

Profiling Chemicals Based on Toxicity from the U.S. EPA ToxRef Database

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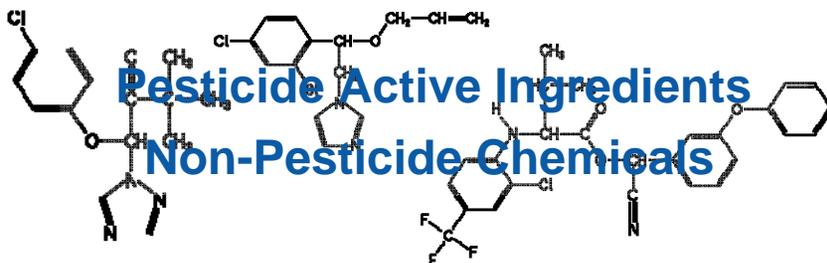
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Overview

- **Source Data**

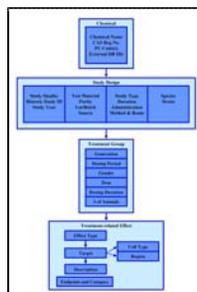


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- **Database**

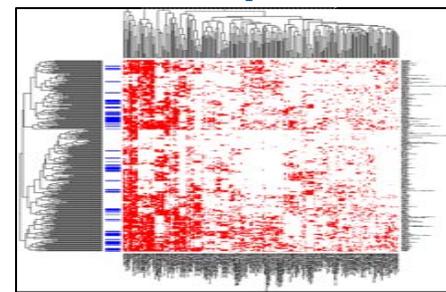
ToxRefDB

Structure



Input

Output



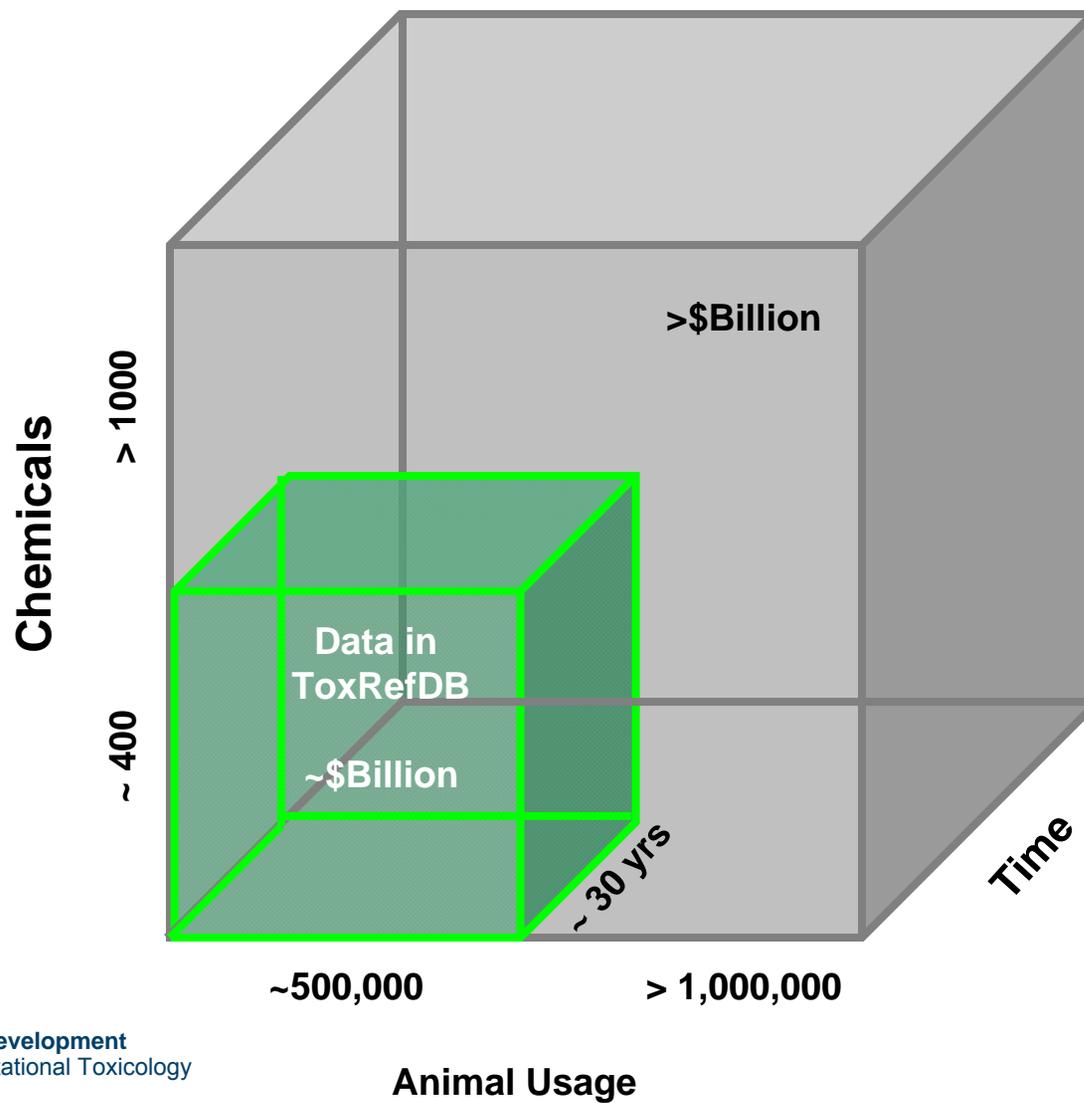
- **Applications**



- Predict toxicity
- Prioritize chemicals
- High throughput, in vitro and in silico, lower cost

