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RESIDUES IN OR ON TREATED PRODUCTS, FOOD OR FEED

Fluopicolide (AE C638206) was included in Annex I to Council Directive 91/414/EEC in 2010 (Commission Directive 2010/15/EU, Entry into Force on June 1, 2010). The expiration of approval of fluopicolide is May 31, 2023 (Commission Implementing Regulation (EU) 2017/1527). The Supplementary Dossier contains only data which were not submitted at the time of the Annex I inclusion of fluopicolide under Council Directive 91/414/EEC and which were therefore not evaluated during the first EU review. All data which were already submitted by Bayer AG (former Bayer CropScience) for the Annex I inclusion under Council Directive 91/414/EEC are contained in the Draft Assessment Report (DAR) and its Addenda, and are included in the Baseline Dossier provided by Bayer AG.

The formulation Fluopicolide + Propamocarb-hydrochloride SC 687.5 (62.5+625 g/L), abbreviation FLC+PCH SC 687.5, is a suspension concentrate formulation (SC) containing 62.5 g/L of fluopicolide. This formulation is registered throughout Europe under trade names such as Infinito and Volare. FLC+PCH SC 687.5 was already a representative formulation of Bayer AG for the Annex I inclusion of fluopicolide under Council Directive 91/414/EEC.

Fluopicolide (AE C638206) is a fungicidal active substance developed by Bayer. It is the only active substance in Europe representing a class of chemistry (pyridinylmethyl-benzamides) with a unique mode of action via delocalization of a spectrin-like protein in the Oomycetes fungi.

Fluopicolide has a long track record of safe use in a large number of targeted crops within horticulture, e.g. cucumbers, lettuce and in arable crops (e.g. potatoes).

Fluopicolide is active against a wide range of Oomycete fungi, the causal agents of devastating plant diseases of economic importance in EU-27 such as potato late blight (Phytophthora infestans) or downy mildew diseases in a broad range of crops.

It provides effective, long lasting protection at low application rates against Oomycetes diseases at different stage of development of the fungus giving flexibility of use to the farmer.

Fluopicolide can be formulated with other active ingredients in different types of formulations to optimise and complete its activity.

The development of resistances of Oomycetes against existing, well-established fungicide groups represent a threat for European farmers by increasing the complexity of their plant protection programs leading to severe economic impacts. With Fluopicolide, farmers in EU-27 have access to a modern tool for their integrated crop protection programs, contributing to effective and sustainable management of resistance development and preserving high level of protection against Oomycete diseases.

By reducing the Oomycete damages, applications of Fluopicolide + Propamocarb SC 687.5 on target crops contribute to the achievement of optimum yield and quality, thus securing sufficient supply of high-quality potatoes and horticultural products for European consumer destinations and markets abroad, being it fresh or for the processing industry.

All relevant metabolism and residue data in support of this use are summarized in Document MCA, Section 6.