



Australian Government

**Australian Pesticides and
Veterinary Medicines Authority**

Australia New Zealand
Food Standards Code —
Schedule 20 — Maximum residue limits
Variation Instrument No. APVMA 9, 2020

I, Jason Lutze, delegate of the Australian Pesticides and Veterinary Medicines Authority, acting in accordance with my powers under subsection 11(1) of the *Agricultural and Veterinary Chemicals (Administration) Act 1992*, make this instrument for the purposes of subsection 82(1) of the *Food Standards Australia New Zealand Act 1991*.

Jason Lutze
Delegate of the Chief Executive Officer of the Australian Pesticides and Veterinary
Medicines Authority

Dated this Twenty Forth day of November 2020

Part 1 Preliminary

1 Name of instrument

This instrument is the *Australia New Zealand Food Standards Code — Schedule 20 – Maximum residue limits Variation Instrument No. APVMA 9. 2020* (Amendment Instrument).

2 Commencement

In accordance with subsection 82(8) of the *Food Standards Australia New Zealand Act 1991*, this instrument commences on the day it is published in the *Gazette*.

Note: A copy of the variations made by the Amendment Instrument was published in the Commonwealth of Australia Agricultural and Veterinary Chemicals Gazette.

3 Object

The object of this instrument is for the APVMA to make variations to Schedule 20 – Maximum residue limits in the *Australia New Zealand Food Standards Code* to include or change maximum residue limits pertaining to agricultural and veterinary chemical products.

4 Interpretation

In this instrument: —

APVMA means the Australian Pesticides and Veterinary Medicines Authority established by section 6 of the *Agricultural and Veterinary Chemicals (Administration) Act 1992*; and

Principal Instrument means Schedule 20 – Maximum residue limits in the *Australia New Zealand Food Standard Code* as defined in Section 4 of the *Food Standards Australia New Zealand Act 1991* being the Code published in *Gazette* No. P 27 on 27 August 1987 together with any amendments of the standards in that Code. Schedule 20 was published in the *Food Standards Gazette* FSC 96 on Thursday 10 April 2015 and was registered as a legislative instrument on 1 April 2015 (F2015L00468).

Part 2 Variations to Schedule 20— Maximum Residue Limits

5 Variations to Schedule 20

The Schedule to this instrument sets out the variations made to the Principal Instrument by this instrument.

Schedule

Variations to Schedule 20 – Maximum residue limits

[1] The table to section S20–3 in Schedule 20 is varied by

[1.1] omitting from each of the following chemicals, the foods and associated MRLs

Agvet chemical: Metribuzin

Permitted residue: Metribuzin

Root and tuber vegetables [except carrot; potato]	T*0.05
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Agvet chemical: Pyraflufen-ethyl

Permitted residue: Sum of pyraflufen-ethyl and its acid metabolite (2-chloro-5-(4-chloro-5-difluoromethoxy-1-methylpyrazol-3-yl)-4-fluorophenoxyacetic acid)

Broad bean (dry) (fava bean)	*0.02
Field bean (dry)	*0.02

Agvet chemical: Saflufenacil

Permitted residue—commodities of plant origin: Sum of saflufenacil, N'-{2-chloro-4-fluoro-5-[1,2,3,6-tetrahydro-2,6-dioxo-4-(trifluoromethyl)pyrimidin-1-yl]benzoyl-N-isopropyl sulfamide and N-[4-chloro-2-fluoro-5-({[(isopropylamino)sulfonyl]amino}carbonyl)phenyl]urea, expressed as saflufenacil equivalents

Permitted residue—commodities of animal origin: Saflufenacil

Cereal grains	0.2
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[1.2] inserting for each of the following chemicals the foods and associated MRLs in alphabetical order

Agvet chemical: Imidacloprid

Permitted residue: Sum of imidacloprid and metabolites containing the 6-chloropyridinylmethylene moiety, expressed as imidacloprid

Galangal, Lesser	T0.05
Ginger, Japanese	T0.05

Agvet chemical: Pyraflufen-ethyl

Permitted residue: Sum of pyraflufen-ethyl and its acid metabolite (2-chloro-5-(4-chloro-5-difluoromethoxy-1-methylpyrazol-3-yl)-4-fluorophenoxyacetic acid)

Pulses	*0.02
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Agvet chemical: Saflufenacil

Permitted residue—commodities of plant origin: Sum of saflufenacil, N'-(2-chloro-4-fluoro-5-[1,2,3,6-tetrahydro-2,6-dioxo-4-(trifluoromethyl)pyrimidin-1-yl]benzoyl-N-isopropyl sulfamide and N-[4-chloro-2-fluoro-5-({[(isopropylamino)sulfonyl]amino} carbonyl)phenyl]urea, expressed as saflufenacil equivalents

Permitted residue—commodities of animal origin: Saflufenacil

Cereal grains [except rice]	0.2
Rice	*0.01

[1.3] omitting for each of the following chemicals, the maximum residue limit for the food and substituting

Agvet chemical: Clothianidin

Permitted residue: Clothianidin
see also thiamethoxam

Almonds	0.05
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Agvet chemical: Fluralaner

Permitted residue: Fluralaner

Cattle fat	T0.7
Cattle kidney	T0.25
Cattle liver	T0.6
Cattle muscle	T0.07

Agvet chemical: Metribuzin

Permitted residue: Metribuzin

Ginger root	T*0.01
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