

Acronyms

ADI	acceptable daily intake
AIHC	American Industrial Health Council
BBDR	biologically based dose response
CAA	Clean Air Act
CAG	Carcinogen Assessment Group
CASAC	Clean Air Scientific Advisory Committee
CORADM	Committee on Risk and Decision Making
CRAM	Committee on Risk Assessment Methodology
CSPC	Consumer Safety Product Commission
DEHP	diethylhexyl phthalate
EDB	ethylene dibromide
EPA	Environmental Protection Agency
ETS	environmental tobacco smoke
FDA	Food and Drug Administration
FIFRA	Federal Insecticide, Fungicide, and Rodenticide Act
IEMD	Integrated Environmental Management Division
IRIS	Integrated Risk Information System
IRLG	Interagency Regulatory Liaison Group
LMS	Linearized Multistage (model)
NAAQS	National Ambient Air Quality Standards
NAS	National Academy of Sciences
NCEA	National Center for Environmental Assessment
NGO	nongovernmental organization
NOAEL	No Observed Adverse Effect Level
NRC	National Research Council
OHEA	Office of Health and Environmental Assessment

OIRA	Office of Information and Regulatory Affairs
OMB	Office of Management and Budget
OPPE	Office of Policy, Planning, and Evaluation
OPRM	Office of Policy, Resources, and Management
OPTS	Office of Pesticides and Toxic Substances
ORD	Office of Research and Development
OSHA	Occupational Safety and Health Administration
OSTP	Office of Science and Technology Policy
OTA	Office of Technology Assessment
OTS	Office of Toxic Substances
PBPK	physiologically based pharmacokinetic modeling
PCCRARM	Presidential and Congressional Commission on Risk Assessment and Risk Management
PCE	perchloroethylene
PPBS	Planning Programming Budgeting System
RAC	Risk Assessment Committee
RAF	Risk Assessment Forum
RAFG	<i>Risk Assessment in the Federal Government: Managing the Process</i> (NRC 1983)
SAB	Science Advisory Board
SRA	Society for Risk Analysis
TCE	trichloroethylene
TSCA	Toxic Substances Control Act
UF	uncertainty factor
WOE	weight of evidence

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