratory irritation or skin sensitisation.

If appropriate PPE is utilized while handling concentrated biocidal products during formulation, mixing/loading and post application tasks, the exposure concentration is not reduced but only the probability of occurrence. However, the exposure to concentrated products should be prevented.

Therefore, as the product is classified and labelled as corrosive (only for KathonTMWT) and sensitising, C(M)IT/MIT has to be handled with sufficient risk mitigation measures. Manual mixing and loading of KathonTM WT and ACTICIDE SPX and post application phases to process fluids presents an unacceptable risk for local effects. However, it is concluded that with automated systems of mixing and loading of KathonTM WT and ACTICIDE SPX and other risk of mitigation measures, leading to avoid exposure during this task, the complete process presents an acceptable risk for local effects.

Therefore, the RMS considers that biocidal products containing up to 14% C(M)IT/MIT can be used in PT11 applications provided that appropriate risk mitigation measures are applied during the loading of the products and the cleaning phases. Possible measures (not exhaustive list) are:

- The containers of the products are designed to prevent spillages during pouring,
- Automated systems preventing contacts with the product are used for mixing and loading,
- Procedures are implemented to prevent contacts and spillages,
- Chemical-resistant coveralls, gloves, shoes and face-mask are worn during the mixing and loading phase,
- Use is restricted to operators informed of the hazards and formed for safe handling of the products.

Labels, MSDS and use instructions of the products shall inform the users of the hazards and of the protective measures. Written procedures and protective equipments shall be available at the places where the products are handled. The RMMs are summarised in the table below.

In conclusion, the use of C(M)IT/MIT as PT11 can be considered as safe for human health on the basis of the available data, provided adequate risk mitigation measures are implemented for avoiding dermal primary exposure.

Table 2.2.1.5-1: Primary Exposure – Use of concentrated product Kathon™WT- Mixing/Loading and Post application for the formulation of the product containing 5% a.i / the cooling water systems / the wood preservative fluids / the textile process fluids / the paint process fluids / the clean in place (CIP) fluids

Hazard			Exposure						Risk
Effects in terms of C&L	Additional relevant hazard information	PT	Who is exposed?	Tasks, uses, processes	Potential exposure route	Frequency and duration of potential exposure	Potential degree of exposure	Relevant RMM&PPE	Conclusion on risk
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High	Skin Corr 1B (H314) Skin Sens 1A (H317)	-	11	Industrial users	Disconnecting/connecting lines for automated transfer or insert a dip- pipe or lance into the vessel and draw off product (containing up to 14% a.i) into a day tank for manual transfer pouring	Skin	Daily	Manual loading: Small exposure to spills Semi automated and fully automated loading systems: Accidental exposure to spills during connection of container to the pumping system	Organizational RMM Restriction of manual loading to only small quantities. High quantities should be restricted to semi-automated or automated processes. Personal protective equipment Respiratory protection: Wear respiratory protection if ventilation is inadequate. Combination filter for gases/vapours of organic, inorganic, acid inorganic and alkaline compounds (e.g. EN 14387 Type ABEK). Hand protection: Suitable chemical resistant safety gloves (EN 374) also with prolonged, direct contact (Recommended: Protective index 6, corresponding > 480 minutes of permeation time according to EN 374): E.g. nitrile rubber (0.4 mm), chloroprene rubber (0.5 mm), butyl rubber (0.7 mm) and other	Acceptable: + Minimization of manual phases; + Professionals using PPE; + Professionals following instructions for use; + Good standard of personal hygiene.
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			Professional users	Changing out the dip tube (automated systems) and manual dispensing and loading of the biocidal product (containing 14% a.i) to the sump				Manufacturer's directions for use should be observed because of great diversity of types. • Eye protection: Tightly fitting safety goggles (splash goggles) (e.g. EN 166) • Body protection: Chemical protection clothes type 6 (eg EN 13034) General safety and hygiene measures Do not inhale gases/vapours/aerosols. Avoid contact with the skin, eyes and clothing. Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice. Wearing of closed work clothing is recommended. When using, do not eat, drink or smoke. Hands and/or face should be washed before breaks and at the end of the shift. At the end of the shift the skin should be cleaned and skin-care agents applied. Gloves must be inspected regularly and prior to each use. Replace if necessary (e.g., pinhole leaks).	
	4	4		Cleaning the dispensing	pumps (ind	ustrial work	er and profession		
High	Skin Corr 1B (H314) Skin Sens 1A (H317)	11	Industrial and professional users	Cleaning of dispensing pumps containing the product (up to 14% a.i.)	Skin	Daily	Maintenance: direct contact with residues	Rinsing of the system before opening and cleaning. Personal protective equipment Respiratory protection: Wear respiratory protection if ventilation is inadequate. Combination filter for gases/vapours	Acceptable: + Minimization of manual phases; + Rinse step with water of the dispensing pump

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				of organic, inorganic, acid inorganic	before cleaning;
				and alkaline compounds (e.g. EN	before cleaning,
				14387 Type ABEK).	+ Professionals
				• Hand protection:	using PPE;
				Suitable chemical resistant safety	using PPE,
				gloves (EN 374) also with prolonged,	D C 1
				direct contact (Recommended:	+ Professionals
				Protective index 6, corresponding >	following instructions
				480 minutes of permeation time	for use;
				according to EN 374): E.g. nitrile	a 1
				rubber (0.4 mm), chloroprene rubber	+ Good
				(0.5 mm), butyl rubber (0.7 mm) and	standard of personal
				other	hygiene.
				Manufacturer's directions for use	
				should be observed because of great	
				diversity of types.	
				• Eye protection:	
				Tightly fitting safety goggles (splash	
				goggles) (e.g. EN 166)	
				• Body protection:	
				Chemical protection clothes type 6	
				(eg EN 13034) at minimum for	
				maintenance	
				General safety and hygiene	
				measures	
				Do not inhale gases/vapours/aerosols.	
				Avoid contact with the skin, eyes and	
				clothing. Handle in accordance with	
				good industrial hygiene and safety	
				practice. Wearing of closed work	
				clothing is recommended. When	
				using, do not eat, drink or smoke.	
				Hands and/or face should be washed	
				before breaks and at the end of the	
				shift. At the end of the shift the skin	
				should be cleaned and skin-care	
				agents applied. Gloves must be	

					inspected regularly and prior to each use. Replace if necessary (e.g.,
					ninhole leaks)

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Table 2.2.1.5-2: Primary Exposure – Use of diluted concentration of Kathon™WT – Application and post-application for wood preservative fluids (50 ppm) / paint and textile process fluids (30 ppm)

Hazard							Exposur	'e		Risk
Hazard Category	Effects in terms of C&L	Additional relevant hazard information	PT	Who is exposed?	Tasks, uses, processes	Potential exposure route	Frequency and duration of potential exposure	Potential degree of exposure	Relevant RMM&PPE	Conclusion on risk
					In	dustrial Use	of fluids (ap)	plication)		
High	Skin Sens 1A (H317)	-	П	Industrial and professional users	Treatment of wood by different methods (vacuum pressure treatment, double vacuum pressure treatment, and deluge/dipping treatment) / Treatment of textile by mixing, diluting, and machine minding / Spray application of paint	Skin	daily	Automated processes: Accidental exposure to spills "Manual" application: maximum exposure will be in case of paint spraying	Personal protective equipment Hand protection: Suitable chemical resistant safety gloves (EN 374) also with prolonged, direct contact (Recommended: Protective index 6, corresponding > 480 minutes of permeation time according to EN 374): E.g. nitrile rubber (0.4 mm), chloroprene rubber (0.5 mm), butyl rubber (0.7 mm) and other Manufacturer's directions for use should be observed because of great diversity of types. Eye / face protection: Tightly fitting safety goggles (splash goggles) (e.g. EN 166) or face shield could be needed for spraying	Acceptable: + Minimization of manual phases; + Professionals using PPE; + Professionals following instruction for use; + Good standard of personal hygiene.

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								• Body protection: Chemical protection clothes type 6 (eg EN 13034) at minimum for open processes and up to type 3 for paint spraying. General safety and hygiene measures Do not inhale gases/vapours/aerosols. Avoid contact with the skin, eyes and clothing. Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice. Wearing of closed work clothing is recommended. When using, do not eat, drink or smoke. Hands and/or face should be washed before breaks and at the end of the shift. At the end of the shift the skin should be cleaned and skin-care agents applied. Gloves must be inspected regularly and prior to each use. Replace if necessary (e.g., pinhole leaks).	
				Cleanin	g of the eq	uipment (po	st-application)		
High	Skin Sens 1A (H317)	11	Industrial and professional users	Post application phases including cleaning of the dipping tank / cleaning the spray equipment	Skin	once a week	Maintenance: direct contact with residues	Organisational RMM Rinsing of the system before opening and cleaning. Personal protective equipment Hand protection: Suitable chemical resistant safety gloves (EN 374) also with prolonged, direct contact (Recommended: Protective index 6, corresponding > 480 minutes of permeation time according to EN 374): E.g. nitrile rubber (0.4 mm), chloroprene rubber	Acceptable: + Professional using PPE; + Professional following instruction for use; + Good standard of personal

		(0.5 mm), butyl rubber (0.7 mm) and	hygiene.
		other	
		Manufacturer's directions for use	
		should be observed because of great	
		diversity of types.	
		• Eye / face protection:	
		Tightly fitting safety goggles (splash	
		goggles) (e.g. EN 166) or face shield	
		could be needed for maintenance	
		Body protection:	
		Chemical protection clothes type 6	
		(eg EN 13034) at minimum for	
		maintenance	
		General safety and hygiene	
		measures	
		Do not inhale gases/vapours/aerosols.	
		Avoid contact with the skin, eyes and	
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		good industrial hygiene and safety	
		practice. Wearing of closed work clothing is recommended. When	
		using, do not eat, drink or smoke.	
		Hands and/or face should be washed	
		before breaks and at the end of the	
		shift. At the end of the shift the skin	
		should be cleaned and skin-care	
		agents applied. Gloves must be	
		inspected regularly and prior to each	
		use. Replace if necessary (e.g.,	
		pinhole leaks).	

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Table 2.2.1.5-3: Primary Exposure – Use of concentrated product of ACTICIDE SPX – Mixing/Loading and Post application for the cooling water systems

	Hazard	i			Risk					
Hazard Category	Effects in terms of C&L	Additional relevant hazard information	PT	Who is exposed?	Tasks, uses, processes	Potential exposure route	Frequency and duration of potential exposure	Potential degree of exposure	Relevant RMM&PPE	Conclusion on risk
				Autom	ated or manua	l loading in	cooling water	system (mixin	g and loading)	
High	Skin Sens 1A (H317)	4	11	Professional users	Changing out the dip tube (automated systems) and manual dispensing and loading of the biocidal product (containing 1.5% a.i) to the sump	Skin	daily	Manual loading: Small exposure to spills Semi automated and fully automated loading systems: Accidental exposure to spills during connection of container to the pumping system	• Restriction of manual loading to only small quantities. High quantities should be restricted to semi-automated or automated processes. Personal protective equipment • Respiratory protection: Wear respiratory protection: Wear respiratory protection if ventilation is inadequate. Combination filter for gases/vapours of organic, inorganic, acid inorganic and alkaline compounds (e.g. EN 14387 Type ABEK). • Hand protection: Suitable chemical resistant safety gloves (EN 374) also with prolonged, direct contact (Recommended: Protective index 6, corresponding > 480 minutes of permeation time according to EN 374): E.g. nitrile rubber (0.4 mm), chloroprene rubber (0.5 mm), butyl rubber (0.7 mm) and other Manufacturer's directions for use should be observed because of great	Acceptable: + Minimization of manual phases; + Professionals using PPE; + Professionals following instructions for use; + Good standard of personal hygiene.

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									Tightly fitting safety goggles (splash goggles) (e.g. EN 166) Body protection: Chemical protection clothes type 6 (eg EN 13034) General safety and hygiene measures Do not inhale gases/vapours/aerosols. Avoid contact with the skin, eyes and clothing. Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice. Wearing of closed work clothing is recommended. When using, do not eat, drink or smoke. Hands and/or face should be washed before breaks and at the end of the shift. At the end of the shift the skin should be cleaned and skin-care agents applied. Gloves must be inspected regularly and prior to each use. Replace if necessary (e.g., pinhole leaks)	
					Cleaning of	of the dispe	nsing pump	(post-application	n)	
High	Skin Sens 1A (H317)	o ş o	11	Industrial and professional users	Cleaning the dispensing pump for maintenance, inspecting the interior of cooling tower, sampling the process liquid (dip slide), and	Skin	daily	Maintenance: direct contact with residues	Rinsing of the system before opening and cleaning. Personal protective equipment Respiratory protection: Wear respiratory protection if ventilation is inadequate. Combination filter for gases/vapours of organic, inorganic, acid inorganic and alkaline compounds (e.g. EN 14387 Type ABEK).	Acceptable: + Professional using PPE; + Rinse step with water of the dispensing pump before cleaning;

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Suitable chemical resistant safety gloves (EN 374) also with prolonged, direct contact (Recommended: Protective index 6, corresponding > 480 minutes of permetaion time according to EN 374): E.g. nitrile rubber (0.4 mm), chloroprene rubber (0.5 mm), butyl rubber (0.7 mm) and other Manufacturer's directions for use should be observed because of great diversity of types. • Eye protection: Tightyl riting safety goggles (splash goggles) (e.g. EN 166) • Body protection: Chemical protection clothes type 6 (e.g. EN 13034) at minimum for maintenance Chemical protection clothes type 6 (e.g. EN 13034) at minimum for maintenance General safety and hygiene measures Do not inhale gases/vapours/aerosols. Avoid contact with the skin, eyes and clothing. Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice. Wearing of closed work clothing is recommended. When using, do not eat, drink or smoke. Hands and/or face should be washed before breaks and at the end of the shift. At the end of the shift, the end of the shift, the end of the shift the skin should be cleaned and skin-care			 TT 1	
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2.2.2 Environment risk assessment

2.2.2.1 Fate and distribution in the environment

2.2.2.1.1 Hydrolysis as a function of pH

In the environmental conditions (12° C, pH7), C(M)IT and MIT are considered as stable. C(M)IT and MIT are considered as hydrolytically stable in the test conditions at pH 4, 5 and 7. However at pH 9, C(M)IT hydrolyses at a moderate rate with an extrapolated half-life of 47.81 (Dow Chemical) – 120.6 (Thor) days at 12°C whereas MIT remains stable to hydrolysis..

2.2.2.1.2 Photolysis in water

C(M)IT and MIT photodegrade in water and natural sunlight at a moderate rate with half-lives of 6.6 and 18.2 days, respectively for C(M)IT and MIT.

2.2.2.1.3 Photolysis in air

C(M)IT and MIT photodegrade quickly with a highest DT_{50} of 17.5 hours for C(M)IT. The DT_{50} for MIT corresponds to 16.6 hours. Due to very low production and usage volume, the effect from C(M)IT, MIT and its potential photodegradation products towards global warming is minimal. Therefore, C(M)IT, MIT and its photodegradation metabolites impose no effect to global warming.

2.2.2.1.4 Biodegradation

In the Dow Chemical dossier, the readily biodegradation of the active substance was studied in separate tests for C(M)IT and MIT. C(M)IT is classified readily biodegradable with a failure of the 10-day window and MIT is classified as not readily biodegradable according to the criteria of the test, although significant biodegradation occurred. In the Thor dossier, adaptation of the inoculum used in the ready biodegradation test cannot be excluded and C(M)IT/MIT is therefore considered as not readily biodegradable.

Nevertheless, the biotic degradation of C(M)IT and MIT appears as the major metabolic pathway in simulation tests compared to abiotic degradation which is less rapid than biodegradation.

