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22nd International Akademie Fresenius ECOTOX Conference

Aquatic and Terrestrial Ecotoxicology and Risk Management

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6 and 7 December 2022
in Dusseldorf
and via Live Stream



Highlights

- Update from the EU Commission
- Update from EFSA: Guidance Document on birds and mammals and the risk assessment of non-target arthropods
- Industry view on protection goals and birds and mammals as well as the bee guidance
- Conflicting priorities in risk management of plant protection products
- A review of environmental protection goals
- KEMI and ANSES on the latest developments in the Northern and the Southern Zone
- Precision farming and environmental pesticide regulation in the EU
- Modified CRED – Tier 1 study evaluations streamlined

The Experts

Anne Alix Corteva Agriscience | **Roman Ashauer** Syngenta | **Amy Brooks** Cambridge Environmental Assessments / RSK ADAS | **Bas Buddendorf** Wageningen University | **Pierre-François Chaton** French Agency for Food, Environmental and Occupational Health & Safety (ANSES) | **Gertje Czub** Federal Office of Consumer Protection and Food Safety | **Jens Dauber** Johann Heinrich von Thünen Institute | **Peter Dohmen** Independent Consultant | **Virginie Ducrot** Bayer Crop Science | **Michael Faupel** Rifcon | **Joost Lahr** Dutch National Institute for Public Health and the Environment (RIVM) | **Mariana Ledesma** Swedish Chemicals Agency (KEMI) | **Emily McVey** Dutch Board for the Authorisation of Plant Protection Products and Biocides (Ctgb) | **Karin Nienstedt** European Commission | **Rachel Sharp** European Food Safety Authority (EFSA) | **Edward A. Straw** University College Dublin | **Manuela Trobej** Austrian Agency for Health and Food Safety (AGES) | **Jacoba Wassenberg** Dutch Board for the Authorisation of Plant Protection Products and Biocides (Ctgb)

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Tuesday, 6 December 2022

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Morning Session 09:30 – 13:40 CET

09:30 **Welcome address by the organisers and the Chairs**

Peter Dohmen, Independent Consultant, Germany

Jacoba Wassenberg, Dutch Board for the Authorisation of Plant Protection Products and Biocides (Ctgb), The Netherlands

Regulatory Update – Protection Goals and Biodiversity

09:40 **Update from EFSA**

- EFSA Guidance Document on Birds and Mammals
- Advancing the risk assessment of non-target arthropods

Rachel Sharp, European Food Safety Authority (EFSA), Italy (virtual presentation)

10:15 **Update from the Commission: Environmental topics related to the implementation of Regulation (EC) No 1107/2009**

Karin Nienstedt, European Commission, Belgium (virtual presentation)

10:50 **Environmental protection goals for crop protection products: Placing biodiversity and ecosystem services into context?**

Anne Alix, Corteva Agriscience, United Kingdom

11:25 **Coffee break**

11:55 **A stakeholder's view on updated regulatory guidance for bees, birds and mammals: Industry perspective**

Virginie Ducrot, Bayer Crop Science, Germany

12:30 **A review of environmental protection goals**

- Protection goals and their key purpose
- Why 'specific protection goals' are important
- Current approaches for determining, and establishing, environmental protection goals
- Opinion on the best methodology for establishing environmental protection goals for non-target organisms in the UK

Amy Brooks Cambridge Environmental Assessments / RSK ADAS, United Kingdom

13:05 **Conflicting priorities in risk management of plant protection products**

Gertje Czub, Federal Office of Consumer Protection and Food Safety (BVL), Germany

13:40 **Lunch break**

Afternoon Session 14:40 – 17:30 CET

14:40 **The conflicting priorities of agriculture and environmental protection: a conflict of the past?**

- Biodiversity for food and agriculture: Essential for feeding human populations and improving the quality of life
- Targets required for sustaining nature's contributions to people: Management of agricultural landscapes for resilient multi-functionality; Conservation and restoration of natural ecosystems for the own sake of biodiversity
- The requirement of targeted strategies and approaches, which consider the characteristics of agricultural landscapes and the productivity of agricultural food production together with the potentials of transformation towards sustainability

Jens Dauber, Johann Heinrich von Thünen Institute, Germany

Developments in the European Zones

15:15 **Developments in the Northern Zone**

Mariana Ledesma, Swedish Chemicals Agency (KEMI), Sweden

15:50 **Coffee break**

16:20 **Developments in the Southern Zone**

Pierre-François Chaton, French Agency for Food, Environmental and Occupational Health & Safety (ANSES), France

Methods, Novel Technologies and Modelling

16:55 **Mixture toxicity in ecotoxicological risk assessment**

Manuela Trobej, Austrian Agency for Health and Food Safety (AGES), Austria

17:30 **End of the first day**



After the first conference day you are most welcome to attend our evening event for an unhurried evening of good food and leisure time. Please join us to continue the day's interesting discussions in a relaxed and comfortable atmosphere.

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Wednesday, 7 December 2022

 **Morning Session 09:30 – 14:00 CET**

09:30 Brief address by the Chairs

Peter Dohmen, Independent Consultant, Germany

Jacoba Wassenberg, Dutch Board for the Authorisation of Plant Protection Products and Biocides (Ctgb), The Netherlands

Continuation: Methods, Novel Technologies and Modelling

09:45 Development of critical appraisal tools for the evaluation of non-standard higher tier ecotoxicology studies

Joost Lahr, Dutch National Institute for Public Health and the Environment (RIVM), The Netherlands

10:20 Modified CRED – Tier 1 study evaluations streamlined

- Consistency and transparency in data evaluation are paramount to risk assessment
- Increasing numbers of publications and reports mean more frequent evaluation of disparate data types
- Consistent and transparent evaluation of all types of data improves data reporting and usability – a win for all parties

Emily McVey, Dutch Board for the Authorisation of Plant Protection Products and Biocides (Ctgb), The Netherlands

10:55 Co-formulants and adjuvants, and emerging area of concern for bee health

Edward A. Straw, University College Dublin, Ireland (virtual presentation)

11:30 Coffee break

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12:00 TKTD-modelling of species sensitivity

- Why species sensitivity depends on the exposure profile
- Including latency and time reinforced toxicity via TKTD modelling
- State of the art examples of regulatory risk assessment with TKTD models

Roman Ashauer, Syngenta, Switzerland

12:35 Precision farming and environmental pesticide regulation in the EU

Michael Faupel, Rifcon, Germany

13:10 Interpretation of aquatic risk at landscape scales

Bas Buddendorf, Wageningen University, The Netherlands

13:45 Summary and final discussion

14:00 Lunch and end of the Conference

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- Ecotoxicology
- Hazard, exposure and risk assessment
- Risk management, Field studies, Modelling
- Regulatory affairs, Registration and authorisation
- Scientific advisory
- Technical and environmental affairs, Monitoring

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