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The headers have changed to read 'Amended Final Report 1'		

Amended Final Report 1

Study Title

PFH Ammonium Salt: Fish, Early Life Stage Toxicity

Test to Oncorhynchus mykiss (Rainbow Trout)

Study Guideline

OPPTS Biological Effects Test Guidelines 850.1400

Fish Early-Life Stage Toxicity Test

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All procedures to be carried out on live animals as part of this study will be subject to the provisions of United Kingdom National Law, in particular the Animals (Scientific Procedures) Act 1986, to ensure that minimum suffering and distress is caused to animals on study.

MATERIALS AND METHODS

Protocol Adherence

The study was conducted in accordance with the agreed definitive protocol and three protocol amendments. Minor deviations that do not affect the integrity of the study are presented in Appendix 4.

Test Substance

Test substance name

PFH Ammonium Salt

Sponsor batch number

Lot 7001

Description

Clear liquid

Purity

50% solution

Storage

Refrigerated (1-10°C) in the dark

Expiry date

3 June 2009

Date received

4 December 2007

Test substance details were supplied by the Sponsor.

Test Organism

The Rainbow trout (Oncorhynchus mykiss) eggs and milt used in this study were supplied by a recognised external supplier. Supplier details are maintained in the study raw data.

At the start of the test, approximately 40 fertilised eggs were added randomly to each test vessel, divided equally between two incubation chambers per vessel. The fertilised eggs were less than 24 hours old on addition to the test system.

Egg addition was achieved by careful addition of the required number of eggs directly to the incubation chambers as soon as possible after receipt to avoid handling stress. The test started after the final batch of eggs had been added to the last incubation chamber.

Preparation of Test Media

The dilution water used for conducting the definitive test was dechlorinated mains water that had been passed through particulate and activated charcoal filters and treated with ozone (O₃) to remove residual algal cells and fungal spores for improved water quality. The typical constituents of dilution water are presented in Appendix 1.

The definitive test was conducted at nominal concentrations of 0.095, 0.304, 0.972, 3.11 and 9.96 mg/L PFH active moiety (equivalent to 0.2, 0.641, 2.05, 6.56 and 21.0 mg/L in terms of PFH ammonium salt with a purity of 50% and conversion factor of 1.054).

Concentrated aqueous stocks were prepared by direct addition of *ca* 48, 154, 492, 1574 and 5040 mg and made to a final volume of 15 L with treated mains water at each treatment level.