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1.0 EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

1.1 Study design

This study was performed to investigate the potential of Glyphosate technical (via the Nantong Jiangshan (glycine-route)) to induce gene mutations in the plate incorporation test (experiment I) and the pre-incubation test (experiment II) using the *Salmonella typhimurium* strains TA 1535, TA 1537, TA 98, and TA 100, and the *Escherichia coli* strains WP2 uvrA pKM 101 and WP2 pKM 101.

1.2 Results

The plates incubated with the test item showed normal background growth up to 5000 µg/plate with and without metabolic activation in both independent experiments.

No toxic effects, evident as a reduction in the number of revertants (below the indication factor of 0.5), occurred in the test groups with and without metabolic activation.

No substantial increase in revertant colony numbers of any of the six tester strains was observed following treatment with Glyphosate technical at any dose level, neither in the presence nor absence of metabolic activation (S9 mix). There was also no tendency of higher mutation rates with increasing concentrations in the range below the generally acknowledged border of biological relevance. Positive control chemicals showed appropriate responses in the relevant strains.

1.3 Conclusion

In conclusion, it can be stated that during the described mutagenicity test and under the experimental conditions reported, the test item did not induce gene mutations by base pair changes or frameshifts in the genome of the strains used.

Therefore, Glyphosate technical is considered to be non-mutagenic in this *Salmonella typhimurium* and *Escherichia coli* reverse mutation assay.

2.0 INTRODUCTION

2.1 Purpose

The experiments were performed to assess the potential of the test item Glyphosate technical to induce gene mutations by means of two independent *Salmonella typhimurium* and *Escherichia coli* reverse mutation assays. Experiment I was performed as a plate incorporation assay and experiment II was performed as a pre-incubation assay.

The most widely used assays for detecting gene mutations are those using bacteria (1). They are relatively simple and rapid to perform, and give reliable data on the ability of an agent to interact with DNA and produce mutations.

Reverse mutation assays determine the frequency with which an agent reverses or suppresses the effect of the forward mutation. The genetic target presented to an agent is therefore small, specific and selective. Several bacterial strains, or a single strain with multiple markers are necessary to assure reliable detection of mutagens that may be specific to one tester strain or locus. The reversion of bacteria from growth-dependence on a particular amino acid to growth in the absence of that amino acid (reversion from auxotrophy to prototrophy) is the most widely used marker.

The *S. typhimurium* histidine (*his*) and the *E. coli* tryptophan (*trp*) reversion system measures $his^- \rightarrow his^+$ and $trp^- \rightarrow trp^+$ reversions, respectively. The *S. typhimurium* and *Escherichia coli* strains are constructed to differentiate between base pair (TA 1535, TA 100, WP2 *uvrA* pKM 101, and WP2 pKM 101 and frameshift (TA 1537, TA 98) mutations.

According to the direct plate incorporation or the pre-incubation method the bacteria are exposed to the test item with and without metabolic activation and plated on selective medium. After a suitable period of incubation, revertant colonies are counted.

To establish a dose response effect at least six dose levels with adequately spaced intervals were tested. The maximum dose level was 5000 µg/plate.

To validate the test, reference mutagens were tested in parallel to the test item.

2.2 Regulatory guidelines

This study followed the procedures indicated by the following internationally accepted guidelines and recommendations:

“Ninth Addendum to OECD Guidelines for Testing of Chemicals”, Section 4, No. 471: “Bacterial Reverse Mutation Test”, adopted July 21, 1997

“United States Environmental Protection Agency, Health Effects Test Guideline OPPTS 870.5100 (1998). Bacterial Reverse Mutation Test.”

“Commission Regulation (EC) No. 440/2008 B13/14”, dated May 30, 2008

3.0 MATERIALS AND METHODS

3.1 Test item

Internal Test Item Number: S10083 22

The test item and the information concerning the test item were provided by the sponsor.

Identity: Glyphosate technical
Batch No.: 569753
Purity: 96.3 % of Glyphosate Acid
Stability in Solvent: Not indicated by the sponsor
Storage: Room temperature
Reanalysis Date: August 31, 2010
Source of Material: Nantong Jiangshan (glycine-route)

On the day of the experiment, the test item Glyphosate technical was dissolved in deionised water. The solvent was chosen because of its solubility properties and its relative non-toxicity to the bacteria (2).

3.2 Controls

3.2.1 Negative controls

Concurrent untreated and solvent controls were performed.

3.2.2 Positive control substances

Without metabolic activation

Strains:	TA 1535, TA 100
Name:	sodium azide, NaN_3
Supplier:	SERVA, D-69042 Heidelberg
Catalogue No.:	30175
Purity:	at least 99 %
Dissolved in:	water deionised
Concentration:	10 µg/plate
Strains:	TA 1537, TA 98
Name:	4-nitro-o-phenylene-diamine, 4-NOPD
Supplier:	SIGMA, D-82041 Deisenhofen
Catalogue No.:	N 9504
Purity:	> 99.9 %
Dissolved in:	DMSO (MERCK, D-64293 Darmstadt; purity > 99 %)
Concentration:	10 µg/plate in TA 98, 50 µg/plate in TA 1537
Strains:	WP2 uvrA pKM 101, WP2 pKM 101
Name:	methyl methane sulfonate, MMS
Supplier:	Merck-Schuchardt, D-85662 Hohenbrunn
Catalogue No.:	820775
Purity:	> 99.0 %
Dissolved in:	water deionised
Concentration:	3 µL/plate

With metabolic activation

Strains:	TA 1535, TA 1537, TA 98, TA 100, WP2 uvrA pKM 101, WP2 pKM 101
Name:	2-aminoanthracene, 2-AA
Supplier:	SIGMA, D-82041 Deisenhofen
Catalogue No.:	A 1381
Purity:	97.5 %
Dissolved in:	DMSO (MERCK, D-64293 Darmstadt, purity > 99 %)
Concentration:	2.5 µg/plate (TA 1535, TA 1537, TA 98, TA 100), 10 µg/plate (WP2 uvrA pKM 101, WP2 pKM 101))

The stability of the positive control substances in solution is unknown but a mutagenic response in the expected range will be sufficient evidence of biological stability.

3.3 Experimental design

3.3.1 Characterisation of the *Salmonella typhimurium* and *E. coli* strains

The histidine dependent strains are derived from *S. typhimurium* strain LT2 through mutations in the histidine locus. Additionally due to the "deep rough" (*rfa*⁻) mutation they possess a faulty lipopolysaccharide envelope which enables substances to penetrate the cell wall more easily. A further mutation causes a reduction in the activity of an excision repair system. The latter alteration includes mutational processes in the nitrate reductase and biotin genes produced in a UV-sensitive area of the gene named *uvrB*⁻. In the strains TA 98 and TA 100 the R-factor plasmid pKM 101 carries the ampicillin resistance marker (3).

