

Maximum residue levels for cyproconazole

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Draft Commission Regulation as regards maximum residue levels for cyproconazole and spirodiclofen in or on certain products

What is changing and why?

In September 2024, the European Parliament rejected a Commission Regulation that proposed to reduce the maximum residue levels (MRLs) for cyproconazole on certain products to the limit of determination (LOD, the lowest level that can be detected using the most modern and reliable analytical methods) (see Table 1).

Timeline

The European Parliament's objection prevents the Commission from adopting the proposed draft Regulation, which means that the existing MRLs for cyproconazole continue to apply.

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Tables & Figures

Table 1 Changes to maximum residue levels for cyproconazole			
Food category	Products	Cyproconazole (mg/kg)	
		Old MRL	New MRL
Pome fruits	Apples, pears, quinces, medlars, loquats/Japanese medlars	0.1	0.01*
Stone fruits	Apricots, cherries, peaches	0.1	0.01*
Berries and small fruits	Wine grapes, table grapes	0.2	0.01*
Leaf vegetables, herbs and edible flowers	Lamb's lettuces/corn salads	5	0.01*
Stem vegetables	Asparagus, globe artichokes	0.1	0.01*
	Celeries	0.2	0.01*
Pulses	Beans, peas,	0.08	0.02*
	Lentils, lupins/lupini beans	0.08	0.01*
Oilseeds	Poppy seeds, rapeseeds/canola seeds, mustard seeds, borage seeds, gold of pleasure seeds	0.4	0.01*
Cereals	Barley, oat	0.2	0.08
	Buckwheat, common millet/proso millet, rye, wheat	0.1	0.08
	maize/corn, rice, sorghum,	0.1	0.01*
Coffee beans		0.1	0.07
Sugar plants	Sugar beet roots	0.1	0.05
Products of animal origin	Muscle and fat from swine, cattle, sheep, goats, horses, and other farmed terrestrial animals	0.05*	0.02
* Limit of determination.			
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Source: based on [PLAN/2023/1960](#)

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