



Comparator Selection for Stacked Events Comments from Consultation

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- Text related to process of risk assessment of singles, stacks and segregants removed
- Document to focus on comparator selection
- Risk assessments will be dealt with in new Guidance Documents
- Editorial and clarification comments

- Use of negative segregant as “sole” comparator questioned (Dir. 2001/18)
- How to “convincingly” demonstrate one is not available
- GM varieties should be allowed as reference varieties
- Protein analysis- is about exposure and not a comparative assessment
- Nature of herbicide treatments used in comparative studies