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U.S. DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE
ANIMAL AND PLANT HEALTH INSPECTION SERVICE
BIOTECHNOLOGY REGULATORY SERVICE
APPLICATIONS FOR PERMIT OR COURTESY PERMIT UNDER 7 CFR 340
(Genetically Engineered Organisms or Products)

1. NAME, ADDRESS, TELEPHONE, AND EMAIL OF APPLICANT Name: PII Position: regulatory affairs manager Organization: Syngenta Organization Unique ID: SYN125 Address: 3054 E Cornwallis Rd P.O. Box 12257 Research Triangle Park, NC 27709-2257 County/Province: Township/Island: Day Telephone: PII FAX: PII Alternate: Email 1: PII@syngenta.com Email 2:	2. INTRODUCTION TYPE <input type="checkbox"/> Importation <input type="checkbox"/> Interstate Movement <input type="checkbox"/> Interstate Movement and Release <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Release	3. PERMIT TYPE <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Standard Permit <input type="checkbox"/> Courtesy Permit
4. PURPOSE OF PERMIT <input type="checkbox"/> Industrial Product <input type="checkbox"/> Pharmaceutical Product <input type="checkbox"/> Phytoremediation <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Traditional		

5. CONFIDENTIAL BUSINESS INFORMATION VERIFICATION (CBI)

Does this application contain CBI? Yes No

CBI Justification:

Some of the information contained in this application relates to the commercial or financial activities of Syngenta Seeds, Inc. and has been designated as confidential business information (CBI). That information is exempt from disclosure to the public under Exemption 4 of the Freedom of Information Act (FOIA), 5 U.S.C. 552(b)(4). This designation has been reserved for information that Syngenta Seeds, Inc. has not previously divulged to the public. We have determined that the release of such information to the public at this time would provide our competitors with important data on our research and development activities, trends and directions, and could jeopardize protection of intellectual property rights. Therefore, access to this information by our competitors would cause Syngenta Seeds, Inc. competitive harm. Use of the CBI designation herein protects the substantial research investment made by Syngenta Seeds, Inc.

Please note that the following (a) are examples of the types of information that may be claimed but are not necessarily all claimed in the notification or permit application, and (b) are not exhaustive examples of the information that may be claimed but are indicative of the general type of information that is claimed.

Phenotype: The phenotype of a regulated article (e.g., tolerance to a specific herbicide) may be considered CBI because of the highly competitive nature of the market segment, both in terms of various germplasm development initiatives and in terms of strategic planning for research, development and commercial activities.

Genotype: The genetic makeup of the regulated article often including the promoter, gene, and terminator are considered CBI because those elements, and more specifically the various specific combinations of those elements, allow Syngenta to develop novel products with regards to the current marketplace. Syngenta routinely tests multiple genetic constructs and events before coming to a decision as to which products to commercialize. Keeping the specific combination of processes and the genetic elements being tested as proprietary information is critical for early stage project development.

Method of Transformation: Because the method by which a regulated article is produced is often unique to the crop, Syngenta scientists are skilled at the development and improvement of transformation technology. Keeping information regarding specific transformation methods proprietary allows Syngenta to maintain a competitive advantage.

Location Information: It is sometimes necessary to protect sensitive location information relating to regulated plantings. When such information is designated as CBI, Syngenta believes that the disclosure of the specific address may cause a threat of vandalism to persons or property, and/or

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loss of investment by the Company.

Please do not hesitate to contact me with any questions.

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6. REQUEST TYPE

New Amendment Renewal Variance Amendment, Renewal and/or Variance

Amendment/Renewal Description:

Previous Permit Number(s):

7. MEANS OF MOVEMENT

NA

8. VARIANCE VERIFICATION

Have you previously applied for variance(s) that you wish to apply to this permit? Yes No

Variance Number(s):

If so, describe in a brief summary how the variance will be applied:

N/A

9. REGULATED ARTICLE

Scientific Name: Beta vulgaris ssp. vulgaris var. altissima

Common Name: Sugarbeet

Any biological material (e.g., culture medium, or host material) accompanying the regulated Article during movement:

No biological material other than Beta vulgaris ssp. vulgaris var. altissima will accompany the regulated article during movement.

Country and locality where the donor organism, recipient organism, and vector or vector agent were collected, developed, and produced:

Donor organisms are listed in section 11 and attached documentation. The donor organisms were not collected, rather cloned genetic elements from the donor organisms were cloned from plasmid libraries, synthesized based on information in the literature, or supplied by a collaborator. The transformation plasmid vector was constructed by a collaborator. The recipient organism, Beta vulgaris ssp. vulgaris var. altissima (sugarbeet), was grown, transformation material was isolated and transformed, and primary transformations (T0) were grown again to generate the first generation (T1) seed by a collaborator.

Processes, Procedures, and Safeguards Description:

All development activities of the regulated article from construction of the final transformation vector through transformation and production of the first generation of seed were conducted by a collaborator. These facilities are limited-access facilities equipped with regularly inspected biosafety hoods and autoclaves. Constructs are sequence-based verified prior to initiation of transformations. Transgenic inserts of initial transformants are verified by sequence-based analysis prior to advancing to greenhouse culture. Greenhouse facilities are limited access with a regular pesticidal suppression program. All transgenic seed is labeled with unique identifiers and SOPs are in place to minimize the risk of cross-contamination. Events are sequence-based analyzed for other transgenic contaminants at various stages in the research pipeline.

10. ARTICLE SUPPLIER AND/OR DEVELOPER

<u>Name</u>	<u>Location</u>	<u>Contact Information</u>
PII	Betaseed 1788 Marschall Road Shakopee, MN 55379	Day Telephone: PII FAX: Email:

11. PHENOTYPES/GENOTYPE

1) Phenotypic Designation Name:

Identifying Line(s): H7-1

Construct(s): PV-BVGT08

Mode of Transformation: disarmed Agrobacterium tumefaciens mediated

Phenotype Description:

A description of the anticipated or actual expression of the altered genetic material in the regulated article and how that expression differs from the expression in the non-modified parental organism.

Expression of the inserted, integrated genetic material in the regulated article will result in a 5-enolpyruvylshikimate-3-phosphate synthase. All other properties are unchanged from the recipient organism, Beta vulgaris ssp. vulgaris var. altissima. The H7-1 event is described in petition 03-323-01p.

Phenotype(s)

HT - glyphosate tolerant

Genotype(s)

Gene(s) of Interest

[Redacted genotype information]

12. INTRODUCTION

Release Site

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4. Estuarine areas free of obstruction with water quality, water quantity, and salinity conditions supporting juvenile and adult physiological transitions between fresh- and saltwater; natural cover such as submerged and overhanging large wood, aquatic vegetation, large rocks and boulders, and side channels; and juvenile and adult forage, including aquatic invertebrates and fishes, supporting growth and maturation.
5. Nearshore marine areas free of obstruction with water quality and quantity conditions and forage, including aquatic invertebrates and fishes, supporting growth and maturation; and natural cover such as submerged and overhanging large wood, aquatic vegetation, large rocks and boulders, and side channels.
6. Offshore marine areas with water quality conditions and forage, including aquatic invertebrates and fishes, supporting growth and maturation.

Impact of herbicide tolerant sugarbeet on the Critical Habitat
There are likely to be no direct effects of field trials of herbicide tolerant sugarbeet on the Steelhead trout, the Chinook salmon or their Critical Habitat. Sugar beet is not invasive of rivers or estuaries, and expression of transgenic inserts of herbicide tolerant sugarbeet is unlikely to increase the weediness potential of sugar beet. Sugar beet tissue is unlikely to enter the Critical Habitat of the Steelhead trout and the Chinook salmon, and the expressed transgenic inserts are highly unlikely to be toxic to fish at concentrations in plants in these trials; therefore, there is low

risk of toxicity of herbicide tolerant sugarbeet to the Steelhead trout and the Chinook salmon owing to minimal exposure and hazard.

There are likely to be no indirect effects on the Steelhead trout and the Chinook salmon from field trials covered by this notification. Conduct of the trials will not significantly affect the availability of breeding sites or food of these species.

Local procedures will be implemented to prevent entry into the designated critical habitat by people or equipment associated with these trials. If entry into the critical habitat becomes necessary, Syngenta will contact BRS and F&WS prior to any entry. Procedures will be implemented to avoid any chemical drift into the critical habitat which may negatively impact the critical habitat ecosystem including any threatened or endangered plants. There will be no aerial chemical applications associated with these trials.