- Refine animal use
- Inform targeted and intelligent test guidelines

Pesticide Toxicity Dataset





Data Entry Completeness Score

Partially Complete (Effect Data)



ToxRefDB Input Form



Historic Study Identifiers

MRID#

Primary Study Year

Supplemental MRID/Historic ID(s)

Study/Data Quality

Data Usability

Study-Level Comments

Note: Thyroid weights inc in male and dec in female. Thyroid neoplasia increase in male and decrease in female (both statistically significant)

Test Material Information

Chemical

Purity (%) Lot/Batch# Source

Test Material (Chemical) Comments

Study Type

Study Type

Study Duration Start day

Finish week

Animal and Dose Information

Species Method/Route of Administration

Strain Feed

Animal and Dose Administration Comments (Including Not In List)

Study Design

Study Effect List

Upload Form Info
Use Excel upload form to add treatment groups. Click "Bulk Upload"; Copy and paste into form and upload groups.

[Excel Treatment Group Form](#)

EFFECT DATA

Click on "View or Add Critical Effect Data by Type" to input effect data for any treatment group by effect type.

Treatment Group List

| Treatment Group Category | Gender Category | Dose Period Type | Dose | Duration | # / Goup | View or Add Effect Data by Type |
|--------------------------|-----------------|---------------------|-----------------|----------|----------|--|
| Adult (P1) | M | Initial-to-Terminal | 2.7 mg/kg/day | 104 week | 50 | <input type="button" value="View or Add Effect Data by Type"/> |
| Adult (P1) | F | Initial-to-Terminal | 3.6 mg/kg/day | 104 week | 50 | <input type="button" value="View or Add Effect Data by Type"/> |
| Adult (P1) | M | Initial-to-Terminal | 10.8 mg/kg/day | 104 week | 50 | <input type="button" value="View or Add Effect Data by Type"/> |
| Adult (P1) | F | Initial-to-Terminal | 14.6 mg/kg/day | 104 week | 50 | <input type="button" value="View or Add Effect Data by Type"/> |
| Adult (P1) | M | Initial-to-Terminal | 65.8 mg/kg/day | 104 week | 50 | <input type="button" value="View or Add Effect Data by Type"/> |
| Adult (P1) | F | Initial-to-Terminal | 85.2 mg/kg/day | 104 week | 50 | <input type="button" value="View or Add Effect Data by Type"/> |
| Adult (P1) | M | Initial-to-Terminal | 134.8 mg/kg/day | 104 week | 50 | <input type="button" value="View or Add Effect Data by Type"/> |
| Adult (P1) | F | Initial-to-Terminal | 168.8 mg/kg/day | 104 week | 50 | <input type="button" value="View or Add Effect Data by Type"/> |

Edit Uploaded Treatment Group

Treatment Group Category

Gender #/group

Dose Period Type

Dose Units

Duration Units

Save Delete New

Treatment Groups

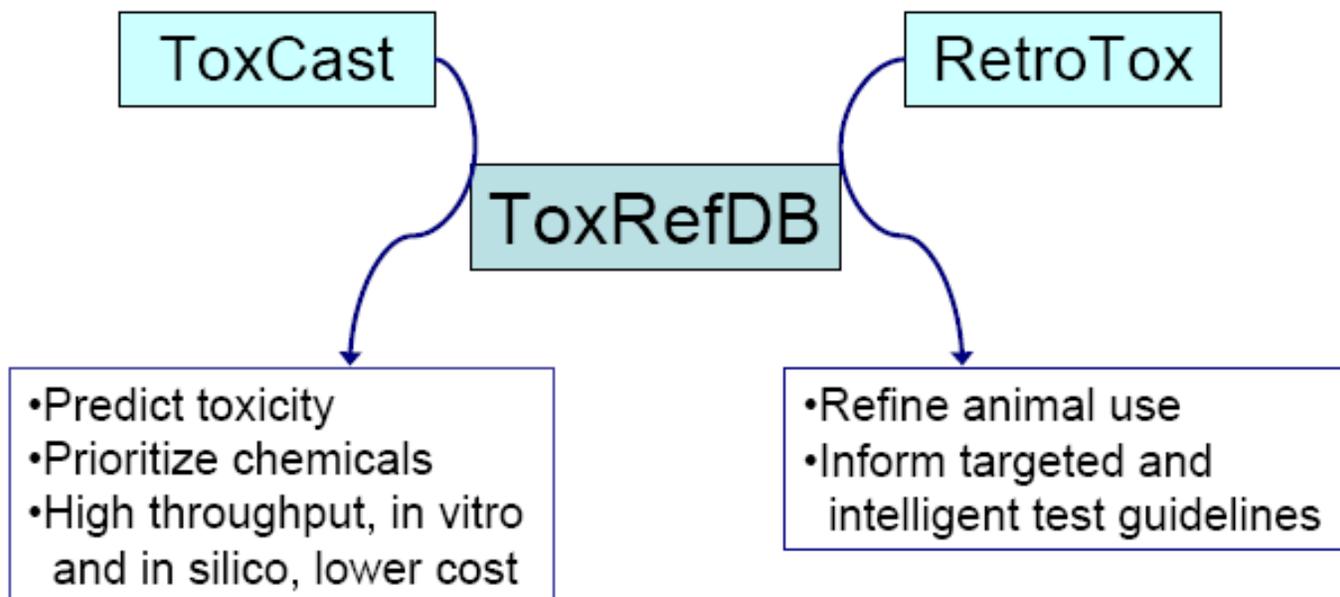
Show all Effects [Assign LOAELs]