Strain WP2 (4) and its derivatives all carry the same defect in one of the genes for tryptophan biosynthesis. Tryptophan-independent (*Trp*⁺) mutants (revertants) can arise either by a base change at the site of the original alteration or by a base change elsewhere in the chromosome so that the original defect is suppressed. This second possibility can occur in several different ways so that the system seems capable of detecting all types of mutagen which substitute one base for another. Additionally, the *uvrA* derivative is deficient in the DNA repair process (excisable repair damage). Such a repair-deficient strain may be more readily mutated by agents. The *E. coli* strains WP2 *uvrA* pKM101 and WP2 pKM101 are constructed by introduction of the R-factor plasmid pKM101.

When summarised, the mutations of the TA and *E. coli* strains used in this study can be described as follows:

<i>Salmonella typhimurium</i>		
Strains	Genotype	Type of mutations indicated
TA 1537	his C 3076; <i>rfa</i> ⁻ ; <i>uvrB</i> ⁻	frame shift mutations
TA 98	his D 3052; <i>rfa</i> ⁻ ; <i>uvrB</i> ⁻ ; R-factor	" "
TA 1535	his G 46; <i>rfa</i> ⁻ ; <i>uvrB</i> ⁻	base-pair substitutions
TA 100	his G 46; <i>rfa</i> ⁻ ; <i>uvrB</i> ⁻ ; R-factor	" "
<i>Escherichia coli</i>		
WP2 <i>uvrA</i> pKM101	trp E 56 <i>uvrA</i> ⁻ ; R-factor	base-pair substitutions and others
WP2 pKM101	trp E 56; R-factor	" "

Regular checking of the properties of the *Salmonella typhimurium* and *E. coli* strains regarding the membrane permeability and ampicillin resistance as well as normal spontaneous mutation rates is performed by Harlan CCR according to B. Ames et al. (5) and D. Maron and B. Ames (3). In this way it is ensured that the experimental conditions set down by Ames are fulfilled.

The bacterial strains TA 1535, TA 1537, TA 98, TA 100, WP2 *uvrA* pKM 101, and WP2 pKM 101 were obtained from Trinova Biochem GmbH (35394 Gießen, Germany).

3.3.2 Storage

The strain cultures were stored as stock cultures in ampoules with nutrient broth + 5 % DMSO (MERCK, D-64293 Darmstadt) in liquid nitrogen.

3.3.3 Precultures

From the thawed ampoules of the strains 0.5 mL bacterial suspension was transferred into 250 mL Erlenmeyer flasks containing 20 mL nutrient medium. A solution of 20 µL ampicillin (25 µg/mL) was added to the strains TA 98, TA 100, WP2 uvrA pKM 101, and WP2 pKM 101. This nutrient medium contains per litre:

8 g Merck Nutrient Broth (MERCK, D-64293 Darmstadt)
5 g NaCl (MERCK, D-64293 Darmstadt)

The bacterial cultures were incubated in a shaking water bath for 4 hours at 37 °C. The optical density of the bacteria was determined by absorption measurement and the obtained values indicated that the bacteria were harvested at the late exponential or early stationary phase (10^8 - 10^9 cells/mL).

3.3.4 Selective agar

The plates with the selective agar were obtained from E. Merck, D-64293 Darmstadt.

3.3.5 Overlay agar

The overlay agar contains per litre:

for Salmonella strains:	for Escherichia coli:
6.0 g Agar Agar*	6.0 g Agar Agar*
6.0 g NaCl*	6.0 g NaCl*
10.5 mg L-Histidine·HCl·H ₂ O*	2.5 mg Tryptophan*
12.2 mg Biotin*	

* (MERCK, D-64293 Darmstadt)

Sterilisations were performed at 121 °C in an autoclave.

3.4 Mammalian microsomal fraction S9 Mix

The bacteria used in this assay do not possess the enzyme systems which, in mammals, are known to convert promutagens into active DNA damaging metabolites. In order to overcome this major drawback an exogenous metabolic system is added in form of mammalian microsome enzyme activation mixture.

3.4.1 S9 (Preparation by Harlan CCR)

Phenobarbital/ β -Naphthoflavone induced rat liver S9 is used as the metabolic activation system. The S9 is prepared from 8 - 12 weeks old male Wistar rats (Hsd Cpb: WU, Harlan Laboratories GmbH, 33178 Borcheln, Germany), weight approx. 220 - 320 g induced by applications of 80 mg/kg b.w. Phenobarbital i.p. (Desitin; D-22335 Hamburg) and β -Naphthoflavone p.o. (Aldrich, D-89555 Steinheim) each on three consecutive days. The livers are prepared 24 hours after the last treatment. The S9 fractions are produced by dilution of the liver homogenate with a KCl solution (1+3) followed by centrifugation at 9000 g. Aliquots of the supernatant are frozen and stored in ampoules at -80 °C. Small numbers of the ampoules can be kept at -20 °C for up to one week. The protein concentration in the S9 preparation is usually between 20 and 45 mg/mL. Each batch of S9 mix is routinely tested with 2-aminoanthracene as well as benzo(a)pyrene.

The protein concentration in the S9 preparation was 31.6 mg/mL (lot no. R 130309) in both experiments.

3.4.2 S9 Mix

Before the experiment an appropriate quantity of S9 supernatant was thawed and mixed with S9 cofactor solution. The amount of S9 supernatant was 10% v/v in the S9 mix. Cofactors are added to the S9 mix to reach the following concentrations in the S9 mix:

8 mM MgCl₂
33 mM KCl
5 mM Glucose-6-phosphate
4 mM NADP

in 100 mM sodium-ortho-phosphate-buffer, pH 7.4.

During the experiment the S9 mix was stored in an ice bath. The S9 mix preparation was performed according to Ames et al.(5).

3.5 Pre-Experiment for Toxicity

To evaluate the toxicity of the test item a pre-experiment was performed with all strains. Eight concentrations were tested for toxicity and mutation induction with three plates each. The experimental conditions in this pre-experiment were the same as described below for the experiment I (plate incorporation test).

Toxicity of the test item results in a reduction in the number of spontaneous revertants or a clearing of the bacterial background lawn.

The pre-experiment is reported as main experiment I, if the following criteria are met:

A minimum of five analysable dose levels should be present with at least four dose levels showing no signs of toxic effects, evident as a reduction in the number of revertants below the indication factor of 0.5.

The above criteria should be met for all valid experiments.