26) [] [] Linn [], OR [] Proposed Release Start Date: 1/1/2011 Proposed Release End Date: 10/30/2011 No. of Releases: multiple Quantity: [] acres	1) [] [] [] Day Telephone: [] Email 1: [] &nbs p; []
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Location Unique ID: 0001iy
Location GPS Coordinates: [], []
Release Site History: >50 years, cropping
Critical Habitat Involved?: Yes No
Genus/Species Names & Common Names: Upper Willamette River unit Steelhead (*Onchoryhnchus mykiss*) and Chinooksalmon (*Oncorhynchus tshawytscha*)
Analysis of the Effects: Field trials covered by this notification are outside the Critical Habitat of most threatened and endangered species; however, it cannot be ruled out that Critical Habitat of the Steelhead trout (*Onchoryhnchus mykiss*) and the Chinook salmon (*Oncorhynchus tshawytscha*) may occur near some of these field trials [

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effects of field trials of herbicide tolerant sugarbeet on these species or their Critical Habitat are expected.

Potential overlap of the Critical Habitat and field trials
 There is potential overlap of field trials of herbicide tolerant sugarbeet with the Critical Habitat of the Steelhead trout and the Chinook salmon in the Upper Willamette River evolutionary significant unit. The Critical Habitat of these species is designated in 65 FR 7764-7787, and includes the Willamette, Mollala, and Santiam Rivers, as well as the Columbia River and estuary.

Constituent Elements of the Critical Habitat
 The primary constituent elements of the Critical Habitat of the Steelhead trout and Chinook salmon are given in 70 FR 52487-52536:
 1. Freshwater spawning sites with water quantity and quality conditions and substrate supporting spawning, incubation and larval development.
 2. Freshwater rearing sites with water quantity and floodplain connectivity to form and maintain physical habitat conditions and support juvenile growth and mobility; water quality and forage supporting juvenile development; and natural cover such as shade, submerged and overhanging large wood, log jams and beaver dams, aquatic vegetation, large rocks and boulders, side channels, and undercut banks.
 3. Freshwater migration corridors free of obstruction with water quantity and quality conditions and natural cover such as submerged and overhanging large wood, aquatic vegetation, large rocks and boulders, side channels, and undercut banks supporting juvenile and adult mobility and survival.
 4. Estuarine areas free of obstruction with water quality, water quantity, and salinity conditions supporting juvenile and adult physiological transitions between fresh- and saltwater; natural cover such as submerged and overhanging large wood, aquatic vegetation, large rocks and boulders, and side channels; and juvenile and adult forage, including aquatic invertebrates and fishes, supporting growth and maturation.

5. Nearshore marine areas free of obstruction with water quality and quantity conditions and forage, including aquatic invertebrates and fishes, supporting growth and maturation; and natural cover such as submerged and overhanging large wood, aquatic vegetation, large rocks and boulders, and side channels.
 6. Offshore marine areas with water quality conditions and forage, including aquatic invertebrates and fishes, supporting growth and maturation.

Impact of herbicide tolerant sugarbeet on the Critical Habitat
 There are likely to be no direct effects of field trials of herbicide tolerant sugarbeet on the Steelhead trout, the Chinook salmon or their Critical Habitat. Sugar beet is not invasive of rivers or estuaries, and expression of transgenic inserts of herbicide tolerant sugarbeet is unlikely to increase the weediness potential of sugar beet. Sugar beet tissue is unlikely to enter the Critical Habitat of the Steelhead trout and the Chinook salmon, and the expressed transgenic inserts are highly unlikely to be toxic to fish at concentrations in plants in these trials; therefore, there is low risk of toxicity of herbicide tolerant sugarbeet to the Steelhead trout and the Chinook salmon owing to minimal exposure and hazard.

There are likely to be no indirect effects on the Steelhead trout and the Chinook salmon from field trials covered by this notification. Conduct of the trials will not significantly affect the availability of breeding sites or food of these species.

Local procedures will be implemented to prevent entry into the designated critical habitat by people or equipment associated with these trials. If entry into the critical habitat becomes necessary, Syngenta will contact BRS and F&WS prior to any entry. Procedures will be implemented to avoid any chemical drift into the critical habitat which may negatively impact the critical habitat ecosystem including any threatened or endangered plants. There will be no aerial chemical applications associated with these trials.

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Location Unique ID: 0001iz

Location GPS Coordinates: [], []

Release Site History: > 50 years, cropping

Critical Habitat Involved?: Yes No

Genus/Species Names & Common Names: Upper Willamette River unit Steelhead (*Onchoryhnchus mykiss*) and Chinooksalmon (*Oncorhynchus tshawytscha*)

Analysis of the Effects:
 Field trials covered by this notification are outside the Critical Habitat of most threatened and endangered species; however, it cannot be ruled out that Critical Habitat of the Steelhead trout (*Onchoryhnchus mykiss*) and the Chinook salmon (*Oncorhynchus tshawytscha*) may occur near some of these field trials []
]. No effects of field trials of herbicide tolerant sugarbeet on these species or their Critical Habitat are expected.
 Potential overlap of the Critical Habitat and field trials
 There is potential overlap of field trials of herbicide tolerant sugarbeet with the Critical Habitat of the Steelhead trout and the Chinook salmon in the Upper Willamette River evolutionary significant unit. The Critical Habitat of these species is designated in 65 FR 7764-7787, and includes the Willamette, Mollala, and Santiam Rivers, as well as the Columbia River and estuary.
 Constituent Elements of the Critical Habitat
 The primary constituent elements of the Critical Habitat of the Steelhead trout and Chinook salmon are given in 70 FR 52487-52536:
 1. Freshwater spawning sites with water quantity and quality conditions and substrate supporting spawning, incubation and larval development.

Analysis of the Effects:

Field trials covered by this notification are outside the Critical Habitat of most threatened and endangered species; however, it cannot be ruled out that Critical Habitat of the Steelhead trout (*Onchoryhnchus mykiss*) and the Chinook salmon (*Oncorhynchus tshawytscha*) may occur near some of these field trials [

]. No effects of field trials of herbicide tolerant sugarbeet on these species or their Critical Habitat are expected.

Potential overlap of the Critical Habitat and field trials
There is potential overlap of field trials of herbicide tolerant sugarbeet with the Critical Habitat of the Steelhead trout and the Chinook salmon in the Upper Willamette River evolutionary significant unit. The Critical Habitat of these species is designated in 65 FR 7764-7787, and includes the Willamette, Mollala, and Santiam Rivers, as well as the Columbia River and estuary.

Constituent Elements of the Critical Habitat

The primary constituent elements of the Critical Habitat of the Steelhead trout and Chinook salmon are given in 70 FR 52487-52536:

1. Freshwater spawning sites with water quantity and quality conditions and substrate supporting spawning, incubation and larval development.
2. Freshwater rearing sites with water quantity and floodplain connectivity to form and maintain physical habitat conditions and support juvenile growth and mobility; water quality and forage supporting juvenile development; and natural cover such as shade, submerged and overhanging large wood, log jams and beaver dams, aquatic vegetation, large rocks and boulders, side channels, and undercut banks.
3. Freshwater migration corridors free of obstruction with water quantity and quality conditions and natural cover such as submerged and overhanging large wood, aquatic vegetation, large rocks and boulders, side channels, and undercut banks supporting juvenile and adult mobility and survival.
4. Estuarine areas free of obstruction with water quality, water quantity, and salinity conditions supporting juvenile and adult physiological transitions between fresh- and saltwater; natural cover such as submerged and overhanging large wood, aquatic vegetation, large rocks and boulders, and side channels; and juvenile and adult forage, including aquatic invertebrates and fishes, supporting growth and maturation.
5. Nearshore marine areas free of obstruction with water quality and quantity conditions and forage, including aquatic invertebrates and fishes, supporting growth and maturation; and natural cover such as submerged and overhanging large wood, aquatic vegetation, large rocks and boulders, and side channels.
6. Offshore marine areas with water quality conditions and forage, including aquatic invertebrates and fishes, supporting growth and maturation.

Impact of herbicide tolerant sugarbeet on the Critical Habitat

There are likely to be no direct effects of field trials of herbicide tolerant sugarbeet on the Steelhead trout, the Chinook salmon or their Critical Habitat. Sugar beet is not invasive of rivers or estuaries, and expression of transgenic inserts of herbicide tolerant sugarbeet is unlikely to increase the weediness potential of sugar beet. Sugar beet tissue is unlikely to enter the Critical Habitat of the Steelhead trout and the Chinook salmon, and the expressed transgenic inserts are highly unlikely to be toxic to fish at concentrations in plants in these trials; therefore, there is low risk of toxicity of herbicide tolerant sugarbeet to the Steelhead trout and the Chinook salmon owing to minimal exposure and hazard.

There are likely to be no indirect effects on the Steelhead trout and the Chinook salmon from field trials covered by this notification. Conduct of the trials will not significantly affect the availability of breeding sites or food of these species.