Study Design Level Controls

Filename/Citation

**1983 Studies Entered
For
451 Chemicals**

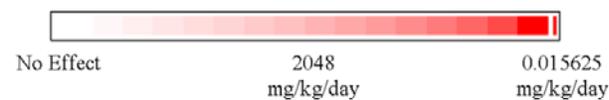
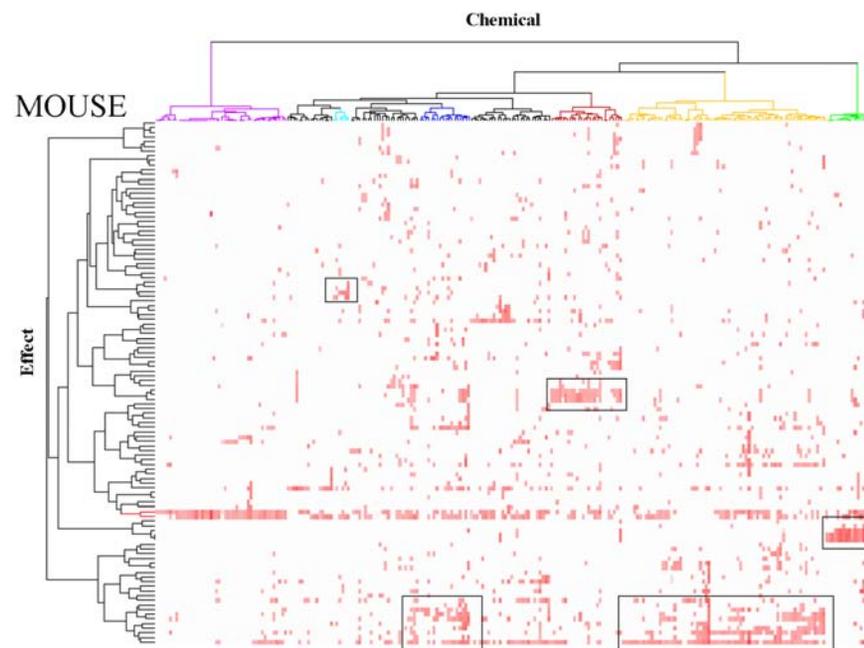
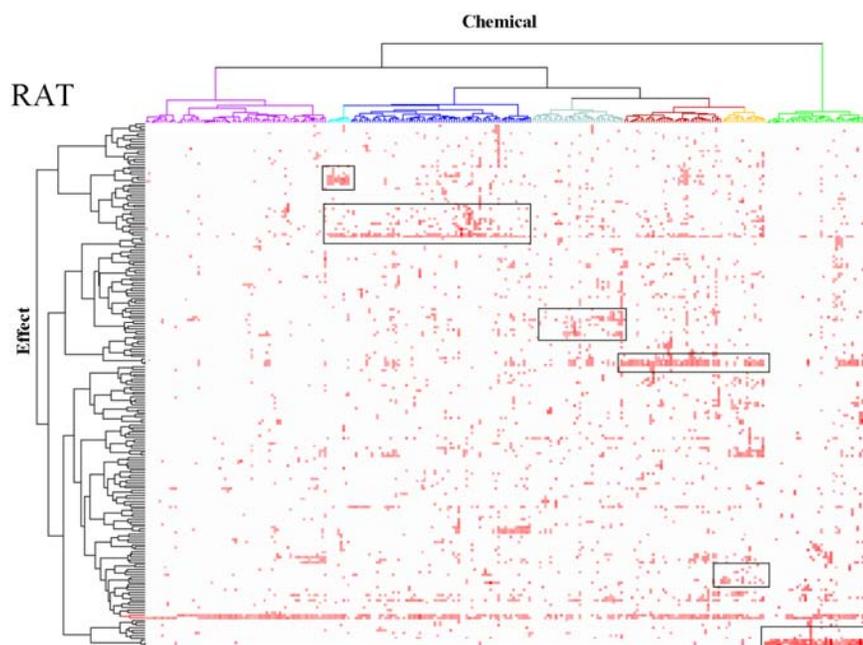
Applications



- Research (link to HTS and genomic data)
 - Inform modeling and systems biology
 - ***In Vivo Toxicity-based Profiling***