3.6 Dose Selection

In the pre-experiment the concentration range of the test item was 3 – 5000 µg/plate. The pre-experiment is reported as experiment I. Since no toxic effects were observed, six concentrations were tested and 5000 µg/plate was chosen as maximal concentration in experiment II.

The concentration range included two logarithmic decades. The following concentrations were tested in experiment II:

33; 100; 333; 1000; 2500; and 5000 µg/plate

3.7 Experimental performance

For each strain and dose level including the controls, three plates were used.

The following materials were mixed in a test tube and poured onto the selective agar plates:

- 100 µL Test solution at each dose level, solvent (negative control) or reference mutagen solution (positive control),
- 500 µL S9 mix (for test with metabolic activation) or S9 mix substitution buffer* (for test without metabolic activation),
- 100 µL Bacteria suspension (cf. test system, pre-culture of the strains),
- 2000 µL Overlay agar

In the pre-incubation assay 100 µL test solution solvent or positive control, 500 µL S9 mix / S9 mix substitution buffer* and 100 µL bacterial suspension were mixed in a test tube and shaken at 37° C for 60 minutes. After pre-incubation 2.0 mL overlay agar (45° C) was added to each tube. The mixture was poured on selective agar plates.

After solidification the plates were incubated upside down for at least 48 hours at 37°C in the dark (6).

* Substitution buffer: 8.5 parts of the 100 mM sodium-ortho-phosphate-buffer pH 7.4 with 1.5 parts of KCl solution 0.15 M

3.8 Data evaluation

3.8.1 Data recording

The colonies were counted using the Petri Viewer Mk2 (Perceptive Instruments Ltd, Suffolk CB9 7BN, UK) with the software program Ames Study Manager. The counter was connected to an IBM AT compatible PC with printer to print out the individual values and the means from the plates for each concentration together with standard deviations and enhancement factors as compared to the spontaneous reversion rates (see tables of results).

3.8.2 Acceptability of the assay

The *Salmonella typhimurium* and *Escherichia coli* reverse mutation assay is considered acceptable if it meets the following criteria:

- regular background growth in the negative and solvent control
- the spontaneous reversion rates in the negative and solvent control are in the range of our historical data
- the positive control substances should produce a significant increase in mutant colony frequencies

3.8.3 Evaluation of results

A test item is considered as a mutagen if a biologically relevant increase in the number of revertants exceeding the threshold of twice the colony count of the corresponding solvent control is observed (1).

A dose dependent increase is considered biologically relevant if the threshold is exceeded at more than one concentration (6).

An increase exceeding the threshold at only one concentration is judged as biologically relevant if reproduced in an independent second experiment.

A dose dependent increase in the number of revertant colonies below the threshold is regarded as an indication of a mutagenic potential if reproduced in an independent second experiment. However, whenever the colony counts remain within the historical range of negative and solvent controls such an increase is not considered biologically relevant.

3.8.4 Biometry

According to the OECD guideline 471, a statistical analysis of the data is not mandatory.

4.0 RESULTS AND DISCUSSION

4.1 Dose selection

In the pre-experiment the concentration range of the test item was 3 – 5000 µg/plate. The pre-experiment is reported as experiment I. Since no toxic effects were observed, six concentrations were tested and 5000 µg/plate was chosen as maximal concentration in experiment II.

The concentration range included two logarithmic decades. The following concentrations were tested in experiment II:

33; 100; 333; 1000; 2500; and 5000 µg/plate

4.2 Discussion

The test item Glyphosate technical was assessed for its potential to induce gene mutations in the plate incorporation test (experiment I) and the pre-incubation test (experiment II) using *Salmonella typhimurium* strains TA 1535, TA 1537, TA 98, and TA 100, and the *Escherichia coli* strains WP2 uvrA pKM 101 and WP2 pKM 101.

The assay was performed with and without liver microsomal activation. Each concentration, including the controls, was tested in triplicate. The test item was tested at the following concentrations:

Pre-Experiment /Experiment I: 3; 10; 33; 100; 333; 1000; 2500; and 5000 µg/plate
Experiment II: 33; 100; 333; 1000; 2500; and 5000 µg/plate

The plates incubated with the test item showed normal background growth up to 5000 µg/plate with and without metabolic activation in both independent experiments.

No toxic effects, evident as a reduction in the number of revertants (below the indication factor of 0.5), occurred in the test groups with and without metabolic activation.

No precipitation of the test item occurred up to the highest investigated dose.

No substantial increase in revertant colony numbers of any of the six tester strains was observed following treatment with Glyphosate technical at any dose level, neither in the presence nor absence of metabolic activation (S9 mix). There was also no tendency of higher mutation rates with increasing concentrations in the range below the generally acknowledged border of biological relevance.

The laboratory's historical control range was exceeded in the untreated and solvent control of strain WP2 uvrA pKM101 with and without S9 mix in the pre-experiment/experiment I and in the untreated control (with S9 mix) and solvent (with and without S9 mix) of strain WP2 uvrA pKM101 in experiment II. In strain WP2 pKM101 the lower limit of the laboratory's historical control range was not quite reached in the untreated control with and without metabolic activation in experiment I. These elevated colony counts were considered to be the result of biologically irrelevant fluctuations in the number of colonies and had no detrimental impact on the outcome of the study.

Appropriate reference mutagens were used as positive controls. They showed a distinct increase of induced revertant colonies.

5.0 CONCLUSION

In conclusion, it can be stated that during the described mutagenicity test and under the experimental conditions reported, Glyphosate technical did not induce gene mutations by base pair changes or frameshifts in the genome of the strains used.

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TABLE 1 Summary of Results Experiment I

Study Name: 1264500
Experiment: 1264500 VV Plate
Assay Conditions:

Study Code: Harlan CCR 1264500
Date Plated: 23/09/2009
Date Counted: 29/09/2009

Metabolic Activation	Test Group	Dose Level (per plate)	Revertant Colony Counts (Mean ±SD)					
			TA 1535	TA 1537	TA 98	TA 100	WP2 pKM101	WP2 uvrA pKM101
Without Activation	Deionised water		16 ± 5	15 ± 2	35 ± 5	135 ± 13	182 ± 12	480 ± 34
	Untreated		14 ± 1	14 ± 1	33 ± 9	138 ± 5	185 ± 6	476 ± 23
	Glyphosate technical	3 µg	14 ± 5	14 ± 1	28 ± 4	138 ± 18	193 ± 17	486 ± 27
		10 µg	18 ± 5	15 ± 2	33 ± 11	143 ± 10	202 ± 3	477 ± 34
		33 µg	13 ± 2	16 ± 2	29 ± 2	135 ± 2	188 ± 5	499 ± 38
		100 µg	14 ± 0	14 ± 2	29 ± 5	120 ± 10	189 ± 23	494 ± 27
		333 µg	15 ± 2	16 ± 2	31 ± 3	128 ± 7	207 ± 11	484 ± 20
		1000 µg	14 ± 3	12 ± 4	30 ± 6	138 ± 10	170 ± 15	451 ± 22
		2500 µg	11 ± 3	13 ± 3	24 ± 5	122 ± 8	167 ± 31	428 ± 9
		5000 µg	10 ± 2	14 ± 1	27 ± 4	89 ± 12	110 ± 16	427 ± 19
	NaN3	10 µg	1508 ± 52		302 ± 4	1574 ± 118		
	4-NOPD	10 µg						
	4-NOPD	50 µg		68 ± 4				
	MMS	3 µl					2705 ± 106	2997 ± 332
With Activation	Deionised water		18 ± 3	15 ± 2	38 ± 2	148 ± 18	193 ± 21	531 ± 37
	Untreated		17 ± 4	15 ± 5	39 ± 6	142 ± 24	212 ± 22	560 ± 10
	Glyphosate technical	3 µg	16 ± 4	16 ± 3	37 ± 6	157 ± 14	197 ± 26	536 ± 22
		10 µg	17 ± 3	16 ± 4	37 ± 6	145 ± 3	210 ± 22	493 ± 29
		33 µg	16 ± 3	16 ± 1	40 ± 3	157 ± 14	212 ± 42	545 ± 22
		100 µg	16 ± 2	16 ± 4	37 ± 7	149 ± 1	192 ± 12	489 ± 31
		333 µg	19 ± 3	18 ± 3	35 ± 6	159 ± 14	204 ± 25	496 ± 15
		1000 µg	17 ± 6	16 ± 1	33 ± 5	140 ± 12	179 ± 14	517 ± 26
		2500 µg	15 ± 3	14 ± 1	32 ± 3	132 ± 7	189 ± 29	456 ± 23
		5000 µg	20 ± 4	18 ± 3	30 ± 2	108 ± 7	136 ± 6	442 ± 4
	2-AA	2.5 µg	302 ± 50	378 ± 105	1188 ± 9	2215 ± 144		
	2-AA	10 µg					2333 ± 145	1930 ± 138
Key to Positive Controls								
NaN3	sodium azide							
2-AA	2-aminoanthracene							
4-NOPD	4-nitro-o-phenylene-diamine							
MMS	methyl methane sulfonate							

TABLE 2 Summary of Results Experiment II

Study Name: 1264500
Experiment: 1264500 HV2 Pre
Assay Conditions:

Study Code: Harlan CCR 1264500
Date Plated: 07/10/2009
Date Counted: 13/10/2009

Metabolic Activation	Test Group	Dose Level (per plate)	Revertant Colony Counts (Mean \pm SD)					
			TA 1535	TA 1537	TA 98	TA 100	WP2 pKM101	WP2 uvrA pKM101
Without Activation	Deionised water		16 \pm 4	12 \pm 3	27 \pm 2	140 \pm 20	222 \pm 8	474 \pm 7
	Untreated		16 \pm 4	12 \pm 3	30 \pm 4	137 \pm 32	226 \pm 10	433 \pm 33
	Glyphosate technical	33 μ g	16 \pm 4	15 \pm 2	26 \pm 3	145 \pm 9	256 \pm 28	456 \pm 31
		100 μ g	17 \pm 4	11 \pm 3	29 \pm 4	151 \pm 7	239 \pm 7	456 \pm 6
		333 μ g	16 \pm 5	12 \pm 2	28 \pm 4	143 \pm 15	241 \pm 7	456 \pm 26
		1000 μ g	16 \pm 4	13 \pm 1	29 \pm 1	130 \pm 7	235 \pm 8	437 \pm 23
		2500 μ g	12 \pm 2	11 \pm 3	25 \pm 4	116 \pm 18	231 \pm 19	419 \pm 38
		5000 μ g	9 \pm 1	10 \pm 2	21 \pm 2	102 \pm 15	140 \pm 10	358 \pm 8
	NaN3	10 μ g	1521 \pm 275			1673 \pm 255		
	4-NOPD	10 μ g			366 \pm 31			
	4-NOPD	50 μ g		80 \pm 3				
	MMS	3.0 μ L					1657 \pm 34	1777 \pm 67
With Activation	Deionised water		17 \pm 5	18 \pm 1	37 \pm 3	152 \pm 16	266 \pm 13	533 \pm 33
	Untreated		18 \pm 5	17 \pm 2	34 \pm 4	142 \pm 13	290 \pm 16	527 \pm 20
	Glyphosate technical	33 μ g	17 \pm 3	19 \pm 2	35 \pm 1	144 \pm 12	274 \pm 31	555 \pm 14
		100 μ g	18 \pm 2	18 \pm 2	33 \pm 4	152 \pm 6	274 \pm 21	603 \pm 29
		333 μ g	19 \pm 4	18 \pm 2	36 \pm 2	147 \pm 12	249 \pm 33	577 \pm 32
		1000 μ g	12 \pm 3	16 \pm 5	35 \pm 3	139 \pm 10	270 \pm 12	546 \pm 37
		2500 μ g	13 \pm 1	17 \pm 3	36 \pm 1	142 \pm 11	255 \pm 16	483 \pm 27
		5000 μ g	10 \pm 2	15 \pm 3	22 \pm 1	97 \pm 20	228 \pm 5	466 \pm 43
	2-AA	2.5 μ g	297 \pm 16	237 \pm 11	1651 \pm 162	1840 \pm 169		
	2-AA	10.0 μ g					1259 \pm 7	2095 \pm 20
Key to Positive Controls								
NaN3	sodium azide							
2-AA	2-aminoanthracene							
4-NOPD	4-nitro-o-phenylene-diamine							
MMS	methyl methane sulfonate							

TABLE 3 Pre-Experiment and Experiment I: 1264500 VV Plate Incorporation

Study Name: 1264500
Experiment: 1264500 VV Plate
Assay Conditions:

Study Code: Harlan CCR 1264500
Date Plated: 23/09/2009
Date Counted: 29/09/2009

Without metabolic activation						
Strain	Compound	Dose level per plate	Mean revertants per plate	Standard Deviation	Ratio treated / solvent	Individual revertant colony counts
TA 1535	Glyphosate technical	3 µg	14.0	5.3	0.9	12, 20, 10
		10 µg	17.7	5.0	1.1	17, 23, 13
		33 µg	13.3	1.5	0.8	12, 15, 13
		100 µg	14.0	0.0	0.9	14, 14, 14
		333 µg	15.0	1.7	0.9	16, 16, 13
		1000 µg	14.3	2.5	0.9	17, 14, 12
		2500 µg	11.0	2.6	0.7	13, 12, 8
		5000 µg	10.0	2.0	0.6	12, 8, 10
	Deionised water		16.3	4.9		22, 13, 14
	Untreated Control		14.0	1.0		13, 14, 15
TA 1537	Glyphosate technical	3 µg	14.3	0.6	0.9	14, 15, 14
		10 µg	14.7	2.3	1.0	16, 16, 12
		33 µg	15.7	1.5	1.0	17, 14, 16
		100 µg	14.0	2.0	0.9	14, 16, 12
		333 µg	15.7	1.5	1.0	17, 14, 16
		1000 µg	12.0	4.0	0.8	12, 16, 8
		2500 µg	12.7	3.1	0.8	12, 10, 16
		5000 µg	14.3	0.6	0.9	15, 14, 14
	Deionised water		15.3	1.5		15, 17, 14
	Untreated Control		14.3	0.6		15, 14, 14
TA 98	Glyphosate technical	3 µg	28.0	3.6	0.8	31, 29, 24
		10 µg	33.0	10.8	1.0	36, 21, 42
		33 µg	28.7	2.1	0.8	31, 27, 28
		100 µg	29.0	4.6	0.8	33, 30, 24
		333 µg	30.7	2.5	0.9	33, 31, 28
		1000 µg	30.3	5.5	0.9	33, 34, 24
		2500 µg	24.3	5.1	0.7	23, 20, 30
		5000 µg	27.0	3.6	0.8	26, 31, 24
	Deionised water		34.7	4.9		29, 37, 38
	Untreated Control		33.3	8.7		26, 31, 43

TABLE 3 Pre-Experiment and Experiment I: 1264500 VV Plate Incorporation (continued)

Study Name: 1264500
Experiment: 1264500 VV Plate
Assay Conditions:

Study Code: Harlan CCR 1264500
Date Plated: 23/09/2009
Date Counted: 29/09/2009

Without metabolic activation						
Strain	Compound	Dose level per plate	Mean revertants per plate	Standard Deviation	Ratio treated / solvent	Individual revertant colony counts
TA 100	Glyphosate technical	3 µg	137.7	18.4	1.0	158, 133, 122
		10 µg	143.0	9.5	1.1	154, 138, 137
		33 µg	135.3	2.1	1.0	133, 136, 137
		100 µg	120.3	9.8	0.9	109, 126, 126
		333 µg	128.3	7.2	1.0	132, 133, 120
		1000 µg	137.7	10.0	1.0	137, 148, 128
		2500 µg	121.7	8.0	0.9	114, 121, 130
		5000 µg	89.0	12.1	0.7	102, 78, 87
	Deionised water		134.7	13.0		134, 122, 148
	Untreated Control		137.7	4.7		136, 143, 134
WP2 pKM101	Glyphosate technical	3 µg	193.3	17.1	1.1	182, 213, 185
		10 µg	202.0	3.5	1.1	198, 204, 204
		33 µg	188.0	4.6	1.0	192, 183, 189
		100 µg	188.7	23.0	1.0	183, 169, 214
		333 µg	207.0	10.5	1.1	206, 218, 197
		1000 µg	169.7	14.6	0.9	154, 183, 172
		2500 µg	166.7	31.0	0.9	198, 166, 136
		5000 µg	110.0	16.1	0.6	125, 93, 112
	Deionised water		181.7	12.3		168, 185, 192
	Untreated Control		184.7	5.5		185, 179, 190
WP2 uvrA pKM101	Glyphosate technical	3 µg	485.7	27.2	1.0	517, 468, 472
		10 µg	477.3	34.4	1.0	460, 455, 517
		33 µg	499.3	37.6	1.0	456, 518, 524
		100 µg	494.0	27.2	1.0	483, 474, 525
		333 µg	484.3	19.6	1.0	482, 505, 466
		1000 µg	450.7	22.3	0.9	442, 434, 476
		2500 µg	428.0	8.5	0.9	429, 419, 436
		5000 µg	427.0	19.1	0.9	438, 438, 405
	Deionised water		480.3	33.7		516, 476, 449
	Untreated Control		475.7	22.5		492, 450, 485

TABLE 3 Pre-Experiment and Experiment I: 1264500 VV Plate Incorporation (continued)

Study Name: 1264500
Experiment: 1264500 VV Plate
Assay Conditions:

Study Code: Harlan CCR 1264500
Date Plated: 23/09/2009
Date Counted: 29/09/2009

Without metabolic activation						
Strain	Compound	Dose level per plate	Mean revertants per plate	Standard Deviation	Ratio treated / solvent	Individual revertant colony counts
TA 1535	NaN3	10 µg	1508.3	52.5	92.3	1520, 1554, 1451
TA 1537	4-NOPD	50 µg	68.3	4.0	4.5	69, 64, 72
TA 98	4-NOPD	10 µg	301.7	4.0	8.7	306, 301, 298
TA 100	NaN3	10 µg	1573.7	117.6	11.7	1568, 1459, 1694
WP2	MMS	3 µl	2704.7	106.2	14.9	2686, 2609, 2819
pKM101	MMS	3 µl	2997.0	332.3	6.2	3361, 2710, 2920
Key to Positive Controls						
NaN3	sodium azide					
4-NOPD	4-nitro-o-phenylene-diamine					
MMS	methyl methane sulfonate					

TABLE 4 Pre-Experiment and Experiment I: 1264500 VV Plate Incorporation

Study Name: 1264500
Experiment: 1264500 VV Plate
Assay Conditions:

Study Code: Harlan CCR 1264500
Date Plated: 23/09/2009
Date Counted: 29/09/2009

With metabolic activation						
Strain	Compound	Dose level per plate	Mean revertants per plate	Standard Deviation	Ratio treated / solvent	Individual revertant colony counts
TA 1535	Glyphosate technical	3 µg	16.3	3.5	0.9	20, 13, 16
		10 µg	17.3	2.5	0.9	15, 20, 17
		33 µg	16.0	2.6	0.9	14, 15, 19
		100 µg	15.7	1.5	0.9	16, 17, 14
		333 µg	19.3	2.5	1.1	17, 19, 22
		1000 µg	16.7	5.8	0.9	10, 20, 20
		2500 µg	14.7	2.5	0.8	15, 12, 17
		5000 µg	19.7	3.5	1.1	20, 23, 16
	Deionised water		18.3	3.2		17, 22, 16
	Untreated Control		17.3	4.0		15, 22, 15
TA 1537	Glyphosate technical	3 µg	16.0	3.0	1.0	16, 13, 19
		10 µg	16.3	3.5	1.1	13, 20, 16
		33 µg	16.3	0.6	1.1	17, 16, 16
		100 µg	15.7	3.8	1.0	20, 14, 13
		333 µg	17.7	2.9	1.2	16, 21, 16
		1000 µg	15.7	0.6	1.0	15, 16, 16
		2500 µg	14.3	0.6	0.9	14, 15, 14
		5000 µg	17.7	3.2	1.2	20, 19, 14
	Deionised water		15.3	2.1		17, 13, 16
	Untreated Control		14.7	4.5		15, 19, 10
TA 98	Glyphosate technical	3 µg	37.0	6.1	1.0	30, 41, 40
		10 µg	37.0	6.1	1.0	40, 41, 30
		33 µg	40.0	2.6	1.0	37, 41, 42
		100 µg	37.3	6.5	1.0	37, 44, 31
		333 µg	35.3	5.5	0.9	41, 35, 30
		1000 µg	33.3	4.6	0.9	36, 28, 36
		2500 µg	32.0	3.5	0.8	36, 30, 30
		5000 µg	29.7	1.5	0.8	28, 30, 31
	Deionised water		38.3	1.5		40, 38, 37
	Untreated Control		38.7	5.7		34, 37, 45

