

**Annual CIPAC/FAO/WHO Report  
on the Quality Control of Pesticides for 2009**

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**SLOVAK REPUBLIC**

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**1. Information regarding CIPAC activities**

The Slovak pesticide laboratories of the Central Control and Testing Institute in Agriculture, Dept. of Environmental Protection and Organic Farming participated in the following CIPAC trials in course of year 2009:

- March 2009                      **clothianidin**                                      Sumitomo Chemicals

**2. Information regarding quality control of pesticides**

| <i>Reporting period/year:</i> | <i>Number of samples analyzed (1)</i> | <i>Number of non-compliance (2)</i> | <i>Uses (3) (optional)</i>                   |
|-------------------------------|---------------------------------------|-------------------------------------|--|
| <b>2009</b>                   | <b>98</b>                             | <b>5</b>                            | <b><i>Agricultural use: all</i></b>          |
|                               |                                       |                                     | <b><i>Public Health use:-</i></b>            |
|                               |                                       |                                     | <b><i>Home and Garden use:-</i></b>          |
|                               |                                       |                                     | <b><i>Other uses (please specify): -</i></b> |

(1) Any sample, including those of active inspection and registration control samples.

(2) Non-compliance with FAO/WHO or national pesticide specifications. Utilised by FAO / WHO specification for non-compliance evaluation.

The non-compliances found represented the following 5 PPP samples: **Their a.s. contain had not fulfilled the required registered amount.**

(3) If possible, please indicate the use/destination of the pesticide analyzed If the pesticide has various uses, it should be included only in one category and should be explained under item 2 (comments).

**Agricultural use**

**2 - Any comments and/or background information**

**The official quality control of plant protection products in the Slovak Republic is performed by the Central Control and Testing Institute in Agriculture, namely its Department of Environmental Protection and Organic Farming in Bratislava where was introduced in the year 2000.**

**The PPP samples analysed in course of year 2009 can be divided into four categories:**

- **official quality control of plant protection products (52 samples)- post registration market control of PPP in Slovakia**
- **quality control of after expired PPP (28 samples)**
- **GLP studies (6 samples) of PPP**
- **others ( CIPAC trials, Proficiency Testing of physicochemical properties of pesticide formulations No.01-08 Belgium – but without indication of Slovakia, internal validations - 12 samples)**

**Altogether there were performed 412 determinations covering the identification and quantification of active substances and determination of phys-chemical properties.**

**At the beginning of the year 2007 the laboratories of the Dept. of Environmental Protection and Organic Farming of the Central Control and Testing Institutes fulfilled the GLP compliance demands accessed by the Slovak National Accreditation Service ( SNAS) in Bratislava, Slovakia. SNAS issued the Statement of GLP compliance No. G – 040**

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