- Retrospective Analysis
 - 2-yr Bioassay: Rat vs. Mouse
 - Multigeneration: F1 vs. F2
 - Developmental: Rat vs. Rabbit

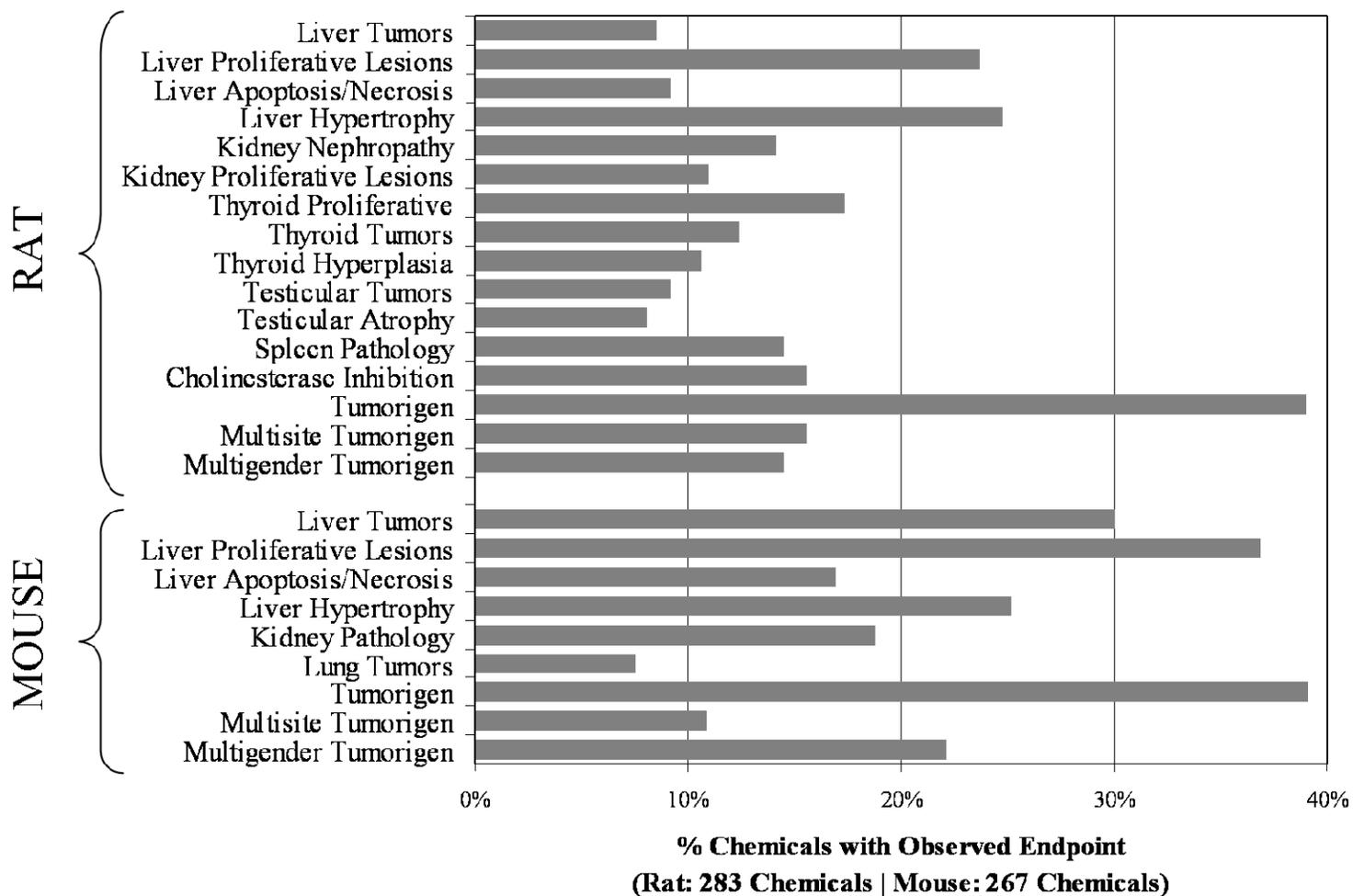
Chronic/Cancer Toxicity Profiling



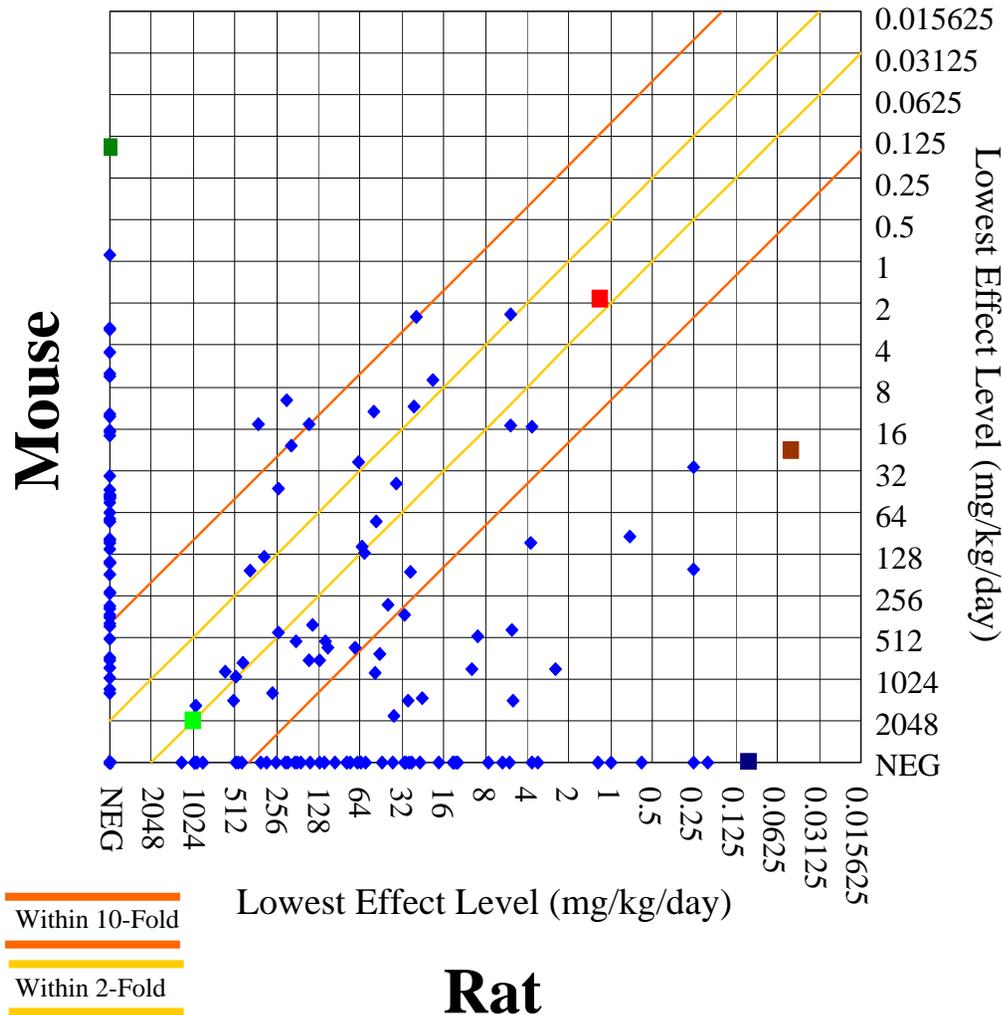
Lowest Effect Level (LEL): $-\log_2(\text{LEL})$

