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ECHA Substitutionsstrategie: Aktionsbereiche und Handwerkzeuge für die Substitution

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Substitution – Was ist gemeint?

Eins-zu-Eins Ersatz einer Chemikalie:

- Ähnliche chemische Eigenschaften, die zu einer ähnlichen Funktion führen
- Andere chemische Eigenschaften, die zu einer ähnlichen Funktion führen

Erweiterte Substitution:

- **Andere Verfahren** die die Funktion des Stoffes nicht erfordern, oder
- **Andere Endprodukte** die die Funktion des Stoffes nicht erfordern

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Substitution – Was ist gemeint?

Funktion!

Verstehen der Funktion hilft **ungewollte Substitution zu vermeiden**:

“moving away from focusing on similar chemical drop-in substitutes which may lead to substitution with alternatives that have similar toxicology profiles”

(Tickner J. et al. 2015; Environ. Sci. Technol. 49, 2, 742-749)

Ziele der ECHA Substitutionsstrategie



Unterstützung
Informierte und
sinnvolle Substitution
von bedenklichen
Chemikalien in der EU

Förderung
Verfügbarkeit und
Einführung sicherer
alternativer Stoffe
und Technologien

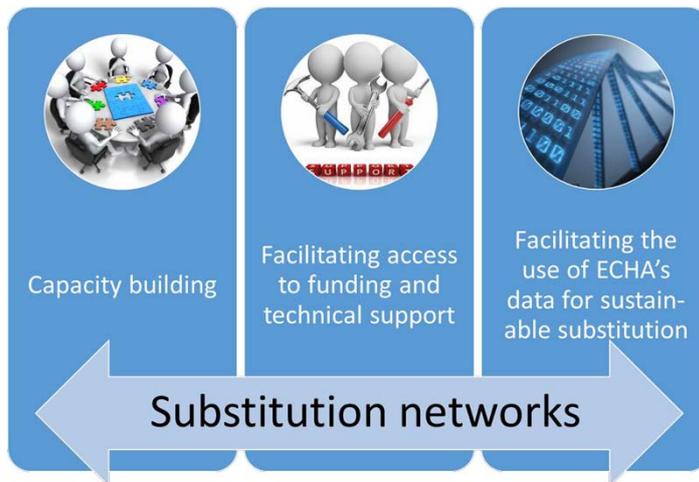


Vorgehen

- Förderung von Best Practices und Denkweisen
- Substitution als Teil von Innovation
 - Schafft Geschäftsmöglichkeiten
 - Führt zu Vorteilen für Umwelt und Gesundheit
- Zusammenarbeit mit Interessengruppen ist von entscheidender Bedeutung
- Vier Aktionsbereiche



Vier Aktionsbereiche



Workshops für Akteure der Lieferkette

- Stofflieferanten, nachgeschaltete Anwender, Einzelhändler, Endverbraucher, Anbieter von Alternativen, F&E und finanzielle Unterstützung
- Herausforderungen (und Chancen) der Substitution teilen
- Fortschritte zu gezielten Themen im Bereich der Substitution erzielen
- Wissenslücken und Fortbildungs-/Entwicklungsbedürfnisse identifizieren



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Workshops für Akteure der Lieferkette

ECHA Website:

- Beschreibung des Konzepts
- Best Practices
- Interessensbekundungen

Mehr Info:

<https://echa.europa.eu/substitution-supply-chain-workshops>

Supply chain workshops



Substitution is a challenging task – many performance and economic requirements need to be met, hazard and risk profiles of the alternatives have to be well understood, and a lifecycle assessment of the intended substitution may be required. Companies cannot do this alone: they need to talk to their customers and suppliers. This makes supply chain collaboration a key driver in the development and adoption of safer alternatives.

ECHA has proposed that Member States and stakeholders organise workshops to identify how to overcome specific substitution challenges, engaging also companies in the supply chain interested in identifying safer alternatives that could meet a particular function and end-use requirement.