Local procedures will be implemented to prevent entry into the designated critical habitat by people or equipment associated with these trials. If entry into the critical habitat becomes necessary, Syngenta will contact BRS and F&WS prior to any entry. Procedures will be implemented to avoid any chemical drift into the critical habitat which may negatively impact the critical habitat ecosystem including any threatened or endangered plants. There will be no aerial chemical applications associated with these trials.

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Location Unique ID: 0001j1

Location GPS Coordinates: [], []

Release Site History: >50 years, cropping

Critical Habitat Involved?: Yes No

Genus/Species Names & Common Names: Upper Willamette River unit Steelhead (*Onchoryhnchus mykiss*) and Chinooksalmon (*Oncorhynchus tshawytscha*)

Analysis of the Effects:

Field trials covered by this notification are outside the Critical Habitat of most threatened and endangered species; however, it cannot be ruled out that Critical Habitat of the Steelhead trout (*Onchoryhnchus mykiss*) and the Chinook salmon (*Oncorhynchus tshawytscha*) may occur near some of these field trials [].

No effects of field trials of herbicide tolerant sugarbeet on these species or their Critical Habitat are expected.

Potential overlap of the Critical Habitat and field trials
 There is potential overlap of field trials of herbicide tolerant sugarbeet with the Critical Habitat of the Steelhead trout and the Chinook salmon in the Upper Willamette River evolutionary significant unit. The Critical Habitat of these species is designated in 65 FR 7764-7787, and includes the Willamette, Mollala, and Santiam Rivers, as well as the Columbia River and estuary.

Constituent Elements of the Critical Habitat
 The primary constituent elements of the Critical Habitat of the Steelhead trout and Chinook salmon are given in 70 FR 52487-52536:

1. Freshwater spawning sites with water quantity and quality conditions and substrate supporting spawning, incubation and larval development.
2. Freshwater rearing sites with water quantity and floodplain connectivity to form and maintain physical habitat conditions and support juvenile growth and mobility; water quality and forage supporting juvenile development; and natural cover such as shade, submerged and overhanging large wood, log jams and beaver dams, aquatic vegetation, large rocks and boulders, side channels, and undercut banks.
3. Freshwater migration corridors free of obstruction with water quantity and quality conditions and natural cover such as submerged and overhanging large wood, aquatic vegetation, large rocks and boulders, side channels, and undercut banks supporting juvenile and adult mobility and survival.
4. Estuarine areas free of obstruction with water quality, water quantity, and salinity conditions supporting juvenile and adult physiological transitions between fresh- and saltwater; natural cover such as submerged and overhanging large wood, aquatic vegetation, large rocks and boulders, and side channels; and juvenile and adult forage, including aquatic invertebrates and fishes, supporting growth and maturation.
5. Nearshore marine areas free of obstruction with water quality and quantity conditions and forage, including aquatic invertebrates and fishes, supporting growth and maturation; and natural cover such as submerged and overhanging large wood, aquatic vegetation, large rocks and boulders, and side channels.
6. Offshore marine areas with water quality conditions and forage, including aquatic invertebrates and fishes, supporting growth and maturation.

Impact of herbicide tolerant sugarbeet on the Critical Habitat
 There are likely to be no direct effects of field trials of herbicide tolerant sugarbeet on the Steelhead trout, the Chinook salmon or their Critical Habitat. Sugar beet is not invasive of rivers or estuaries, and expression of transgenic inserts of herbicide tolerant sugarbeet is unlikely to increase the weediness potential of sugar beet. Sugar beet tissue is unlikely to enter the Critical Habitat of the Steelhead trout and the Chinook

salmon, and the expressed transgenic inserts are highly unlikely to be toxic to fish at concentrations in plants in these trials; therefore, there is low risk of toxicity of herbicide tolerant sugarbeet to the Steelhead trout and the Chinook salmon owing to minimal exposure and hazard.

There are likely to be no indirect effects on the Steelhead trout and the Chinook salmon from field trials covered by this notification. Conduct of the trials will not significantly affect the availability of breeding sites or food of these species.

Local procedures will be implemented to prevent entry into the designated critical habitat by people or equipment associated with these trials. If entry into the critical habitat becomes necessary, Syngenta will contact BRS and F&WS prior to any entry. Procedures will be implemented to avoid any chemical drift into the critical habitat which may negatively impact the critical habitat ecosystem including any threatened or endangered plants. There will be no aerial chemical applications associated with these trials.

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Location Unique ID: 0001j9

Location GPS Coordinates: [], []

Release Site History: >50 years, cropping

Critical Habitat Involved?: Yes No

Genus/Species Names & Common Names: Upper Willamette River unit Steelhead (*Onchoryhnchus mykiss*) and Chinooksalmon (*Oncorhynchus tshawytscha*)

Analysis of the Effects: Field trials covered by this notification are outside the Critical Habitat of most threatened and endangered species; however, it cannot be ruled out that Critical Habitat of the Steelhead trout (*Onchoryhnchus mykiss*) and the Chinook salmon (*Oncorhynchus tshawytscha*) may occur near some of these field trials [] . No effects of field trials of herbicide tolerant sugarbeet on these species or their Critical Habitat are expected.

Potential overlap of the Critical Habitat and field trials
 There is potential overlap of field trials of herbicide tolerant sugarbeet with the Critical Habitat of the Steelhead trout and the Chinook salmon in the Upper Willamette River evolutionary significant unit. The Critical Habitat of these species is designated in 65 FR 7764-7787, and includes the Willamette, Mollala, and Santiam Rivers, as well as the Columbia River and estuary.

Constituent Elements of the Critical Habitat
 The primary constituent elements of the Critical Habitat of the Steelhead trout and Chinook salmon are given in 70 FR 52487-52536:

1. Freshwater spawning sites with water quantity and quality conditions and substrate supporting spawning, incubation and larval development.
2. Freshwater rearing sites with water quantity and floodplain connectivity to form and maintain physical habitat conditions and support juvenile growth and mobility; water quality and forage supporting juvenile development; and natural cover such as shade, submerged and overhanging large wood, log jams and beaver dams, aquatic vegetation, large rocks and boulders, side channels, and undercut banks.
3. Freshwater migration corridors free of obstruction with water quantity and quality conditions and natural cover such as submerged and overhanging large wood, aquatic vegetation, large rocks and boulders, side channels, and undercut banks supporting juvenile and adult mobility and survival.
4. Estuarine areas free of obstruction with water quality, water quantity, and salinity conditions supporting juvenile and adult physiological

transitions between fresh- and saltwater; natural cover such as submerged and overhanging large wood, aquatic vegetation, large rocks and boulders, and side channels; and juvenile and adult forage, including aquatic invertebrates and fishes, supporting growth and maturation.

5. Nearshore marine areas free of obstruction with water quality and quantity conditions and forage, including aquatic invertebrates and fishes, supporting growth and maturation; and natural cover such as submerged and overhanging large wood, aquatic vegetation, large rocks and boulders, and side channels.

6. Offshore marine areas with water quality conditions and forage, including aquatic invertebrates and fishes, supporting growth and maturation.

Impact of herbicide tolerant sugarbeet on the Critical Habitat

There are likely to be no direct effects of field trials of herbicide tolerant sugarbeet on the Steelhead trout, the Chinook salmon or their Critical Habitat. Sugar beet is not invasive of rivers or estuaries, and expression of transgenic inserts of herbicide tolerant sugarbeet is unlikely to increase the weediness potential of sugar beet. Sugar beet tissue is unlikely to enter the Critical Habitat of the Steelhead trout and the Chinook salmon, and the expressed transgenic inserts are highly unlikely to be toxic to fish at concentrations in plants in these trials; therefore, there is low risk of toxicity of herbicide tolerant sugarbeet to the Steelhead trout and the Chinook salmon owing to minimal exposure and hazard.

There are likely to be no indirect effects on the Steelhead trout and the Chinook salmon from field trials covered by this notification. Conduct of the trials will not significantly affect the availability of breeding sites or food of these species.

Local procedures will be implemented to prevent entry into the designated critical habitat by people or equipment associated with these trials. If entry into the critical habitat becomes necessary, Syngenta will contact BRS and F&WS prior to any entry. Procedures will be implemented to avoid any chemical drift into the critical habitat which may negatively impact the critical habitat ecosystem including any threatened or endangered plants. There will be no aerial chemical applications associated with these trials.

