

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

Maximum residue levels for (Z)-13-hexadecen11-yn-1-yl acetate

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EU reduces MRLs for (Z)-13-hexadecen11-yn-1-yl acetate to the LOD of 0.01 mg/kg on all products

Commission Regulation (EU) <u>2024/352</u> of 22 January 2024 amending Annexes II and V to Regulation (EC) No 396/2005 of the European Parliament and of the Council as regards maximum residue levels for (Z)-13-hexadecen-11-yn-1-yl acetate, (Z,Z,Z,Z)-7,13,16,19-docosatetraen-1-yl isobutyrate, acrinathrin, azimsulfuron, famoxadone, prochloraz and sodium hypochlorite in or on certain products

Update

The European Commission has reduced the maximum residue levels (MRLs) for (Z)-13-hexadecen11-yn-1-yl acetate to the limit of determination of 0.01 mg/kg on all products. (The LOD is the lowest level that can be detected using the most modern and reliable analytical methods.) Where the detection level of 0.01 mg/kg cannot be met due to technical limitations, the MRL is 0.02 or 0.05 mg/kg.

Impacted products

What is changing?

The European Commission has set the MRLs for (Z)-13-hexadecen11-yn-1-yl acetate to the LOD on all products.

Why?

(Z)-13-hexadecen11-yn-1-yl acetate is no longer permitted for use in the EU. The existing MRLs have therefore been deleted and set to the LOD.





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Timeline

The new MRLs will apply from 12 August 2024.

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>.

Sources

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