# Justification for the selection of a substance for CoRAP inclusion

Substance Name (Public Name):	di-tert-butyl 3,3,5- trimethylcyclohexylidene diperoxide
Chemical Group:	Peroxide
EC Number:	229-782-3
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Note

This document has been prepared by the evaluating Member State given in the CoRAP update.

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# **1 IDENTITY OF THE SUBSTANCE**

### 1.1 Other identifiers of the substance

EC name:	di-tert-butyl 3,3,5-trimethylcyclohexylidene diperoxide
IUPAC name:	1,1-bis(tert-butyldioxy)-3,3,5- trimethylcyclohexane
Index number in Annex VI of the CLP Regulation	none
Molecular formula:	C17H34O4
Molecular weight or molecular weight range:	302.45 g/mol
Synonyms/Trade names:	Trigonox 29

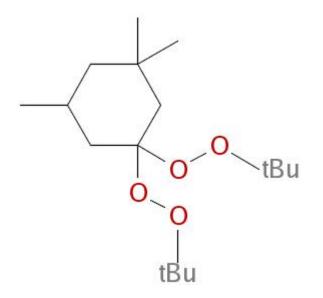
#### Table 1: Substance identity

Type of substance

Mono-constituent Multi-constituent

UVCB

### Structural formula:



### 1.2 Similar substances/grouping possibilities

None

## 2 CLASSIFICATION AND LABELLING

### 2.1 Harmonised Classification in Annex VI of the CLP

Not included in Annex VI of Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008.

### 2.2 Self classification

• In the registration:

Org. Perox. Type B, H241: Heating may cause a fire or explosion.

Aquatic Chronic 4, H413: May cause long lasting harmful effects to aquatic life.

 The following hazard classes are in addition notified among the aggregated self classifications in the C&L Inventory:

Not classified

Flam. Liq. 3, H226 – Flammable liquid and vapour

Org. Perox. C, H242 – Heating may cause fire

Asp. Tox. 1, H304 – May be fatal if swallowed and enters airways

Skin irrit. 2, H315 – Causes skin irritation

Eye irrit. 2, H319 – Causes serious eye irritation

STOT SE 3, H335 – May cause respiratory irritiation

Aquatic Acute 1, H400 – Very toxic to aquatic life

Aquatic Chronic 1, H410 - Very toxic to aquatic life with long lasting effects

# 2.3 Proposal for Harmonised Classification in Annex VI of the CLP

None.

### **3 INFORMATION ON AGGREGATED TONNAGE AND USES**

From ECHA dissemination site					
🗌 1 – 10 tpa		□ 10 – 100 tpa		☐ 100 – 1000 tpa	
☐ 1000 – 10,000 tpa		☐ 10,000 – 100,000 tpa		☐ 100,000 – 1,000,000 tpa	
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⊠ 100 + tpa (e.g. 10+ ; 100+ ; 10,000+ tpa)			🛛 Confidential		
One registrant in the joint submission has claimed the tonnage confidential.					
Industrial use	Professional use		🛛 Consumer use		Closed System
A wide range of uses is given in the registration dossiers, including use as a polymer additive and as adhesive or sealant and wide dispersive use in consumer products:					
Air care products, Biocidal products (e.g. disinfectants, pest control), Coatings and paints, thinners, paint removes, Fillers, putties, plasters, modelling clay, Finger paints, Ink and toners, Polishes and wax blends, Washing and cleaning products, Cosmetics, personal care products					

### 4 JUSTIFICATION FOR THE SELECTION OF THE CANDIDATE CORAP SUBSTANCE

#### 4.1 Legal basis for the proposal

- Article 44(2) (refined prioritisation criteria for substance evaluation)
- $\boxtimes$  Article 45(5) (Member State priority)

#### 4.2 Selection criteria met (why the substance qualifies for being in CoRAP)

- □ Fulfils criteria as CMR/ Suspected CMR
- Fulfils criteria as Sensitiser/ Suspected sensitiser
- Fulfils criteria as potential endocrine disrupter
- ☐ Fulfils criteria as PBT/vPvB / Suspected PBT/vPvB
- $\Box$  Fulfils criteria high (aggregated) tonnage (*tpa > 1000*)
- Fulfils exposure criteria
- Fulfils MS's (national) priorities