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<p>Location Unique ID: Location GPS Coordinates: Release Site History: Critical Habitat Involved?: Genus/Species Names & Common Names: Analysis of the Effects:</p>	<p>0001jb [], [] >50 years, cropping <u>X</u> Yes ___ No Upper Willamette River unit Steelhead (Onchoryhnchus mykiss) and Chinooksalmon (Oncorhynchus tshawytscha) Field trials covered by this notification are outside the Critical Habitat of most threatened and endangered species; however, it cannot be ruled out that Critical Habitat of the Steelhead trout (Onchoryhnchus mykiss) and the Chinook salmon (Oncorhynchus tshawytscha) may occur near some of these field trials []]. No effects of field trials of herbicide tolerant sugarbeet on these species or their Critical Habitat are expected. Potential overlap of the Critical Habitat and field trials There is potential overlap of field trials of herbicide tolerant sugarbeet with the Critical Habitat of the Steelhead trout and the Chinook salmon in the Upper Willamette River evolutionary significant unit. The Critical Habitat of these species is designated in 65 FR 7764-7787, and includes the Willamette, Mollala, and Santiam Rivers, as well as the Columbia River and estuary.</p>
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Constituent Elements of the Critical Habitat

The primary constituent elements of the Critical Habitat of the Steelhead trout and Chinook salmon are given in 70 FR 52487-52536:

1. Freshwater spawning sites with water quantity and quality conditions and substrate supporting spawning, incubation and larval development.
2. Freshwater rearing sites with water quantity and floodplain connectivity to form and maintain physical habitat conditions and support juvenile growth and mobility; water quality and forage supporting juvenile development; and natural cover such as shade, submerged and overhanging large wood, log jams and beaver dams, aquatic vegetation, large rocks and boulders, side channels, and undercut banks.
3. Freshwater migration corridors free of obstruction with water quantity and quality conditions and natural cover such as submerged and overhanging large wood, aquatic vegetation, large rocks and boulders, side channels, and undercut banks supporting juvenile and adult mobility and survival.
4. Estuarine areas free of obstruction with water quality, water quantity, and salinity conditions supporting juvenile and adult physiological transitions between fresh- and saltwater; natural cover such as submerged and overhanging large wood, aquatic vegetation, large rocks and boulders, and side channels; and juvenile and adult forage, including aquatic invertebrates and fishes, supporting growth and maturation.
5. Nearshore marine areas free of obstruction with water quality and quantity conditions and forage, including aquatic invertebrates and fishes, supporting growth and maturation; and natural cover such as submerged and overhanging large wood, aquatic vegetation, large rocks and boulders, and side channels.
6. Offshore marine areas with water quality conditions and forage, including aquatic invertebrates and fishes, supporting growth and maturation.

Impact of herbicide tolerant sugarbeet on the Critical Habitat

There are likely to be no direct effects of field trials of herbicide tolerant sugarbeet on the Steelhead trout, the Chinook salmon or their Critical Habitat. Sugar beet is not invasive of rivers or estuaries, and expression of transgenic inserts of herbicide tolerant sugarbeet is unlikely to increase the weediness potential of sugar beet. Sugar beet tissue is unlikely to enter the Critical Habitat of the Steelhead trout and the Chinook salmon, and the expressed transgenic inserts are highly unlikely to be toxic to fish at concentrations in plants in these trials; therefore, there is low risk of toxicity of herbicide tolerant sugarbeet to the Steelhead trout and the Chinook salmon owing to minimal exposure and hazard.

There are likely to be no indirect effects on the Steelhead trout and the Chinook salmon from field trials covered by this notification. Conduct of the trials will not significantly affect the availability of breeding sites or food of these species.

Local procedures will be implemented to prevent entry into the designated critical habitat by people or equipment associated with these trials. If entry into the critical habitat becomes necessary, Syngenta will contact BRS and F&WS prior to any entry. Procedures will be implemented to avoid any chemical drift into the critical habitat which may negatively impact the critical habitat ecosystem including any threatened or endangered plants. There will be no aerial chemical applications associated with these trials.

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Location Unique ID:	0001jd
Location GPS Coordinates:	[], []
Release Site History:	>50 years, cropping
Critical Habitat Involved?:	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Genus/Species Names & Common Names:	Upper Willamette River unit Steelhead (<i>Onchoryhnchus mykiss</i>) and Chinooksalmon (<i>Oncorhynchus tshawytscha</i>)

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Analysis of the Effects:

Field trials covered by this notification are outside the Critical Habitat of most threatened and endangered species; however, it cannot be ruled out that Critical Habitat of the Steelhead trout (*Onchoryhnchus mykiss*) and the Chinook salmon (*Oncorhynchus tshawytscha*) may occur near some of these field trials [

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effects of field trials of herbicide tolerant sugarbeet on these species or their Critical Habitat are expected.

Potential overlap of the Critical Habitat and field trials

There is potential overlap of field trials of herbicide tolerant sugarbeet with the Critical Habitat of the Steelhead trout and the Chinook salmon in the Upper Willamette River evolutionary significant unit. The Critical Habitat of these species is designated in 65 FR 7764-7787, and includes the Willamette, Mollala, and Santiam Rivers, as well as the Columbia River and estuary.

Constituent Elements of the Critical Habitat

The primary constituent elements of the Critical Habitat of the Steelhead trout and Chinook salmon are given in 70 FR 52487-52536:

1. Freshwater spawning sites with water quantity and quality conditions and substrate supporting spawning, incubation and larval development.
2. Freshwater rearing sites with water quantity and floodplain connectivity to form and maintain physical habitat conditions and support juvenile growth and mobility; water quality and forage supporting juvenile development; and natural cover such as shade, submerged and overhanging large wood, log jams and beaver dams, aquatic vegetation, large rocks and boulders, side channels, and undercut banks.
3. Freshwater migration corridors free of obstruction with water quantity and quality conditions and natural cover such as submerged and overhanging large wood, aquatic vegetation, large rocks and boulders, side channels, and undercut banks supporting juvenile and adult mobility and survival.
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Location Unique ID: 0001je

Location GPS Coordinates: [], []

Release Site History: >50 years, cropping

Critical Habitat Involved?: Yes No

Genus/Species Names & Common Names: Upper Willamette River unit Steelhead (*Onchoryhnchus mykiss*) and Chinooksalmon (*Oncorhynchus tshawytscha*)

Analysis of the Effects:

Field trials covered by this notification are outside the Critical Habitat of most threatened and endangered species; however, it cannot be ruled out that Critical Habitat of the Steelhead trout (*Onchoryhnchus mykiss*) and the Chinook salmon (*Oncorhynchus tshawytscha*) may occur near some of these field trials [].

[]. No effects of field trials of herbicide tolerant sugarbeet on these species or their Critical Habitat are expected.

Potential overlap of the Critical Habitat and field trials
 There is potential overlap of field trials of herbicide tolerant sugarbeet with the Critical Habitat of the Steelhead trout and the Chinook salmon in the Upper Willamette River evolutionary significant unit. The Critical Habitat of these species is designated in 65 FR 7764-7787, and includes the Willamette, Mollala, and Santiam Rivers, as well as the Columbia River and estuary.

Constituent Elements of the Critical Habitat
 The primary constituent elements of the Critical Habitat of the Steelhead trout and Chinook salmon are given in 70 FR 52487-52536:

1. Freshwater spawning sites with water quantity and quality conditions and substrate supporting spawning, incubation and larval development.
2. Freshwater rearing sites with water quantity and floodplain connectivity to form and maintain physical habitat conditions and support juvenile growth and mobility; water quality and forage supporting juvenile development; and natural cover such as shade, submerged and overhanging large wood, log jams and beaver dams, aquatic vegetation, large rocks and boulders, side channels, and undercut banks.
3. Freshwater migration corridors free of obstruction with water quantity and quality conditions and natural cover such as submerged and overhanging large wood, aquatic vegetation, large rocks and boulders, side channels, and undercut banks supporting juvenile and adult mobility and survival.
4. Estuarine areas free of obstruction with water quality, water quantity, and salinity conditions supporting juvenile and adult physiological transitions between fresh- and saltwater; natural cover such as submerged and overhanging large wood, aquatic vegetation, large rocks and boulders, and side channels; and juvenile and adult forage, including aquatic invertebrates and fishes, supporting growth and maturation.
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6. Offshore marine areas with water quality conditions and forage, including aquatic invertebrates and fishes, supporting growth and maturation.

Impact of herbicide tolerant sugarbeet on the Critical Habitat
 There are likely to be no direct effects of field trials of herbicide tolerant sugarbeet on the Steelhead trout, the Chinook salmon or their Critical Habitat. Sugar beet is not invasive of rivers or estuaries, and expression of transgenic inserts of herbicide tolerant sugarbeet is unlikely to increase the weediness potential of sugar beet. Sugar beet tissue is unlikely to enter the Critical Habitat of the Steelhead trout and the Chinook

salmon, and the expressed transgenic inserts are highly unlikely to be toxic to fish at concentrations in plants in these trials; therefore, there is low risk of toxicity of herbicide tolerant sugarbeet to the Steelhead trout and the Chinook salmon owing to minimal exposure and hazard.

