

# Implementing the Pesticide Registration Improvement Act - Fiscal Year 2017

## Fourteenth Annual Report



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## Maintenance Fees

### Pesticide Reevaluation Programs: Product Reregistration and Registration Review Accomplishments

#### Status of Product Reregistration

##### Overall Accomplishments

In the Reregistration Program the EPA completed a review of the safety of all pesticide active ingredients first registered before November 1984. The results of those reviews are summarized in Reregistration Eligibility Decision (RED) documents available on the [Agency's Chemical Search website](#). [Product reregistration](#) is EPA's program for implementing (REDs) by ensuring that required risk reduction measures are reflected on pesticide product labels. After the EPA completed a RED for a pesticide active ingredient and declared it eligible for reregistration, individual end-use products that contained that active ingredient still were required to be reregistered.

From the initiation of product reregistration up to the end of FY' 17 the number of products subject to reregistration was 24,975. No products (0) were added or subtracted from the product reregistration universe because no Product Specific Data Call-Ins (PDCIs) were issued. The EPA anticipates issuing PDCIs for four more antimicrobial reregistration cases in FY' 18. The EPA has completed decisions for 20,605 products, and 4,370 products are still awaiting decisions.

##### FY'17 Progress

During FY' 17, the EPA completed 255 product reregistration decisions.

#### Historical Product Reregistration Decisions

	FY 03	FY 04	FY 05	FY 06	FY 07	FY 08	FY 09	FY 10	FY 11	FY 12	FY 13	FY 14	FY 15	FY 16	FY 17
Products reregistered	53	78	104	169	529	679	603	484	373	186	81	65	26	14	14
Products amended	40	35	63	40	80	205	292	40	460	980	455	166	191	65	113
Products cancelled	213	14	342	297	370	309	869	1,188	379	92	148	61	432	404	128
Products suspended	5	0	0	0	0	3	5	6	6	26	2	4	0	0	0
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>311</b>	<b>127</b>	<b>509</b>	<b>506</b>	<b>979</b>	<b>1,19</b>	<b>1,769</b>	<b>1,718</b>	<b>1,21</b>	<b>1,28</b>	<b>686</b>	<b>296</b>	<b>649</b>	<b>483</b>	<b>255</b>

### ***REDs with Product Reregistration Decisions Completed***

As of the end of FY' 17, the EPA had completed product reregistration decisions for 283 REDs (out of a total of 384 REDs).

### **Status of Registration Review**

#### ***Overall Status***

Following the completion of the active ingredient reregistration, amendments to FIFRA require the EPA to review each registered pesticide every 15 years to determine whether it continues to meet the statutory standard for registration. The EPA is reevaluating pesticides primarily through the [registration review program](#). Registration review, as mandated by FIFRA Section 3(g), ensures that as the ability to assess risk evolves and as policies and practices change, all pesticides in the marketplace can still be used safely.

The EPA is continuing to meet all registration review targets consistent with overall program objectives. At the end of FY' 17, out of a universe of 725 registration review cases (a registration review case is one or more active ingredients that have been determined to be sufficiently similar to be grouped together and represented by one set of data), which includes more than 1,100 pesticide active ingredients, all 725 cases have completed the docket opening stage, 700 cases have completed the final work plan stage, and 238 registration review interim and final decisions had been completed.

#### ***FY'17 Accomplishments***

During FY' 17, the pace of registration review continued. EPA opened 25 new dockets and completed 41 final work plans. In addition, during FY' 17, EPA completed 49 registration review interim and final decisions.

### Registration Review Progress FY'07 – FY'17<sup>a</sup>

Fiscal Year	Dockets Opened	Final Work Plans Completed	Decisions Completed <sup>b</sup>
FY'07	25	14	3
FY'08	46	35	7
FY'09	69	60	14
FY'10	75	72	21
FY'11	83	80	23
FY'12	79	72	11
FY'13	77	79	8
FY'14	74	79	22
FY'15	84	89	46
FY'16	88	79 <sup>c</sup>	35 <sup>c</sup>
FY'17	25	41	49
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>725</b>	<b>700</b>	<b>239</b>

<sup>a</sup> Changes to annual registration review milestone totals have been revised based on changes to rules for when to count some milestone accomplishments.

<sup>b</sup> Includes interim decisions as described in 40 CFR § 155.56.

<sup>c</sup> FY'16 results for final work plans completed and decisions completed have been corrected from levels reported in FY'16 PRIA Annual Report (78 and 34, respectively).