For the risk assessment, available STP simulation results for C(M)IT, and MIT were considered. For C(M)IT, results show that no parent compound was detected in the effluent phase or in the sludge, C(M)IT was considered to be totally degraded in the STP and no emission of this compound in the different environmental compartments from the STP was foreseen. The only compound considered at the outlet of the STP was MIT. The fractions of MIT emission directed to water through effluents from the STP were 12.2% of MIT. No quantification of MIT in sludge has been carried out. Nevertheless, 6.6% of not identified radioactivity were detected in the sludge, and considered as MIT in a worst case approach. Besides, the half life of MIT has been determined to be 0.04 days.

Provided simulation studies were carried out on C(M)IT and MIT separately. Half life derived for MIT were harmonised with the values available in the MIT dossier by Slovenia. When necessary, other half life have been derived according to FOCUS recommendations leading to different half life for PEC calculations and for persistency assessment when simple first order do not apply to the experimental data. Additionally, in some aquatic

studies, two concentrations of chemicals were tested, leading sometimes to observed toxicity. In this case two half live have been derived for the considered compartment. All these values were reported in the table below.

PBT assessment, I	DT50, 12°C		
compartment	C(M)IT	MIT	C(M)IT/MIT
Water sediment	2.22 d	2.21 d	2.22 d
Estuarine (<20 µg/L)	1.49 d	2.63 d	2.63 d
Estuarine (>20µg/L)	5.82 d		5.82 d
Marine (<10 μg/L)	3.4 d (4.3 d at 9°C)	6.3 d (8.0 d at 9°C)	6.3 d (8.0 d at 9°C)
Marine (>10µg/L)	32.8 d	23.3 d	32.8 d
	(41.7 d at 9°C)	(29.7 d at 9°C)	(41.7 d at 9°C)
Soil	0.21 d	0.51d	0.51 d
PEC calculation, D	T50, 12°C		
compartment	C(M)IT	MIT	C(M)IT/MIT
Estuarine (<20 µg/L)	1.49 d	2.63d	2.63d
Estuarine (>20µg/L)	5.82 d		5.82 d
Marine (<10 μg/L)	3.4 d (4.3 d at 9°C)	15.7 d (20.0 d at 9°C)	15.7 d (20.0 d at 9°C)
Marine (>10μg/L)	32.8 d (41.7 d at 9°C)	23.3 d (29.7 d at 9°C)	32.8 d (41.7 d at 9°C)
Soil	1.48 d	0.51 d	1.48 d

In aquatic compartment, no biodegradation test in fresh water was provided by both applicants. Thus, estuarine water was considered as realistic worst case for biodegradation in fresh water. Indeed, for a same range of tested concentration, biodegradation estuarine water, with a lower salinity than marine water, was faster than the biodegradation in marine water and probably slightly slower than in fresh water. Half life in the water sediment system are provided for the whole system which appears as relevant considering the low adsorption capacities of C(M)IT and MIT. This is confirmed in the Thor dossier, where similar half life are observed for the whole system and the water compartment.. Half life derived from the water sediment studies are in the same range than half life from the estuarine studies.

In soil, C(M)IT and MIT rapidly dissipate following a biphasic kinetic. Higher degradation rates are observed during the first 48h of the studies (sometimes less than 2 days, Dow chemical) and after this first rapid degradation, slower degradation rates are observed. Half lives are determined with a value of 1.48 days at 12°C for C(M)IT and a value of 0.51 day at 12°C for MIT.

2.2.2.1.5 Distribution

In adsorption tests, C(M)IT and MIT are weakly adsorbed to soil and activated sludge with Koc values less than 310 for Ka_{oc} and less than 421 for K_{doc} . This indicates that in sewage treatment plant, the active substance would probably be predominant in the water phase. If present in surface water, C(M)IT and MIT will partition mostly in the water column and will probably not accumulate in sediments. In soil, C(M)IT and MIT may have a potential for leaching, but the quick biodegradation of the substances in soil observed in the first 48 h of the biodegradation test in the Dow chemical dossier (half life <2 days) and the similar results reported in the Thor Dossier indicate the risk for groundwater should be low. The Koc values used for risk assessment are 83.2 L/kg for C(M)IT and 7.5 L/kg for MIT (arithmetic mean).

2.2.2.1.6 Metabolites

Identification of metabolites was only carried out in the Dow Chemical Dossier. In the environment, C(M)IT and MIT rapidly dissipate to compounds which are in turn quickly biodegraded, indicating that persistence in the environment should be minimal. Among the principal metabolites of C(M)IT/MIT, a key metabolite has been identified and tested: N-methyl malonamic acid. It has been shown experimentally to be ready biodegradable. The other degradation products are all transient, reach their peak concentration in the first sampling times and quickly become less than 10% of applied radioactivity, generally after 5 to 10 days and in all cases by day 30. To confirm this, QSARs are conducted on these compounds and confirmed these metabolites are expected to be quickly biodegraded.

2.2.2.1.7 Accumulation

With a log Kow value for C(M)IT and MIT below 3 (log Kow = 0.401, C(M)IT -Dow Chemical), the potential of bioaccumulation or biomagnification of C(M)IT and MIT could be considered as negligible. Measured bioconcentration factor for C(M)IT was \leq 54 which confirms that the bioconcentration potential of C(M)IT/MIT is very low. Furthermore according to the toxicokinetics, metabolism and distribution data provided in the toxicological section (2.2.1), the active substance is rapidly and extensively metabolized and is not considered to have an accumulative potential in food chain. At last, based on log Kow values, metabolites identified in the simulation studies are expeted to have a low potential of bioaccumulation.

2.2.2.2 Effects assessment on environmental organisms (active substance)

For each environmental compartment, the PNECs for active ingredient C(M)IT/MIT are presented in this section. Furthermore, as the risk assessment for the environment is almost based on MIT when releases to STP are considered,, the PNECs for active ingredient MIT issued from the MIT dossier evaluated by Slovenia are also indicated in this section. Experimental data and QSAR have been provided for the metabolites which have been identified in simulation studies and are reported in document IIA. These data indicate that metabolites are less toxic than parent substance.

2.2.2.2.1 Aquatic compartment (including water, sediment and STP)

Aquatic organisms

Available valid aquatic ecotoxicological data provided by the two applicants (Dow Chemical and Thor) have been used to derive the PNEC for the aquatic (freshwater) compartment. Additionally, as the species sensitivity between freshwater and marine fish and algae is within a factor of 10, data from fresh and marine water have been pooled to derive the PNEC for the aquatic (freshwater) compartment.

The most sensitive endpoint is the NOEC value based on geometric mean measured concentration from growth inhibition test performed by Dow Chemical on marine algae, *Skeletonema costatum*.

Hence, the PNEC fresh surface water is estimated to be 0.049 μg a.i./L since a safety factor of 10 according to the TGD¹² should be applied to the lowest endpoint for aquatic environment when chronic data for three trophic levels are available. For marine water, an assessment factor of 50 has been applied as no additional chronic data on marine taxonomic group were provided and as acute data on molluscs indicate that algae are the most sensitive species. The PNEC_{marine water} is therefore estimated to be 0.0098 μg a.i./L.

For **MIT**, the PNEC_{fresh surface water} is estimated to be **3.9 \mug/L**; based on E_rC₁₀ value of 0.039 mg/L (geometric mean from two studies on marine algae, *Skeletonema costatum*) divided by an assessment factor of 10.

Inhibition of aquatic microbial activity

In order to prevent adverse effects of C(M)IT/MIT on microbial activity in STPs, a PNEC $_{\rm microorganisms}$ is derived from the respiration inhibition test according to the OECD guideline 209. The NOEC obtained (0.91 mg a.i./L) divided by an assessment factor of 10 leads to a PNEC $_{\rm microorganisms}$ of 0.091 mg/L whereas the lowest EC50 (4.5 mg a.i./L) divided by an assessment factor of 100 leads to a lower **PNEC_{\rm microorganisms} of 0.045 mg/L**. During the WGI2014, it was discussed if, in this case, the lowest PNEC should be selected for the risk assessment. No clear agreement could have been obtained and it was decided to choose the lowest PNEC as the most conservative approach, expecting further discussions on the interpretation of the TGD.

The PNEC_{microorganisms} for MIT is considered (issued from MIT dossier) to be **PNEC**_{microorganisms} = **0.23 mg/L, issued** from an EC₅₀ of 2.3 mg/L (growth inhibition test with *Pseudomonas putida*, ISO 10712) and an assessment factor of 10.

Sediment dwelling organisms

The study considered relevant for the risk assessment has been conducted by Dow with $\it Lumbriculus variegate$ s exposed to C(M)IT/MIT spiked sediment and provides a NOEC (28d, survival, initial) of 1.93 mg/kg (equivalent to 0.27 mg a.i./kg) dry $\it weight sediment$. A safety factor of 10 is applied, resulting in a $\it PNEC_{sed}$ of 0.027 mg a.i./kg_{dry sediment} corresponding to $\it 0.0058$ mg a.i./kg_{wet sediment}.

According to the TGD, as the log Kow values of both substances (C(M)IT and MIT) are < 3 and the Koc values for both substances are < 500 L/kg, sediment effects assessment is not considered as relevant for this active substance.

¹² European Commission (2003): Technical Guidance Document on Risk Assessment. European Commission Joint Research Centre, EUR 20418.

2.2.2.3 Atmosphere

No risks are expected due to high degradability and low volatility of C(M)IT/MIT. Additionally, C(M)IT and MIT are not listed on Annex I of Directive 1005/2009 and are therefore not considered to be ozone depleting substances.

2.2.2.4 Terrestrial compartment

For the terrestrial compartment, NOEC values from long-term toxicity tests on soil microorganisms, are available. A NOEC has been derived from the plant study however, as, acutely, plants are the most sensitive species therefore this study could not be considered as chronic according to MOTA v6. Therefore, an assessment factor of 100 is applied to the lowest NOEC, which was the result of respiration test (28d) on microorganisms (NOEC = 1 mg a.i./kg_{dw}, initial) lead to a **PNEC**_{soil} of 0.01 mg a.i./kg_{wet soil}.

As stated at the 32^{nd} Competent Authority meeting, as degradation half-life is < 2 days, for the risk assessment the initial PNEC is compared to the initial PEC calculated without taking into account any degradation. Nevertheless, for intended uses leading to continuous release to the soil, PNEC twa has been calculated to be 0.0004 mg a.i./kg_{wet soil} taking into account of a half life in soil of 0.78 d at 20° C.

For release through the spreading of STP sludge,, the initial PNEC_{soil} for MIT is considered to be **PNEC soil = 0.0417 mg/kg**_{wet soil} from EC₅₀ of 18 mg/kg _{dry soil} issued from a plant tests and an assessment factor of 1000 (issued from MIT dossier).

2.2.2.5 Summary of PNEC values

Table 2.2.2.5-1: Summary of the selected PNEC values used for the risk characterisation part

ENVIRONMENTAL COMPARTMENT	PN	11	
ENVIRONMENTAL COMPARTMENT	C(M)IT/MIT	MIT	Unit
PNEC _{fresh} surface water	0.049	3.9	μg a.i./L
PNEC _{marine} water	0.0098	-	μg a.i./L
$PNEC_{stp}$	0.045	0.23	mg a.i./L
PNEC _{soil, initial}	0.009	0.0417	mg a.i./kg _{wwt}
PNEC _{soil, TWA}	0.0004	-	mg a.i./kg _{wwt}

2.2.2.6 Environmental effect assessment (product)

No additional data on the environmental effects of the biocidal products were submitted. The risk assessment is based on the effect of the active substance C(M)IT/MIT.

2.2.2.7 PBT Assessment and endocrine properties

According to the PBT assessment in the Annex XIII from the REACH regulation, substances are classified when they fulfil the criteria for all three inherent properties Persistent, Bioaccumulable, Toxic.

2.2.2.7.1 Persistance criteria

According to the PBT assessment in the Annex XIII from the REACH regulation, criteria for substance to be persistent are fulfilled when:

- T 1/2 in marine water > 60 days or,
- T 1/2 in freshwater > 40days or,
- T 1/2 in marine: sediment > 180 days or,
- T 1/2 in freshwater: sediment > 120 days, or T $_{1/2}$ in soil > 120 days.

In simulation tests, the degradation half-lives of both substances in aerobic estuarine water microcosm and in aerobic and water/sediment are less than 6 days (12° C). Considering these data, the active substance C(M)IT/MIT does not fulfilled the P criteria. Relevant metabolites are shown to be either readily biodegradable or transient and are therefore considered to be not persistent.

2.2.2.7.2 B criteria

According to the PBT assessment in the Annex XIII from the REACH regulation, a substance is considered to fulfill the B criterion when the bioconcentration factor (BCF) exceeds a value of 2 000 L/kg.

The potential of bioaccumulation of C(M)IT measured from a study conducted in fish (Bluegill sunfish) according to OECD 305 guideline is considered as very low \leq 54. Because of the log Kow value for MIT is lower than the log Kow value for C(M)IT, and taken into account the results of the previous study, the bioaccumulation potential for MIT will be minimal.

Considering these data, the active substance C(M)IT/MIT is no selected according to the B criteria.

2.2.2.7.3 T criteria

According to the PBT assessment in the Annex XIII from the REACH regulation, the toxicity criterion is fulfilled when the chronic NOEC for aquatic organism is less than 0.01 mg/L or when the substance is toxic to mammals and classified as Very Toxic or Toxic after oral dosing.

Based on ecotoxicity data on *Skeletonema costatum*, NOErC (48-hour, growth inhibition) = 0.49 µg a.i./L (static, measured concentrations), T criteria is fulfilled.

As only one of these P, B, T criteria is fulfilled, the active substance C(M)IT/MIT is not classified according the PBT assessment.

2.2.2.8 Environmental exposure

The risk characterisation has been carried out for the representative product of the each applicant: Kathon™ WT (Dow) and ACTICIDE® SPX (Thor). Several metabolites have been

identified in simulation studies. However, based on their lack of persistence, low potential for bioaccumulation and their low toxicity, it is concluded that the potential for adverse environmental effects in response to exposures to the C(M)IT/MIT metabolites is considered negligible. Then no risk assessment on metabolites of C(M)IT/MIT has been conducted.

The main intended uses for Kathon™ WT and ACTICIDE® SPX are applications in the circulating water of open and closed cooling water systems. In the Dow Chemical dossier, several applications in processing systems, other than liquid cooling systems, have been intended: air washing systems and air conditioning, wood preservative treatment solution, photographic processing, print fountain solutions, textile processing, paint spray booths and electrodeposition coating systems (car refinishing and original equipment manufacturing (OEM) car manufacture), industrial hygiene (cleaning in place) and other minor uses (process fluids used for non-food pasteurizers/sterilizers/can warmers, reverse osmosis or ultrafiltration membranes (non-food, non potable water, non-medical), wastewater treatment, rinse baths, and conveyor lubricants (outside the food industry)). A consumption approach has been applied to assess the environment exposure following the application in cooling systems, using the ESD PT11¹³. Shock and continuous treatments have been intended for these applications. In the absence of reliable data on the biodegradation of the active substance in the systems and considering that only continuous doses have been validated in the efficacy section, only exposure from application of continous doses in cooling systems have been assessed. . Air conditionning and air washing systems have been considered as covered by the scenarios developed for the cooling towers.

For the <u>other uses in processing systems</u> intended by Dow Chemical, a tonnage approach has been developed.

According to the applicant, **Kathon™** WT (Dow) is used at concentrations from 1 to 6 mg a.i. L⁻¹) in cooling systems and from 1 to 50 mg a.i. L⁻¹) in the other process fluids. Additionally, the efficacy of the active substance has been demonstrated for a concentration of 1 to 50 mg a.i. L⁻¹ in function of the breadth of the disinfection spectrum. Therefore, exposure and risk assessments for cooling systems have been carried out for the intended used concentrations (i.e. 1 to 6 mg a.i. L⁻¹), and information dealing with the risk following the use at higher concentrations is also reported. For the other uses, the maximal intended dose rates were considered for the risk assessment.