There are likely to be no indirect effects on the Steelhead trout and the Chinook salmon from field trials covered by this notification. Conduct of the trials will not significantly affect the availability of breeding sites or food of these species.

Local procedures will be implemented to prevent entry into the designated critical habitat by people or equipment associated with these trials. If entry into the critical habitat becomes necessary, Syngenta will contact BRS and F&WS prior to any entry. Procedures will be implemented to avoid any chemical drift into the critical habitat which may negatively impact the critical habitat ecosystem including any threatened or endangered plants. There will be no aerial chemical applications associated with these trials.

34) []	[] Linn [], OR [] Proposed Release Start Date: 1/1/2011 Proposed Release End Date: 10/30/2011 No. of Releases: multiple Quantity: [] acres	1) [] [] Day Telephone: [] Email 1: []
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Location Unique ID: 0001jff

Location GPS Coordinates: [], []

Release Site History: >50 years, cropping

Critical Habitat Involved?: ___ Yes X No

35) []	[] Linn [], OR [] Proposed Release Start Date: 1/14/2011 Proposed Release End Date: 10/30/2011 No. of Releases: multiple Quantity: 15 acres	1) [] [] Day Telephone: [] Email 1: []
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Location Unique ID: 0001nv

Location GPS Coordinates: [], []

Release Site History: >50 years, cropping

Critical Habitat Involved?: X Yes ___ No

Genus/Species Names & Common Names: Upper Willamette River unit Steelhead (*Onchoryhnchus mykiss*) and Chinooksalmon (*Oncorhynchus tshawytscha*)

Analysis of the Effects: Field trials covered by this notification are outside the Critical Habitat of most threatened and endangered species; however, it cannot be ruled out that Critical Habitat of the Steelhead trout (*Onchoryhnchus mykiss*) and the Chinook salmon (*Oncorhynchus tshawytscha*) may occur near some of these field trials [] . No effects of field trials of herbicide tolerant sugarbeet on these species or their Critical Habitat are expected. Potential overlap of the Critical Habitat and field trials with the Critical Habitat of the Steelhead trout and the Chinook salmon in the Upper Willamette River evolutionary significant unit. The Critical Habitat of these species is designated in 65 FR 7764-7787, and includes the Willamette, Mollala, and Santiam Rivers, as well as the Columbia River and estuary.

Constituent Elements of the Critical Habitat

The primary constituent elements of the Critical Habitat of the Steelhead trout and Chinook salmon are given in 70 FR 52487-52536:

1. Freshwater spawning sites with water quantity and quality conditions and substrate supporting spawning, incubation and larval development.
2. Freshwater rearing sites with water quantity and floodplain connectivity to form and maintain physical habitat conditions and support juvenile growth and mobility; water quality and forage supporting juvenile development; and natural cover such as shade, submerged and overhanging large wood, log jams and beaver dams, aquatic vegetation, large rocks and boulders, side channels, and undercut banks.
3. Freshwater migration corridors free of obstruction with water quantity and quality conditions and natural cover such as submerged and overhanging large wood, aquatic vegetation, large rocks and boulders, side channels, and undercut banks supporting juvenile and adult mobility and survival.
4. Estuarine areas free of obstruction with water quality, water quantity, and salinity conditions supporting juvenile and adult physiological transitions between fresh- and saltwater; natural cover such as submerged and overhanging large wood, aquatic vegetation, large rocks and boulders, and side channels; and juvenile and adult forage, including aquatic invertebrates and fishes, supporting growth and maturation.
5. Nearshore marine areas free of obstruction with water quality and quantity conditions and forage, including aquatic invertebrates and fishes, supporting growth and maturation; and natural cover such as submerged and overhanging large wood, aquatic vegetation, large rocks and boulders, and side channels.
6. Offshore marine areas with water quality conditions and forage, including aquatic invertebrates and fishes, supporting growth and maturation.

Impact of herbicide tolerant sugarbeet on the Critical Habitat

There are likely to be no direct effects of field trials of herbicide tolerant sugarbeet on the Steelhead trout, the Chinook salmon or their Critical Habitat. Sugar beet is not invasive of rivers or estuaries, and expression of transgenic inserts of herbicide tolerant sugarbeet is unlikely to increase the weediness potential of sugar beet. Sugar beet tissue is unlikely to enter the Critical Habitat of the Steelhead trout and the Chinook

salmon, and the expressed transgenic inserts are highly unlikely to be toxic to fish at concentrations in plants in these trials; therefore, there is low risk of toxicity of herbicide tolerant sugarbeet to the Steelhead trout and the Chinook salmon owing to minimal exposure and hazard.

There are likely to be no indirect effects on the Steelhead trout and the Chinook salmon from field trials covered by this notification. Conduct of the trials will not significantly affect the availability of breeding sites or food of these species.

Local procedures will be implemented to prevent entry into the designated critical habitat by people or equipment associated with these trials. If entry into the critical habitat becomes necessary, Syngenta will contact BRS and F&WS prior to any entry. Procedures will be implemented to avoid any chemical drift into the critical habitat which may negatively impact the critical habitat ecosystem including any threatened or endangered plants. There will be no aerial chemical applications associated with these trials.

<p>36) []</p>	<p>[] Linn [], OR []</p> <p>Proposed Release Start Date: 1/14/2011</p> <p>Proposed Release End Date: 10/30/2011</p> <p>No. of Releases: multiple</p> <p>Quantity: 25 acres</p>	<p>1) [] []</p> <p>Day Telephone: []</p> <p>Email 1: [&nbs p;]</p>
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Location Unique ID: 0001nw

Location GPS Coordinates: [], []

Release Site History: >50 years, cropping

Critical Habitat Involved?:

Yes No

41) []	[] Marion [], OR [] Proposed Release Start Date: 1/1/2011 Proposed Release End Date: 10/30/2011 No. of Releases: multiple Quantity: [] acres	1) [] [] Day Telephone: [] Email 1: [&nbs p;]
Location Unique ID: 0001io Location GPS Coordinates: [], [] Release Site History: >50 years, cropping Critical Habitat Involved?: ___ Yes <u>X</u> No		
42) []	[] Marion [], OR [] Proposed Release Start Date: 1/1/2011 Proposed Release End Date: 10/30/2011 No. of Releases: multiple Quantity: [] acres	1) [] [] Day Telephone: [] Email 1: [&nbs p;]
Location Unique ID: 0001ip Location GPS Coordinates: [], [] Release Site History: >50 years, cropping Critical Habitat Involved?: ___ Yes <u>X</u> No		
43) []	[] Marion [], OR [] Proposed Release Start Date: 1/1/2011 Proposed Release End Date: 10/30/2011 No. of Releases: multiple Quantity: [] acres	1) [] [] Day Telephone: [] Email 1: [&nbs p;]
Location Unique ID: 0001iq Location GPS Coordinates: [], [] Release Site History: >50 years, cropping Critical Habitat Involved?: ___ Yes <u>X</u> No		
44) []	[] Marion [], OR [] Proposed Release Start Date: 1/1/2011 Proposed Release End Date: 10/30/2011 No. of Releases: multiple Quantity: [] acres	1) [] [] Day Telephone: [] Email 1: [&nbs p;]
Location Unique ID: 0001ir Location GPS Coordinates: [], [] Release Site History: >50 years, cropping Critical Habitat Involved?: ___ Yes <u>X</u> No		

45) []	[] Marion [], OR [] Proposed Release Start Date: 1/1/2011 Proposed Release End Date: 10/30/2011 No. of Releases: multiple Quantity: [] acres	1) [] [] Day Telephone: [] Email 1: [] &nbs p;
Location Unique ID: 0001is Location GPS Coordinates: [], [] Release Site History: >50 years, cropping Critical Habitat Involved?: ___ Yes <u>X</u> No		
46) []	[] Marion [], OR [] Proposed Release Start Date: 1/1/2011 Proposed Release End Date: 10/30/2011 No. of Releases: multiple Quantity: [] acres	1) [] [] Day Telephone: [] Email 1: [] &nbs p;
Location Unique ID: 0001iv Location GPS Coordinates: [], [] Release Site History: >50 years, cropping Critical Habitat Involved?: <u>X</u> Yes ___ No Genus/Species Names & Common Names: Upper Willamette River unit Steelhead (<i>Onchoryhnchus mykiss</i>) and Chinooksalmon (<i>Oncorhynchus tshawytscha</i>) Analysis of the Effects: Field trials covered by this notification are outside the Critical Habitat of most threatened and endangered species; however, it cannot be ruled out that Critical Habitat of the Steelhead trout (<i>Onchoryhnchus mykiss</i>) and the Chinook salmon (<i>Oncorhynchus tshawytscha</i>) may occur near some of these field trials [] []. No effects of field trials of herbicide tolerant sugarbeet on these species or their Critical Habitat are expected. Potential overlap of the Critical Habitat and field trials There is potential overlap of field trials of herbicide tolerant sugarbeet with the Critical Habitat of the Steelhead trout and the Chinook salmon in the Upper Willamette River evolutionary significant unit. The Critical Habitat of these species is designated in 65 FR 7764-7787, and includes the Willamette, Mollala, and Santiam Rivers, as well as the Columbia River and estuary. Constituent Elements of the Critical Habitat The primary constituent elements of the Critical Habitat of the Steelhead trout and Chinook salmon are given in 70 FR 52487-52536: 1. Freshwater spawning sites with water quantity and quality conditions and substrate supporting spawning, incubation and larval development. 2. Freshwater rearing sites with water quantity and floodplain connectivity to form and maintain physical habitat conditions and support juvenile growth and mobility; water quality and forage supporting juvenile development; and natural cover such as shade, submerged and overhanging large wood, log jams and beaver dams, aquatic vegetation, large rocks and boulders, side channels, and undercut banks. 3. Freshwater migration corridors free of obstruction with water quantity and quality conditions and natural cover such as submerged and overhanging large wood, aquatic vegetation, large rocks and boulders, side channels, and undercut banks supporting juvenile and adult mobility and survival.		

