

The Pesticide Risk Tool – pesticiderisk.org

Privacy Statement

Scope

This Privacy Statement applies to the applications, databases, and websites operated for the Pesticide Risk Tool (PRT). The PRT is developed and operated by the IPM Institute of North America, Inc., an independent non-profit organization formed in 1998 to foster recognition and rewards in the marketplace for goods and service providers who practice Integrated Pest Management, or IPM. This Privacy Statement describes the information that may be collected by pesticiderisk.org and how we use and protect that information.

Assurances

- You own the data that you enter into pesticiderisk.org.
- The PRT uses your pest management information only for purposes of providing you with risk assessments based on that information.
- The PRT does not share your personal or pest management information with any third party unless we have asked for and obtained your consent.

Information We Collect and How We Use It

Personal information:

- Name
- Email address
- Company

IPM Institute may use personal information such as name, postal address, email address, and company to engage in outreach activities, including contract renewal and PRT updates.

Farming and pest management information:

- Products applied and method, rate and timing of applications.

The PRT uses product application information to calculate the risk of each application or a combination of applications to various resource concerns, including workers, bystanders, consumers, birds, pollinators, small mammals, earthworms and aquatic ecosystems. The PRT uses the amount of time between spray application and workers entering the field to estimate risk to workers from pesticides absorbed through the skin. The PRT uses the harvest date and date of pesticide application to determine the pre harvest interval.

Farming and pest management information can be factual or fictional. Exact location is optional and can be based on actual farming operations or fictional, where similarities to real situations are unintentional. Pesticide application information can be historical or hypothetical; in other words, you can evaluate spray records from past years or compare applications that you are considering making in the future.

The PRT will not share any user information with third parties unless necessary for processing financial transaction or unless otherwise specified by the user.

Website usage

In order to improve quality and facilitate use of the applications, pesticiderisk.org may use information gathered as a result of using the website to help personalize website content, facilitate your use of the website (for example, to facilitate navigation and the login process), improve website quality, and monitor website use rates.

Contact Us

If you have questions or concerns regarding your privacy, please contact the IPM Institute of North America. E-mail us at pshannon-hughes@ipminstitute.org, or use the postal address below.

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Updating this statement

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