

Table of contents

Acknowledgements	3
Authors	3
1. Introduction	6
1.1 Background	6
1.2 Legal basis of the Indicators.....	6
1.3 Purpose of this document and disclaimer.....	7
2. Overview.....	8
2.1. General information	8
2.1.1. Reference area.....	8
2.1.2. Reference period	8
2.2. Categorisation of active substances: Groups and Categories.....	8
2.3. Categorisation of emergency authorisations.....	10
3. Harmonised Risk Indicator 1	11
3.1. Introduction	11
3.2. Use of Eurostat tool for calculating HRI1 based on sales of active substances	11
Step 1. Structure of the data to be imported.....	11
Step 2. Import the data in the HRI1 Excel tool	13
Step 3. Analyse your data in the HRI1 Excel tool	14
Step 4. Dissemination of results	19
3.3. Calculating HRI1 based on sales of active substances without the Eurostat tool	20
Baseline	20
HRI1 calculation.....	22
4. Harmonised Risk Indicator 2	23
4.1. Introduction	23
4.2. Use of Eurostat tool for calculating HRI2 based on emergency authorisations.....	23
Step 1. Structure of the data to be imported.....	23
Step 2. Import the data in the HRI2 Excel tool	25
Step 3. Analyse your data in the HRI2 Excel tool	26
Step 4. Dissemination of results	30
4.3. Calculating HRI2 based on emergency authorisations without the Eurostat tool....	30
Baseline	30
HRI2 calculation.....	32
5. Dissemination	34
5.1. Harmonised Risk Indicators 1 and 2 for the EU	34
5.2. Harmonised Risk Indicators 1 and 2 for each Member State.....	34

6. Contacts	35
6.1. DG HEALTH AND FOOD SAFETY (DG SANTE).....	35
6.2. EUROSTAT	35
7. Frequently asked questions (FAQ)	36
7.1. Why is my calculation different from that of Eurostat?	36
7.2. Does a country always have to send revised data to Eurostat?	36
7.3. What is the process if statistics on active substances placed on the market from previous reference periods are corrected?	37
7.4. Why to recalculate the time series if a substance changes Group?.....	37
8. Annexes.....	38
8.1. Annex I – Classification of active substances into Groups and Categories	38
8.2. Annex II – HRI1 Excel tool	38
8.3. Annex III – HRI2 Excel tool	38