TABLE 4 Pre-Experiment and Experiment I: 1264500 VV Plate Incorporation (continued)

Study Name: 1264500
Experiment: 1264500 VV Plate
Assay Conditions:

Study Code: Harlan CCR 1264500
Date Plated: 23/09/2009
Date Counted: 29/09/2009

With metabolic activation						
Strain	Compound	Dose level per plate	Mean revertants per plate	Standard Deviation	Ratio treated / solvent	Individual revertant colony counts
TA 100	Glyphosate technical	3 µg	157.0	13.5	1.1	170, 158, 143
		10 µg	145.3	3.2	1.0	144, 143, 149
		33 µg	157.3	14.0	1.1	156, 172, 144
		100 µg	149.0	1.0	1.0	149, 148, 150
		333 µg	159.0	14.0	1.1	159, 145, 173
		1000 µg	140.3	11.5	0.9	140, 129, 152
		2500 µg	131.7	7.2	0.9	140, 127, 128
		5000 µg	108.0	7.2	0.7	106, 116, 102
	Deionised water		148.3	17.8		129, 164, 152
	Untreated Control		141.7	24.2		152, 114, 159
WP2 pKM101	Glyphosate technical	3 µg	196.7	25.7	1.0	226, 178, 186
		10 µg	210.3	21.9	1.1	185, 223, 223
		33 µg	212.0	42.2	1.1	249, 221, 166
		100 µg	192.3	11.9	1.0	184, 187, 206
		333 µg	203.7	24.9	1.1	232, 194, 185
		1000 µg	179.0	14.0	0.9	179, 193, 165
		2500 µg	189.0	28.9	1.0	222, 177, 168
		5000 µg	135.7	6.0	0.7	135, 142, 130
	Deionised water		192.7	21.1		187, 175, 216
	Untreated Control		212.3	21.5		233, 214, 190
WP2 uvrA pKM101	Glyphosate technical	3 µg	535.7	22.5	1.0	555, 541, 511
		10 µg	493.3	29.1	0.9	470, 484, 526
		33 µg	545.3	22.3	1.0	562, 554, 520
		100 µg	488.7	30.6	0.9	472, 524, 470
		333 µg	496.3	15.1	0.9	479, 503, 507
		1000 µg	517.3	25.7	1.0	502, 503, 547
		2500 µg	455.7	23.1	0.9	429, 469, 469
		5000 µg	442.0	4.4	0.8	447, 439, 440
	Deionised water		531.0	37.3		563, 490, 540
	Untreated Control		560.3	9.8		566, 566, 549

**TABLE 4 Pre-Experiment and Experiment I: 1264500 VV Plate
Incorporation (continued)**

Study Name: 1264500
Experiment: 1264500 VV Plate
Assay Conditions:

Study Code: Harlan CCR 1264500
Date Plated: 23/09/2009
Date Counted: 29/09/2009

With metabolic activation						
Strain	Compound	Dose level per plate	Mean revertants per plate	Standard Deviation	Ratio treated / solvent	Individual revertant colony counts
TA 1535	2-AA	2.5 µg	302.0	50.3	16.5	276, 360, 270
TA 1537	2-AA	2.5 µg	377.7	105.5	24.6	497, 339, 297
TA 98	2-AA	2.5 µg	1188.3	9.3	31.0	1178, 1191, 1196
TA 100	2-AA	2.5 µg	2214.7	143.9	14.9	2094, 2374, 2176
WP2	2-AA	10 µg	2333.0	144.5	12.1	2476, 2187, 2336
pKM101	2-AA	10 µg	1930.0	137.9	3.6	1818, 2084, 1888
WP2						
uvrA						
pKM101						
Key to Positive Controls						
2-AA	2-aminoanthracene					

TABLE 5 Experiment II: 1264500 HV2 Pre-Incubation

Study Name: 1264500
Experiment: 1264500 HV2 Pre
Assay Conditions:

Study Code: Harlan CCR 1264500
Date Plated: 07/10/2009
Date Counted: 13/10/2009

Without metabolic activation						
Strain	Compound	Dose level per plate	Mean revertants per plate	Standard Deviation	Ratio treated / solvent	Individual revertant colony counts
TA 1535	Glyphosate technical	33 µg	16.3	3.5	1.0	16, 13, 20
		100 µg	17.0	3.6	1.1	14, 16, 21
		333 µg	15.7	4.6	1.0	13, 13, 21
		1000 µg	15.7	3.8	1.0	14, 20, 13
		2500 µg	12.0	1.7	0.8	10, 13, 13
		5000 µg	8.7	0.6	0.6	9, 9, 8
	Deionised water		15.7	3.8		13, 20, 14
	Untreated Control		15.7	4.0		15, 12, 20
TA 1537	Glyphosate technical	33 µg	14.7	2.3	1.2	16, 16, 12
		100 µg	11.3	3.1	0.9	8, 14, 12
		333 µg	11.7	1.5	1.0	13, 12, 10
		1000 µg	13.3	1.2	1.1	14, 14, 12
		2500 µg	11.3	2.9	0.9	8, 13, 13
		5000 µg	10.0	1.7	0.8	12, 9, 9
	Deionised water		12.0	3.5		10, 10, 16
	Untreated Control		12.0	3.5		10, 16, 10
TA 98	Glyphosate technical	33 µg	26.3	2.5	1.0	26, 29, 24
		100 µg	29.3	4.2	1.1	34, 28, 26
		333 µg	27.7	4.0	1.0	23, 30, 30
		1000 µg	29.3	1.2	1.1	30, 28, 30
		2500 µg	25.0	4.4	0.9	22, 30, 23
		5000 µg	20.7	1.5	0.8	22, 21, 19
	Deionised water		27.0	1.7		26, 29, 26
	Untreated Control		29.7	3.8		34, 27, 28
TA 100	Glyphosate technical	33 µg	145.0	8.9	1.0	148, 135, 152
		100 µg	151.0	6.9	1.1	155, 143, 155
		333 µg	142.7	15.3	1.0	151, 152, 125
		1000 µg	129.7	6.5	0.9	136, 130, 123
		2500 µg	115.7	18.3	0.8	122, 130, 95
		5000 µg	102.3	14.7	0.7	97, 91, 119
	Deionised water		140.0	20.3		144, 118, 158
	Untreated Control		137.0	32.2		147, 163, 101

