



Regulatory Decision Document

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Trinexapac-ethyl

The active ingredient trinexapac-ethyl and associated end-use product Primo MAXX Turf Growth Regulator, for growth inhibition of turf grasses on commercial sod farms and golf courses, are eligible for full registration under Section 13 of the Pest Control Products Regulations.

These products were proposed for registration in Proposed Regulatory Decision Document [PRDD2001-05, Trinexapac-ethyl](#). This Regulatory Decision Document outlines this stage of the Pest Management Regulatory Agency's regulatory decision-making process concerning the use of trinexapac-ethyl and associated end-use product Primo MAXX Turf Growth Regulator, for growth inhibition of turf grasses on commercial sod farms and golf courses.

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1.0 Introduction

This Regulatory Decision Document outlines the Pest Management Regulatory Agency's (PMRA) regulatory decision-making process concerning the use of trinexapac-ethyl and associated end-use product Primo MAXX Turf Growth Regulator, for growth inhibition of turf grasses on commercial sod farms and golf courses.

2.0 Background

The PMRA carried out an assessment of available information in accordance with Section 9 of the Pest Control Products (PCP) Regulations. The assessment found that there was sufficient information, pursuant to Section 18.b, to allow a determination of the safety, merit and value of trinexapac-ethyl and associated end-use product Primo MAXX Turf Growth Regulator developed by Syngenta Crop Protection Canada Inc. The PMRA concluded that the use of Primo MAXX Turf Growth Regulator in accordance with the label accompanying the product has merit and value consistent with Section 18.c of the PCP Regulations and does not entail an unacceptable risk of harm under Section 18.d.

These products were proposed for registration in Proposed Regulatory Decision Document [PRDD2001-05](#). No comments were received by the PMRA concerning [PRDD2001-05](#).

3.0 Regulatory Decision

Based on the considerations outlined above, trinexapac-ethyl and associated end-use product Primo MAXX Turf Growth Regulator, for growth inhibition of turf grasses on commercial sod farms and golf courses, are eligible for full registration, pursuant to Section 13 of the PCP Regulations.