Two-way Unsupervised Hierarchical Clustering

Selected Chronic Rat & Mouse Endpoints for Predictive Modeling



Rat vs. Mouse Tumorigenicity

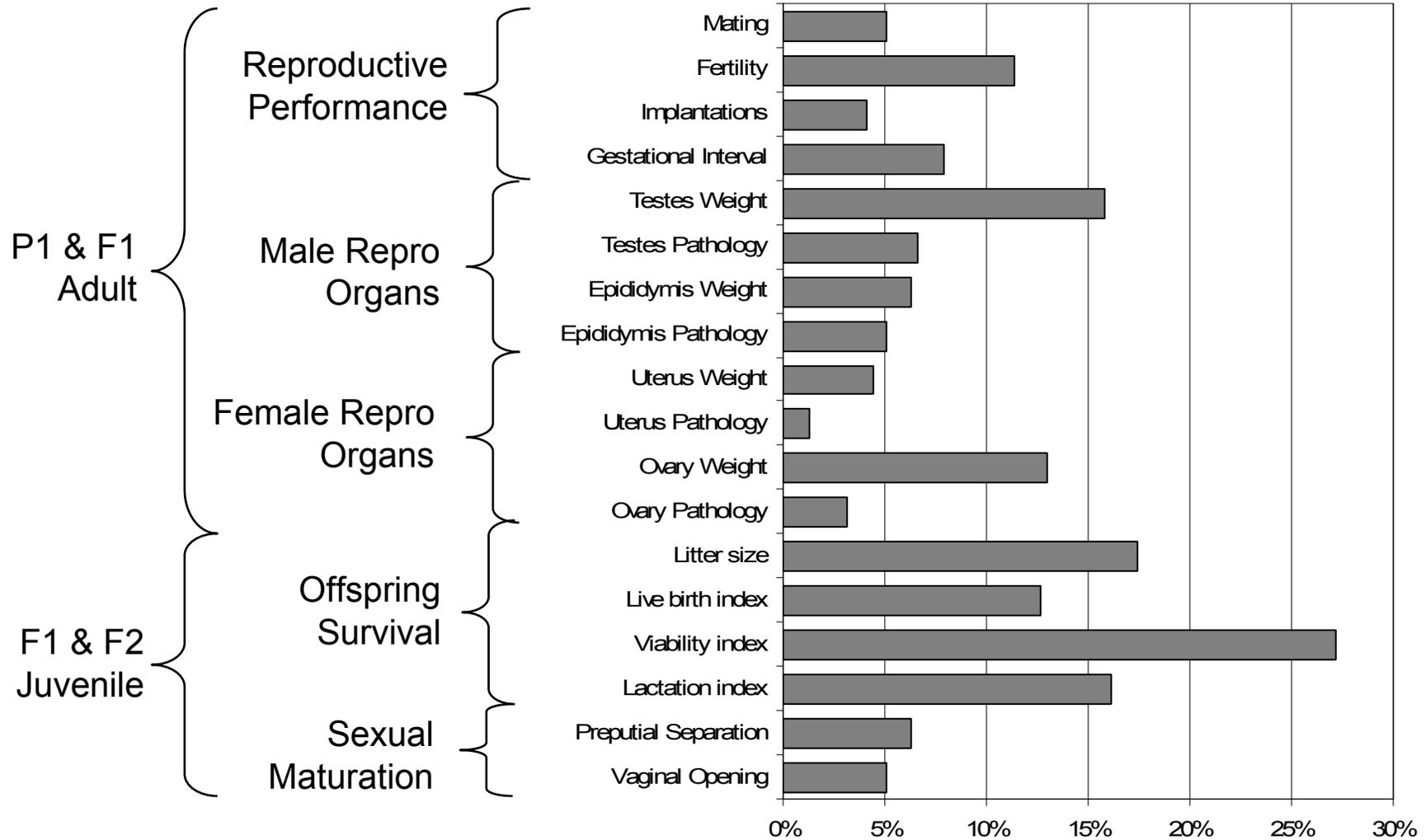


- **260** Chemicals w/ Rat & Mouse Chronic/Cancer Study
- **108** Non-tumorigens
- **51** Rat Only Tumorigens
- **48** Mouse Only Tumorigens
- **53** Rat & Mouse Tumorigens

- Chlordane – Group B2