ACTICIDE® SPX (Thor) is intended to be used at concentration from 0.2 to 1 mg a.i. L⁻¹; however, since the efficacy has been demonstrated for a concentration of 0.6 to 5 mg a.i. L⁻¹ the lowest dose intended by the applicant (0.2 mg L⁻¹) and the highest dose considered as efficient (5 mg L⁻¹) have been taken into account for the exposure and risk assessments for cooling systems.

2.2.2.9 Cooling water systems

The assessment has been focused on the small and large open re-circulating cooling systems since these applications are considered to represent the worst case systems for the environmental compartment compared to the closed systems.

For the <u>large open recirculating systems</u>, discharge to a STP is not considered realistic in view of the large volume of water used and only a direct release to water through the blowdown, to air through the drift and to soil through the deposition have therefore been assumed. For <u>the small open recirculating systems</u>, both direct release to surface water and indirect release via the STP have been considered. For these small systems the

¹³ Harmonisation of environmental emission scenarios for biocides used as preservatives for liquid cooling systems, European Commission DG ENV/RIVM, September 2003.

contamination of atmosphere and terrestrial compartment was considered to be only relevant for the indirect releases via the STP, following the assumption from the ESD PT11.

The use of Kathon™ WT Biocide and ACTICIDE® SPX as preservatives in cooling systems has been evaluated via exposure analysis based on the specific Emission Scenario Document for PT11¹⁴. The ESD provides detailed information on the method of determining the emission rate of C(M)IT/MIT to the environment for both large and small open recirculating cooling systems. To determine the predicted environmental exposure concentrations in water, air, soil and groundwater compartments, equations from the TGD were used.

A tiered approach has been considered when the releases were directed to the STP:

In **Tier I**, considering the STP simulation results based on C(M)IT, showing that no parent compound was detected in the effluent phase or in the sludge, C(M)IT was considered to be totally degraded in the STP and no emission of this compound in the different environmental compartments from the STP was foreseen. The only compound considered at the outlet of the STP was MIT. The fractions of MIT emission directed to water and to sludge from the STP were defined from the simulation tests in aerobic sewage treatment for MIT:

- the fraction of MIT emission directed to water by STP was considered as 0.122,
- the fraction of MIT emission directed to sludge by STP was considered as 0.066.

The Tier I risk assessment has been carried out considering a ratio PEC_{MIT} / PNEC_{MIT}.

In **Tier II (only for soil and groundwater compartments),** considering the half-life value of 0.04 days derived of the STP simulation study on MIT and in coherence with the MIT dossier, the fraction of MIT emission directed to sludge by the STP was considered as 7.18E-04.

The Tier II risk assessment has been carried out considering a ratio PEC_{MIT} / PNEC_{MIT}.

In fact, the fraction of MIT emission directed to sludge in the STP of 0.066 proposed in the Tier I assessment was considered to be a <u>large overestimation</u> considering the low potential of adsorption of MIT ($Koc = 7.5 L.kg^{-1}$). In the simulation study in STP, the fraction of 6.6% in the sludge represented the total radioactivity measured in this compartment and not the parent compound only. The default value of the fraction adsorbed onto sludge given by Simple Treat model (Fstp sludge = 0.0718%) seems to be more realistic for the active ingredient MIT.

According to the TGD, as the log Kow values of both substances (C(M)IT and MIT) are < 3 and the Koc values for both substances are < 500 L/kg, sediment effects assessment is not considered as relevant for this active substance. No sediment risk assessment is needed.

Risk characterisation

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To carry out a quantitative risk assessment for the environment when Kathon™ WT and ACTICIDE® SPX are used as a preservative to control microbial contamination in cooling

¹⁴ Harmonisation of environmental emission scenarios for biocides used as preservatives for liquid cooling systems, European Commission DG ENV/RIVM, September 2003.

systems (PT11), the PEC values were compared to the respective PNEC values for the different compartments, resulting in the following PEC/PNEC ratios.

When direct releases to the environment occur, the $PEC_{C(M)IT/MIT}/PNEC_{C(M)IT/MIT}$ ratios have been considered whereas the $PEC_{MIT}/PNEC_{/MIT}$ have been derived when releases occur through the STP.

Table 2.2.2.9-1: **PEC/PNEC values for Kathon™** WT and ACTICIDE® SPX use - Large cooling tower process fluids, not connected to a STP, direct release to surface water

	PEC _{C(M)IT/MIT} / PNEC _{C(M)IT/MIT} ratio				
Large cooling tower process fluids	0.2 mg a.i L ⁻¹ ACTICIDE® SPX (Thor)	1 mg a.i L ⁻¹ Kathon™ WT (Dow Chemical)	5 mg a.i L ⁻¹ ACTICIDE [®] SPX (Thor)	6 mg a.i L ⁻¹ Kathon™ WT (Dow Chemical)	
Sewage treatment plant	n.r.	n.r.	n.r.	n.r.	
Surface water ^a	4.1	20	102	122	
Sediment	n.r.	n.r.	n.r.	n.r.	
Grassland Soil ^b	8.9	45	223	268	
Groundwater	>> 0.1 µg/L	>> 0.1 µg/L	>> 0.1 µg/L	>> 0.1 µg/L	
Air	n.r	n.r	n.r	n.r	

n.r. = not relevant

Table 2.2.2.9-2: **PEC/PNEC values for Kathon™** WT and ACTICIDE® SPX use **–** Small cooling tower process fluids, not connected to a STP, direct release to water

	PEC _{C(M)IT/MIT} / PNEC _{C(M)IT/MIT} ratio					
Small cooling tower process fluids, not connected to a STP	0.2 mg a.i L ⁻¹ ACTICIDE® SPX (Thor)	1 mg a.i L ⁻¹ Kathon™ WT (Dow Chemical)	5 mg a.i L ⁻¹ ACTICIDE [®] SPX (Thor)	6 mg a.i L ⁻¹ Kathon™ WT (Dow Chemical)		
Sewage treatment plant	n.r.	n.r.	n.r.	n.r.		
Surface water ^a	10.9	54	272	326		
Sediment	n.r.	n.r.	n.r.	n.r.		
Agricultural Soil	n.r.	n.r.	n.r.	n.r.		
Groundwater	n.r.	n.r.	n.r.	n.r.		
Air	n.r.	n.r.	n.r.	n.r.		

n.r. = not relevant

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^a Considering the maximum dilution factor of 1000

steady state PECs, considering deposition derived from total amount in the system. Higher PEC were derived from deposition as a function of air releases.

^a Considering the maximum dilutin factor of 1000

Table 2.2.2.9-3: - **PEC/PNEC values for Kathon™** WT and ACTICIDE® SPX use - Small cooling tower process fluids, connected to a STP

	PEC _{MIT} / PNEC _{MIT} ratio				
TIER 2- Small cooling tower process fluids, connected to a STP	0.2 mg a.i L ⁻¹ ACTICIDE® SPX (Thor)	1 mg a.i L ⁻¹ Kathon™ WT (Dow Chemical)	5 mg a.i L ⁻¹ ACTICIDE [®] SPX (Thor)	6 mg a.i L ⁻¹ Kathon™ WT (Dow Chemical)	
Sewage treatment plant	0.0006	0.003	0.016	0.019	
Surface water	0.004	0.02	0.09	0.11	
Sediment	n.r.	n.r.	n.r.	n.r.	
Agricultural Soil	0.01	0.039	0.20	0.236	
Groundwater	< 0.1 μg/L	< 0.1 µg/L	0.134 μg/L (0.001 μg/L*)	0.160 μg/L (0.002 μg/L*)	
Air	n.r	n.r	n.r	n.r	

n.r. = not relevant

2.2.2.9.1 Aquatic compartment

In the case of large open recirculating system and small open recirculating system with direct release into the river, estimated risks from use of Kathon™ WT or ACTICIDE® SPX as preservative are considered as unacceptable for the aquatic organisms, whatever the dose rates applied. For the large open recirculating tower, it is worth noting that the exposure assessment has been carried out considering a dilution factor of 1000 which is, according to the TGD, the highest dilution factor which can been applied.

For the small open recirculating systems connected to a STP, in Tier 1 approach, estimated risks from use of Kathon $^{\text{TM}}$ WT or ACTICIDE $^{\text{@}}$ SPX as preservative are considered as unacceptable for the aquatic organisms, whatever the dose rates.

Estimated risks from use of KathonTM WT or ACTICIDE[®] SPX as preservative in small open recirculating systems connected to a STP are considered as acceptable at minimal and maximal intended dose rates. Additionally, it should be noted that acceptable risk would have been obtained with the highest dose validated in the efficacy section of the Dow Chemical dossier (50 mg a.i. L^{-1}); the risk remains acceptable only up to a dose of 15.4 mg a.i. L^{-1} .

2.2.2.9.2 Sewage treatment plant

Estimated risks from the **use of Kathon™** WT or ACTICIDE® SPX as preservative in small open recirculating systems connected to a STP are considered as acceptable for the organisms involved in the biological processes of the sewage treatment works.

2.2.2.9.3 Atmosphere

The proposed uses of C(M)IT/MIT biocidal products in the EU (i.e. as preservative in open recirculating cooling systems) are predicted to result in no or low concentrations in air in the case of the small open recirculating systems (see Document IIB, Section 3). Moreover, the degradation rate in air for C(M)IT/MIT, indicates a rapid degradation of CMIT and MIT and the resulting concentrations in air are expected to be low. Additionally, according to the Reference Document on the application of Best Available Techniques to Industrial

^{*} Tier 2 exposure assessment

Cooling Systems (European Commission December 2001), the use of standard droplet separators allow to limit the fraction of water loss by drift to 0.01% and lower initial concentrations of active substance in air are thus expected.

2.2.2.9.4 Terrestrial compartment

The terrestrial compartment is exposed through two different ways: direct contamination through the drift deposition, and indirect contamination through the spreading of the STP sludge.

<u>Direct contamination</u> only occurs after the use **of Kathon™** WT or ACTICIDE® SPX as preservative in large open recirculating cooling systems. In this case, the values calculated for the grassland are twice higher than those calculated for agricultural soils and have therefore been chosen for the risk assessment. Additionally, a steady state PEC value has been calculated because of the continuous drift deposition and the lack of accumulation of the active substance in soil. The steady state PECs are compared to a time weighted average PNEC value. According to the ESD, deposition to the soil can be calculated either directly from the total amount in the system applying a deposition factor of 0.025 or from the predicted release in air according to equations from TGD. The latter method of calculation appears as a worst case, even considering the use of a standard droplet separator as a mitigation measure which could lead to a decrease of emission to air by a factor 100. Even with the method of calculation leading to the lowest PECs (deposition of 0.025%), the risk coefficient ratios are high (from 9 to 268) andindicate unacceptable risk for terrestrial organisms.

Indirect contamination results from use of **Kathon™** WT or ACTICIDE® SPX as preservative in small open recirculating cooling systems only. Initial PECs are calculated in soil and compared to an initial PNEC value. The risk can be considered as acceptable for a the use **of Kathon™** WT or ACTICIDE® SPX as preservative in small open recirculating cooling systems whatever the dose rates considered for the assessment. Additionally, it should be noted that unacceptable risk would have been obtained with the highest dose validated in the efficacy section of the Dow Chemical dossier (50 mg a.i. L⁻¹); the risk remains acceptable only up to a dose of 25.6 mg a.i. L⁻¹. Nevertheless, acceptable risk would have been obtained when considering the fraction of MIT adsorbed on sludge according to Simple treat model (Tier II).

2.2.2.9.5 **Groundwater**

Direct contamination soil through air drift deposition following use of Kathon $^{\text{TM}}$ WT or ACTICIDE $^{\text{®}}$ SPX as preservative in large open recirculating cooling systems results in unacceptable risks for groundwater whatever the dose rates and the method of calculation of deposition and of groundwater concentration including FOCUS assessment.

Considering the simulation studies in STP demonstrating that only MIT is released in the sludge of the STP, the concentration in porewater under agricultural soil (surrogate for groundwater) is < 0.1 μ g/L set up for directive 98/83/EC **only for the Kathon[™]** WT or ACTICIDE® SPX as preservative in small open recirculating cooling systems at the minimal concentrations of 0.2 and 1 mg L⁻¹. For the maximal concentrations (5 and 6 mg L⁻¹), the concentration in porewater under agricultural soil is slightly higher than 0.1 μ g/L (0.16 μ g/L and 0.13 μ g/L) set up for directive 98/83/EC. Nevertheless, due to the low potential of adsorption of MIT and the ready biodegradability of the molecule, the risk is probably overestimated by the use of a fraction adsorbed onto sludge of 6.6%. In fact in the simulation study in STP with radoilabelled MIT, the fraction of 6.6% in the sludge represented the total radioactivity measured in this compartment and not the parent compound MIT only. Therefore, the default value of the fraction adsorbed onto sludge given by Simple Treat model considering the degradation rate from the simulation study

has been used in a Tier 2 approach (Fstp sludge = 7.18E-04). The resulting risk for groundwater should be considered as acceptable for maximal concentrations following application in the small open recirculating cooling systems..

2.2.2.9.6 Conclusion for cooling water systems

The use of ACTICIDE[®] SPX or **Kathon[™]** WT as preservative in <u>large open recirculating systems</u> results in <u>unacceptable risk</u> for the aquatic and terrestrial organisms whatever the dose rates considered. Refinement of some assumptions of the assessment, such as a higher flow rate for the river, or a lower emission to the air thanks to use of standard droplet separators¹⁵ do not allow to decrease the PEC values sufficiently to obtain acceptable risk.

The use of $ACTICIDE^{®}$ SPX or **KathonTM** WT as preservative in <u>small open recirculating</u> <u>system with direct release into the river</u> also results in <u>unacceptable risk</u> for the surface water, whatever the dose rate in the systems.

The use of ACTICIDE® SPX or **Kathon™** WT as preservative in <u>small open recirculating system with release to STP</u> results in <u>acceptable risk</u> for all the environmental compartments. As the scenario for small open recirculating system covers the use of the substance in closed systems and in air cleaning and washing systems, the risks are also considered acceptable for these two uses.

2.2.2.10 Other uses in processing systems

Several uses as preservatives in liquid processing systems, other than cooling systems have been intended by Dow. The environmental risk assessment following these specific uses has been carried out through a tonnage approach following the TGD^{16} . Risks resulting from the addition of the active substance to these systems (called "formulation") and from the industrial use in these systems have been assessed. Additionally, the in-use phase of the wood treated with a solution containing C(M)IT/MIT has been evaluated.

Concerning the <u>formulation and the industrial use</u> of the substance, direct emissions to the air and to the STP through the waste water have been considered..

Emissions to the air result in very low or no concentrations of the active substance in the air and no further risk assessment has thus been performed.

Concerning the <u>in-use phase of treated wood</u>, the three worst case scenarios have been assessed: house (worst case for soil), noise barrier (worst case for the STP) and sheet piling (worst case for water) considering two types of treatment (by impregnation and by surface treatment).

The tables below present the results of these evaluations for each relevant environmental compartment.

Table 2.2.2.10-1: PEC/PNEC indication **for Kathon™** WT used in liquid processing systems different from cooling systems, formulation and industrial use stages

¹⁵ According to the Reference Document on the application of Best Available Techniques to Industrial Cooling Systems (European Commission December 2001), the use of standard droplet separators allows to limit the fraction of water loss by drift to 0.01%

¹⁶ Technical Guidance Document in support of Commission Directive 93/67/EEC on Risk Assessment for new notified substances, Commission Regulation (EC) No 1488/94 on Risk Assessment for existing substances and Directive 98/8/EC of the European Parliament and of the Council concerning the placing of biocidal products on the market. EUR 20418 EN/2. Italy, April 2003.