The workshops would be opportunities for participants to learn about the technological and functional needs for capacity building and training at the operational level of companies.

These workshops would normally be held in the national language of the Member State, or alternatively in English on a European scale.

The workshops would:

- initiate dialogue among the various concerned actors within the supply chain on the opportunities and challenges of substitution, and
- lead to concrete innovation projects and instances of collaboration with a view to substituting to safer alternatives.

ECHA can help in the preparation of the workshop programme, share its own experiences of previous workshops, disseminate the conclusions and provide other additional support.

See below the example of a substitution supply chain workshop structure.



Wish to organise or coorganise a substitution workshop for supply chain actors, on specific substances and functionalities? -> contact us.

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Workshops für Akteure der Lieferkette

- [Chrome plating](#)
Finland, January 2017 and January 2019
- [Flame retardants in home textiles](#)
Belgium, 16 January 2018
- [Durable water and oil repellents in textiles](#)
Belgium, 5 June 2018
- [Antifouling paints in recreational boats](#)
The Netherlands, 5 October 2018
- [Chrome plating](#)
Germany, 14 January 2019
- [Bisphenols in thermal paper](#)
Belgium, 26 March 2019
- [Chromates/preservatives/cleaning chemicals](#)
Austria, 30-31 January 2020
- [Substitution in textiles](#)
France, (tbd) 2020



Online-Training: Einführung in die Analyse von Alternativen

Richtet sich an (neue und erfahrene) AoA Praktiker in Behörden, Industrie und NGOs

- Introduction – Makes the case for informed “substitution thinking” and introduces the training
- S1: Scoping the assessment
- S2: Identifying and screening alternatives
- S3: Hazard and exposure
- S4: Cost and technical performance
- S5: Making and implementing decisions

Mehr Info:

<https://echa.europa.eu/online-training-on-analysis-of-alternatives>

Kontaktliste

- Für Akteure auf der Suche nach Finanzierung oder technischer Unterstützung
- EU und nationale Ebene

Mehr Info:
<https://echa.europa.eu/funding-and-technical-support>

Funding and technical support

Funding for sustainable chemistry projects at EU and Member State level is available from both public and private funding organisations. Technical support is available from research and technical institutions.

On this page you will find a list of financial and technical support institutions and programmes available throughout the EU. You can let ECHA know about other institutions and mechanisms providing funding and technical support by using the webform, which is linked on this page.

Contact list

- [Download contact list \(11,33\)](#)

Submit through webform

Using the webform below you may submit your information on the existing funding and technical support mechanisms that are of relevance to substitution of hazardous chemicals projects within the EU.

- [Webform](#)

European Union

Austria

Austrian Research Promotion Agency (FFG)

Type of support	Financial
Description	The FFG is the national funding agency for applied research. More than half of project funding managed by the FFG goes to industrial research.
Web address	www.ffg.at

Austrian Science Fund (FWF)

Type of support	Financial
Description	The FWF supports the ongoing development of Austrian science and basic research.
Web address	www.fwf.at

Austrian Wirtschaftsservice GmbH (AWS)

Type of support	Financial
Description	The AWS is the development bank for the Republic of Austria. It supports the RTT agencies of start-ups, SMEs and large established enterprises in the form of subsidies, low-interest loans, subsidies and guarantees.
Web address	www.aws.at

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REACH und CLP Daten für informierte Substitution

- Ziel: Vermeidung ungewollter Substitution
- Webinar zur Verwendung dieser Daten für Substitution

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REACH | CLP | GHS | PPE

Advanced search for Chemicals

Search criteria

Names and numerical identifiers (1/2)

Substance name: Exact match

EC (List) number: Exact match

CAS number: Exact match

Other numerical identifier: Type:

Classification details (CLM inventory) (1/2)

Hazards: Physical Environmental Health

Search operator: AND

Structural information (1/2)

Molecular formula: Exact match

SMILES: Exact match

InChI: Exact match

Regulatory activities and outcomes (1/2)