- Lindane – Suggestive Evidence of Carcinogenicity, but Not Sufficient to Assess Human Carcinogenic Potential
- Dipropyl isocinchomeronate – Group B2
- Chlorpyrifos-methyl – Not Likely to be Carcinogenic to Humans
- Disulfoton – Group E

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Multigeneration Reproductive Toxicity Profiling

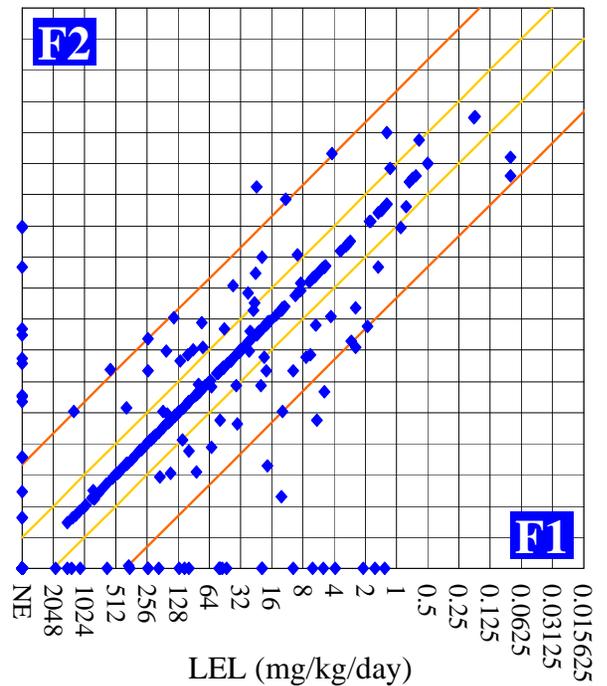
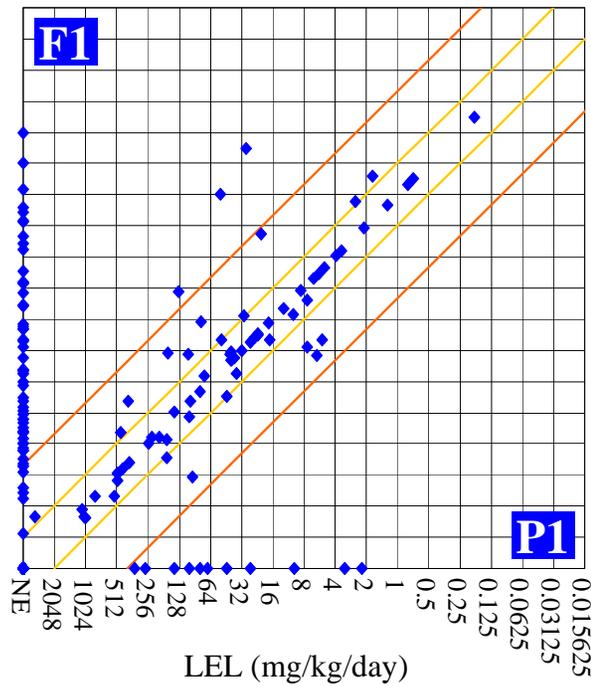
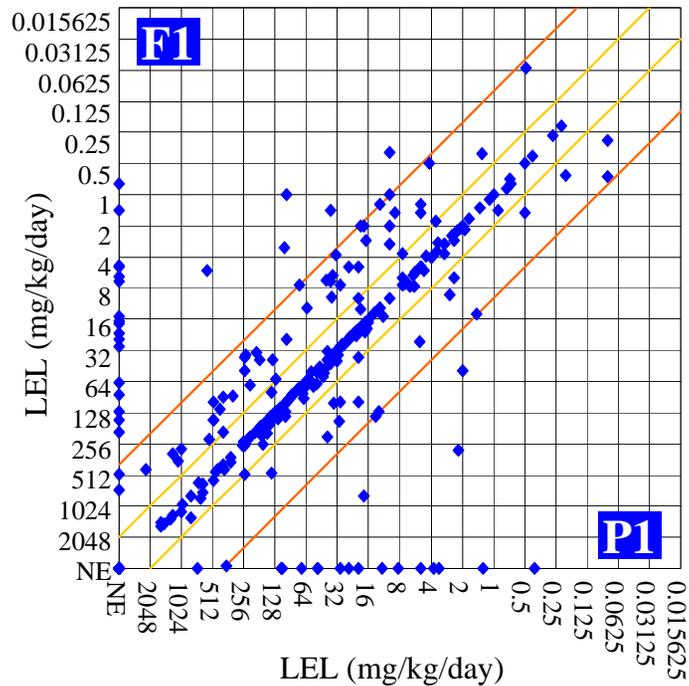