TABLE 5 Experiment II: 1264500 HV2 Pre-Incubation (continued)

Study Name: 1264500
Experiment: 1264500 HV2 Pre
Assay Conditions:

Study Code: Harlan CCR 1264500
Date Plated: 07/10/2009
Date Counted: 13/10/2009

Without metabolic activation						
Strain	Compound	Dose level per plate	Mean revertants per plate	Standard Deviation	Ratio treated / solvent	Individual revertant colony counts
WP2 pKM101	Glyphosate technical	33 µg	256.3	28.3	1.2	289, 241, 239
		100 µg	239.0	7.0	1.1	232, 246, 239
		333 µg	241.0	7.2	1.1	243, 247, 233
		1000 µg	235.3	8.1	1.1	244, 228, 234
		2500 µg	231.3	18.6	1.0	212, 233, 249
		5000 µg	140.0	9.5	0.6	141, 149, 130
	Deionised water		222.0	8.0		222, 230, 214
	Untreated Control		226.3	9.6		235, 228, 216
WP2 uvrA pKM101	Glyphosate technical	33 µg	456.3	50.6	1.0	421, 474, 474
		100 µg	456.0	6.1	1.0	460, 449, 459
		333 µg	456.3	25.5	1.0	456, 482, 431
		1000 µg	437.0	22.9	0.9	463, 420, 428
		2500 µg	418.7	38.1	0.9	385, 411, 460
		5000 µg	358.3	7.6	0.8	355, 367, 353
	Deionised water		473.7	6.7		472, 481, 468
	Untreated Control		433.3	32.5		398, 462, 440
TA 1535	NaN3	10 µg	1521.0	274.6	97.1	1675, 1204, 1684
TA 1537	4-NOPD	50 µg	80.3	3.1	6.7	83, 77, 81
TA 98	4-NOPD	10 µg	366.3	30.5	13.6	368, 335, 396
TA 100	NaN3	10 µg	1672.7	255.4	11.9	1856, 1381, 1781
WP2 pKM101	MMS	3.0 µL	1657.0	34.0	7.5	1657, 1623, 1691
WP2 uvrA pKM101	MMS	3.0 µL	1777.3	67.2	3.8	1822, 1700, 1810
Key to Positive Controls						
NaN3	sodium azide					
4-NOPD	4-nitro-o-phenylene-diamine					
MMS	methyl methane sulfonate					

TABLE 6 Experiment II: 1264500 HV2 Pre-Incubation

Study Name: 1264500
Experiment: 1264500 HV2 Pre
Assay Conditions:

Study Code: Harlan CCR 1264500
Date Plated: 07/10/2009
Date Counted: 13/10/2009

With metabolic activation						
Strain	Compound	Dose level per plate	Mean revertants per plate	Standard Deviation	Ratio treated / solvent	Individual revertant colony counts
TA 1535	Glyphosate technical	33 µg	17.3	3.2	1.0	21, 16, 15
		100 µg	17.7	2.3	1.0	19, 15, 19
		333 µg	19.0	4.4	1.1	16, 24, 17
		1000 µg	12.0	3.5	0.7	10, 10, 16
		2500 µg	13.3	0.6	0.8	13, 14, 13
		5000 µg	9.7	2.1	0.6	12, 9, 8
	Deionised water		17.3	5.1		16, 13, 23
	Untreated Control		17.7	5.1		12, 19, 22
TA 1537	Glyphosate technical	33 µg	19.3	2.1	1.1	21, 17, 20
		100 µg	18.0	1.7	1.0	20, 17, 17
		333 µg	18.3	2.1	1.0	19, 16, 20
		1000 µg	16.0	4.6	0.9	15, 12, 21
		2500 µg	17.3	2.9	0.9	19, 14, 19
		5000 µg	15.0	2.6	0.8	17, 12, 16
	Deionised water		18.3	1.2		19, 17, 19
	Untreated Control		16.7	2.1		19, 15, 16
TA 98	Glyphosate technical	33 µg	34.7	1.2	0.9	36, 34, 34
		100 µg	33.3	3.8	0.9	36, 35, 29
		333 µg	36.0	1.7	1.0	35, 35, 38
		1000 µg	35.3	2.5	0.9	38, 35, 33
		2500 µg	35.7	1.2	1.0	37, 35, 35
		5000 µg	22.3	1.2	0.6	23, 23, 21
	Deionised water		37.3	2.5		35, 40, 37
	Untreated Control		33.7	4.2		29, 35, 37
TA 100	Glyphosate technical	33 µg	144.0	11.8	0.9	141, 134, 157
		100 µg	151.7	6.4	1.0	159, 148, 148
		333 µg	147.3	11.7	1.0	156, 134, 152
		1000 µg	139.0	10.4	0.9	151, 132, 134
		2500 µg	141.7	11.0	0.9	154, 133, 138
		5000 µg	97.0	20.0	0.6	92, 119, 80
	Deionised water		151.7	16.1		145, 170, 140
	Untreated Control		142.0	13.2		127, 152, 147

TABLE 6 Experiment II: 1264500 HV2 Pre-Incubation (continued)

Study Name: 1264500
Experiment: 1264500 HV2 Pre
Assay Conditions:

Study Code: Harlan CCR 1264500
Date Plated: 07/10/2009
Date Counted: 13/10/2009

With metabolic activation						
Strain	Compound	Dose level per plate	Mean revertants per plate	Standard Deviation	Ratio treated / solvent	Individual revertant colony counts
WP2 pKM101	Glyphosate technical	33 µg	273.7	31.1	1.0	283, 239, 299
		100 µg	273.7	21.4	1.0	265, 298, 258
		333 µg	248.7	32.7	0.9	286, 225, 235
		1000 µg	270.3	12.0	1.0	271, 282, 258
		2500 µg	255.0	15.6	1.0	264, 237, 264
		5000 µg	228.0	4.6	0.9	229, 223, 232
	Deionised water		266.0	12.8		263, 255, 280
	Untreated Control		290.3	15.5		308, 279, 284
WP2 uvrA pKM101	Glyphosate technical	33 µg	554.7	73.5	1.0	541, 568, 555
		100 µg	603.0	28.6	1.1	570, 619, 620
		333 µg	577.3	31.9	1.1	543, 606, 583
		1000 µg	546.3	37.0	1.0	589, 525, 525
		2500 µg	482.7	27.3	0.9	470, 464, 514
		5000 µg	466.3	43.4	0.9	516, 447, 436
	Deionised water		532.7	33.0		539, 497, 562
	Untreated Control		527.3	20.4		536, 504, 542
TA 1535	2-AA	2.5 µg	297.0	15.7	17.1	294, 314, 283
TA 1537	2-AA	2.5 µg	237.0	11.4	12.9	250, 232, 229
TA 98	2-AA	2.5 µg	1651.3	161.6	44.2	1826, 1621, 1507
TA 100	2-AA	2.5 µg	1840.3	169.4	12.1	1853, 2003, 1665
WP2 pKM101	2-AA	10.0 µg	1259.3	6.7	4.7	1255, 1256, 1267
WP2 uvrA pKM101	2-AA	10.0 µg	2095.3	20.2	3.9	2072, 2108, 2106
Key to Positive Controls						
2-AA	2-aminoanthracene					

APPENDICES SECTION

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APPENDIX 1 Historical Control Data

These data represent the laboratory's historical control data from January 2008 until October 2008 representing approx. 600 experiments (WP2 uvrA pKM101 the historical data from January 2008 until October 2008 are based on approx. 150 experiments; the control data for strain WP2 pKM101 are from January 2008 until October 2008 are based on approx. 80 experiments).

Strain		without S9 mix				with S9 mix			
		Mean	SD	Min	Max	Mean	SD	Min	Max
TA 1535	Solvent control	17	5.17	9	39	21	5.82	8	41
	Negative control	17	5.33	9	38	20	6.23	10	46
	Positive control	2024	315.78	1041	3138	294	140.02	102	945
TA1537	Solvent control	13	3.12	6	25	17	3.90	9	35
	Negative control	13	3.38	5	26	18	4.05	8	31
	Positive control	116	30.52	68	407	204	69.54	72	454
TA 98	Solvent control	30	5.59	13	59	39	6.34	20	60
	Negative control	31	5.45	16	55	39	6.53	19	59
	Positive control	489	169.76	211	1694	1455	463.01	200	3553
TA 100	Solvent control	130	18.79	89	224	155	22.54	92	218
	Negative control	139	17.30	93	205	147	21.78	92	234
	Positive control	2160	342.67	588	3379	1839	621.27	404	3868
WP2uvrA pKM101	Solvent control	374	47.29	240	454	406	44.26	268	506
	Negative control	380	42.63	255	446	441	50.20	285	512
	Positive control	3058	168.37	1369	5367	1920	468.32	1163	3597
WP2 pKM 101	Solvent control	251	37.68	157	312	281	44.48	174	358
	Negative control	273	39.53	188	339	322	54.45	216	440
	Positive control	3020	830.78	1522	4451	1972	652.16	1043	3848

Mean = mean value of revertants/plate

SD = standard deviation

Min = minimal value/Max = maximal value

APPENDIX 2 Copy of GLP Certificate



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Gute Laborpraxis/Good Laboratory Practice

GLP-Bescheinigung/Statement of GLP Compliance

(gemäß/according to § 19b Abs. 1 Chemikaliengesetz)

Eine GLP-Inspektion zur Überwachung der Einhaltung der GLP-Grundsätze gemäß Chemikaliengesetz bzw. Richtlinie 2004/9/EG wurde durchgeführt in:

Assessment of conformity with GLP according to Chemikaliengesetz and Directive 2004/9/EEC at:

☒ Prüfeinrichtung/Test facility

☐ Prüfstandort/Test site

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Prüfungen nach Kategorien/Areas of Expertise

(gemäß/according chemVwV-GLP Nr. 5.3/OECD guidance)

2 Prüfungen zur Bestimmung der toxiskologischen Eigenschaften

2 Toxicity studies

3 Prüfungen zur Bestimmung der erbgutverändernden Eigenschaften (in vitro und in vivo)

3 Mutagenicity studies

6 Prüfungen zur Bestimmung von Rückständen

6 Residues

8 Analytische Prüfungen an biologischen Materialien

8 Analytical studies on biological materials

15.08. und 27. – 29.10.2008

Datum der Inspektion/Date of Inspection

(Tag Monat Jahr/day month year)

Die genannte Prüfeinrichtung befindet sich im nationalen GLP-Überwachungsverfahren und wird regelmäßig auf Einhaltung der GLP-Grundsätze überwacht.

The above mentioned test facility is included in the national GLP Compliance Programme and is inspected on a regular basis.

Auf der Grundlage des Inspektionsberichtes wird hiermit bestätigt, dass in dieser Prüfeinrichtung die oben genannten Prüfungen unter Einhaltung der GLP-Grundsätze durchgeführt werden können.

Based on the inspection report it can be confirmed, that this test facility is able to conduct the aforementioned studies in compliance with the Principles of GLP.

Referent, Wiesbaden, den 30. März 2009

(Name und Funktion der verantwortlichen Person/
Name and function of responsible person)



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APPENDIX 3 Certificate of Analysis



Syngenta Crop Protection, Inc.
Technology & Projects
Analytical & Product Chemistry
Greensboro, NC 27402

Certificate of Analysis

Glyphosate Technical
Batch ID 569753 (BX20070911)

Batch Identification	569753
Product Design Code	ASF7TX
Product by Common Name	Glyphosate
Source	Nantong Jiangshan Agrochemicals & Chemicals Limited, Jiangsu, China
Other ID	BX20070911
Chemical Analysis (Active Ingredient Content)	
Identity of the Active Ingredient*	Confirmed (LC/MS)
Glyphosate*	96.3% (wt/wt)
Methodology Used for Characterization	HPLC
Physical Analysis	
Appearance*	White powder (dry)
Stability ¹	
Storage Temperature	<10°C
Expiration date	AUG-2010

¹Transport and handling for lab use at room temperature is acceptable. Refrigeration is recommended if storing beyond two weeks to minimize moisture uptake.

The stability of this test substance will be determined concurrently through reanalysis of material held in inventory under GLP conditions at Syngenta Crop Protection, Inc., Greensboro, NC.

This Certificate of Analysis is summarizing data (marked with an asterisk) from a study that has been performed in compliance with Good Laboratory Practices per 40 CFR Part 160. Raw data, documentation, protocols, any amendments to study protocols and reports pertaining to this study are maintained in the Syngenta Crop Protection Archives in Greensboro, NC.

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