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Attached please find the environmental fate review of:

Reg./File No.: 279-EUP-93

Chemical: FMC 57020

Type Product: Herbicide

Product Name: FMC 57020 EC

Company Name: FMC Corp.

Submission Purpose: Review conclusions of pre-registration meeting on FMC 57020

ZBR Code: Other

ACTION CODE: 704

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Deferrals To:

_____ Ecological Effects Branch

_____ Residue Chemistry Branch

_____ Toxicology Branch
1.0 INTRODUCTION

FMC has submitted a letter summarizing points discussed in a pre-registration conference for the herbicide FMC 57020 being tested on soybeans under a current EUP. FMC requests confirmation of the points.

1.1 Chemical

Chemical name: 2-((2-chlorophenyl)-methyl)-4,4-dimethyl-3-isoxazolidinone

Chemical structure:

2.0 DISCUSSION

Points will be summarized and commented upon as listed in the FMC letter.

2.1 FMC point: EAB will accept a computer modeling study predicting extent of leaching to support registration of FMC 57020. FMC acknowledges that, based on lab studies, FMC 57020 will move downward in the soil profile and has the potential to end up in groundwater. EAB agrees there is no need to generate data to confirm this acknowledged potential.

EAB comment: However, it will be necessary for FMC to define the extent of leaching, in terms of depth and concentration of FMC 57020, with actual field data. In the soil dissipation study, if residues are found below the 6 inch soil level, then soil samples must be taken to sufficient soil depth to define the extent of leaching. EAB notes that soil samples are being taken at the 6-12 inch depth in the soil dissipation study.

2.2 FMC point: EAB stated that dissipation studies for tank mixes of FMC 57020 with other herbicides are not necessary at the present time.
EAB comment: EAB confirms that dissipation studies for tank mixes of FMC 57020 with other herbicides are not necessary.

2.3 FMC point: EAB stated that a fish accumulation study will be necessary to support registration of FMC 57020.

EAB comment: EAB confirms that a fish accumulation study will be necessary to support registration of FMC 57020.

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