Multigeneration Reproductive Toxicity Profiling

Parental

Reproductive

Offspring



Within 10-Fold

Within 2-Fold

NE – Not Established

LEL – Lowest Effect Level

Total = 316 Chemicals

- Parental Toxicity
 - 19 F1 Specific
 - 5 F1 Sensitive
 - Reproductive Toxicity
 - 61 F1 Specific
 - 3 F1 Sensitive
 - Offspring Toxicity
 - 12 F2 Specific
 - 6 F2 Sensitive
- *10-Fold Cutoff

Conclusions

- Current Status
 - Publication of Chronic/Cancer Endpoints for Predictive Modeling
 - ToxCast Phase I *In Vivo* Toxicity Data Entry Complete
 - Ongoing Internal QA/QC
 - Ongoing Stakeholder Review
 - ToxRefDB Homepage Online
- Next Steps
 - Publication of Reproductive & Developmental Endpoints for Predictive Modeling
 - ToxCast Phase II *In Vivo* Toxicity Data Entry
 - Public Release of Database via Web-based Tools
 - Expanding Study Types to Developmental Neurotoxicity, etc.
 - Integrate with other Toxicity Databases & Data Models



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ToxRefDB Program Toxicology Reference Database



ToxRefDB was developed by the National Center for Computational Toxicology (NCCT) in partnership with EPA's Office of Pesticide Programs (OPP), to store data from in vivo animal toxicity studies. The initial focus was populating ToxRefDB with pesticide registration toxicity data that has been historically stored as hard-copy and scanned documents by OPP. A significant portion of these data have now been processed into ToxRefDB in a standardized and structured format. ToxRefDB currently includes chronic, cancer, sub-chronic, developmental, and reproductive studies on hundreds of chemicals, many of which are pesticide active ingredients. These data are now accessible and computable within ToxRefDB, and are serving as reference toxicity data for ORD research and OPP retrospective analyses. The primary research application of ToxRefDB is to provide toxicity endpoints for the development of ToxCast™ predictive signatures.

| Data Set | Description | Download | Publication |
|---|---|---|--|
| Data Entry Tool & Controlled Vocabulary | The Data Entry Tool provided the user interface for all initial data input into ToxRefDB. The controlled vocabulary standardized the capturing of regulatory animal toxicity studies performed across various study types. (More Information) | Download (15.5 MB, ZIP) | Martin et al. (2008) " Profiling Chemicals Based on Chronic Toxicity Results from the U.S. EPA ToxRef Database " Environmental Health Perspectives doi:10.1289/ehp.0800074 |
| Chronic & Cancer Endpoints | Based on incidence, severity and potency, 26 primarily tissue-specific pathology endpoints were selected to uniformly classify 310 chemicals included in the manuscript's analysis. The 310 chemicals in this analysis largely overlap with the 320 ToxCast Phase I chemicals. (More Information) | Download (2.7 MB, XLS) | Martin et al. (2008) " Profiling Chemicals Based on Chronic Toxicity Results from the U.S. EPA ToxRef Database " Environmental Health Perspectives doi:10.1289/ehp.0800074 |

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Returns Lowest Effect Levels (LEL) for Selected Endpoint.

All chemicals with Study Type are returned.
Chemicals with Endpoint/Effect have LEL displayed.
If multiple Effect Descriptions are selected, the Endpoint is aggregated and the LEL represents the lowest dose any of the selected effects were observed.

| | |
|--|---|
| <p>Selection Criteria</p> <p>Study Type <input type="text" value="Chronic"/></p> <p>Species: <input type="text" value="rat"/></p> <p>Effect Type: <input type="text" value="Pathology (Neoplastic)"/></p> <p>Effect Target: <input type="text" value="Liver"/></p> <p>Effect Description: <input type="text" value="Adenocarcinoma"/> <input type="text" value="Adenoma"/> <input type="text" value="Adenoma/Carcinoma Combined"/> <input type="text" value="Carcinoma"/> </p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> by Gender <input type="checkbox"/> by Generation</p> | <p>Additional Fields</p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> MRID No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Year <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Guideline No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Start (Duration) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Finish (Duration) <input type="checkbox"/> Data Usability <input type="checkbox"/> Purity <input type="checkbox"/> Strain <input type="checkbox"/> Admin Method <input type="checkbox"/> Admin Route</p> |
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LDT = Low Dose Tested