	Aquatic con (via the	•		Terrestrial compartment (via the STP)				
Stage	STP PEC/PNEC	Surface water PEC/PNEC	Soil PEC/PNEC	Groundwat er Porewater concentrati on, µg/L				
Wood Treatme	ent Solution Prese	ervative						
Formulation	<1	<1	<1	< 0.1	Acceptable			
Industrial use	<1	<1	<1	<0.1	Acceptable			
Photographic F	Processing Soluti	ons						
Formulation	<1	< 1	<1	< 0.1	Acceptable			
Industrial use	<1	<1	>1	> 0.1 <0.1*	Non acceptable			
Print Fountain	Solutions							
Formulation	<1	<1	<1	< 0.1	Acceptable			
Industrial use	<1	<1	<1	< 0.1	Acceptable			
Textile Process	sing Fluids							
Formulation	<1	< 1	<1	< 0.1	Acceptable			
Industrial use	<1	<1	<1	> 0.1 <0.1*	Acceptable			
Car Refinishing	g							
Formulation	<1	< 1	<1	< 0.1	Acceptable			
Industrial use	<1	<1	<1	<0.1	Acceptable			
OEM Car Manu	ıfacture							
Formulation	<1	<1	<1	< 0.1	Acceptable			
Industrial use	<1	<1	< 1	< 0.1	Acceptable			
Industrial Hyg	Industrial Hygiene							
Formulation	<1	<1	<1	< 0.1	Acceptable			
Industrial use	<1	<1	<1	< 0.1	Acceptable			
Minor uses/Co	nveyor Lubricant	-						
Formulation	<1	<1	<1	< 0.1	Acceptable			
Industrial	<1	<1	<1	> 0.1	Acceptable			

use		<0.1*	
433		(0.1	

^{*} Tier 2 exposure assessment

Table 2.2.2.10-2: PEC/PNEC indication for Kathon™ WT used in wood treatment solution preservative, in- use phase of treated wood

	Tuestuses	Aqu compa		Terrestrial	compartment	Conclusi on
Scenario	Treatmen t	STP	Surfac e water	Soil	Ground water	
House	Impregnati on	n.r.	n.r.	> 1	> 0.1 µg/L	Non acceptab le
House	Surface treatment	n.r.	n.r.	< 1*	> 0.1 µg/L	Non acceptab le
Noise barrier	Impregnati on	< 1	< 1	< 1 (direct and indirect release)	> 0.1 µg/L (direct release) < 0.1 µg/L (indirect release)	Non acceptab le
	Surface treatment	< 1	< 1	< 1 (direct and indirect release)	> 0.1 µg/L (direct release) < 0.1 µg/L (indirect release)	Non acceptab le
Sheet piling	Impregnati on	n.r.	> 1	n.r.	n.r.	Non acceptab le
	Surface treatment	n.r.	< 1*	n.r.	n.r.	Acceptabl e*

n.r.: not relevant

For the application in the wood treatment solution, risks following formulation, industrial use and in-use phase have been assessed. Acceptable risks result from the use of Kathon $^{\text{TM}}$ 886F Biocide as preservative in wood treatment solution following the formulation and the industrial use stages.

For the in-use phase of the treated wood, three worst case scenarios have been considered:

- House scenario (worst case for the terrestrial compartment),
- Noise barrier scenario (worst case for the STP),
- Sheet piling scenario (worst case for the aquatic compartment).

The emissions to the environment have been calculated for these 3 scenarios considering two time scale (Time 1=30 days and Time 2=365 days) and considering that the total

^{*:} considering release over 365 days and degradation

quantity of substance applied in wood could leach during the service life of the wooden device.

The in-use phase of wood treated by impregnation or surface treatment induces unacceptable risk for the environment. Only the sheet piling scenario using a wood treated by surface treatment leads to an acceptable risk to all the compartments, which is not sufficient to conclude to an acceptable risk for the in-use phase.

According to the environmental risk assessment carried out through a tonnage approach, the use of Kathon™ WT Biocide as preservative in print fountain solutions, textile processing fluids, car refinishing, OEM car manufacture fluids, industrial hygiene, and other minor uses results in acceptable risk for the environment, whatever the compartment considered. Use of Kathon™ WT Biocide as preservative in photographic processing solution results in unacceptable risk for the terrestrial compartment at the industrial stage. Details are reported in the confidential part of Doc IIC.

2.2.2.11 Non compartment specific effects relevant to the food chain (secondary poisoning)

Since C(M)IT and MIT have log Kow values less than 3 (0.401 and -0.486, respectively) their potentials for bioaccumulation is considered to be very low. This was confirmed by either measurement or QSAR modeling of the BCF for aquatic and terrestrial organisms. In addition, toxicokinetic and metabolism studies showed that both C(M)IT and MIT are rapidly excreted and highly metabolized in mammals. This confirms that their potential to accumulate is low and it can be considered that there is no significant risk of secondary poisoning to birds and mammals. In conclusion, the risk of secondary poisoning associated with the use of C(M)IT/MIT to prevent microbial contamination in the process water and conveyor lubrication fluids in food industry applications is considered to be negligible.

2.2.3 Assessment of endocrine disruptor properties

Neither C(M)IT nor MIT are included in the priority list of substances for further evaluation of their role in endocrine disruption established within the Community Strategy for Endocrine Disrupters (COM (1999) 706, COM (2007) 1635).

2.2.4 Overall conclusions of the assessment

Thor:

Uses	Human risk assessment		Environmental risk assessment		
	Conclusions*	Conditions	Conclusions*	Conditions	
Process and cooling water					
	Acceptable	With gloves, impermeable coveralls, RPE and rinse of dispensing pumps	Acceptable	Closed and small open recirculating cooling systems, only when release from the systems are directed to a STP and at a doses rates range from 0.2 to 6 mg L ⁻¹ ,	

*acceptable/ not acceptable / Not relevant (NR)

Dow:

Uses	Human risk assessment		Environmental risk assessment	
	Conclusions*	Conditions	Conclusions*	Conditions
Process and coo	ling water			
	Acceptable	With gloves, impermeable coveralls, RPE and rinse of dispensing pumps	Acceptable	Closed and small open recirculating cooling systems, only when release from the systems are directed to a STP and at a doses rates range from 0.2 to 6 mg L ⁻¹ ,
Preservative for	aqueous wood pre	eservative treatment solut	ion	
	Acceptable	With gloves, impermeable coveralls and RPE	Not acceptable	
Textile and spin	ning fluids			
	Acceptable	With gloves and impermeable coveralls	Acceptable	

Uses	Human risk assessment		Environmental risk assessment	
	Conclusions*	Conditions	Conclusions*	Conditions
Paint spray boo	ths and electrodep	osition coating systems (i	ncluding car refinish	ning and manufacture)
	Acceptable	With gloves, impermeable coveralls and RPE	Acceptable	
Industrial hygie	ne, clean in place	(CIP)		
	Acceptable	With gloves, impermeable coveralls and RPE	Acceptable	
Photographic Pr	ocessing Solutions			
	Acceptable	Covered by others uses evaluation	Not acceptable	
Print Fountain S	olutions			
	Acceptable	Covered by others uses evaluation	Acceptable	

^{*}acceptable/ not acceptable / Not relevant (NR)

2.2.5 Data requirement for the representative product

 Acidity, relative density and compatibility with other products of Acticide SPX are required and should be provided by Thor at the product authorization stage.
 Moreover details on the "UV resistant" packaging should be provided by Thor at the product authorisation stage.

2.3 OVERALL CONCLUSIONS

The outcome of the assessment for C(M)IT/MIT in product-type 11 is specified in the BPC opinion following discussions at the 9th meeting of the Biocidal Products Committee (BPC). The BPC opinion is available from the ECHA website.

Appendix I: List of endpoints

Listing of end points to be included in the document Overall Summary and Assessment - Doc. I

Note: The owner of data is marked before or after endpoints where relevant: T = THOR, DOW (previously Rohm & Haas)..

In case of several values in each toxicological endpoints, the value used in risk assessment is indicated in bold. Concerning the environmental risk assessment two values per endpoint are given in most cases.

Chapter 1: Identity, Physical and Chemical Properties, Details of Uses, Further Information, and Proposed Classification and Labelling

Active substance (ISO Common Name) No ISO

No ISO name accepted or proposed.

The active ingredient common name used

is: C(M)IT/MIT (3:1)

Function (e.g. fungicide)

Broad spectrum preservative biocide. Bactericide and fungicide.

Rapporteur Member State

France

Identity (Annex IIA, point II.)

Chemical name (IUPAC)

Mixture of 5-chloro-2-methylisothiazol-3(2H)-one and 2-methylisothiazol-3(2H)-one

Chemical name (CA)

Mixture of 5-chloro-2-methyl-4-isothiazolin-3-one and 2-methyl-4-isothiazolin-3-one

CAS No

55965-84-9 for the mixture C(M)IT/MIT, 26172-55-4 for C(M)IT (5-chloro-2-methyl-4-isothiazolin-3-one)

2682-20-4 for MIT (2-methyl-4-isothiazolin-3-one)

EC No

There is no EC-N° for the mixture.

The EC Nrs for both individual substances

are:

247-500-7 for C(M)IT 220-239-6 for MIT.

Other substance No.

No

Minimum purity of the active substance as manufactured (g/kg or g/l)

C(M)IT/MIT (3:1) is manufactured as a TK Min purity of the TC (expressed in dry weight): 57.9%

Range of purity of the TK:

139.4-148.5 g/kg of C(M)IT/MIT (3:1), including 105.9-108.8 g/kg of C(M)IT and

33.5-39.7 g/kg of MIT (DOW)

122.1-157.8 g/kg of C(M)IT/MIT (3:1), including 94.7-116.6 g/kg of C(M)IT and 27.4-41.2 g/kg of MIT (DOW)

258.9-300.7 g/kg of C(M)IT/MIT (3:1), including 193.2-228.5 g/kg of C(M)IT and 65.7-72.2 g/kg of MIT (DOW)

138-144 g/kg of C(M)IT/MIT (3:1), including 104-107 g/kg of C(M)IT and 34-37 g/kg of MIT (T

Magnesium nitrate and magnesium chloride

Identity of relevant impurities and additives (substances of concern) in the active substance as manufactured (g/kg)

Molecular formula

Molecular mass

Structural formula

 C_4H_4CINOS for C(M)IT C_4H_5NOS for MIT

149.6 g/mol for C(M)IT 115.2 g/mol for MIT

$$CI$$
 CH_3
 $C(M)IT$
 CH_3
 CH_3
 CH_3
 CH_3

Physical and chemical properties (Annex IIA, point III., unless otherwise indicated)

Melting point (state purity)

C(M)IT:

melting onset at 51.3°C, with a peak at 54.9°C (purity = 99.86%) (DOW) 46.6-48.9°C (purified) (T)

MIT:

46.7-48.3°C (purity = 99.7%) (DOW) 44.2-47.7°C (purity = about 100%) (T) C(M)IT/MIT(3:1):

melting onset at 22.2°C, with a peak at

	35.1°C (purity = 98.7 %) (DOW)
	< -25 °C (concentration = 14.05 % in water)
	(DOW)
	-23°C (concentration not stated, ~14% C(M)IT/MIT in water) (T)
Boiling point (state purity)	<u>C(M)IT</u> : no boiling point observed until decomposition (purity > 98%) (T)
	MIT: no boiling point observed until
	decomposition (purity > 99%) (T) C(M)IT/MIT (3:1):
	boiling did not occur until decomposition at 97.3°C (purity = 98.7%) (DOW)
	100.1 ± 0.2°C (concentration = 13.7-13.8 % in water) (DOW)
	106.5°C (concentration not stated, ~14% in water) (T)
Temperature of decomposition	<u>C(M)IT</u> : above 167°C (purity > 98%) (T)
	MIT: above 236°C (purity > 99%) (T)
	C(M)IT/MIT (3:1):
A	97.3°C (purity = 98.7%) (DOW)
Appearance (state purity)	C(M)IT/MIT (3:1): Solid, pale yellow to yellow at 20 °C, weakly
	sweet and pungent (purity = 97.8-99.3 %) (DOW)
	Clear liquid pale yellow at 20°C (concentration = 14.05 % in water) (DOW)
	Liquid, colorless to pale yellow, mild odor (concentration not stated, ~14% C(M)IT/MIT in water) (T)
Relative density (state purity)	$\frac{C(M)IT}{(T)}$: 1.6g/cm ³ at 20.8°C (purity > 98%)
	MIT: $1.39g/cm^3$ at $20^{\circ}C$ (purity > 99%) (T) $C(M)IT/MIT$ (3:1):
	1.396 g/cm ³ at 38°C (molten phase), 1.420 g/cm ³ at 25°C (solid phase) (purity = 98.7 %) (DOW)
	1.296 g/mL at 25°C (concentration = 13.7- 13.8 % in water) (DOW)
	1.256g/ml at 20°C (concentration not stated, ~14% C(M)IT/MIT in water) (T)
Surface tension	<u>C(M)IT/MIT (3:1)</u> :
	72.3 mN/m at 20.0°C (1g/L C(M)IT/MIT 3:1) (DOW)
	73.0 mN/m at 19.5°C (1g/L C(M)IT/MIT 3:1) (DOW)
	72.6mN/m (concentration 1.106g/L) (T)
Vapour pressure (in Pa, state	C(M)IT:
temperature)	0.9Pa at 20°C and 1.3Pa at 25°C (purity =

99.86%) (DOW)

1.6Pa at 20°C (extrapolated) and 2.8Pa at 25°C(measured) (purity = 98.4%) (T)

MIT:

2.1Pa at 33°C, measured; 0.4Pa at 20°C and 0.7 Pa at 25°C, extrapolated (purity = 99.7%) (DOW)

0.99Pa at 20°C and 1.6Pa at 25°C (extrapolated) (purity = 98.5%) (T)

C(M)IT/MIT (3:1):

2.2Pa at 20°C and 3.8Pa at 25°C, extrapolated (purity = 98.7%) (DOW)

2080Pa at 20°C, actually the vapor pressure of water (concentration not stated, \sim 14% C(M)IT/MIT in water) (T)

Henry's law constant (Pa m³ mol ⁻¹)

C(M)IT: k< 4.26×10⁻⁴ Pa m³ mol ⁻¹ at 20°C and k< 7.07×10⁻⁴ Pa m³ mol ⁻¹ at 25°C (purity = 98.4%) (T)

MIT: $k < 2.72 \times 10^{-5} \text{ Pa m}^3 \text{ mol}^{-1} \text{ at } 20^{\circ}\text{C} \text{ and } k < 4.39.10^{-5} \text{ Pa m}^3 \text{ mol}^{-1} \text{ at } 25^{\circ}\text{C} \text{ (purity = 98.5\%)} \text{ (T)}$

C(M)IT/MIT (3:1):

 $k < 10^{-4} \text{ Pa.m}^3 \text{.mol}^{-1} \text{ at } 20^{\circ}\text{C (estimated)}$ (purity = 98.7%) (DOW)

Solubility in water (g/l or mg/l, state temperature)

C(M)IT and MIT (separately tested):

extremely soluble in water: 1g of C(M)IT and 4g of MIT are completely dissolved in 1mL of water (respectively 100% and 400% w/v solutions). Solubility not depending on temperature and pH. (T)

<u>C(M)IT/MIT (3:1)</u>: It was not possible to achieve full saturation at nominally 3g/mL. The test sample is therefore of very high solubility (>3000g/l). There is not a significant effect on solubility on increasing the pH from 5 to 9 or increasing the temperature from 9.3 to 20.4°C. The pH of the solution was below 3, even if buffered solutions were used. (purity = 98.7%) (DOW)

Solubility in organic solvents (in g/l or mg/l, state temperature) (Annex IIIA, point III.1)

C(M)IT: (T)

n-heptane: 14.5g/L xylene: 393g/L

Acetonitrile: 1g in 1mL at 10°C and 3.8g in

1mL at 30°C MIT: (T)

n-heptane: 1.46g/L xylene: 143.6g/L

Acetonitrile: 1.4g in 1mL at 10°C and 7.2g in

1mL at 30°C

Stability in organic solvents used in biocidal products including relevant breakdown products (IIIA, point III.2)

Partition coefficient (log P_{ow}) (state temperature)

Hydrolytic stability (DT_{50}) (state pH and temperature) (point VII.7.6.2.1)

Dissociation constant (not stated in Annex IIA or IIIA; additional data requirement from TNsG)

UV/VIS absorption (max.) (if absorption > 290 nm state ε at wavelength)

 $\underline{C(M)IT/MIT (3:1)}$: (purity = 95.78-95.51%) (DOW)

At 25°C:

n-Hexane: 22.5 g/L

Ethyl acetate: >763 g/L (not saturated)

Not applicable; biocidal products do not include organic solvents. (DOW and T)

Measured on active ingredients individually: (DOW)

C(M)IT: 0.401 at 24 °C (purity = 98.1%)MIT: - 0.486 at 24 °C (purity = 97.8%)

These values will not vary as a function of pH and/or temperature. (DOW)

Measured on C(M)IT/MIT (3:1), 13.9% in

water: (T) C(M)IT: 0.75 MIT: -0.71

Test item is not considered ionisable. Therefore investigation of the pH effect on the partition coefficient is not necessary. (T)

DOW:

CMIT, RH-651:

pH__5___: > 60 days at 25±0.1°C pH__7__: >60 days at 25±0.1°C pH__9_: 22 days at 25±0.1°C, pH__5_: > 170 days at 12°C pH__7_: >170 days at 12°C pH__9_: 62.24 days at 12°C

MIT, RH-573:

In pH 5, 7, and 9 buffers (24.1 ± 0.4 °C) no significant hydrolysis of MIT was observed as the compound was stable for more than 30 days.

