

Australian Pesticides and Veterinary Medicines Authority

Australia New Zealand Food Standards Code — Schedule 20 — Maximum residue limits Variation Instrument No. APVMA 4, 2024

I, Sheila Logan, delegate of the Australian Pesticides and Veterinary Medicines Authority, acting in accordance with my powers under subsection 11(1) of the *Agricultural and Veterinary Chemicals (Administration) Act 1992*, make this instrument for the purposes of subsection 82(1) of the *Food Standards Australia New Zealand Act 1991*.

Sheila Logan

Delegate of the Chief Executive Officer of the Australian Pesticides and Veterinary Medicines Authority

Dated this twenty third day of October 2024

Part 1 Preliminary

1 Name of instrument

This instrument is the *Australia New Zealand Food Standards Code* — *Schedule 20 – Maximum residue limits Variation Instrument No. APVMA 4, 2024* (Amendment Instrument).

2 Commencement

In accordance with subsection 82(8) of the *Food Standards Australia New Zealand Act 1991*, this instrument commences on the day it is published in the *Gazette*.

Note: A copy of the variations made by the Amendment Instrument was published in the Commonwealth of Australia Agricultural and Veterinary Chemicals Gazette.

3 Object

The object of this instrument is for the APVMA to make variations to Schedule 20 – Maximum residue limits in the *Australia New Zealand Food Standards Code* to include or change maximum residue limits pertaining to agricultural and veterinary chemical products.

4 Interpretation

In this instrument: —

APVMA means the Australian Pesticides and Veterinary Medicines Authority established by section 6 of the *Agricultural and Veterinary Chemicals (Administration) Act 1992*; and

Principal Instrument means Schedule 20 – Maximum residue limits in the *Australia New Zealand Food Standard Code* as defined in Section 4 of the *Food Standards Australia New Zealand Act 1991* being the Code published in *Gazette* No. P 27 on 27 August 1987 together with any amendments of the standards in that Code. Schedule 20 was published in the *Food Standards Gazette* FSC 96 on Thursday 10 April 2015 and was registered as a legislative instrument on 1 April 2015 (F2015L00468).

Part 2 Variations to Schedule 20— Maximum Residue Limits

5 Variations to Schedule 20

The Schedule to this instrument sets out the variations made to the Principal Instrument by this instrument.

Schedule

Variations to Schedule 20 - Maximum residue limits

Schedule 20 Maximum Residue Limits

[1] Section S20—3 (table entry for Agvet chemical: Cyazofamid)

Insert in alphabetical order:

Ginger, root T*0.01

[2] Section S20—3 (table entry for Agvet chemical: Cyazofamid)

The maximum residue limit in the entry for each food commodity listed in the following table is amended as set out in the table:

Amendments relating to maximum residue limits					
Item	Food commodity	Omit	Substitute		
1	Chard (silver beet)	T10	15		
2	Spinach	T10	15		

[3] Section S20—3 (table entry for Agvet chemical: Emamectin)

Omit:

Maize cereals T*0.01

Substitute:

Maize cereals *0.002

[4] Section S20—3 (table entry for Agvet chemical: Flonicamid)

The maximum residue limit in the entry for each food commodity listed in the following table is amended as set out in the table:

Amendments relating to maximum residue limits					
Item	Food commodity	Omit	Substitute		
1	Fruiting vegetables, other than cucurbits	T0.5	0.5		
2	Potato	0.2	0.3		
3	Strawberry	T2	2		

[5] Section S20—3 (table entry for Agvet chemical: Fluopyram)

Omit:

Root and tuber vegetables T0.2

[6] Section S20—3 (table entry for Agvet chemical: Fluopyram)

Insert the following food commodities and associated MRLs in alphabetical order:

Root and tuber vegetables [except 0.2

sweet potato]

Sweet Potato 0.02

[7] Section S20—3 (table entry for Agvet chemical: Fluxapyroxad)

Omit:

Oats T0.2

Substitute:

Oats 0.2

[8] Section S20—3 (table entry for Agvet chemical: Isocycloseram)

Insert the following food commodities and associated MRLs in alphabetical order:

All other foods except animal food commodities	0.02
Almonds	*0.01
Assorted tropical and sub-tropical fruits – inedible peel, Small	0.2
Assorted tropical and sub-tropical fruits – inedible smooth peel – Large [except Banana; Papaya]	*0.01
Baby leaves	T5
Bush berries	T*0.01
Cane berries	T*0.01
Citrus fruits	0.2
Low growing berries	T*0.01
Macadamia nuts	*0.01
Papaya	0.3

[9] Section S20—3 (table entry for Agvet chemical: Mefentrifluconazole)

The maximum residue limit in the entry for each food commodity listed in the following table is amended as set out in the table:

Amendments relating to maximum residue limits				
Item	Food commodity	Omit	Substitute	
1	Edible offal (mammalian)	T0.3	0.3	
2	Meat (mammalian) (in the fat)	T0.2	0.2	
3	Milks	*0.01	0.03	

[10] Section S20—3 (table entry for Agvet chemical: Mesotrione)

Insert in alphabetical order:

Maize cereals T*0.01

[11]	Section S20—3 (table entry for Agvet chemical: Methoxyfenozide)		
	Insert in alphabetical order:		
Popcorn		T*0.02	
[12]	Section S20—3 (table entry for A	gvet chemical: Metolachlor)	
	Insert in alphabetical order:		
Ginger,	, root	T0.5	
[13]	Section S20—3 (table entry for A	gvet chemical: Metribuzin)	
	Omit:		
Carrot		T0.3	
	Substitute:		
Carrot		T0.05	
[14]	Section S20—3 (table entry for A	gvet chemical: Quinoxyfen)	
	Insert in alphabetical order:		
Wheat		T*0.01	