

**Ministry of Health, Labour and Welfare Notification No. 473**

The Minister of Health, Labour and Welfare has partially revised the Specifications and Standards for Food, Food Additives, Etc. (Ministry of Health and Welfare Notification No. 370, 1959), as given below, based on the provision of Paragraph 1, Article 11 of the Food Sanitation Law. The modified and newly established MRLs will take effect on September 25, 2006. However, the MRLs for the food categories below will take effect on February 25, 2007, and until then the existing standards continue to apply.

“Rye,” “Potato,” “Japanese radish, leaves (including radish),” “Turnip, leaves,” “Watercress,” “Chinese cabbage,” “Kale,” “*Komatsuna*, Japanese mustard spinach,” “*Kyona*,” “Other cruciferous vegetables,” “Chicory,” “Endive,” “*Shungiku*,” “Lettuce (including cos lettuce and leaf lettuce),” “Other composite vegetables,” “Onion,” “Parsley,” “Celery,” “Other umbelliferous vegetables,” “Tomato,” “Pimiento (sweet pepper),” “Melons,” “Spinach,” “Other vegetables,” “*Unshu* orange, pulp,” “Apple,” “Japanese pear,” “Pear,” “Quince,” “Loquat,” “Peach,” “Banana,” “Pecan,” “Almond,” “Other spices,” “Other herbs,” “Other terrestrial mammals (except sheep, horse, and goat), muscle,” “Other terrestrial mammals (except sheep, horse, and goat), fat,” “Horse, liver,” “Other terrestrial mammals (except sheep, horse, and goat), liver,” “Other terrestrial mammals (except sheep, horse, and goat), kidney,” and “Other terrestrial mammals (except sheep, horse, and goat), edible offal”

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Item 6 (1) and Item 7 (1) in Section A *General Compositional Standards for Food*, Part I *Food* have been revised as follows:

Item 6(1) The “pyraclostrobin” section has been added after the “pymetrozine” section.

pyraclostrobin	Wheat	0.02 ppm
	Barley	0.4 ppm
	Rye	0.02 ppm
	Corn (maize)	0.1 ppm
	Soybeans, dry	0.04 ppm
	Beans, dry	0.3 ppm
	Peas	0.3 ppm
	Broad beans	0.3 ppm
	Peanuts, dry	0.05 ppm
	Other legumes/pulses	0.3 ppm
	Potato	0.02 ppm
	Taro	0.04 ppm
	Sweet potato	0.04 ppm
	Yam	0.04 ppm
	Other potatoes	0.04 ppm
	Sugar beet	0.2 ppm
	Japanese radish, roots (including radish)	0.4 ppm
	Japanese radish, leaves (including radish)	16 ppm
	Turnip, roots	0.4 ppm
	Turnip, leaves	16 ppm
	Horseradish	0.4 ppm
	Watercress	29 ppm
	Chinese cabbage	3 ppm
	Cabbage	5 ppm
	Brussels sprouts	5 ppm
	Kale	16 ppm
	<i>Kyona</i>	16 ppm
	Qing-geng-cai	5 ppm
	Cauliflower	5 ppm
	Broccoli	5 ppm
Other cruciferous vegetables	16 ppm	
Burdock	0.4 ppm	

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Salsify	0.4 ppm
Chicory	29 ppm
Endive	29 ppm
Lettuce (including cos lettuce and leaf lettuce)	29 ppm
Other composite vegetables	29 ppm
Onion	0.2 ppm
Welsh (including leek)	0.9 ppm
Garlic	0.9 ppm
Other liliaceous vegetables	0.9 ppm
Carrot	0.4 ppm
Parsnip	0.4 ppm
Parsley	29 ppm
Celery	29 ppm
Other umbelliferous vegetables	29 ppm
Tomato	0.3 ppm
Pimiento (sweet pepper)	0.3 ppm
Egg plant	1.4 ppm
Other solanceous vegetables	1.4 ppm
Cucumber (including gherkin)	0.5 ppm
Pumpkin (including squash)	0.5 ppm
Oriental pickling melon (vegetable)	0.5 ppm
Water melon	0.5 ppm
Melons	0.3 ppm
<i>Makuwauri</i> melon	0.5 ppm
Other cucurbitaceous vegetables	0.5 ppm
Ginger	0.04 ppm
Peas, immature (with pods)	0.5 ppm
Kidney beans, immature (with pods)	0.5 ppm
Green soybeans	0.5 ppm
Other vegetables	16 ppm
<i>Unshu</i> orange, pulp	0.02 ppm
Citrus <i>natsudaidai</i> , whole	2 ppm
Lemon	2 ppm
Orange (including navel orange)	2 ppm
Grapefruit	2 ppm
Lime	2 ppm
Other citrus fruits	2 ppm

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Apple	1 ppm
Japanese pear	1.5 ppm
Pear	1.5 ppm
Quince	1.5 ppm
Peach	0.02 ppm
Nectarine	0.9 ppm
Apricot	0.9 ppm
Japanese plum (including prune)	0.9 ppm
Cherry	2 ppm
Strawberry	0.4 ppm
Raspberry	1.3 ppm
Blackberry	1.3 ppm
Blueberry	1.3 ppm
Huckleberry	1.3 ppm
Other berries	1.3 ppm
Grape	3 ppm
Banana	0.02 ppm
Sunflower seeds	0.3 ppm
Chestnut	0.04 ppm
Pecan	0.02 ppm
Almond	0.02 ppm
Walnut	0.04 ppm
Other nuts	0.7 ppm
Hop	23 ppm
Other spices	29 ppm
Other herbs	29 ppm
Cattle, muscle	0.1 ppm
Pig, muscle	0.1 ppm
Sheep, muscle	0.1 ppm
Horse, muscle	0.1 ppm
Goat, muscle	0.1 ppm
Cattle, fat	0.1 ppm
Pig, fat	0.1 ppm
Sheep, fat	0.1 ppm
Horse, fat	0.1 ppm
Goat, fat	0.1 ppm
Other terrestrial mammals, fat	0.05 ppm

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Cattle, liver	1.5 ppm
Pig, liver	1.5 ppm
Sheep, liver	1.5 ppm
Horse, liver	0.1 ppm
Goat, liver	1.5 ppm
Other terrestrial mammals, liver	0.05 ppm
Cattle, kidney	0.2 ppm
Pig, kidney	0.2 ppm
Sheep, kidney	0.2 ppm
Horse, kidney	0.2 ppm
Goat, kidney	0.2 ppm
Other terrestrial mammals, kidney	0.05 ppm
Cattle, edible offal	0.2 ppm
Pig, edible offal	0.2 ppm
Sheep, edible offal	0.2 ppm
Horse, edible offal	0.2 ppm
Goat, edible offal	0.2 ppm
Other terrestrial mammals, edible offal	0.05 ppm
Milk	0.1 ppm
Chicken, muscle	0.05 ppm
Other poultry, muscle	0.05 ppm
Chicken, fat	0.05 ppm
Other poultry, fat	0.05 ppm
Chicken, liver	0.05 ppm
Other poultry, liver	0.05 ppm
Chicken, kidney	0.05 ppm
Other poultry, kidney	0.05 ppm
Chicken, edible offal	0.05 ppm
Other poultry, edible offal	0.05 ppm
Chicken, eggs	0.05 ppm
Other poultry, eggs	0.05 ppm

Item 7(1) The “pyraclostrobin” section has been deleted.