4. Estuarine areas free of obstruction with water quality, water quantity, and salinity conditions supporting juvenile and adult physiological transitions between fresh- and saltwater; natural cover such as submerged and overhanging large wood, aquatic vegetation, large rocks and boulders, and side channels; and juvenile and adult forage, including aquatic invertebrates and fishes, supporting growth and maturation.
5. Nearshore marine areas free of obstruction with water quality and quantity conditions and forage, including aquatic invertebrates and fishes, supporting growth and maturation; and natural cover such as submerged and overhanging large wood, aquatic vegetation, large rocks and boulders, and side channels.
6. Offshore marine areas with water quality conditions and forage, including aquatic invertebrates and fishes, supporting growth and maturation.

Impact of herbicide tolerant sugarbeet on the Critical Habitat

There are likely to be no direct effects of field trials of herbicide tolerant sugarbeet on the Steelhead trout, the Chinook salmon or their Critical Habitat. Sugar beet is not invasive of rivers or estuaries, and expression of transgenic inserts of herbicide tolerant sugarbeet is unlikely to increase the weediness potential of sugar beet. Sugar beet tissue is unlikely to enter the Critical Habitat of the Steelhead trout and the Chinook salmon, and the expressed transgenic inserts are highly unlikely to be toxic to fish at concentrations in plants in these trials; therefore, there is low risk of toxicity of herbicide tolerant sugarbeet to the Steelhead trout and the Chinook salmon owing to minimal exposure and hazard.

There are likely to be no indirect effects on the Steelhead trout and the Chinook salmon from field trials covered by this notification. Conduct of the trials will not significantly affect the availability of breeding sites or food of these species.

Local procedures will be implemented to prevent entry into the designated critical habitat by people or equipment associated with these trials. If entry into the critical habitat becomes necessary, Syngenta will contact BRS and F&WS prior to any entry. Procedures will be implemented to avoid any chemical drift into the critical habitat which may negatively impact the critical habitat ecosystem including any threatened or endangered plants. There will be no aerial chemical applications associated with these trials.

47) [_____] [_____] Marion [_____], OR [_____]	Proposed Release Start Date: 1/1/2011 Proposed Release End Date: 10/30/2011 No. of Releases: multiple Quantity: [_____] acres	1) [_____] [_____] [_____] Day Telephone: [_____] Email 1: [_____] &nbs p;
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Location Unique ID: 0001iw Location GPS Coordinates: [_____], [_____] Release Site History: >50 years, cropping Critical Habitat Involved?: ___ Yes <u>X</u> No
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48) [_____] [_____] Marion [_____], OR [_____]	Proposed Release Start Date: 1/1/2011 Proposed Release End Date: 10/30/2011 No. of Releases: multiple Quantity: [_____] acres	1) [_____] [_____] [_____] Day Telephone: [_____] Email 1: [_____] &nbs p;
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Location Unique ID: 0001j2 Location GPS Coordinates: [_____], [_____] Release Site History: >50 years, cropping Critical Habitat Involved?: ___ Yes <u>X</u> No
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49) [] [] []	[] Marion [], OR [] Proposed Release Start Date: 1/1/2011 Proposed Release End Date: 10/30/2011 No. of Releases: multiple Quantity: [] acres	1) [] [] [] Day Telephone: [] Email 1: [] &nbs p;
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Location Unique ID: 0001j3 Location GPS Coordinates: [], [] Release Site History: >50 years, cropping Critical Habitat Involved?: ___ Yes <u>X</u> No
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50) [] []	[] Marion [], OR [] Proposed Release Start Date: 1/1/2011 Proposed Release End Date: 10/30/2011 No. of Releases: multiple Quantity: [] acres	1) [] [] [] Day Telephone: [] Email 1: [] &nbs p;
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Location Unique ID: 0001j4 Location GPS Coordinates: [], [] Release Site History: >50 years, cropping Critical Habitat Involved?: ___ Yes <u>X</u> No
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51) [] []	[] Marion [], OR [] Proposed Release Start Date: 1/1/2011 Proposed Release End Date: 10/30/2011 No. of Releases: multiple Quantity: [] acres	1) [] [] [] Day Telephone: [] Email 1: [] &nbs p;
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Location Unique ID: 0001ja Location GPS Coordinates: [], [] Release Site History: >50 years, cropping Critical Habitat Involved?: <u>X</u> Yes ___ No Genus/Species Names & Common Names: Upper Willamette River unit Steelhead (<i>Onchoryhnchus mykiss</i>) and Chinooksalmon (<i>Oncorhynchus tshawytscha</i>) Analysis of the Effects: Field trials covered by this notification are outside the Critical Habitat of most threatened and endangered species; however, it cannot be ruled out that Critical Habitat of the Steelhead trout (<i>Onchoryhnchus mykiss</i>) and the Chinook salmon (<i>Oncorhynchus tshawytscha</i>) may occur near some of these field trials []]. No effects of field trials of herbicide tolerant sugarbeet on these species or their Critical Habitat are expected. Potential overlap of the Critical Habitat and field trials There is potential overlap of field trials of herbicide tolerant sugarbeet with the Critical Habitat of the Steelhead trout and the Chinook salmon in the Upper Willamette River evolutionary significant unit. The Critical Habitat of these species is designated in 65 FR 7764-7787, and includes the

Willamette, Mollala, and Santiam Rivers, as well as the Columbia River and estuary.

Constituent Elements of the Critical Habitat

The primary constituent elements of the Critical Habitat of the Steelhead trout and Chinook salmon are given in 70 FR 52487-52536:

1. Freshwater spawning sites with water quantity and quality conditions and substrate supporting spawning, incubation and larval development.
2. Freshwater rearing sites with water quantity and floodplain connectivity to form and maintain physical habitat conditions and support juvenile growth and mobility; water quality and forage supporting juvenile development; and natural cover such as shade, submerged and overhanging large wood, log jams and beaver dams, aquatic vegetation, large rocks and boulders, side channels, and undercut banks.
3. Freshwater migration corridors free of obstruction with water quantity and quality conditions and natural cover such as submerged and overhanging large wood, aquatic vegetation, large rocks and boulders, side channels, and undercut banks supporting juvenile and adult mobility and survival.
4. Estuarine areas free of obstruction with water quality, water quantity, and salinity conditions supporting juvenile and adult physiological transitions between fresh- and saltwater; natural cover such as submerged and overhanging large wood, aquatic vegetation, large rocks and boulders, and side channels; and juvenile and adult forage, including aquatic invertebrates and fishes, supporting growth and maturation.
5. Nearshore marine areas free of obstruction with water quality and quantity conditions and forage, including aquatic invertebrates and fishes, supporting growth and maturation; and natural cover such as submerged and overhanging large wood, aquatic vegetation, large rocks and boulders, and side channels.
6. Offshore marine areas with water quality conditions and forage, including aquatic invertebrates and fishes, supporting growth and maturation.

Impact of herbicide tolerant sugarbeet on the Critical Habitat

There are likely to be no direct effects of field trials of herbicide tolerant sugarbeet on the Steelhead trout, the Chinook salmon or their Critical Habitat. Sugar beet is not invasive of rivers or estuaries, and expression of transgenic inserts of herbicide tolerant sugarbeet is unlikely to increase the weediness potential of sugar beet. Sugar beet tissue is unlikely to enter the Critical Habitat of the Steelhead trout and the Chinook salmon, and the expressed transgenic inserts are highly unlikely to be toxic to fish at concentrations in plants in these trials; therefore, there is low risk of toxicity of herbicide tolerant sugarbeet to the Steelhead trout and the Chinook salmon owing to minimal exposure and hazard.

