

Acronyms Related to Pesticide Regulation

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| AA | Assistant Administrator | GPRA | Government Performance Results Act |
| AD | Antimicrobials Division | HED | Health Effects Division |
| ADA | Americans with Disabilities Act | HHS | Department of Health and Human Services |
| AIEO | American Indian Environmental Office | HUD | U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development |
| APHIS | Animal and Plant Health Inspection Service (USDA) | IAG | Interagency Agreement |
| ARS | Agricultural Research Service (USDA) | IPM | Integrated Pest Management |
| BEAD | Biological and Economic Analysis Division | IREG | Interim Reregistration Eligibility Document |
| BPPD | Biopesticides and Pollution Prevention Division | IRSD | Information Resources and Services Division |
| BSR | Biotechnology Research Services | IR-4 | Interregional Research Project No. 4 |
| C&T | Certification & Training | LC50 | Average Lethal Concentration |
| CA | Cooperative Agreement | LD50 | Average Lethal Dose |
| CADDY | Computer Aided Dossier and Data Supply | LOD | Limit of Detection |
| CARAT | Committee to Advise on Reassessment and Transition | MCL | Maximum Contaminant Level |
| CBI | Confidential Business Information | MOA | Memorandum of Agreement |
| CDC | Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (HHS) | MOE | Margin of Exposure |
| CFR | Code of Federal Regulations | MOU | Memorandum of Understanding |
| CLI | Consumer Labeling Initiative | MRL | Maximum Residue Limit |
| CTAG | Certification and Training Assessment Group | NAFTA | North American Free Trade Agreement |
| CWA | Clean Water Act | NOAEL | No Observed Adverse Effect Level |
| CWPB | U.S. EPA Certification and Worker Protection Branch | NPDES | National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System |
| DOHS | Department of Homeland Security | NPIC | National Pesticide Information Center |
| DNT | Developmental Neuro-Toxicity | NPM | National Program Manager |
| ECR | Enforcement Case Review | NRCS | National Resource Conservation Service (part of USDA) |
| EFED | Environmental Fate and Effects Division | NPRM | Notice of Proposed Rule Making |
| ESA | Endangered Species Act | NTC | National Tribal Caucus |
| EUP | Experimental Use Permit | NTCC | National Tribal Toxics Council |
| FDA | Food and Drug Administration | NTOC | National Tribal Operations Committee |
| FIFRA | Federal Insecticide, Fungicide, and Rodenticide Act | NTIS | National Technical Information Service |
| FEAD | Field and External Affairs Division | OC | Office of Compliance |
| FFDCA | Federal Food, Drug and Cosmetic Act | OCE | Office of Civil Enforcement |
| FOIA | Freedom of Information Act | OCSPP | Office of Chemical Safety and Pollution Prevention |
| FQPA | Food Quality Protection Act | OECA | Office of Enforcement and Compliance Assurance |
| FRN | Federal Register Notice | OGC | Office of General Counsel |
| GAO | General Accounting Office (agency of Congress) | OITA | Office of International and Tribal Affairs |
| GHS | Globally Harmonized System of Classification and Labeling of Chemicals | OMB | Office of Management and Budget |
| GLP | Good Laboratory Practices | OP | Organophosphates |
| GMO | Genetically Modified Organism | OPP | Office of Pesticide Programs |
| | | PART | Program Assessment Rating Tool |

PBTs Persistent Bioaccumulative Toxics
 PDSL Pesticide Data Submitters List
 PERC Pesticide Educational Resources Collaborative
 PESP Pesticide Environmental Stewardship Program
 PIC Prior Informed Consent
 PIPs Plant Incorporated Protectants
 PM Product Manager
 PO Project Officer
 POPs Persistent Organic Pollutants
 PPDC Pesticide Program Dialogue Committee
 PPE Personal Protective Equipment
 PPIS Pesticide Product Information System
 PRD Pesticide Re-evaluation Division
 PRN Pesticide Registration Notice
 PREP Pesticide Regulatory Education Program
 PRIA Pesticide Registration Improvement Act
 QAPP Quality Assurance Project Plan
 QMP Quality Management Plan
 RCRA Resource Conservation and Recovery Act
 (R)QAM (Regional) Quality Assurance Manager
 RA Regional Administrator
 RA Risk Assessment
 RfD Reference Dose
 RD Registration Division
 RED Reregistration Eligibility Decision
 REI Restricted Entry Interval
 RTOC Regional Tribal Operations Committees
 RUP Restricted Use Product
 AI Strategic Agricultural Initiative

SLA State Lead Agency
 SLITS State Labeling Issues Tracking System
 SLN Special Local Need
 USDA United States Department of Agriculture
 USGS United States Geological Survey
 VOCs Volatile Organic Compounds
 WPS Worker Protection Standard

Non-Federal Organizations

AAPCO Association of American Pesticide Control Officials (states)
 AAPSE American Association of Pesticide Safety Educators
 AFBF American Farm Bureau Federation
 AFOP Association of Farmworker Opportunity Programs
 ASPCRO Association of Structural Pest Control Regulatory Officials
 CDPR California Department of Pesticide Regulation
 CLA CropLife America
 FAO Food and Agricultural Organization (United Nations agency)
 IFCS Intergovernmental Forum on Chemical Safety
 NAAA National Agricultural Aviation Association
 NASDA National Association of State Departments of Agriculture
 NPMA National Pest Management Association
 PMRA Pesticide Management Regulatory Agency (Canada)
 PLCAA Professional Lawn Care Association of America
 RISE Responsible Industry for a Sound Environment (registrants)
 SFIREG State FIFRA Issues Research and Evaluation Group
 TPPC Tribal Pesticide Program Council
 WHO World Health Organization
 FERN Food Emergency Response Network
 PDP Pesticide Data Program