### 4.3 Initial grounds for concern to be clarified under Substance Evaluation

Hazard based concerns				
	Suspected CMR <sup>1</sup>	Potential endocrine disruptor		
Sensitiser	Suspected Sensitiser <sup>1</sup>			
□ PBT/vPvB	Suspected PBT/vPvB <sup>1</sup>	Other (please specify below)		
Exposure/risk based concerns				
U Wide dispersive use	Consumer use	Exposure of sensitive populations		
Exposure of environment	Exposure of workers	Cumulative exposure		
High RCR	High (aggregated) tonnage	Other (please specify below)		

1,1-bis(tert-butyldioxy)-3,3,5-trimethylcyclohexane fulfils the screening criteria for persistence or very high persistence (P/vP), bioaccumulation or very high bioaccumulation (B/vB) and toxicity (T) as described in the ECHA "Guidance on information requirements and chemical safety assessment", chapter R.11.

According to the data provided in the chemical safety report of the registration dossiers, the substance is not readily biodegradable and thus fulfils the P/vP screening criterion. A non-standard simulation study on degradation in a water/sediment system is available, however, this study is considered inappropriate for a definitive assessment on environmental half-life values.

The B/vB screening criterion is also considered to be fulfilled: The partition coefficient n-octanol/water given is around 7. Furthermore, the Japanese Ministry of International Trade and Industry (MITI) lists the substance as highly bioaccumulative, with measured BCF values in carp ranging from 3500 to 13200. According to these experimental results, the substance also fulfils the vB criterion as laid down in Annex XIII of the REACH regulation.

The T screening criterion is considered to be fulfilled, as preliminary results from a study currently being performed by the registrant indicate the substance is potentially toxic to Daphnia.

<sup>&</sup>lt;u>CMR/Sensitiser</u>: known carcinogenic and/or mutagenic and/or reprotoxic properties/known sensitising properties (according to CLP harmonized or registrant self-classification or CLP Inventory) <u>Suspected CMR/Suspected sensitiser</u>: suspected carcinogenic and/or mutagenic and/or reprotoxic properties/suspected sensitising properties (not classified according to CLP harmonized or registrant self-

classification) <u>Suspected PBT</u>: Potentially Persistent, Bioaccumulative and Toxic

# 4.4 Other completed/ongoing regulatory processes that may affect suitability for substance evaluation

Compliance check, Final decision	Dangerous substances Directive 67/548/EEC
☑ Testing proposal	Existing Substances Regulation 793/93/EEC
Annex VI (CLP)	Plant Protection Products Regulation 91/414/EEC
Annex XV (SVHC)	Biocidal Products Directive 98/8/EEC ; Biocidal Product Regulation (Regulation (EU) 528/2012)
Annex XIV (Authorisation)	Other (provide further details below)
Annex XVII (Restriction)	

The testing proposal Decision of 05/07/2012 has been published. The DL was 07/01/2014 for updating the dossier with the results of the four tests (according to OECD 114, 414, 211 and 225).

The dossier was updated and is currently under evaluation by ECHA.

# 4.5 Preliminary indication of information that may need to be requested to clarify the concern

□ Information on physico-chemical properties
Information on exposure
Information on uses
Other (provide further details below)

Based on a preliminary examination of the available data, simulation studies on biodegradation are required to derive reliable half life values for sediment, water and soil. The registrant has proposed to conduct a test on the long-term toxicity of the substance to aquatic invertebrates. Depending on the outcome, further data on ecotoxicity may be needed to conclude whether the T criterion is fulfilled. Additionally, a detailed evaluation of the available data may lead to further information requirements.

### 4.6 Potential follow-up and link to risk management

Restriction

Authorisation

Other (provide further details)

Depending on the outcome of the substance evaluation, an analysis of Risk Management Options shall be carried out to identify appropriate risk management measures. If the substance is confirmed to be persistent, bioaccumulative and toxic (PBT) or very persistent and very bioaccumulative (vPvB), it may be proposed for inclusion in the Candidate List and subsequent inclusion in Annex XIV of REACH.