

TSCA Resources

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Asbestos

- Asbestos; Reporting and Recordkeeping Requirements Under the Toxic Substances Control Act (TSCA)
- TSCA Section 8(a)(1) Reporting and Recordkeeping Requirements for Asbestos Reporting Instructions
- Response to Public Comments on Proposed Rule. Asbestos; Reporting and Recordkeeping Requirements Under the Toxic Substances Control Act

CBI

- Confidential Business Information Claims Under the Toxic Substances Control Act (TSCA) Final Rule (June 2023)
- Confidential Business Information Claims Under the Toxic Substances Control Act (TSCA) Final Rule Response to Comments Document (May 2023)
- EPA Substantiation Templates
- EPA's Frequently Asked Questions About CBI Protection
- EPA's CBI Review Statistics
- EPA Notice of Post-Lautenberg CBI and Need for Up-Front Substantiation 2017 Notice
- Review of CBI Claims for the Identity of Chemicals on the TSCA Inventory Final Rule
- Policy on Notices of Deficiency Announcement

Enforcement

- EPA Audit Policy
- EPA New Owner Audit Policy
- EPA Small Business Compliance Policy
- EPA Audit Policy Questions and Answers (January 2021)
- Notice of eDisclosure Portal Launch: Modernizing Implementation of EPA's Self-Policing Incentive Policies
- Enforcement Response Policy for Test Rules Under Section 4 of TSCA
- Enforcement Response Policy for Section 5 of TSCA
- Amendment to the TSCA Section 5 Enforcement Policy Penalty Limit for Untimely NOCs
- Enforcement Response Policy for TSCA Section 8, 12, and 13

EPA Training Materials

- TSCA Training Materials on New Chemical Substances and Premanufacture Notice Process
- TSCA Training Materials on Inventory, Nomenclature and Bona Fide Process
- TSCA Training Materials on New Chemical Risk Assessment
- TSCA Training Materials on New Chemical Risk Management Actions, Section 5 orders, and Significant New Use Rules
- TSCA Transparency and Reduce Rework Initiative
- TSCA New Chemical Engineering Outreach Initiative

Existing Chemical Risk Evaluations

- EPA June 30, 2021 Press Release Announcing New Whole Chemical Approach
- EPA's Explanation of a Whole Chemical Approach as Articulated in the Carbon Tetrachloride Risk Evaluation Draft Revision, pp 52768-52770
- EPA June 30, 2021 Press Release Announcing New Personal Protective Equipment Policy Update
- EPA's Explanation of its PPE Policy as Articulated in the Carbon Tetrachloride Risk Evaluation Draft Revision, pp 52770 – 52771
- EPA Updates Test Orders Policy for TSCA Section 4(a) Testing
- EPA Updates Test Orders Policy for TSCA Section 4(a)(2)
- List of Existing Chemicals Undergoing Risk Evaluations Subject to Section 4 Test Orders
- March 2022 EPA Overview of Activities Involved in Issuing a TSCA Test Order
- Status of Chemicals Currently Undergoing Risk Evaluation Under TSCA
- Procedures for Chemical Prioritization under TSCA Final Rule
- Procedures for Chemical Risk Evaluations under TSCA Final Rule
- EPA Risk Evaluation Submission Guidance
- EPA Prioritization and Risk Evaluation Case: Safer Chemicals, Healthy Families et al. v. EPA (9th Decision, Nov. 14, 2019)

Fees

- Fees for the Administration of the Toxic Substances Control Act (TSCA)
- 2018 Fees Final Rule
- Fee Payments
- Frequently Asked Questions on Fees Rule
- No Action Assurance for TSCA Fees Rule
- Proposed Revisions to TSCA Fees Rule (Dec. 2020)
- Request for No Action Assurance for TSCA Fees Rule
- TSCA Fees Table

New Chemicals Program

- EPA Discontinues the Use of Exposure Modeling Thresholds in New Chemical Reviews
- Integrated Approach for Biofuel Premanufacture Notices