Thor:

pH__4___: > 365 days at 20°C pH__7___: >365 days at 20°C pH__9__: 63.6 days at 20°C,

Not applicable, C(M)IT and MIT do not

dissociate. (DOW and T)

C(M)IT: (T)

Solvent	Wavelength	Molar
		absorption
		coefficient
		(L/mol.cm)

Water	274nm	6600
	223nm	4980
HCI (0.1M)	273nm	7280
	222nm	5510
Methanol	279nm	6540
	218nm	5020

<u>MIT:</u> (T)

Solvent	Wavelength	Molar absorption coefficient (L/mol.cm)
Water	273nm	7600
	<200nm	Maximum below range
HCI (0.1M)	273nm	7630
	<200nm	Maximum below range
Methanol	277nm	7420
	205nm	2140

C(M)IT/MIT (3:1):

purified: (DOW)

Neutral (pH 5.3): λ_{max} at 273nm, ϵ = 7780;

 λ_{max} at 220nm, $\epsilon = 4430$

Acid (pH 1.3): λ_{max} at 273nm, ϵ = 7300; λ_{max}

at 218nm, $\epsilon = 4320$

Basic (pH 8.4): λ_{max} at 276nm, $\epsilon = 7080$;

200nm, ∈ > 7080

14% in water: (DOW)

Neutral (pH 7): λ_{max} at 272.7nm, $\epsilon = 9879$;

 λ_{max} at 207.8nm (due to nitrate anion)

Acid (pH 2): λ_{max} at 272.9 nm, $\epsilon = 9567$;

 λ_{max} at 209.9nm (due to nitrate anion)

Basic pH: not applicable; C(M)IT/MIT (3:1) is

not stable in alkaline conditions.

Photostability (DT_{50}) (aqueous, sunlight, state pH) (point VII.7.6.2.2)

DOW:

CMIT, RH-651: $DT_{50} = 6.6$ days at pH 7 and at 24.8 ± 0.5 °C

MIT, RH-573: $DT_{50} = 11.1$ days at pH 7 and at 24.9 ± 0.8 °C

Thor:

CMIT,: DT₅₀ = 6.3 days at pH 7 and at $25\pm1^{\circ}C$

MIT,: $DT_{50} = 18.2$ days at pH 7 and at $25\pm1^{\circ}C$

Quantum yield of direct phototransformation in water at $\Sigma > 290$ nm (point VII.7.6.2.2)

Flammability

Explosive properties

Not determined.

<u>C(M)IT and MIT</u>: Not highly flammable (T)

C(M)IT/MIT (3:1):

purified: not highly flammable (DOW) 14% in water: not flammable (DOW) 14% in water: not flammable (T)

<u>C(M)IT and MIT</u>: do not have explosive

properties (T)
C(M)IT/MIT (3:1):

purified: not explosive (DOW)

14% in water: not explosive (DOW)

Classification proposed by the RMS according to the regulation 1272/2008 for C(M)IT/MIT 14% and C(M)IT/MIT 100%

	C(M)IT/MIT 14%	C(M)IT/MIT 100%	
Hazard classes and categories	Acute Tox 4 for acute oral hazard	Acute Tox. 3 for acute oral hazard	
	Acute Tox 3 for acute dermal hazard	Acute Tox 2 for acute dermal hazard	
	Acute Tox 4 for inhalation hazard	Acute Tox 2 for acute inhalation hazard	
	Skin Corr. 1B	Skin Corr. 1B	
	Skin Sens. Cat 1A	Skin Sens. Cat 1A	
	STOT SE 3	STOT SE 3	
	Aquatic acute 1	Aquatic acute 1	
	Aquatic Chronic 1	Aquatic Chronic 1	
Hazard statements	skin H302: Harmful if swallowed H 314: Causes severe skin burns and eye damage H 317: May cause an allergic skin reaction (H 335: May cause respiratory irritation) H400: Very toxic to aquatic life M-factor=10 H410 very toxic to aquatic life M-factor = 10	H 317: May cause an allergic skin reaction (H 335: May cause respiratory irritation) H400: Very toxic to aquatic life M-factor=100 H410 very toxic to aquatic life M-factor=100	
Specific concentration limit	Skin Corr. 1B; H314: Causes severe skin burns and eye damage C ≥ 0.6%** Eye Irrit. 2; H319: Causes serious eye irritation Skin Irrit. 2; H315: Causes skin irritation 0.06% ≤ C < 0.6%		
	Skin Sens.Cat 1A/H317: May cause an allergic skin reaction $C \ge 0.0015\%$ This specific concentration limit is considered as relevant for this dossier.		

^{**} A classification as Skin Corr. 1C H 314: Causes severe skin burns and eye damage should be required due to the study results, however a harmonised classification as Skin Corr. 1B has been set, and therefore this classification is retained in the dossier.

Classification proposed by the RMS according to the directive 67/548/EEC for C(M)IT/MIT 14% and C(M)IT/MIT 100%

	C(M)IT/MIT 14%	C(M)IT/MIT 100%
Class of danger	Xn - Harmful C: Corrosive Xi: Irritant N: Dangerous to the environment	T+ - very Toxic C: Corrosive Xi: Irritant N: Dangerous to the environment
R phrases	R20/21/22: Harmful by inhalation, in contact with skin and if swallowed R34: Causes burns. (R37: Irritating to the respiratory tract) R43: May cause sensitization by skin contact R50/53: Very toxic to aquatic organisms, may cause long-term adverse effects in the aquatic environment.	term adverse effects in the
S phrases	S26: In case of contact with eyes, rinse immediately with plenty of water and seek medical advice. S28: After contact with skin, wash immediately with plenty of water S36/37/39: Wear suitable protective clothing, gloves and eye/face protection. S45: In case of accident or if you feel unwell, seek medical advice immediately (show the label where possible). S60: This material and its container must be disposed of as hazardous waste. S61: Avoid release to the environment. Refer to special instructions/Safety data sheets. C, R34: Causes burns C ≥ 0.6% Xi, R36/38: Irritating to eyes and skin 0.06% ≤ C < 0.6% Xi; R43: May cause sensitization by skin contact C ≥ 0.0015% This specific concentration limit is considered as relevant for this dossier.	
Specific concentration limit		

Chapter 2: Methods of Analysis

Analytical methods for the active substance

Technical active substance (principle of method) (Annex IIA, point 4.1)

<u>DOW</u>: Reversed Phase High Performance Liquid Chromatography with UV detection (254 nm)

<u>T</u>: HPLC-UV (275 nm)

Impurities in technical active substance (principle of method) (Annex IIA, point 4.1)

DOW: Titration and GC-FID

<u>Validation data are missing on some</u> <u>impurities and should be provided</u>

<u>T</u>: Titration and NMR-spectroscopy

Validation data are missing on the impurities and should be provided

Analytical methods for residues

Soil (principle of method and LOQ) (Annex IIA, point 4.2)

<u>DOW</u>: Extraction and purification followed by reversed phase HPLC with UV detection (275 nm); LOQ= $0.05\mu g/g$ of soil or sediment (for both C(M)IT and MIT)

A confirmatory method should be provided if the use which induces a continuous rejection of C(M)IT and MIT in soil is claimed and acceptable at the product authorisation stage,

I: No method submitted. Must be provided for C(M)IT and MIT in soil if the use which induces a continuous rejection of C(M)IT and MIT in soil is claimed and acceptable at the product authorisation stage,

Air (principle of method and LOQ) (Annex IIA, point 4.2)

DOW: Trap airborne C(M)IT and MIT on OVS tube, extract and analyze by HPLC/MS/MS; LOQ=2.6μg/m³ MIT; 7.5μg/m³ C(M)IT

 $\underline{\mathbf{I}}$: GC-MSD, LOQ=0.0025 mg/m3 for C(M)IT and 0.0008 mg/m3 for MIT for 12 L of sampled air

Water (principle of method and LOQ) (Annex IIA, point 4.2)

 \underline{DOW} : Solid phase extraction followed by HPLC/MS/MS; LOQ=0.05 μ g/L (for both C(M)IT and MIT)

 $\underline{\text{T}}$: C(M)IT and MIT are extracted from water with SPE columns, eluted with ethyl acetate/acetone, and quantified using HPLC-MS/MS analysis; LOQ=0.1 μ g/L (for both C(M)IT and MIT)

Body fluids and tissues (principle of method and LOQ) (Annex IIA, point 4.2)

DOW and T: Not required

C(M)IT/MIT is classified toxic based on local effect rather than systemic effects. Moreover C(M)IT/MIT is readily absorbed, extensively metabolised and rapidly excreted. Parent

Food/feed of plant origin (principle of method and LOQ for methods for monitoring purposes) (Annex IIIA, point IV.1)

Food/feed of animal origin (principle of method and LOQ for methods for monitoring purposes) (Annex IIIA, point IV.1)

compound is not detected in urine, bile or faeces. C(M)IT/MIT does not bioaccumulate in the mammal. Moreover, none of the metabolites are considered of concern.

<u>DOW</u>: Simulated foods (acidic water, water + ethanol, olive oil):

Liquid extraction and/or dilution extraction followed by HPLC/MS/MS

LOQ: MIT 2.5µg/L, C(M)IT 7.5µg/L

<u>T</u>: No method submitted. Not necessary due to intended uses.

<u>DOW</u>: Simulated foods (acidic water, water + ethanol, olive oil):

Liquid extraction and/or dilution extraction followed by HPLC/MS/MS

LOQ: MIT 2.5µg/L, C(M)IT 7.5µg/L

<u>T</u>: No method submitted. Not necessary due to intended uses.

Chapter 3: Impact on Human Health

Absorption, distribution, metabolism and excretion in mammals (Annex IIA, point 6.2)

	DOW	THOR
Rate and extent of oral absorption:	C(M)IT: 49 % MIT: 78%	C(M)IT: 44-47% MIT: 67-69%.
Rate and extent of dermal absorption:	 → 50% for aqueous solution below corrosive concentration; → 100% for corrosive concentration (> 0.6% the specific concentration limit) 	 → 50% for aqueous solution below corrosive concentration; → 100% for corrosive concentration (> 0.6% the specific concentration limit)
Tissue Distribution study:	4 days after exposure: 4.72% of dosed radioactivity found in tissues (rat) Highest amount of radioactivity in blood	
Potential for accumulation:	After oral administration, no evidence of accumulation in the animal body	After dermal exposure C(M)IT/MIT is largely (>80%) absorbed. However, a large part

C(M)IT/MIT	Product-type 11	May 2015
		remains tightly bound to

Rate and extent of	
excretion:	

	remains tightly bound to the skin
Following oral administration, C(M)IT and MIT are both rapidly excreted: - C(M)IT: urine and faeces are equal major routes of excretion whereas bile is a minor (4.74%) - MIT: largely excreted in urine and in a lesser extent in faeces of which the major part came from bile (29.09%) No parent compound in excreta.	All the C(M)IT/MIT is rapidly metabolized after oral absorption: no parent compound is found in the excreta. The first step in metabolism was glutathione conjugation, resulting in four major metabolites for MIT and two major metabolites for C(M)IT. The open literature points to the formation of malonic acid, malonamic acid, N-methylmalonamic acid and other small polar organic acids.
None of the metabolites are considered to be of concern.	None of the metabolites are considered to be of concern.

Toxicologically significant metabolite

Acute toxicity (Annex IIA, point 6.1)

Rat LD₅₀ oral C(M)IT/MIT 14% (values for C(M)IT 100% between brackets)

Rat LD50 oral, N-(methyl) malonamic acid (NMMA)

Rat; Rabbit LD_{50} dermal C(M)IT/MIT 14% (values for C(M)IT 100% between brackets)

Rat LC_{50} inhalation C(M)IT/MIT 14% (values for C(M)IT 100% between

DOW	THOR
457 mg/kg bw (corr. to 64 mg a.i./kg bw)	472 mg/kg bw (corr. to 66 mg a.i./kg bw)
3550 mg NMMA/kg b.w. in males 4100 mg NMMA/kg b.w. in females	
Rabbit= 660 mg/kg bw (corr. to 92.4 mg a.i./kg bw)	Rat > 1007 mg/kg bw (corr. to 141 mg a.i./kg bw)
2.36 mg/L (corr. to 0.33 mg a.i./L)	1.23 mg/L (corr. to 0.171 mg a.i./L)

Skin irritation (rabbit)
C(M)IT/MIT 14% (and C(M)IT/MIT 100%)
Eve irritation (rabbit)

brackets)

Eye irritation (rabbit) C(M)IT/MIT 14% (and C(M)IT/MIT 100%)

Airway irritation C(M)IT/MIT 14%

Skin sensitization (test method used and result) C(M)IT/MIT 14% (and C(M)IT/MIT 100%)

N-(Methyl) malonamic acid (NMMA)

Irritant	Corrosive
Corrosive	Not tested, but C(M)IT/MIT is considered to pose a risk of serious damage to the eyes
RD ₅₀ = $69\mu g/L$ (corr. to 9.66 μg a.i/L)	
Sensitizing	Sensitizing
Not sensitising	

Repeated dose toxicity (Annex IIA, point 6.3)

C(M)IT/MIT 14% (values in a.i. between brackets for C(M)IT/MIT 100%)

Species/ target / critical effect

Lowest relevant oral NOAEL / LOAEL

THOR
Rabbit-rat-dog / Irritation at site of administration.
Rat, 90 days (Letter of access) - NOAEL = 116/176 mg/kg bw/d based on no signs of systemic effects (corr. to 16.3/24.7 mg a.i./kg bw/d) (for males / females respectively) - NOAEC = 536 ppm based on gastric irritation toxic effects (corr. to 75 ppm a.i.) Dog, 90 days

