

# Harmonised Risk Indicators (HRIs)

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## Legal base & Objective for HRIs

- Article 15.1 of SUD Directive (2009/128) provides for the establishment of harmonised risk indicators at EU level
- The objective of these indicators is "to measure the progress achieved in the reduction of risks and adverse impacts from pesticide use for human health and the environment" (Recital 20).



#### The need for HRIs

- (a) To meet the legal requirement in the Directive
- (b)To measure progress being made in reducing risks from pesticide use
- (c) To meet a political commitment for an indicator as an input to future policy (Report to EP and Council in 2020)
- (d)To provide one means of measuring progress on meeting SUD objectives in a modernised CAP

NB: <u>Not</u> an objective to replace complementary national indicators linked to NAPs

#### **Available data**

- Sales of active substances used in PPPs
- Classification of active substances, leading to possibility for Groups/Categories
- Number of emergency authorisations (Reg 1107/2009 Art 53)
- There is NO harmonised EU data on PPP use
- There is no single EU list of agreed dose rates/ha for each active substance



#### HRI 1

Combines existing data from two official sources:

• Eurostat data on the sales of PPPs (Regulation 1185/2009 - Annex I - sales of PPPs)

(This is the only currently available harmonised EU statistics relating to sales/use of PPPs)

 The categorisation of individual active substances for use in PPPs by DG SANTE (Regulation 1107/2009)



# 4 Groups

Low Risk

Other approved

Candidates for substitution

Non-approved active substances

# 7 Categories

Α m/o

В Chem m/o

D Chem

Е C1, or ED or ED

G Not R1, R1, C1, Non-approved active substances

# Weightings

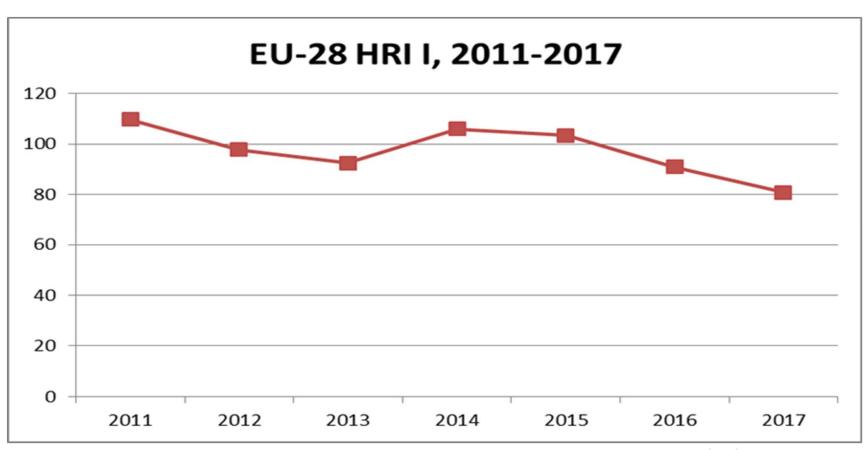
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### HRI 1





## **Output - Commission**

- The EU-wide trend for HRI 1 and 2, with baselines of 100 for the 3 year average of 2011-2013
- The individual trends for Groups 1-4 and Categories A-G at EU level, with baselines of 100 for the 3 year average of 2011-2013
- Published by SANTE on the SUD web portal
- Updated annually with a 2 year delay (e.g. 2018 trend will be published by 30 August 2020)



## **Output - MS**

- The MS specific trend in HRI 1 and 2, with baselines of 100 for the 3 year average of 2011-2013
- The option to calculate/publish individual trends for Groups 1-4 and Categories A-G, with baselines of 100 for the 3 year average of 2011-2013
- Updated annually with a 2 year delay
- MS must provide the outcomes to the Commission and MS and make publicly available

