

<b>Section 4.3</b>		<b>Analytical methods for residues in/on food or feedstuffs</b>	
<b>Annex Point IIA4.3</b>			
<b>JUSTIFICATION FOR NON-SUBMISSION OF DATA</b>			Official use only
<b>Other existing data</b> [ ]	<b>Technically not feasible</b> [ ]	<b>Scientifically unjustified</b> [ ]	
<b>Limited exposure</b> [ ]	<b>Other justification</b> [ x ]		
<b>Detailed justification:</b>	<p>According to the 'Technical Guidance Document on data requirements', this is an additional data requirement. Although lactic acid will be used in PT3 and PT4, no residues in food/feed are expected. Furthermore, the food products involved contain a naturally high background concentration of lactic acid.</p> <p>PT3: Indirect exposure via residues in milk are not expected. Teat dipping with Filmadine occurs after milking, and it is assumed that possible residues on teats have been completely broken down at the next milking event.</p> <p>PT4: Secondary exposure of the general public may occur via residues in beer, due to the cleaning procedure. However, as the tank is rinsed with drinking water after cleaning with Deptacid 2D, no residues are expected. Furthermore, it should be noted that lactic acid is a natural component of beer; concentrations of 10-1000mg/L have been reported (Klopper et al. (1986), see the expert statement on lactic acid, included in the dossier as A6.2-01). Therefore, the dietary exposure to lactic acid via beer is not considered to be a problem.</p>		
<b>Undertaking of intended data submission</b> [ ]	Not applicable		
<b>Evaluation by Competent Authorities</b>			
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<b>EVALUATION BY RAPPORTEUR MEMBER STATE</b>			
<b>Date</b>	2014/06/23		
<b>Evaluation of applicant's justification</b>	Applicant's justification is adopted.		
<b>Conclusion</b>	Applicant's justification is acceptable. Relevant residues in food or feeding stuffs resulting from the use of L(+) lactic acid are not expected. Analytical methods for L(+) lactic acid in food or feeding stuffs are not required.		
<b>Remarks</b>	No		

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