2013 Consumer & Commercial Products Survey

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Webinar slides:  http://www.arb.ca.gov/consprod/regact/2013surv/2013main.htm
Webinar Agenda

- 2013 Consumer & Commercial Product Survey (2013 Survey) Purpose and Goals
- 2013 Survey Timeline
- 2013 Survey Overview
- Contact Information
- Q & A
- Consumer Products Reporting Tool (CPRT) Demonstration: Step-by-Step Use
- Q & A
2013 Survey Purpose and Goals

- Support the 2016 State Implementation Plan
- Update the consumer products emissions inventory by gathering current information on volatile organic compound (VOC) and low vapor pressure-VOC (LVP-VOC) emissions from consumer and commercial products
- Evaluate the feasibility of further reducing VOC emissions
- Evaluate the use of LVP-VOCs in consumer products
Timeline for 2013 Survey

- End of CPRT beta test and comments on CPRT are due August 8, 2014
  ➢ Send to csmrprod@arb.ca.gov
- 2013 Survey start date September 1, 2014
- Webinar to address additional Survey & CPRT questions October 15, 2014
- Webinar to go over the CPRT data upload December 15, 2014
- Secure data upload ready for accepting CPRT data January 1, 2015
- Completed surveys due to ARB March 1, 2015
Regulatory Authority

- The completion of the survey is mandatory
  - Antiperspirants and Deodorants Regulation (title 17, California Code of Regulations (CCR), section 94504(b))
  - Consumer Products Regulation (title 17, CCR, section 94513)
  - Aerosol Coating Products Regulation (title 17, CCR, section 94524(c))
Who must complete the Survey?

  - Will help to determine if you are required to submit survey data
Data Confidentiality

- ARB understands the data confidentiality concerns raised by stakeholders

- ARB staff is working with their information technology department to ensure survey data will be collected and stored securely

- ARB staff believes the allowed grouping of products by multiple types of ingredients will also improve data security

- Additional opportunities to denote data in the CPRT as confidential will be added to the final version
Data Requirements

- Reporting sales and formulation data for three consecutive years
  - 2013 sales and detailed formulation of all products
  - 2014 and 2015 sales data; formulation only if product VOC content by weight change is greater than 0.5 percent
  - Aerosol Coating and Aerosol Adhesive Products
    - 2013 sales data only
    - In 2018, a 2017 Survey will be completed for aerosol coatings and adhesives
Data Requirements (Cont.)

- Reporting ALL products per their stock keeping unit (SKU)

- Product formulation to be reported once if:
  - Products within the same category differ only by size
  - VOC ingredients variation is less than 0.5 percent by weight (includes fragrances) or non-VOC ingredients that vary less than 1.0 weight percent
  - Products that differ by color, botanical extract, type of resins or surfactants may be grouped
  - Selected inorganics
  - Examples are included in the survey instructions

- One representative label to be submitted per group
Data Requirements (Cont.)

- Reporting of each ingredient present in an amount nearest to 0.1 percent by weight
  - Most current formula to be reported if multiple formulas used during the calendar year 2013
  - Ingredients from the most representative vendor if different vendors used

- Ingredients reporting requirements are specific to ingredient type (chemicals versus hydrocarbon solvents)

- Products containing low or no VOCs must be also reported
2013 Survey Product Categories (per Product Sector)

- 10000  ADHESIVES, SEALANTS, AND RELATED PRODUCTS
- 20000  HOUSEHOLD AND INSTITUTIONAL PRODUCTS
- 30000  PERSONAL CARE PRODUCTS
- 40000  PESTICIDE PRODUCTS
- 60000  SOLVENT AND THINNING-RELATED
- 70000  VEHICLE AND MARINE VESSEL AFTERMARKET PRODUCTS
- 80000  AEROSOL COATING PRODUCTS
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2013 Consumer Products Reporting Tool (CPRT) Demonstration: Step-by-Step Use
Beta-test Questions

- What modifications to the CPRT are needed to improve the flow of the tool?
  - Interactive screens?
  - Import functions?

- The intent of the Summary Reports is to give an overview of the reported data to the company. Do the current reports contain useful information? If not, what information would be more important to present?

- Does the instructions document aid in the use of the CPRT? What areas need improvement?
  - Grouping descriptions
  - Definitions
  - Exemptions
  - Examples
Next Steps

- August 8: Comments due from CPRT beta-test. Send comments to csmrprod@arb.ca.gov

- September 1: Beginning of 2013 Survey

- October 15: Webinar to answer survey questions and clarifications: https://www1.gotomeeting.com/register/131592120