- Applicability of TSCA to Chemicals Made from Petroleum and Renewable Sources Used as Fuels and Fuel Additives and Distillates
- Applicability of TSCA to Mixed Metal Oxides, including CAMs and Modified CAMs
- EPA Policy Announcement on Integrated Approach for Mixed Metal Oxides in the New Chemicals Review
- New Chemicals Working Approach to Determinations Under TSCA Section 5
- EPA Section 5 Order Template For a New Chemical Substance
- Chemistry Assistance Manual for Premanufacture Notification Submitters
- EPA Statistics for New Chemical Program
- Questions & Answers for the New Chemicals Program (Q&A)
- General Background on the TSCA Low Volume Exemption
- Regulated Chemical Categories Identified by EPA
- Polymer Exemption Guidance Manual
- TSCA and New Industrial Biotech Submissions Overview
- TSCA Contained R&D Checklist for Intergeneric Microorganisms
- EPA Points to Consider in Preparing Microbial Submissions
- EPA Announcement on Two New Tier I Exemption Strains
- EPA Link for Accessing the TSCA Inventory
- Active-Inactive Inventory Reset Final Rule
- TSCA Inventory Notification (Active-Inactive) Rule Questions and Answers
- TSCA Inventory Representation for Products Containing Two or More Substances: Formulated and Statutory Mixtures
- TSCA Inventory Representation for Combinations of Two or More Substances: Complex Reaction
 Products
- TSCA Inventory Representation for Chemical Substances of Unknown or Variable Composition, Complex Reaction Products and Biological Materials
- TSCA Chemical Substance Inventory SDA Substance Identification Procedure

PBT Chemicals and **PFAS**

- Phenol Isopropylated Phosphate (3:1) Final Rule Date Extension to October 31, 2024
- Phenol Isopropylated Phosphate (3:1) Final Rule Date Extension to March 8, 2022
- Decabromodiphenyl Ether (DecaBDE) Final Rule

- Lawsuit Against EPA Regarding TSCA Rule on DecaBDE
- Toxic Substances Control Act Reporting and Recordkeeping Requirements for Perfluoroalkyl and Polyfluoroalkyl Substances – Proposed Rule
- Toxic Substances Control Act Reporting and Recordkeeping Requirements for Perfluoroalkyl and Polyfluoroalkyl Substances Final Rule
- TSCA 8a7 Reporting Instructions
- Final Rule Response to Comments
- TSCA 8a7 Small Entity Compliance Guide
- EPA's Mandatory PFAS Reporting Rule Under TSCA Includes Thousands of Products, No Exemptions for Impurities or Imported Articles
- Premanufacture Notification Exemption for Polymers; Amendment of Polymer Exemption Rule to Exclude Certain Perfluorinated Polymers – 2010 Rule
- 2,4,6 tris(tert-butyl)phenol (246-TTBP) Final Rule
- Pentachlorothiophenol (PCTP) Final Rule
- Hexachlorobutadiene (HCBD) Final Rule
- Long-Chain Perfluoroalkyl Carboxylate and Perfluoroalkyl Sulfonate Chemical Substances Final Significant New Use Rule

Research & Development

- Exemptions for Research and Development and Test Marketing
- Toxic Substances Control Act (TSCA) Research and Development (R&D) Exemption for New Chemicals

Statutory Resources

- TSCA as Amended by the 2016 Lautenberg Chemical Safety Act of the 21st Century Act
- Democrat Intent Statements on H.R. 2576 (June 7, 2016)
- Republican Intent Statements on H.R. 2576 (June 7, 2016)
- The Lautenberg Bill as Passed by Congress on June 6, 2016 (H.R. 2576)
- House Committee Report on H.R. 2576 (June 23, 2015)
- Senate Committee Report on S. 697 (June 18, 2015)

Various Reporting

- 2020 Update to Chemical Data Reporting Final Rule
- 2020 Update to Chemical Data Reporting Response to Comments
- Nanoscale Substances On-Going Reporting Final Rule
- EPA Section 8(e) Reporting Guidance
- TSCA Section 13 Import Compliance Checklist
- Introduction to the Chemical Import Requirements of the Toxic Substances Control Act