



QRA DATA FORM FOR CATEGORIZATION OF PRODUCT TYPES (December 2007)



Data Needed for IFRA QRA Categorization of a New Product Type or To Review an Existing Product Categorization

The data will become part of the next version of the RIFM/IFRA QRA Booklet. If the submitted data are unpublished, they can either remain confidential (the reference would be RIFM, 2007 private communication to AM Api) or it can be referenced by the submitting company's name. Unpublished data will remain on file at RIFM, but will be submitted to government authorities upon request. Below is the information that must be completed before the categorization can be defined.

Product Type

1. Name of Product Type
2. Description of the Product Type
3. Description of how the Product Type is Used
4. What, if any, instructions are given to the Consumer on the product label

Exposure Data

1. What is the amount of fragrance in the product type?
2. How much of the product is used per use? How many uses/day?
3. What is the surface area exposed?
4. Will the fragrance come into direct contact with the skin? If not, please explain.
5. Is the product rinsed off? If yes, should a retention factor be applied? Please explain.
6. Is the product type an article (e.g. facial tissue, feminine hygiene pad)? If yes,
 1. What is the amount of fragrance applied to the product?
 2. What is the amount of fragrance transferred from the product to the exposed area?

Note: In the absence of these data, a conservative approach will be taken—it will be assumed that 100% of the fragrance will be transferred to the exposed sites.

Information should either be sent to Anne Marie Api at RIFM (amapi@rifm.org) or Matthias Vey at IFRA (mvey@ifraorg.org). Requests for (re)-categorization should reach either IFRA or RIFM before the end of October each year so they can be included in the update of the QRA-Information booklet that will be issued with the next IFRA Amendment the following spring.