Regulatory activity: Select

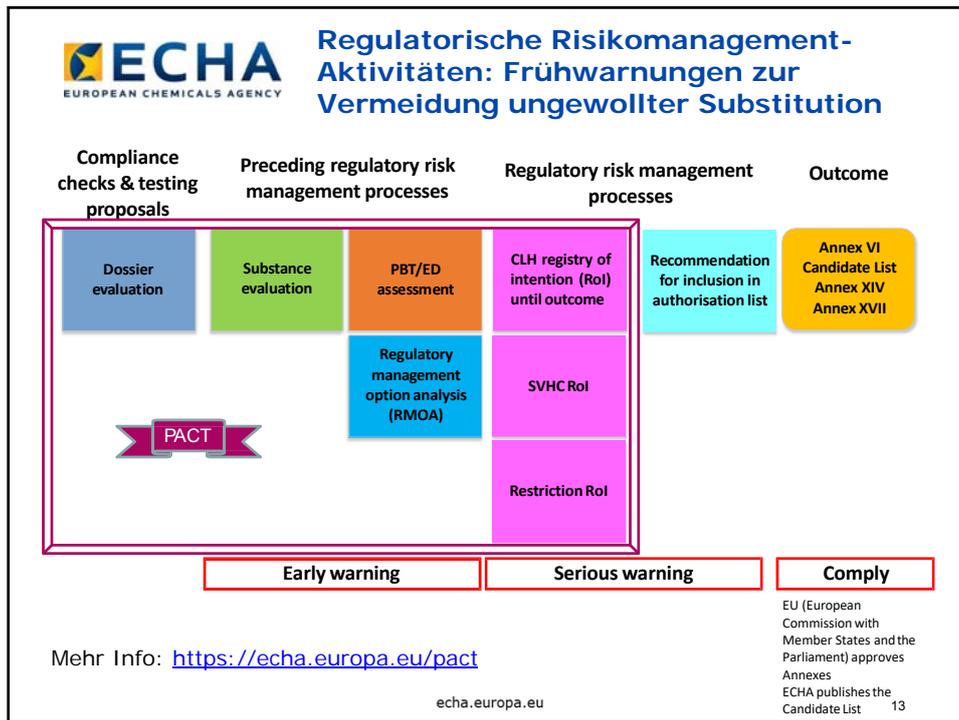
Use and exposure (registration dossier) (1/2)

Life cycle: Consumer uses Article service life Widespread uses by professional workers Formulation or re-packing Uses at industrial sites Manufacture

Category: Product Category

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Substitutionsnetzwerke

- Treten Sie unserer LinkedIn Gruppe bei [Substitution to Safer Chemicals - European Information Sharing Network](#) zum Austausch von Informationen und Neuigkeiten: knapp 400 Mitglieder!
- [Mailingliste](#) um über substitutions-relevante Themen und Aktivitäten informiert zu werden
- Andere Netzwerke

Networks

The implementation of ECHA's substitution strategy to safer chemicals requires collaboration between several stakeholders. Collaborative networks play an important role in coordinating and advancing innovation and informed substitution.

Network on substitution

ECHA has set up a network for stakeholders for exchanging information on substitution and promoting cross-border collaboration within the EU. The inaugural meeting was held in October 2017.

Interested in joining the network? It is open to all stakeholders interested in actively supporting substitution activities in the EU, bringing together public authorities and agencies, industry, NGOs, academia and consultants.

- Join the network
- Read more on the first meeting on 9 - 10 October 2017

Substitution to safer chemicals - European Information Sharing Network

The LinkedIn group is a collaboration space to discuss and share information on substituting to safer chemicals. The group aims to bring together authorities, industry associations, companies, researchers, NGOs and other relevant actors with a demonstrated interest and experience in substitution at EU level.