There are likely to be no indirect effects on the Steelhead trout and the Chinook salmon from field trials covered by this notification. Conduct of the trials will not significantly affect the availability of breeding sites or food of these species.

Local procedures will be implemented to prevent entry into the designated critical habitat by people or equipment associated with these trials. If entry into the critical habitat becomes necessary, Syngenta will contact BRS and F&WS prior to any entry. Procedures will be implemented to avoid any chemical drift into the critical habitat which may negatively impact the critical habitat ecosystem including any threatened or endangered plants. There will be no aerial chemical applications associated with these trials.

52) []	[] Marion [], OR [] Proposed Release Start Date: 1/1/2011 Proposed Release End Date: 10/30/2011 No. of Releases: multiple Quantity: [] acres	1) [] [] Day Telephone: [] Email 1: [&nbs p;]
Location Unique ID: 0001jg Location GPS Coordinates: [], [] Release Site History: >50 years, cropping Critical Habitat Involved?: ___ Yes <u>X</u> No		

53) []	[] Marion [], OR [] Proposed Release Start Date: 1/1/2011 Proposed Release End Date: 10/30/2011 No. of Releases: multiple Quantity: [] acres	1) [] [] Day Telephone: [] Email 1: [] &nbs p;
Location Unique ID: 0001jh Location GPS Coordinates: [], [] Release Site History: >50 years, cropping Critical Habitat Involved?: ___ Yes <u>X</u> No		
54) []	[] Marion [], OR [] Proposed Release Start Date: 1/1/2011 Proposed Release End Date: 10/30/2011 No. of Releases: multiple Quantity: [] acres	1) [] [] Day Telephone: [] Email 1: [] &nbs p;
Location Unique ID: 0001jm Location GPS Coordinates: [], [] Release Site History: >50 years, cropping Critical Habitat Involved?: <u>X</u> Yes ___ No Genus/Species Names & Common Names: Upper Willamette River unit Steelhead (<i>Onchoryhnchus mykiss</i>) and Chinooksalmon (<i>Oncorhynchus tshawytscha</i>) Analysis of the Effects: Field trials covered by this notification are outside the Critical Habitat of most threatened and endangered species; however, it cannot be ruled out that Critical Habitat of the Steelhead trout (<i>Onchoryhnchus mykiss</i>) and the Chinook salmon (<i>Oncorhynchus tshawytscha</i>) may occur near some of these field trials [] []. No effects of field trials of herbicide tolerant sugarbeet on these species or their Critical Habitat are expected. Potential overlap of the Critical Habitat and field trials There is potential overlap of field trials of herbicide tolerant sugarbeet with the Critical Habitat of the Steelhead trout and the Chinook salmon in the Upper Willamette River evolutionary significant unit. The Critical Habitat of these species is designated in 65 FR 7764-7787, and includes the Willamette, Mollala, and Santiam Rivers, as well as the Columbia River and estuary. Constituent Elements of the Critical Habitat The primary constituent elements of the Critical Habitat of the Steelhead trout and Chinook salmon are given in 70 FR 52487-52536: 1. Freshwater spawning sites with water quantity and quality conditions and substrate supporting spawning, incubation and larval development. 2. Freshwater rearing sites with water quantity and floodplain connectivity to form and maintain physical habitat conditions and support juvenile growth and mobility; water quality and forage supporting juvenile development; and natural cover such as shade, submerged and overhanging large wood, log jams and beaver dams, aquatic vegetation, large rocks and boulders, side channels, and undercut banks. 3. Freshwater migration corridors free of obstruction with water quantity and quality conditions and natural cover such as submerged and overhanging large wood, aquatic vegetation, large rocks and boulders, side channels, and undercut banks supporting juvenile and adult mobility and survival. 4. Estuarine areas free of obstruction with water quality, water quantity,		

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and salinity conditions supporting juvenile and adult physiological transitions between fresh- and saltwater; natural cover such as submerged and overhanging large wood, aquatic vegetation, large rocks and boulders, and side channels; and juvenile and adult forage, including aquatic invertebrates and fishes, supporting growth and maturation.

5. Nearshore marine areas free of obstruction with water quality and quantity conditions and forage, including aquatic invertebrates and fishes, supporting growth and maturation; and natural cover such as submerged and overhanging large wood, aquatic vegetation, large rocks and boulders, and side channels.

6. Offshore marine areas with water quality conditions and forage, including aquatic invertebrates and fishes, supporting growth and maturation.

Impact of herbicide tolerant sugarbeet on the Critical Habitat

There are likely to be no direct effects of field trials of herbicide tolerant sugarbeet on the Steelhead trout, the Chinook salmon or their Critical Habitat. Sugar beet is not invasive of rivers or estuaries, and expression of transgenic inserts of herbicide tolerant sugarbeet is unlikely to increase the weediness potential of sugar beet. Sugar beet tissue is unlikely to enter the Critical Habitat of the Steelhead trout and the Chinook salmon, and the expressed transgenic inserts are highly unlikely to be toxic to fish at concentrations in plants in these trials; therefore, there is low risk of toxicity of herbicide tolerant sugarbeet to the Steelhead trout and the Chinook salmon owing to minimal exposure and hazard.

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55) []	[] Marion [], OR []	1) [] []] Day Telephone: []] Email 1: [&nbs p;
	Proposed Release Start Date: 1/1/2011 Proposed Release End Date: 10/30/2011 No. of Releases: multiple Quantity: [] acres	

Location Unique ID: 0001jn
Location GPS Coordinates: [], []
Release Site History: >50 years, cropping
Critical Habitat Involved?: ___ Yes X No

56) []	[] Marion [], OR []	1) [] []] Day Telephone: []] Email 1: [&nbs p;
	Proposed Release Start Date: 1/1/2011 Proposed Release End Date: 10/30/2011 No. of Releases: multiple Quantity: [] acres	

Location Unique ID: 0001jo
Location GPS Coordinates: [], []
Release Site History: >50 years, cropping
Critical Habitat Involved?: ___ Yes X No

57) []	[] Marion [], OR [] Proposed Release Start Date: 1/1/2011 Proposed Release End Date: 10/30/2011 No. of Releases: multiple Quantity: [] acres	1) [] [] Day Telephone: [] Email 1: [] &nbs p;
Location Unique ID: 0001jp Location GPS Coordinates: [], [] Release Site History: >50 years, cropping Critical Habitat Involved?: ___ Yes <u>X</u> No		
58) []	[] Marion [], OR [] Proposed Release Start Date: 1/1/2011 Proposed Release End Date: 10/30/2011 No. of Releases: multiple Quantity: [] acres	1) [] [] Day Telephone: [] Email 1: [] &nbs p;
Location Unique ID: 0001jq Location GPS Coordinates: [], [] Release Site History: >50 years, cropping Critical Habitat Involved?: ___ Yes <u>X</u> No		
59) []	[] Marion [], OR [] Proposed Release Start Date: 1/1/2011 Proposed Release End Date: 10/30/2011 No. of Releases: multiple Quantity: [] acres	1) [] [] Day Telephone: [] Email 1: [] &nbs p;
Location Unique ID: 0001jr Location GPS Coordinates: [], [] Release Site History: >50 years, cropping Critical Habitat Involved?: ___ Yes <u>X</u> No		
60) []	[] Marion [], OR [] Proposed Release Start Date: 1/1/2011 Proposed Release End Date: 10/30/2011 No. of Releases: multiple Quantity: [] acres	1) [] [] Day Telephone: [] Email 1: [] &nbs p;
Location Unique ID: 0001js Location GPS Coordinates: [], []		

Release Site History: >50 years, cropping

Critical Habitat Involved?: Yes No

61) []	[] Marion [], OR [] Proposed Release Start Date: 1/1/2011 Proposed Release End Date: 10/30/2011 No. of Releases: multiple Quantity: [] acres	1) [] [] Day Telephone: [] Email 1: [] &nbs p;
Location Unique ID: 0001jt Location GPS Coordinates: [], [] Release Site History: >50 years, cropping Critical Habitat Involved?: ___ Yes <u>X</u> No		
62) []	[] Marion [], OR [] Proposed Release Start Date: 1/1/2011 Proposed Release End Date: 10/30/2011 No. of Releases: multiple Quantity: [] acres	1) [] [] Day Telephone: [] Email 1: [] &nbs p;
Location Unique ID: 0001ju Location GPS Coordinates: [], [] Release Site History: >50 years, cropping Critical Habitat Involved?: ___ Yes <u>X</u> No		
63) []	[] Marion [], OR [] Proposed Release Start Date: 1/1/2011 Proposed Release End Date: 10/30/2011 No. of Releases: multiple Quantity: [] acres	1) [] [] Day Telephone: [] Email 1: [] &nbs p;
Location Unique ID: 0001jv Location GPS Coordinates: [], [] Release Site History: >50 years, cropping Critical Habitat Involved?: ___ Yes <u>X</u> No		
64) []	[] Marion [], OR [] Proposed Release Start Date: 1/1/2011 Proposed Release End Date: 10/30/2011 No. of Releases: multiple Quantity: [] acres	1) [] [] Day Telephone: [] Email 1: [] &nbs p;
Location Unique ID: 0001jw Location GPS Coordinates: [], [] Release Site History: >50 years, cropping		

the Upper Willamette River evolutionary significant unit. The Critical Habitat of these species is designated in 65 FR 7764-7787, and includes the Willamette, Mollala, and Santiam Rivers, as well as the Columbia River and estuary.

