

***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 sweet potato] | 0.2 |
| 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 Agvet chemical: Metolachlor)

Insert in alphabetical order:

|  |  |
| --- | --- |
| Ginger, root | T0.5 |

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

 Omit:

|  |  |
| --- | --- |
| Carrot | T0.3 |

 Substitute:

|  |  |
| --- | --- |
| Carrot | T0.05 |

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

Insert in alphabetical order:

|  |  |
| --- | --- |
| Wheat | T\*0.01 |