	Rat, 2 years -NOAEL = 123/184 mg/kg bw/d (corr. to 17.2/25.7 mg a.i./kg bw/d) (for males/females respectively) -NOAEC = 210 ppm (corr. to 30 ppm a.i. or 2- 3.1 mg ai/kg bw/d male and female resp.)	NOEL = 157 mg/kg bw/d (corr. to 22 mg a.i./kg bw/ day) Rat, 2 years (Letter of access) -NOAEL = 123/184 mg/kg bw/d (corr. to 17.2/25.7 mg a.i./kg bw/d) (for males/females respectively) -NOAEC = 210 ppm (corr. to 30 ppm a.i. or 2 - 3.1 mg ai/kg bw/d male and female resp.)
Lowest relevant dermal NOAEL / LOAEL	Rabbit, 90 days LO(A)EL = 710 ppm (corr. to 100 ppm a.i. based on systemic and local effects observed at this dose.	Rat, 90 days - NOEL = 18.75 mg/kg/d (corr. to 2.61 mg a.ikg bw/day) based on no systemic effects - NOAEC = 12500 ppm (corr. to 1740 ppm a.i)
	Mouse, 30 months NOAEL = 2857 ppm (corr. to 400 ppm a.i. corr. to 0.25 mg a.i./kg.bw/d)	based on local effects
Lowest relevant inhalation NOAEL / LOAEL	Rat, 90 days NOAEC = 2.4 mg/m³ (corr. to 0.34 mg a.i./m³ based on irritation to the respiratory tract)	Rat, 90 days (Letter of access) NOAEC = 2.4 mg/m³ (corr. to 0.34 mg a.i./m³ based on irritation to the respiratory tract)

Repeated dose toxicity of C(M)IT/MIT metabolites (Annex IIA, point 6.3)

	DOW	THOR
Species/ target / critical effect	Rat/-	
Lowest relevant oral NOAEL / LOAEL	N-methyl malonamic acid (NMMA): 90 days NOEL (diet, rat) = 13- 15 mg NMMA/kg bw/day (110- 220 ppm), the highest dose tested. Malonamic acid (MA): 90 days NOEL (diet, rat) = 2.6- 3.0 mg MA/kg bw/day (22-44 ppm), the highest dose tested.	
Genotoxicity (Annex IIA,	Genotoxic <i>in vitro</i> (Ames,	Genotoxic <i>in vitro</i> (Ames,

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point 6.6)	mammalian cell gene mutation test)	mammalian chromosome aberration test, mammalian
	Not a genotoxic <i>in vivo</i> (<i>in vivo</i>	cell gene mutation test)
	unscheduled DNA synthesis, <i>in vivo</i> chromosome aberration assay)	Not a genotoxic <i>in vivo</i> (<i>in vivo</i> unscheduled DNA synthesis, <i>in vivo</i> bone marrow micronucleus test)
Genotoxicity of C(M)IT/MIT metabolites (Annex IIA, point 6.6)	N-methyl malonamic acid (NMMA):	
	Not mutagenic (Bacterial Gene Mutation Assay test)	

Carcinogenicity (Annex IIA, point 6.4)

	DOW	THOR
Species/type of tumour	Rat, 2 years, oral drinking water	Rat, 2 years, oral drinking water (Letter of access)
	No evidence of carcinogenicity: no effects on type or incidence of neoplasms at up to and including 2140 ppm (corr. to 300 ppm a.i.) equivalent to 17.2 and 25.7 mg a.i./kg bw/d for systemic effects for males and females respectively Mice, 30-months study No evidence of carcinogenicity: results of histopathology didn't show any indication of a treatment-related increased incidence of neoplasm of any type was seen	No evidence of carcinogenicity: no effects on type or incidence of neoplasms at up to and including 2140 ppm (corr. to 300 ppm a.i.) equivalent to 17.2 and 25.7 mg a.i./kg bw/d for systemic effects for males and females respectively
	either locally (at the application site) or systemically	
lowest dose with tumours	No evidence of carcinogenicity	No evidence of carcinogenicity

Reproductive toxicity (Annex IIA, point 6.8) For C(M)IT/MIT 14% (values in a.i. between brackets for C(M)IT/MIT 100%)

	DOW	THOR
Species/ Reproduction target / critical effect	No effects on reproductive capability in rats.	No effects on reproductive capability in rats.

Lowest relevant
reproductive NOAEL
/ LOAEL

Species/Developmen tal target / critical effect

Lowest relevant developmental NOAEL / LOAEL

Rat: no effects on fertility/mating,	Rat: no effects on fertility/mating,
post-natal development (one-	post-natal development (one-
generation and two-generation)	generation and two-generation)

Rat, rabbit: no developmental effects Rat: no developmental effects

Rat:

NOAEL maternal = 100 mg/kg bw/d (corr. to 15 mg a.i./kg bw/day)

NOAEL developmental = 100 mg/kg/d (corr. to 15 mg a.i./kg bw/day)

Rabbit:

NOAEL maternal = 57.1 mg/kg bw/d (corr. to 8 mg a.i./kg bw/day) based on no systemic effects = NOAEL developmental NOAEC maternal = 14.3 mg/kg bw/d (corr. to 2 mg a.i./kg/day) based on decreased body weight and food consumption due do gastric irritation

Rat

NOAEL maternal = 28 mg/kg bw/d (corr. to 3.95 mg a.i./kg bw/day)

NOAEL developmental = 139 mg/kg bw/d (corr. to 19.6 mg a.i./kg bw/day)

Rabbit (Letter of access):

NOAEL maternal = 57.1 mg/kg bw/d (corr. to 8 mg a.i./kg bw/day) based on no systemic effects = NOAEL developmental NOAEC maternal = 14.3 mg/kg bw/d (corr. to 2 mg a.i./kg/day) based on decreased body weight and food consumption due do gastric irritation

Neurotoxicity / Delayed neurotoxicity (Annex IIIA, point VI.1)

Species/ target/critical effect

Lowest relevant developmental NOAEL / LOAEL.

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DOW	THOR
No evidence of neurotoxicity in multiple dose studies (rat, rabbit, mouse, dog)	No evidence of neurotoxicity in multiple dose studies (rat, rabbit, mouse, dog)
No evidence of neurotoxicity in multiple dose studies (rat, rabbit, mouse, dog)	No evidence of neurotoxicity in multiple dose studies (rat, rabbit, mouse, dog)

Other toxicological studies (Annex IIIA, VI/XI)		
	none	
Medical data (Annex IIA, point 6.9)		
	Despite some incidents over the years, no worker has experienced any continuing skin problems and none has had to be transferred to other duties due to exposure to chemicals.	

Summary (Annex IIA, point 6.10)

AEL (Acceptable Exposure Level (C(M)IT/MIT 3:1)

Acute, mid-term AEL= 0.11 mg ai/kg bw/d

Long-term AEL= 0.09 mg ai/kg bw/d

AEC (Acceptable Exposure Concentration (C(M)IT/MIT 3:1)

Oral route:

<u>Dermal route(irritation):</u>

<u>Inhalation route:</u>

Acute, mid-term $AEC_{inhalation} = 0.04$ mg $a.i./m^3$

Long-term $AEC_{inhalat on} = 0.02 \text{ mg a.i./m}^3$

ARfD (acute reference dose) = 0.02 mg a.i/kg bw/d

ADI (Acceptable Daily Intake) = 0.004 mg a.i/kg bw/d

NO(A)EL	Study	Safety factor
22 mg ai/kg bw/d 17.2 mg ai/kg bw/d	90-day 24-month	100 100
NOAEC	Study	Safety factor
NR	NR	NR
Specific concentration limit for sensitising effect: 15 ppm		
0.34 mg a.i./m ³	90-day	8
w	"	16

2 mg ai/kg bw/d	Development al study in rabbit	100
0.4 mg ai/kg bw/d	28-day	100

Chapter 4: Fate and Behaviour in the Environment

Route and rate of degradation in water (Annex IIA, point 7.6, IIIA, point XII.2.1, 2.2)

Hydrolysis of active substance and relevant metabolites (DT₅₀) (state pH and temperature)

DOW	THOR
CMIT,	tested as <u>ACTICIDE® 14</u>
pH 5: stable	pH 4: MIT and CIT stable
pH 7: stable	pH 7: MIT and CIT stable
pH 9: 16.9 and 22 days at 25	pH 9: MIT stable
°C (47.8 and 62.2 days at 12°C)	pH 9: CIT : 63.6 days at 20°C (120.6 days at 12°C) and 15.8

	MIT,	days at 30°C (66.7 days at 12°C)	
	CMIT: pH 4, 5, 7; stable, pH 9: 62.4-120.6 days at 12°C MIT: pH 4, 5, 7, 9: stable		
Photolytic / photo- oxidative degradation of active substance and resulting relevant metabolites	C(M)IT/MIT: stable to hydroly $\overline{\text{CMIT}}$, $\overline{\text{DT}_{50}} = 6.6$ days at 24.8°C, pH 7 and sunlight	CIT $DT_{50} = 6.3 \text{ days at } 25^{\circ}\text{C pH } 7$ and sunlight	
	$\underline{\text{MIT}}$, $DT_{50} = 11.1$ days at 24.9°C, pH 7 and sunlight	$\frac{\text{MIT}}{\text{DT}_{50}} = 18.2 \text{ days at } 25^{\circ}\text{C}, \text{ pH 7}$ and sunlight	
Readily biodegradable (yes/no)	CMIT, Readily biodegradable with a failure of the 10 day window	Tested as <u>ACTICIDE® 14</u> Not readily biodegradable	
	MIT, Not readily biodegradable C(M)IT/MIT: not readily biode	gradable	
Biodegradation in Sewage Treatment Plant	CMIT, DT _{50 (dissipation)} = 0.27 day at 22°C DT _{50 (mineralisation)} = 0.36 day at 22°C MIT, DT _{50 (dissipation)} = 0.03-0.04 day at 22°C DT _{50 (mineralisation)} = 1.69 days at 22°C Sewage Treatment Plant CMIT DT ₅₀ = 0.27 day at 22°C	Tested as ACTICIDE® 14 CIT: elimination >96% MIT: elimination >80% Tested on MIT only MIT: DT _{50 (dissipation)} = 0.02 day	
Diodogradation in	MIT DT ₅₀ = 0.04 day at 22°C	No relevent	
Biodegradation in Sewage Treatment Plant (metabolites)	Not relevant	No relevant	

Biodegradation in surface water

Estuarine water

CMIT,

 $DT_{50} = 0.81 (22 \mu g/L) - 3.17$ days (115 μ g/L) at 19.6 °C $DT_{50} = 1.49 (22 \mu g/L) - 5.82$ days (115 μ g/L) at 12 °C

MIT,

 $DT_{50} = 1.38 (22 \mu g/L) -1.24$ days (112 $\mu g/L$) at 20 °C $DT_{50} = 2.63 (22 \mu g/L) - 2.35$ days (112 $\mu g/L$) at 12 °C

Marine water

CMIT,

 $DT_{50} = 1.8 (10 \ \mu g/L) - 17.3$ days (100 $\ \mu g/L$) at 20°C $DT_{50} = 3.4 (10 \ \mu g/L) - 32.8$ days (100 $\ \mu g/L$) at 12 °C $DT_{50} = 4.3 (10 \ \mu g/L) - 41.7$ days (100 $\ \mu g/L$) at 9 °C

MIT,

DT₅₀ = 3.6 for threshold and 8.3 for PEC calculation (10 μ g/L) – 12.3 days (100 μ g/L) at 20°C DT₅₀ = 6.8 for threshold and 15.7 for PEC calculation (10 μ g/L) – 23.3 days (100 μ g/L) at 12 °C

 $DT_{50} = 8.7$ for threshold and 20.0 for PEC calculation (10 μ g/L) -29.7 days (100 μ g/L) at 9 °C

Estuarine water

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Not available

Marine water

<u>CIT</u> (20µg/L):

 $DT_{50} = >2$ days and < 7 days at $15^{\circ}C$

 $DT_{50}>2.5$ and < 8.9 days at $12^{\circ}C$

 $DT_{50} > 3.2$ and <11.3 days at 9°C

MIT (87.5 μ g/L):

 $DT_{50} = 3.9$ days at 15°C $DT_{50} = 5.0$ days at 12°C $DT_{50} = 6.3$ days at 9°C

Estuarine water

 $\underline{CMIT} DT_{50} = 5.82 days at 12°C$

MIT $DT_{50} = 2.63 \text{ days at } 12^{\circ}\text{C}$

 $\underline{C(M)IT/MIT}$: DT₅₀ = 5.82 days at 12°C (endpoint for the risk assessment)

Marine water

 $\underline{\mathsf{CMIT}}\ \mathsf{DT}_{50} = 41.7\ \mathsf{days}\ \mathsf{at}\ 9\ ^\circ\mathsf{C}$

$\underline{\text{MIT}}$ DT₅₀ = 29.7days at 9 °C $\underline{\text{C(M)IT/MIT}}$: DT₅₀ = 41.7 days at 9 °C (endpoint for the risk assessment if necessary)

Distribution in water sediment systems

CMIT,

Aerobic conditions:

 $DT_{50 \text{ whole system}} = 0.38-1.33 \text{ days}$ at $20^{\circ}C$

 $DT_{50 \text{ whole system}} = 0.72-2.47 \text{ days}$ at $12^{\circ}C$

<u>CIT</u>: Aero

Aerobic conditions:

 $DT_{50 \text{ whole system}} = 1.86-2.04 \text{ days}$ at $20^{\circ}C$

 $DT_{50 \text{ whole system}} = 3.53-3.86 \text{ days}$ at 12°C

MIT,

Aerobic conditions:

 $DT_{50 \text{ whole system}} = 0.46-1.44 \text{ days}$ at $20^{\circ}\text{C DT}_{50 \text{ whole system}} = 0.87-2.7 \text{ day at } 12^{\circ}\text{C}$

MIT:

Aerobic conditions:

 $DT_{50 \text{ whole system}} = 1.28-2.2 \text{ days}$ at $20^{\circ}C$

 $DT_{50 \text{ whole system}} = 2.43-4.17 \text{ days}$ at $12^{\circ}C$

Aerobic Freshwater/sediment

<u>CMIT</u> DT_{50 whole system} = 2.22 days at 12°C (geometric mean) <u>MIT</u> DT_{50 whole system} = 2.21 days at 12°C (geometric mean)

Distribution in water sediment systems (metabolites)

Aerobic, CMIT

Not relevant

Aerobic, MIT

<1% of applied radioactivity except for (methylcarbamoyl)ethane sulfonic acid and 2hydroxyethane sulfonic acid. maximum 23.5% in Almhouse water: sediment system (0.9 at day 30) and maximum 20.5% in the Cedar Hill water: sediment system, (3.3% at day 30).

Aerobic, CMIT

Only detected in the water sediment system with high organic carbon

- a polar degradation product (10.1% of applied activity by day 6, 4.6% by day 58)
- a degradation product of polarity similar to C(M)IT (13.6% of applied activity by day 13, 3.0% by day 58).

Their identity was not elucidated, despite efforts with LC/MS analysis

Aerobic, MIT

One metabolite detected but not identified in both water: sediment system:

- low organic matter water: sediment system, maximum 48.5% by day 4 and 11.4% by day 38
- high organic matter water:
 sediment system, maximum
 36.9% by day 8 and not

Non-extractable residues

C(M)IT, aerobic:

45.4-69.5 % of the applied ¹⁴C-activity with 60.4 % at study termination (30 days) and 34.6-44.4 % with 42.2 % at study termination (30 days) for the Almhouse and Cedar Hill water: sediment systems, respectively).

MIT, aerobic:

45.2-60.2 % of the applied ¹⁴C-activity with 57.7 % at study termination (30 days) and 27.2-62.6 % with 62.6 % at study termination (30 days) for the Almhouse and Cedar Hill water: sediment systems, respectively).

detected by day 58.