Constituent Elements of the Critical Habitat

The primary constituent elements of the Critical Habitat of the Steelhead trout and Chinook salmon are given in 70 FR 52487-52536:

1. Freshwater spawning sites with water quantity and quality conditions and substrate supporting spawning, incubation and larval development.
2. Freshwater rearing sites with water quantity and floodplain connectivity to form and maintain physical habitat conditions and support juvenile growth and mobility; water quality and forage supporting juvenile development; and natural cover such as shade, submerged and overhanging large wood, log jams and beaver dams, aquatic vegetation, large rocks and boulders, side channels, and undercut banks.
3. Freshwater migration corridors free of obstruction with water quantity and quality conditions and natural cover such as submerged and overhanging large wood, aquatic vegetation, large rocks and boulders, side channels, and undercut banks supporting juvenile and adult mobility and survival.
4. Estuarine areas free of obstruction with water quality, water quantity, and salinity conditions supporting juvenile and adult physiological transitions between fresh- and saltwater; natural cover such as submerged and overhanging large wood, aquatic vegetation, large rocks and boulders, and side channels; and juvenile and adult forage, including aquatic invertebrates and fishes, supporting growth and maturation.
5. Nearshore marine areas free of obstruction with water quality and quantity conditions and forage, including aquatic invertebrates and fishes, supporting growth and maturation; and natural cover such as submerged and overhanging large wood, aquatic vegetation, large rocks and boulders, and side channels.
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Impact of herbicide tolerant sugarbeet on the Critical Habitat

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There are likely to be no indirect effects on the Steelhead trout and the Chinook salmon from field trials covered by this notification. Conduct of the trials will not significantly affect the availability of breeding sites or food of these species.

Local procedures will be implemented to prevent entry into the designated critical habitat by people or equipment associated with these trials. If entry into the critical habitat becomes necessary, Syngenta will contact BRS and F&WS prior to any entry. Procedures will be implemented to avoid any chemical drift into the critical habitat which may negatively impact the critical habitat ecosystem including any threatened or endangered plants. There will be no aerial chemical applications associated with these trials.

<p>68) []</p>	<p>[]</p> <p>Polk []</p> <p>[], OR []</p> <p>Proposed Release Start Date: 1/1/2011</p> <p>Proposed Release End Date: 10/30/2011</p> <p>No. of Releases: multiple</p> <p>Quantity: [] acres</p>	<p>1) [] []</p> <p>Day Telephone: []</p> <p>Email 1: []</p>
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Location Unique ID: 0001ka

Location GPS Coordinates: [], []

Release Site History: >50 years, cropping

Release Site History: >50 years, cropping

Critical Habitat Involved?: ___ Yes X No

73) []	[] Yamhill [], OR [] Proposed Release Start Date: 1/1/2011 Proposed Release End Date: 10/30/2011 No. of Releases: multiple Quantity: [] acres	1) [] [] Day Telephone: [] Email 1: [] & nbs p;
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Location Unique ID: 0001it

Location GPS Coordinates: [], []

Release Site History: >50 years, cropping

Critical Habitat Involved?: X Yes ___ No

Genus/Species Names & Common Names: Upper Willamette River unit Steelhead (*Onchoryhnchus mykiss*) and Chinooksalmon (*Oncorhynchus tshawytscha*)

Analysis of the Effects: Field trials covered by this notification are outside the Critical Habitat of most threatened and endangered species; however, it cannot be ruled out that Critical Habitat of the Steelhead trout (*Onchoryhnchus mykiss*) and the Chinook salmon (*Oncorhynchus tshawytscha*) may occur near some of these field trials [

]. No effects of field trials of herbicide tolerant sugarbeet on these species or their Critical Habitat are expected.

Potential overlap of the Critical Habitat and field trials
There is potential overlap of field trials of herbicide tolerant sugarbeet with the Critical Habitat of the Steelhead trout and the Chinook salmon in the Upper Willamette River evolutionary significant unit. The Critical Habitat of these species is designated in 65 FR 7764-7787, and includes the Willamette, Mollala, and Santiam Rivers, as well as the Columbia River and estuary.

Constituent Elements of the Critical Habitat
The primary constituent elements of the Critical Habitat of the Steelhead trout and Chinook salmon are given in 70 FR 52487-52536:

1. Freshwater spawning sites with water quantity and quality conditions and substrate supporting spawning, incubation and larval development.
2. Freshwater rearing sites with water quantity and floodplain connectivity to form and maintain physical habitat conditions and support juvenile growth and mobility; water quality and forage supporting juvenile development; and natural cover such as shade, submerged and overhanging large wood, log jams and beaver dams, aquatic vegetation, large rocks and boulders, side channels, and undercut banks.
3. Freshwater migration corridors free of obstruction with water quantity and quality conditions and natural cover such as submerged and overhanging large wood, aquatic vegetation, large rocks and boulders, side channels, and undercut banks supporting juvenile and adult mobility and survival.
4. Estuarine areas free of obstruction with water quality, water quantity, and salinity conditions supporting juvenile and adult physiological transitions between fresh- and saltwater; natural cover such as submerged and overhanging large wood, aquatic vegetation, large rocks and boulders, and side channels; and juvenile and adult forage, including aquatic invertebrates and fishes, supporting growth and maturation.
5. Nearshore marine areas free of obstruction with water quality and quantity conditions and forage, including aquatic invertebrates and fishes, supporting growth and maturation; and natural cover such as submerged and overhanging large wood, aquatic vegetation, large rocks and boulders, and side channels.
6. Offshore marine areas with water quality conditions and forage, including aquatic invertebrates and fishes, supporting growth and maturation.

Impact of herbicide tolerant sugarbeet on the Critical Habitat
There are likely to be no direct effects of field trials of herbicide tolerant sugarbeet on the Steelhead trout, the Chinook salmon or their Critical Habitat. Sugar beet is not invasive of rivers or estuaries, and expression of transgenic inserts of herbicide tolerant sugarbeet is unlikely

13. DESIGN PROTOCOLS**Production Design**

A detailed description of the purpose for the introduction of the regulated article including detailed description of the proposed experimental and/or production design:

See attached WCBS H7-1 Seed Production Management Plan.

Destination or Release Description

A detailed description of the intended destination (including final and all intermediate destinations), uses, and/or distribution of the regulated article (e.g., greenhouses, laboratory, or growth chamber location; field trial location, pilot project location; production, propagation, and manufacture location; proposed sale and distribution location):

See attached WCBS H7-1 Seed Production Management Plan.

Confinement Protocols

A detailed description of the proposed procedures, processes, and safeguards which will be used to prevent escape and dissemination of the regulated article at each of the intended destinations:

See attached WCBS H7-1 Seed Production Management Plan.

Final Disposition Method: Destruction/Devitalization Other Storage in Contained Facility

Final Disposition Description: See attached WCBS H7-1 Seed Production Management Plan.

14. ATTACHMENTS**Attachments**

WCBS GM Protocol-CBI Deleted (11/30/2010 @ 11:03 AM)

WCBS H7-1 Seed Production Management Plan-CBI Deleted (11/30/2010 @ 11:01 AM)

15. ADDITIONAL INFORMATION**16. COURTESY JUSTIFICATION**

I, PII, hereby certify that the information in this application and all attachments is complete and accurate to the best of my knowledge and belief.

I acknowledge this is not an application to move or import select agents, the genes expressing select agents, or the toxins made by the select agents, as described in 9 CFR 121.

I will not introduce the regulated articles described in this application until APHIS has deemed the application complete and has granted the permit. By signing this permit, I agree to comply with any and all state, local, and tribal laws and regulations that may apply to the introduction of the articles described in this applications.

If there are any changes to the information disclosed in this application, I will contact APHIS.

17. SIGNATURE OF RESPONSIBLE PERSON PII	18. DATE November 30, 2010
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