Maximum residue levels for acequinocyl

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Commission Regulation (EU) 2026/2289 as regards maximum residue levels for acequinocyl, deltamethrin, dodine, maleic hydrazide, pinoxaden and prothioconazole in or on certain products

Commission Regulation (EU) 2026/140 as regards maximum residue levels for acequinocyl, chlormequat, metalaxyl-M, pyraclostrobin, sulfoxaflor and trifloxystrobin in or on certain products

What is changing and why?

The European Union (EU) has increased the maximum residue levels (MRLs) for acequinocyl on blueberries, cranberries, currants (black, red, and white), and gooseberries (green, red, and yellow) from 0.01 mg/kg to 2 mg/kg. An application for a change of MRLs by the producer of acequinocyl was evaluated by the European Food Safety Authority, and the requested changes were found to be safe for consumers.

In February 2026, the EU increased the MRL for acequinocyl on strawberries from 0.01 to 0.3 mg/kg.

Timeline

The new MRLs on blueberries, cranberries, currants, and gooseberries apply from **5 November 2026**.

The new MRL on strawberries applies from 11 February 2026.

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