- LinkedIn space

Network of REACH SEA and Analysis of Alternatives practitioners

The network of REACH SEA and Analysis of Alternatives practitioners (SEA/AA) has been set up to promote the exchange of views and information on concepts, methods and experiences related to the socio-economic analysis and analysis of alternatives under REACH and the EU or national chemicals legislation. The network is based on collaboration between ECHA, Member States and stakeholders from industry and NGOs.

- Read more

Other networks

- OECD Ad Hoc Group on Substitution of Hazardous Chemicals
- OECD/UNEP Global Perfluorinated Chemicals Group
- International Sustainable Chemistry Collaborative Centre
- Association for the Advancement of Alternatives Assessment
- Green Chemistry & Commerce Council
- BioNGO

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Companies in the EU are increasingly substituting away from hazardous chemicals and manufacturing processes to safer chemicals and greener technologies. This can bring substantial benefits to the companies, the environment and the health of workers and consumers. It can also have a significant positive impact on the implementation of a circular economy.

ONLINE TRAINING
Introductory training on analysis of alternatives to hazardous substances.
• [Read more](#)

Supply chain workshops

Supply chain workshops are intended to advance research, evaluation and adoption of safer chemicals.

Networks

Collaborative networks play an important role in coordinating and advancing innovation and informed substitution.

Funding and technical support

Facilitating access to technical support and additional funding is critical to boosting substitution away from hazardous chemicals.

Data to prevent regrettable substitution

More effective use of REACH, CLP and BPR data in performing hazard and risk assessment of alternatives can help prevent the instances of regrettable substitution.


Why substitute?


How to substitute?


Real-life cases


Find substitution partners


News and activities

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Aktuelles



- Bevorstehende und vergangene Veranstaltungen zum Thema Substitution
- Sollten Sie eine Veranstaltung planen, lassen Sie es uns wissen!
- Webinare

News and activities

Have a look at news, webinars, events and other material related to substitution to safer chemicals. The event section includes events organised by ECHA, Member States Authorities or ECHA's accredited stakeholders.

News

- 29 January 2018 - News release
New strategy promotes substitution to safer chemicals in the EU

Webinars

- 28 October 2019
GreenScreen tool and methodology for comparing chemical hazards and identifying safer alternatives
- 18 April 2018
Tools supporting substitution
- 2 February 2017
Webinar: Replacing harmful chemicals in the textiles sector
- 22 September 2015
Why opt for substitution

Events

- 30-31 January 2020 | Vienna, Austria
Workshop on substituting problematic chemicals
- 28 May 2020 | Dortmund, Germany
Perspectives of Substitution for Isothiazolinones as Preservatives in Paints, Varnishes and Adhesives

[Previous events >](#)

RELATED

- [ECHA strategy to promote substitution to safer chemicals \[PDF\]](#)
- [ECHA newsletter on substitution](#)
- [Improving the Identification, Evaluation, Adoption and Development of Safer Alternatives \[PDF\]](#)
- [Accelerating substitution: strategic options assessment \[PDF\]](#)

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Webinar: "Tools to support substitution to safer chemicals"

- ECHA's strategy to support substitution to safer chemicals
- Landscape of methods and tools to support transition to safer chemicals: lessons learned
- Demonstration of the OECD Substitution and Alternatives Assessment Toolbox
- ChemSec Marketplace: dating site for safer alternatives
- Using ECHA's data to support substitution



Mehr Info:

<https://echa.europa.eu/-/tools-to-support-substitution-to-safer-chemicals>

Fazit



- Gehen Sie bei der Suche nach Alternativen aus funktionaler Sicht vor
- Sehen Sie Substitution als Geschäftsmöglichkeit mit Vorteilen für Umwelt und Gesundheit
- Dieser Workshop bietet die Möglichkeit, die Herausforderungen Ihrer Substitution zu diskutieren
- Achten Sie auf Frühwarnungen um ungewollte Substitution zu vermeiden
- Nutzen Sie die Ressourcen zur Substitution und Analyse von Alternativen auf der ECHA Website



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