

## IUPAC Project Progress Report

**Date :** December 2005 ; Period: July 2005 – February 2006

**Project number:** 2003-011-3-600

**Project Title:** A critical compendium of pesticide physical data

**Task Group Co-Leaders:** Don Wauchope and David Shaw

### Report:

1. Projected completion date (documents ready for external review):2007 (estimated)
2. Have the project objectives been modified during the last 6 months?  
Yes, it is necessary to reduce the number of compounds treated from the original target of 60 to match the level of participation. A realistic number now appears to be in the range of 20-30. This is currently being finalized.
3. Please list the task group members involved in the work during the last 6 months.  
J Barbash, Z Gerstl, D Hamilton. C Harris, L McConnell, J Sangster, D Shaw, D Wauchope
4. Difficulties encountered (or concerns):  
Recruiting participants to compile and evaluate pesticide data has been more difficult than anticipated.
5. Please list the to-date results (outputs) of the project.  
none
6. Please list the dissemination events (viz. articles, CD, conference presentations; etc.)
  - (i) already accomplished; two presentations at IUPAC Beijing and American Chemical Society National Meeting (Washington, DC) describing project and recruiting participants.
  - (ii) planned publication of final report in a reviewed and respected journal in the field of environmental chemistry together with "pointer articles" in various chemical and environmental news magazines.
7. If your project is within 6 months of completion, how do you plan to utilise any remaining budget for this project?
8. Work on this project may have identified new problems, issues, challenges, emerging topics, opportunities for related projects, etc. Please indicate these here so that the Division can follow up on them.