C(M)IT, aerobic:

- low organic matter water: sediment system, from 17.0% of applied activity by day 1 to 43.9% by day 58
- high organic matter water: sediment system, from 17.8% of applied activity by day 1 to 51.4% by day 31.5

MIT, aerobic:

- low organic matter water: sediment system, from 12.6% of applied activity by day 1 to 53.7% by day 38
- high organic matter water: sediment system, from 15.8% of applied activity by day 1 to 42.0% by day 39

Route and rate of degradation in soil (Annex IIIA, point VII.4, XII.1.1, XII.1.4; Annex VI, para. 85)

Mineralization (aerobic)

DOW	THOR
CMIT,	CIT
${\rm CO_2}$ was present at 75% of the applied activity after 100 days of incubation.	Not available
MIT,	MIT
CO_2 was present at 46.6% of the applied activity after 100 days of incubation.	25.2% mineralisation after 51 days
CMIT,	CIT
$DT_{50} = 0.11$ day for threshold and 0.78 day for PEC calculation at $20^{\circ}C$	Not available.
$DT_{50} = 0.21$ day for threshold and 1.48 days for PEC calculation at 12°C	

Laboratory studies (range or median, with number of measurements, with regression coefficient)

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	MIT,	MIT
	DT ₅₀ = 0.27 day at 20°C	
		DT ₅₀ < 0.08 day at 20°C
		DT ₅₀ < 0.15 day at 12°C
	$DT_{50} = 0.51 \text{ day at } 12^{\circ}\text{C}$	30
	2 · 30	
	CMTT DT	
	CMIT DT ₅₀ = 1.48 days at 12°C	ý
	MIT DT ₅₀ = 0.51 days at 12°C	
	C(M)IT/MIT: DT ₅₀ = 1.48 days assessment, PEC calculations)	s at 12°C (endpoint for the risk
Field studies (state	DT _{50f} : not available	DT _{50f} : not available
location, range or	Drsor. Not available	Dr _{50r} . Het avanable
median with number		
of measurements)		
	DT _{90f} : not available	DT _{90f} : not available
Anaerobic	Not available	Not available
degradation		
Soil photolysis	Not available	Not available
Non-extractable	CMIT,	CIT
residues	Non extractable residues:	Not available
	from 1.62 % to 76.49 % after	
	48 hours 58.70% after 64 days	MIT
		from approximately 33% of the
	MIT,	applied activity at t=2h to
	Non extractable residues:	approximately 55% of the
	from 6.2 % to 39.7 % after 30	applied activity at the end of the
	days and 38.8 % after 100 days.	incubation
Relevant metabolites	CMIT,	Not applicable (all compounds
- name and/or code,	CO ₂ was the only metabolite	<10% of the applied activity)
% of applied a.i.	detected and identified that was	
(range and	greater than 10% of the applied	
maximum)	radioactivity. The presence of	
	¹⁴ CO ₂ demonstrates that the	
	isothiazolone ring is cleaved and significant metabolism of the	
	resulting alkyl metabolites has	
	occurred. While definitive	
	identification of the metabolites	
	could not be achieved, they can	
	be characterized as a mixture of	
	malonic acid, malonamic acid,	

N-methyl malonamic acid, and	
N-methyl oxamic acid.	
MIT,	
Besides CO ₂ , two metabolites were quantified above 10% but were transient. They were isolated and identified by LC-MS as N-methyl-2-oxo-propionamide, and 2-	
methylcarbamoyl-ethene sulfonic acid. CO ₂ increased	
continually throughout the study reaching 46.6% after 100 days of incubation.	

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Soil accumulation and plateau concentration

Based on degradation studies, no accumulation is expected.

Based on degradation studies, no accumulation is expected.

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Adsorption/desorption (Annex IIA, point XII.7.7;

Annex IIIA, point XII.1.2)

C(M)IT/MIT

	DOW	THOR
Ka , Kd	CMIT, Kf (sludge) = 55.6 Ka _{oc} (sludge) = 79.9-107.1 Ka _{oc} (soil and sediment) = 30-	$\frac{\text{CIT.}}{\text{Ka}_{\text{oc}}} = 11.75$
	310 Kd _{oc} (soil and sediment) = 39- 421	Ka _{oc} (soil and sediment) = 26-
Ka _{oc} , Kd _{oc}	$\frac{\text{MIT,}}{\text{Kf (sludge)}} = 6.12$ $\text{Ka}_{\text{oc}} \text{ (sludge)} = 54.1-152.7$ $\text{Ka}_{\text{oc}} \text{ (soil and sediment)} = 6.4-10$	MIT Ka _{oc} << 5.6
pH dependence (yes / no) (if yes type of dependence)	Kd _{oc} (soil and sediment) not determined	
	Not expected.	
	CMIT Ka _∞ (soil and sediment) mean) = 83.2	= 26-310 ; Ka $_{ m oc}$ (arithmetic
	MIT Ka _{oc} (soil and sediment) =) = 7.5	6.4-10; Ka _{oc} (arithmetic mean

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Fate and behaviour in air (Annex IIIA, point VII.3, VII.5)

Direct photolysis in air

The phototransformation half-lifes in air calculated with OH radicals are 16.4 and 16.6 hours for CMIT and MIT, respectively. For the observed metabolites and degradates of CMIT and MIT the half-lives range from 24.2 to 31.8 hours.

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The phototransformation half-lifes in air calculated with NO_3 radicals are 29 and 29.9 hours for CMIT and MIT, respectively

The calculated phototransformation half-lifes in air with OH radicals are 17.5 and 14.3 hours for CMIT and MIT, respectively.

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The calculated phototransformation half-lifes in with ozone air are 45.8 days and 6.55 days for CMIT and MIT, respectively.

 $\underline{CMIT} \ DT_{50} = 17.5 \ hours$ $\underline{MIT} \ DT_{50} = 16.6 \ hours$

 $\underline{C(M)IT/MIT}$: DT₅₀ = 17.5 hours

Quantum yield of direct photolysis

Photooxidative degradation in air

Volatilization

Not available

Not available

Low potential due to low vapour pressure.

Monitoring data, if available (Annex VI, para. 44)

Soil (indicate location and type of study)

Surface water (indicate location and type of study)

Ground water (indicate location and type of study)

A.i.r (indicate location and type of study)

Not available

Not available

Not available

Not available

Chapter 5: Effects on Non-target Species

Toxicity data of C(M)IT/MIT for aquatic species (most sensitive species of each group)

(Annex IIA, point 8.2, Annex IIIA, point 10.2)

Species	Time-scale	DOW	THOR
		Endpoint	Endpoint
	Fresh	water Fish	
Rainbow trout (Oncorhynchus mykiss)	Acute-96 hr US-EPA 72- 1 Flow through	96 hr LC ₅₀ 1.36 mg/L (eq. to 0.19 mg a.i./L) 96 hr NOEC 0.93 mg /L (eq. to 0.13 mg ai/L) (mean measured concentration)	
	Acute-96 hr OECD 203 Static		96 hr LC ₅₀ 1.57 mg /L (eq. to 0.22 mg ai/L) (nominal concentration)
Bluegill sunfish (Lepomis macrochirus)	Acute-96 hr US-EPA 72- 1 Flow through	96 hr LC ₅₀ 2.00 mg /L (eq. to 0.28 mg ai/L) 96 hr NOEC 1.57 mg /L (eq. to 0.22 mg ai/L) (mean measured concentration)	
Rainbow trout (Oncorhynchus mykiss)	Prolonged Toxicity Test -14 Day OECD 204 Flow through	14 d NOEC 0.36 mg /L (eq. to 0.05 mg ai/L) (mean measured concentration)	
	Mortality test -28 Days OECD 215 Semi Static		28d NOEC 0.70 mg /L (eq. to 0.098 mg ai/L) (nominal concentration)

Fathead minnow	Early life	NOEC, egg hatch,	
(Pimephales promelas)	stage toxicity-36 days US-EPA 72- 4 Flow through	survival, length 0.86 mg /L (eq. to 0.12 mg ai/L) NOEC, weight 0.14 mg /L (eq. to 0.02 mg ai/L) (mean measured concentration)	
	Saltv	water Fish	
Sheepshead minnow (Cyprinodon variegatus)	Acute-96 hr Static	96 hr LC_{50} 2.14 mg ./L (eq. to 0.30 mg ai/L) 96 hr NOEC 1.29 mg /L (eq. to 0.18 mg ai/L) (nominal concentration)	
	Acute-96 hr Flow through		96 hr LC ₅₀ 3.43 mg /L (eq. to 0.48 mg ai/L) (nominal concentration)
	Freshwate	r Invertebrates	
Daphnia magna	Acute-48 hr US-EPA 72- 2 Flow through	48 hr EC ₅₀ 1.14 mg /L (eq. to 0.16 mg ai/L) 48 hr NOEC 0.86 mg ./L (eq. to 0.12 mg ai/L) (mean measured concentration)	
	Acute-48 hr OECD 202 Static		48 hr LC ₅₀ 4.71 mg ./L (eq. to 0.71 mg/L C(M)IT /MIT 14% a.i. and 0.10 mg ai/L) (issued from 2.1% source) (nominal concentration)

Daphnia magna	Chronic-21 days US-EPA 72- 4	NOEC, survival of first generation ¹ , 0.71 mg ./L (eq. to 0.10 mg ai/L) EC ₅₀ , survival of first generation ¹ , > 1.29 mg ./L (eq. to 0.18 mg ai/L) (mean measured concentration)	
	Chronic-21 days OECD 202		NOEC reproduction 0.172 mg./L (eq. to 0.026 mg/L C(M)IT /MIT 14% a.i. and 0.0036 mg ai/L,issued from 2.1% source) (mean measured concentration)

1: most sensitive parameter

: most sensitive parameter			
	Saltw	ater Invertebrates	
Mysid (Americamysis bahia)	Acute-96 hr US-EPA OPPTS 850.1035 Flow through Acute-96 hr US-EPA FIFRA 72-3 Flow through	96 hr EC ₅₀ 2.01 mg ./L (eq. to 0.282 mg a.i./L) 96 hr NOEC 0.21 mg./L (eq. to 0.030 mg a.i./L) (mean measured concentration)	96 hr EC ₅₀ 2.36 mg ./L (eq. to 0.33mg ai/L) (nominal concentration)
(Acartia tonsa)	Acute-48 hr ISO TC 147/SC 5 WG 2: and PARCOM Ring Test Protocol Static	48 hr EC ₅₀ 0.05 mg ./L (eq. to 0.007 mg ai/L) (nominal concentration)	
Crassostrea virginicia (Eastern oyster)	Acute-96 hr US-EPA FIFRA 72-3 Flow through		96 hr LC ₅₀ 0.29 mg ./L (eq. to 0.041mg ai/L) (nominal concentration)
Freshwater Algae			

Selenastrum capricornutum	120 hr OECD 201 US-EPA FIFRA 122-2 Static 72 hr OECD 201 US-EPA OPPTS 850.5400 Static	24 hr NOErC 35.3 µg/L (eq. to 4.955 µg ai/L) (Initial measured concentration (LOQ/2))	72 hr NOErC 8.29 µg ./L (eq. to 1.16 µg ai/L) 72 hr EbC50 69.50 µg /L (eq. to 9.73 µg ai/L) 72 hr ErC50 382.1 µg /L (eq. to 53.5
			μg ai/L) (mean measured concentration)
	S	Saltwater Algae	,
Skeletonema costatum	48 hr OECD 201 US EPA OPPTS 850.5400 Static	48 hr NOE _r C 3.5 μg/L (eq. to 0.49 μg a.i./L) 48 hr ErC50 37.1 μg/L (eq. to 5.2 μg a.i./L) (mean measured concentration)	Available but no reliable
1	Freshwater se	ediment dwelling organisms	
Midge larvae (Chironomus riparius)	Chronic-28 days OECD 218	28 d NOEC, survival 23.79 mg/kg (eq to 3.33 mg a.i./kg) dry sediment 28 d LC ₅₀ , survival 50.21 mg/kg (eq to 7.03 mg a.i./kg) dry sediment 28 d NOEC, adult emergence 27 mg/kg (eq to 3.78 mg a.i./kg) dry sediment 28 d EC ₅₀ , adult emergence 50.21 mg/kg (eq to 7.03 mg a.i./kg) dry sediment 28 d NOEC, developmental rate > 50.21 mg/kg (eq to 7.03 mg a.i./kg) dry sediment 28 d EC ₅₀ , developmental rate > 50.21 mg/kg (eq to 7.03 mg a.i./kg) dry sediment 28 d EC ₅₀ , developmental rate > 50.21 mg/kg (eq to 7.03 mg a.i./kg) dry sediment (mean measured concentration)	Not Available

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Lumbriculus variegatus	Chronic-28 days Draft OECD	28d EC50 survival 2.64-3.29 mg/kg dry sediment (eq to 0.37 - 0.46 mg a.i./kg dry sediment) 28d NOEC survival 1.93 mg/kg (eq to 0.27 mg a.i./kg) dry sediment (mean measured concentration)	Not Available
Hyalella azteca	Chronic-28 days US-EPA OPPTS 850.1735	28d EC50 survival 13.07- 45.39 mg/kg dry sediment (eq to 1.83- 6.34 mg a.i./kg dry sediment) 28d NOEC survival 7.93 mg/kg (eq to 1.11mg a.i./kg) dry sediment (mean measured concentration)	Not Available

Saltwater sediment dwelling organisms - not available			
Microorganisms			
Activated sludge respiration inhibition	Acute-3 hr OECD 209	3 hr NOEC 6.50 mg ./L (eq. to 0.91 mg a.i./L)	3 hr EC ₅₀ 56.57 mg /L (eq. to 7.92 mg ai/L)
		3 hr EC_{50} 32.14 mg ./L (eq. to 4.5 mg a.i./L)	3h EC $_{20}$ 6.93 mg /L (eq. to 0.97 mg a.i./L)

Toxicity data of C(M)IT/MIT metabolites for aquatic species (most sensitive species of each group) $\)$

(Annex IIA, point 8.2, Annex IIIA, point 10.2)

Species	Time-	DOW*	
	scale	Endpoint	Toxicity
Fres	hwater Fish- I	N-methyl malonar	nic acid
Rainbow trout (<i>Oncorhynchus</i> <i>mykiss</i>)	Acute-96 hr	96 hr LC ₅₀ 96 hr NOEC	> 1000 mg /L ≥ 1000 mg /L (nominal concentration)
F	reshwater Fish	n- N-methyl aceta	mide
Rainbow trout (<i>Oncorhynchus</i> <i>mykiss</i>)	Acute-96 hr	96 hr LC ₅₀ 96 hr NOEC	> 694 mg /L ≥ 694 mg /L (mean measured concentration)
	Freshwater F	ish- Malonamic ac	cid
Rainbow trout (Oncorhynchus mykiss)	Acute-96 hr	96 hr LC ₅₀ 96 hr NOEC	> 1000 mg /L ≥ 1000 mg /L (nominal concentration)
Freshwat	er Invertebra	tes- N-methyl ma	lonamic acid
Daphnia magna	Acute-48 hr	48 hr EC ₅₀ 48 hr NOEC	> 986 mg /L ≥ 986 mg /L (mean measured concentration)
Freshv	vater Inverteb	rates- N-methyl-a	acetamide
Daphnia magna	Acute-48 hr	48 hr EC ₅₀ 48 hr NOEC	> 863 mg /L not available (mean measured concentration)

Fresh	water Invert	ebrates- Malonami	c acid
Daphnia magna	Acute-48 hr	48 hr EC ₅₀ 48 hr NOEC	> 1000 mg /L ≥ 1000 mg /L (nominal concentration)
Freshv	ater Algae-	N-methyl malonam	nic acid
Selenastrum Capricornutum	96 hr EC ₅₀	96 hr NOEC 96 hr E _b C ₅₀ 96 hr E _r C ₅₀	36 mg /L 58 mg ./L 128 mg /L (nominal concentration)
Fres	hwater Algae	e- N-methyl-acetar	nide
Selenastrum Capricornutum	96 hr EC ₅₀	72 hr NOEC 72 hr E_bC_{50} 72 hr E_rC_{50}	0.51 mg /L 1.6 mg /L 5.8 mg /L (nominal concentration)
Fi	eshwater Al	gae- Malonamic ac	id
Selenastrum Capricornutum	96 hr EC ₅₀	96 hr NOEC	519 mg /L
		96 hr E _b C ₅₀ 96 hr E _r C ₅₀	> 1080 mg /L > 1080 mg /L (initial measured concentration)

^{*}No data provided by THOR

Effects on earthworms or other soil non-target organisms

Acute toxicity to Earthworm (*Eisenia foetida*) (Annex IIIA, point XIII.3.2)

