



Chemicals Regulation Division

Live Online Workshop: Technical Equivalence Tier I Assessments for Plant Protection Products in GB and NI Programme

Time (UK time)	Day 1 – 8 December 2025
9:00-9:20	Welcome, Housekeeping and Introduction
9:20-9:55	Introduction to technical equivalence assessments <ul style="list-style-type: none">• What is equivalence?• Why do we assess equivalence?• When is an assessment required?• Data requirements and guidance documents• Chemical equivalence criteria
9:55-10:10	Break
10:10-11:10	Section A: Identity <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Method of manufacture• Evaluation of 5-batch data• Technical specification
11:10-11:25	Break
11:25-12:45	Workshop session <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Section A: Identity
12:45-13:00	Q&A session Day 1

Time (UK time)	Day 2 – 9 December 2025
9:00-9:45	Section B: Methods of Analysis <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Methods of analysis for the active substance• Methods of analysis for significant and relevant impurities
9:45-9:55	Break
9:55-11:30	Workshop session <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Section B: Methods of Analysis• Chemical equivalence
11:30-11:40	Break
11:40-12:10	Common omissions/problems
12:10-12:40	Processes and procedures for handling GB and NI technical equivalence applications
12:40-13:00	Q&A session Day 2

Please note, all timings are approximate, and we reserve the right to amend the content if appropriate.