

THE LATEST ON EU AGRI-FOOD POLICIES IMPACTING LOW-INCOME & MIDDLE-INCOME COUNTRIES

# Maximum residue levels for pyridate

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### EU increases MRL for pyridate on chives

Commission Regulation (EU) <u>2023/679</u> of 23 March 2023 amending Annexes II and III to Regulation (EC) No 396/2005 of the European Parliament and of the Council as regards maximum residue levels for pyridaben, pyridate, pyriproxyfen and triclopyr in or on certain products

### **Update**

The EU has increased the maximum residue level (MRL) for pyridate on chives to 1.5 mg/kg.

### Impacted products

chives

## What is changing?

The MRL for pyridate on chives increases from 0.05 to 1.5 mg/kg.

### Why?

Following a request for modification of the MRL for pyridate on chives, and the determination of safe levels for consumers by <u>EFSA (2022)</u>, the EU has accepted the proposed MRL.

#### **Timeline**

The new MRL for pyridate on chives will apply from 13 April 2023.

## **Background**

MRLs are set in accordance with the rules set out in Regulation <u>396/2005</u>. For information on current MRLs for other substances, please consult the <u>EU Pesticide Residues database</u>.





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#### Resources

EFSA (2022) Modification of the existing maximum residue level for pyridate in chives. EFSA Journal, 20(8): 7537.

#### **Sources**

Commission Regulation (EU) 2023/679

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