DOW	THOR				
OECD 207, 14-days mortality	OECD 207, 14-days mortality				
$\begin{array}{l} - \underline{\text{Nominal}}: \\ LC_{50}(\text{survival}) = 618.6 \text{ mg /kg dw} \\ (\text{eq. to 86.6 mg a.i./kg dw}) \\ \text{NOEC}(\text{survival}) = 63.1 & \text{mg/kg dw} \\ \text{dw (eq. to 8.83 mg a.i./kg dw}) \\ \\ \underline{-\text{Twa:}} \\ LC_{50}(\text{survival}) = 49.7 \text{ mg /kg dw} \\ (\text{eq. to 6.96 mg a.i./kg dw}) \end{array}$	- Nominal: NOEC (survival) = 180 mg/kg (eq to 26 mg a.i/kg) dw LC ₅₀ (survival) > 1000 mg/kg (eq to > 143 mg a.i/kg) dw				
NOEC(survival) = 5.07 mg/kg dw (eq. to 0.71 mg a.i./kg dw)	<u>- Twa:</u> NOEC (survival) = 14.47 mg/kg (eq to 2.09 mg				

		a.i/kg) dw LC ₅₀ (survival) > 80.38 mg/kg (eq to >11.49 mg a.i/kg) dw
Reproductive toxicity to Earthworm (<i>Eisenia foetida</i>) (Annex IIIA, point XIII.3.2)	Not available	Not available

Effects on soil micro-organisms (Annex IIA, point 7.4)

	DOW	THOR
	OECD 216, OECD 217, 28 days	OECD 216, OECD 217, 28 days
Nitrogen mineralization	- Nominal: $EC_{50} = 266.4 \text{ mg /kg dw (eq. to } 37.3 \text{ mg a.i. /kg dw)}$ $NOEC = 71.4 \text{ mg /kg dw (eq. to } 10 \text{ mg a.i. /kg dw)}$	$\begin{array}{l} - \underline{\text{Nominal}} : \\ EC_{50} &= 214.3 \text{mg} / \text{kg d.w} \\ \text{(eq. to 30 mg a.i. /kg dw)} \\ \text{NOEC} &= 114.3 \text{mg} / \text{kg d.w} \\ \text{(eq. to 16 mg a.i. /kg dw)} \end{array}$
	- Twa: EC ₅₀ = 10.71 mg /kg dw (eq. to 1.50 mg a.i. /kg dw) NOEC = 2.87mg /kg dw (eq. to 0.402 mg a.i. /kg dw)	$\frac{-\text{ Twa:}}{\text{EC}_{50}} = 8.14 \text{ mg} / \text{kg d.w}$ (eq. to 1.14 mg a.i. /kg dw) NOEC = 4.34 mg / kg d.w (eq. to 0.61 mg a.i /kg dw)
Carbon mineralization	- Nominal: $EC_{50} = 275.7 \text{ mg /kg dw (eq. to } 38.6 \text{ mg a.i. /kg dw)}$ $NOEC \text{ (nominal)} = 7.14 \text{ mg /kg dw (eq. to 1 mg a.i. /kg dw)}$	$\begin{array}{l} - \underline{\text{Nominal}} : \\ EC_{50} = 180.71 \text{mg} \text{/kg d.w} \\ \text{(eq. to 25.3 mg a.i. /kg dw)} \\ \text{NOEC} = 114.3 \text{mg} \text{/ kg d.w} \\ \text{(eq. to 16 mg a.i. /kg dw)} \end{array}$
	$\begin{array}{l} - \text{Twa:} \\ \text{EC}_{50} &= 11.08 \text{ mg} / \text{kg dw (eq. to} \\ 1.55 \text{ mg a.i. /kg dw)} \\ \text{NOEC (nominal)} &= 0.287 \text{ mg} / \text{kg} \\ \text{dw (eq. to 0.0402 mg a.i. /kg dw)} \end{array}$	$\frac{-\text{Twa:}}{\text{EC}_{50}} = 6.87 \text{ mg /kg d.w (eq. to 0.96 mg a.i. /kg dw)}$ $\text{NOEC} = 4.34 \text{ mg / kg d.w}$ $\text{(eq. to 0.61 mg a.i. /kg dw)}$

Effects on terrestrial vertebrates

Acute toxicity to mammals (Annex IIIA, point XIII.3.3)

DOW	THOR
LD ₅₀ oral : 457 mg/kg bw (rat) (eq. to 64 mg a.i. /kg bw)	LD ₅₀ oral : 472 mg/kg bw (rat) (eq. to 64 mg a.i. /kg
LD ₅₀ dermal: 660 mg./kg bw	bw)
(rabbit) (eq. to 92.4 mg a.i./kg bw)	LD ₅₀ dermal > 1 007 mg./kg bw (rat) (eq. to 141 mg

	LC ₅₀ inhalation: 2.36 mg./L air (rat) (eq. to 0.33 mg a.i./L) Skin irritation: Irritant (rabbit) Eye irritation: Corrosive (rabbit) Skin sensitization: Sensitising	a.i./kg bw) $LC_{50} \text{ inhalation}: 1.23 \text{ mg./L}$ $air (rat) (eq. to 0.171 \text{ mg}$ $a.i./L)$ $Skin irritation: Corrosive$ $(rabbit)$ $Eye irritation: Corrosive$ $(rabbit)$ $Skin sensitization:$ $Sensitising$
Acute toxicity to birds (Annex IIIA, point XIII.1.1)	Bobwhite quail: LD ₅₀ = 460.71 mg /kg bw (eq. to 64.5 mg a.i./kg bw) (nominal concentration)	Not available
Dietary toxicity to birds (Annex IIIA, point XIII.1.2)	Bobwhite quail: $LC_0 = 10357 \text{ mg /kg (eq. to 1450 mg /kg a.i.) in diet}$ $NOEC = 1614 \text{ mg /kg (eq. to 226 mg /kg a.i.) based on weight and food consumption}$ $LC_{50} = 25257 \text{ mg /kg (eq. 3536 mg /kg a.i.)}$ $Mallard Duck:$ $LC_0 = 1614 \text{ mg /kg (eq. to 226 mg /kg a.i.)}$ $LC_{50} = 6750 \text{ mg /kg (eq. to 945 mg /kg a.i.)}$	Not available
Reproductive toxicity to birds (Annex IIIA, point XIII.1.3)	(mean measured concentrations) Not available	Not available

Effects on honeybees (Annex IIIA, point XIII.3.1)

Acute oral toxicity

Acute contact toxicity

Not available

Not available

Effects on other beneficial arthropods (Annex IIIA, point XIII.3.1)

Acute oral toxicity

Acute contact toxicity

Not available

Not available

Not available

Bioconcentration (Annex IIA, point 7.5)

	DOW	THOR
Bioconcentration factor (BCF)	CMIT- Bluegill sunfish: Steady state BCF = 41-54 (total ¹⁴ C-residues, parent and metabolites) The log P (log octanol: water partition coefficient) for CMIT is 0.401. MIT: not available The log P (log octanol: water partition coefficient) for MIT is	EPIWIN: CIT BCF = 3.16 MIT BCF = 3.16
	-0.486.	
Depuration time (DT_{50}) (DT_{90})	CMIT- Bluegill sunfish: D _{T50} = 0.64-1.6 days MIT: not available	NA
Level of metabolites (%) in organisms accounting for > 10 % of residues	Not applicable	NA

Chapter 6: Other End Points

Effects on Terrestrial plants (Document IIIA, point 7.5)

	Terrestria	l Plants	DOW
Canola, Red Clover, and Rice	OECD 208 21 days Seedling emergence and seedling growth Soil incorporatio n	Canola: - Nominal: EC ₅₀ , emergence EC ₅₀ , survival EC ₅₀ , shoot weight NOEC, emergence NOEC, survival NOEC, shoot weight - Twa: EC ₅₀ , emergence EC ₅₀ , survival EC ₅₀ , shoot weight NOEC, emergence NOEC, survival ROEC, shoot weight NOEC, shoot weight NOEC, shoot weight NOEC, shoot weight	660 mg /kg dry soil (eq. to 92.4 mg ai/kg) 218.57 mg /kg dry soil (eq. to 30.6 mg ai/kg) 68.9 mg /kg dry soil (eq. to 9.65 mg ai/kg) 214.3 mg /kg dry soil (eq. to 30 mg ai/kg) 64.3 mg /kg dry soil (eq. to 9.0 mg ai/kg) 19.3 mg /kg dry soil (eq. to 2.7 mg ai/kg) 28.04 mg /kg dry soil (eq. to 3.93 mg ai/kg) 9.29 mg /kg dry soil (eq. to 1.30 mg

EC₅₀, survival EC₅₀, shoot weight NOEC, emergence NOEC, survival NOEC, shoot weight

- Twa:

EC₅₀, emergence EC₅₀, survival EC₅₀, shoot weight NOEC, emergence NOEC, survival NOEC, shoot weight

Rice:

- <u>Nominal</u>: EC₅₀, emergence

EC₅₀, survival

EC₅₀, shoot weight NOEC, emergence NOEC, survival NOEC, shoot weight

<u>- Twa:</u>

EC₅₀, emergence

EC₅₀, survival

 EC_{50} , shoot weight NOEC, emergence NOEC, survival NOEC, shoot weight

9.11 mg/kg dry soil (eq. to 1.27 mg ai/kg)
2.73 mg/kg dry soil (eq. to 0.38 mg

ai/kg)
0.82 mg /kg dry soil (eq. to 0.11 mg ai/kg)

230.71 mg /kg dry soil (eq. to 32.3 mg ai/kg)

85 mg /kg dry soil (eq. to 11.9 mg ai/kg)

48.36 mg /kg dry soil (eq. to 6.77 mg ai/kg)

64.3 mg /kg dry soil eq. to 9.0 mg ai/kg)

19.3 mg /kg dry soil (eq. to 2.7 mg ai/kg)

19.3 mg /kg dry soil (eq. to 2.7 mg ai/kg)

9.80 mg /kg dry soil (eq. to 1.37 mg ai/kg)

3.61 mg /kg dry soil (eq. to 0.51 mg ai/kg)

2.05 mg /kg dry soil (eq. to 0.29 mg ai/kg)

2.73 mg /kg dry soil eq. to 0.38 mg ai/kg)

0.82 mg /kg dry soil (eq. to 0.11 mg ai/kg)

0.82 mg /kg dry soil (eq. to 0.11 mg ai/kg)

> 714.3 mg /kg dry soil (eq. to 100 mg ai/kg dry soil)

> 714.3 mg /kg dry soil (eq. to 100 mg ai/kg dry soil)

120 mg /kg dry soil (eq. to 16.8 mg ai/kg)

214.3 mg /kg dry soil (eq. to 30 mg ai/kg)

214.3 mg /kg dry soil (eq. to 30 mg ai/kg)

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			64.3 mg /kg dry soil (eq. to 9.0 mg ai/kg) > 30.35 mg /kg dry soil (eq. to 4.25 mg ai/kg dry soil) > 30.35 mg /kg dry soil (eq. to 4.25 mg ai/kg dry soil) 5.10 mg /kg dry soil (eq. to 0.71 mg ai/kg) 9.11 mg /kg dry soil (eq. to 1.27 mg ai/kg) 9.11 mg /kg dry soil (eq. to 1.27 mg ai/kg) 9.13 mg /kg dry soil (eq. to 0.38 mg ai/kg)
Canola, Red Clover, and Rice	Vegetative vigor Foliar spray	Canola, Red Clover, Rice: NOEC, biomass EC ₅₀ , biomass	ai/kg) 7143 mg /L (eq. to1000 mg a.i./L) > 7143 mg /L (eq. to1000 mg a.i./L)

Appendix II: List of intended uses

Summary of intended uses (Thor)

Object and/or situation	Product name	Organisms controlled	Formulation			Application		Applied amount	er treatment	
(a)		(c)	Type (d-f)	Conc. of as (i)	method kind (f-h)	number min max (k)	interval between applicatio ns (min)	g as/L min max	water L/m ² min max	g as/m² min max
PT 11: Liquid- cooling/ processin g systems	ACTICI DE®M V	Bacteria and Fungi	solution	,	Automatic dosing device	Continuou s dosing	Continuou s dosing	Continuous dosing: 0, 6 - 5, 0 mg a.i/L	NA	NA

Summary of intended uses (Dow)

Object and/or situation	Product Organisms name controlled		Formu	ılation		Application	n	Applied ar	nount reatment	per	Remarks:
			Type	Conc. of as	method kind	number min max	interval between applicatio ns (min)	g as/L min max	water L/m² min max	g as/m² min max	

Preservation of liquid cooling and industrial processing systems: (open and closed recirculating cooling towers, industrial process water, air washers, air conditioning systems, humidifiers, nonfood pasteurizers/sterilizers/can warmers, non-medical/nonpotable reverse osmosis (RO) and ultrafiltration (UF) membranes, wastewater treatment systems, water rinse baths, and conveyor lubricants).	C(M)IT/MIT containing biocidal products Kathon TM 886F (Kathon TM WT)	bacteria, fungi and algae.	Kathon ^T M886F: aqueou s concent rate	14% (Kathon TM 886F). This product may also be diluted to obtain 3% or 1.5% aqueou s formula tions.	Add to a central reservoi r or suitable location to provide adequat e mixing using manual addition or a metere d pump and repeat as needed.	Single dose. Dose C(M)IT/MIT weekly to maintai n microbi al control.	N/A	1 - 50 ppm total a.i.depending on the intended uses.	N/A	N/A	
Preservation of photo-processing systems, print fountain solutions, textile systems/spinning fluids, electrodeposition coating systems, paint spray booths, wood treatment solutions, and industrial cleaning in place.											

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Appendix III: List of acceptable intended uses

Thor:

Uses	Human risk assessment	Environmental risk assessment			
USES	Conditions	Conditions			
Process and cooling water					
	With gloves, impermeable coveralls, RPE and rinse of dispensing pumps	Closed and small open recirculating cooling systems, only when release from the systems are directed to a STP and at a doses rates range from 0.2 to 6 mg L ⁻¹ ,			

Dow:

Uses	Human risk assessment	Environmental risk assessment			
USES	Conditions	Conditions			
Process and cooling water					
	With gloves, impermeable coveralls, RPE and rinse of dispensing pumps	Closed and small open recirculating cooling systems, only when release from the systems are directed to a STP and at a doses rates range from 0.2 to 6 mg L ⁻¹ ,			

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Uses	Human risk assessment	Environmental risk assessment				
0363	Conditions	Conditions				
Textile and spinning fluids						
	With gloves and impermeable coveralls					
Paint spray boot	ns and electrodeposition coating systems (including	ng car refinishing and manufacture)				
	With gloves, impermeable coveralls and RPE					
Industrial hygier	ne, clean in place (CIP)					
	With gloves, impermeable coveralls and RPE					
Print Fountain So	blutions					
	Covered by others uses evaluation					

Appendix IV: List of Studies

Reference list sorted by section: <u>Dow</u>

Section No / Reference No	Author(s)	Year	Title. Source (if different from company) Company, Report No. GLP (where relevant) / (Un)Published	Data Protection Claimed (Y/N)	Owne r
A2.10/01	Popendor f W., Selim M. S. and Lewis M. Q.	1995	Exposure while applying industrial antimicrobial pesticides. American Industrial Hygiene Association Journal, 56: 993-1001.	N	/
A3/01	Petigara, R.B.	2001	Biocides product directives common core data set for active (chemical) substances, Parts 2 and 3: identity, and physical and chemical properties of Kathon™ 886F Biocide. Rohm and Haas Company, Report N° TR-01-058 (December 20, 2001), GLP, Unpublished.	Y(ii) ¹⁷	Rohm and Haas
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A7.4.1.2-01	Mattock, S.D.	1996	Acticide PT: Acute immobilisation and reproduction test with Daphnia magna CORNING Hazleton (Europe); Report no. 1154/56 GLP/ Unpublished report	Yes	Thor
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