Australian Government

Australian Pesticides and Veterinary Medicines Authority

Australia New Zealand Food Standards Code — Schedule 20 — Maximum residue limits Variation Instrument No. APVMA 5, 2026

I, Edward Cram, 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*.

Edward Cram
Delegate of the Chief Executive Officer of the Australian Pesticides and Veterinary Medicines Authority

Dated this twenty ninth day of September 2026

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 5, 2026* (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.

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Schedule

Variations to Schedule 20 – Maximum residue limits

[1] Section S20—3 (table entry for Agvet chemical: Benzovindiflupyr)

Repeal:

Barley	0.2
Edible offal (mammalian)	*0.01
Meat (mammalian) [in the fat]	*0.01
Wheat (subgroup)	0.01

Substitute:

Barley	0.4
Edible offal (mammalian)	0.07
Meat (mammalian) [in the fat]	0.02
Wheat (subgroup)	0.3

[2] Section S20—3 (table entry for Agvet chemical: Buprofezin)

Insert:

Papaya (pawpaw)	1	T1

[3] Section S20—3 (table entry for Agvet chemical: Cyclobutrifluram)

Insert:

Brassica (cole or cabbage) vegetables, head cabbages, flowerhead brassicas	T0.1
Brassica leafy vegetables	T0.2

[4] Section S20—3 (table entry for Agvet chemical: Fluopyram)

Repeal:

Peppers, sweet	0.3
Tomatoes (subgroup)	T1.5

[5] Section S20—3 (table entry for Agvet chemical: Fluopyram)

Insert:

Fruiting vegetables, other than cucurbits [except peppers, chilli, dried]	0.5

[6] Section S20—3 (table entry for Agvet chemical: Fomesafen)

Insert:

Beans with pods	T*0.01
Succulent peas without pods	T*0.01

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[7] Section S20—3 (table entry for Agvet chemical: Indaziflam)

Insert:

Pome fruits	*0.01
Stone fruits	*0.01

[8] Section S20—3 (table entry for Agvet chemical: Oxathiapiprolin)

Repeal:

Basil, dry	T90

[9] Section S20—3 (table entry for Agvet chemical: Oxathiapiprolin)

Insert:

Chives	T2
Chives, Chinese	T2
Dried herbs (except hops, dry)	T90
Galangal, rhizome	T*0.01
Garlic chives	T2
Herbs	T10
Lemon verbena (dry leaves)	T90
Turmeric, root	T*0.01

[10] Section S20—3 (table entry for Agvet chemical: Tebuconazole)

Repeal:

Avocado	0.2
Custard apple	2
Papaya (pawpaw)	0.2
Persimmon, American	2
Tomato	0.5

[11] Section S20—3 (table entry for Agvet chemical: Tebuconazole)

Insert:

Assorted tropical and sub-tropical fruits – inedible peel [except banana; passionfruit; pineapple]	2
Fruiting vegetables, other than cucurbits [except peppers, chilli, dried; peppers, sweet]	0.5

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