



Ensuring your
compliance with
KKDIK

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Chemicals registration in Türkiye

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KKDİK (also known as Türkiye REACH) was enforced on 23 December 2017. Following EU REACH, KKDİK aims to regulate the safe use of chemicals on the Turkish market to ensure protection for human health and the environment. KKDİK is an acronym in Turkish for **Registration, Evaluation, Authorisation and Restriction of Chemicals**.

The regulation applies to chemical substances (on their own, in mixtures or in articles) and requires companies to register all substances manufactured in or imported into Türkiye with volumes ≥ 1000 kg per year.

A three-year pre-registration period expired in December 2020. With the end of the pre-registration phase for KKDİK, the actual registration phase started in January 2021. In late 2023, the registration process was prolonged, with new deadlines being staggered according to tonnage and/ or classification – by the end of 2026, 2028 and 2030 correspondingly.

Submission is done online via the “Chemical Registration System Tool”, KKS, of the Turkish Ministry of Environment and Urbanisation (MoEU). KKS is a hybrid version of the EU tools IUCLID and REACH IT developed for use in Türkiye.

Companies based outside Türkiye can appoint a Türkiye-based Only Representatives (OR) to register substances on their behalf.

Data requirements for registration are the same as under EU REACH (Annex VII/VIII/IX/X) and existing EU REACH data will be accepted for KKDİK registrations.

Key differences with EU REACH are:

- Only certified Chemical Assessment Experts, based in Türkiye, can compile dossiers, CSR,

and SDS/eSDS.

- There is no distinction between phase-in and non-phase-in substances. Consequently, both existing and new substances must be pre-registered and registered.
- The registration deadline under KKDİK is unrelated to tonnage band.

YOUR BENEFITS

With our profound experience in REACH and in cooperation with our competent and renowned partner in Türkiye, CHEMLEG, we are best equipped to take care of all your regulatory needs for the registration of chemicals and regulated chemical products in Türkiye.

OUR SERVICES

- Developing a regulatory strategy, including a testing strategy
- Planning and monitoring of studies
- Only Representative support through our local partner
- Support, compilation, submission and defence of your registration dossiers
- Taking care of your communication with potential registrants in your SIEFs
- Legal services related to EU REACH Letter of Access (LoA) issues by SCC Legal



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