HDT = High Dose Tested

ENDPOINT = Study Type: Chronic | Species: rat | Effect Type: Pathology (Neoplastic) | Effect Target: Liver | Effect Desc:

Adenoma;Adenoma/Carcinoma Combined;Carcinoma

| CAS No. | Chemical Name | F LEL(mg/kg/day) | M LEL(mg/kg/day) | LDT | HDT | MRID_No | Study_Review_Year | Study_Type_OPPTS_G |
|-------------|---|--------------------|--------------------|--------|---------|----------|-------------------|--------------------|
| 136-45-8 | 2,5-Pyridinedicarboxylic acid, dipropyl ester | 1000.00 | 1000.00 | 65.00 | 1000.00 | 42093902 | 1991 | 870.4300 |
| 117-81-7 | Diethylhexyl phthalate (DEHP) | 600.00 | 600.00 | 300.00 | 600.00 | 00000000 | 1982 | 870.4300 |
| 141112-29-0 | Isoxaflutole | 500.00 | 500.00 | 0.50 | 500.00 | 43904806 | 1995 | 870.4300 |
| 1861-32-1 | Dacthal | 500.00 | | 1.00 | 1000.00 | 42731001 | 1993 | 870.4300 |
| 63-25-2 | Carbaryl | 484.60 | | 10.00 | 484.60 | 42196801 | 1993 | 870.4300 |
| 121-75-5 | Malathion | 415.00 | | 4.00 | 868.00 | 43942901 | 1996 | 870.4300 |
| 108-62-3 | Metaldehyde | 314.00 | | 2.00 | 314.00 | 42203601 | 1992 | 870.4300 |
| 1194-65-6 | Dichlobenil | 183.80 | 162.40 | 2.10 | 183.80 | 40823801 | 1988 | 870.4300 |
| 834-12-8 | Ametryn | 176.10 | | 2.00 | 176.10 | 40349906 | 1987 | 870.4300 |
| 131341-86-1 | Fludioxonil | 141.00 | | 0.37 | 141.00 | 43080037 | 1993 | 870.4300 |
| 113136-77-9 | Cyclanilide | 58.60 | | 2.00 | 58.60 | 43868314 | 1995 | 870.4300 |
| 123312-89-0 | Pymetrozine | 46.26 | | 0.38 | 148.30 | 44024951 | 1995 | 870.4300 |
| 51338-27-3 | Diclofop-methyl | 32.00 | 25.00 | 0.23 | 79.00 | 43927302 | 1996 | 870.4300 |
| 542-75-6 | 1,3-Dichloropropene (Telone II) | 25.00 | 12.50 | 2.50 | 25.00 | 43763501 | 1995 | 870.4300 |
| 7786-34-7 | Mevinphos | 0.60 | | 0.02 | 0.70 | 43088601 | 1994 | 870.4300 |
| 82697-71-0 | Clofencet | | 989.00 | 4.70 | 1288.00 | 43183411 | 1994 | 870.4300 |

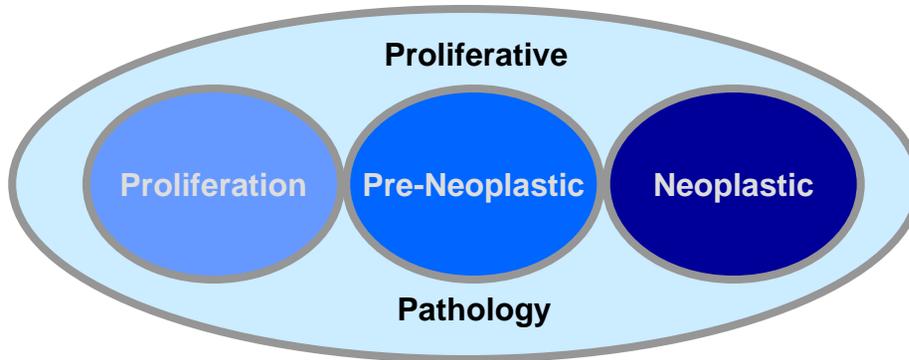
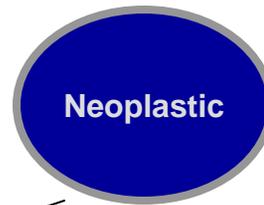
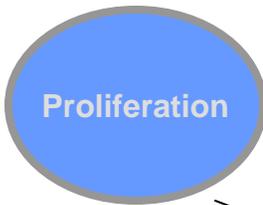


Aggregating Effects

Cell Proliferation
Hyperplasia
Dysplasia
Regeneration

Eosinophilic Focus
Basophilic Focus
Foci
Mixed Cell Focus
Clear Cell Focus

Adenoma
Carcinoma
Adenocarcinoma
Sarcoma



Nomenclature Bias /
Biological Specificity

Observation Rate /
Species Concordance