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**Draft Guidelines on Food Classification for the  
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## PREFACE

1.1 To better protect public health, facilitate effective regulatory control and promote harmonisation between local and international standards, the Administration has made a new Pesticide Residues in Food Regulation (“the Regulation”, Cap. 132CM) under the Public Health and Municipal Services Ordinance (Cap. 132) to regulate pesticide residues in food. The Regulation will come into operation on 1 August 2014 after a grace period of two years.

1.2 One of the key features of the Regulation is to adopt the standards of the pesticide residues in food formulated by the Codex Alimentarius Commission (Codex)<sup>1</sup> as the backbone of the local set of standards specified in Schedule 1 of the Regulation. The Codex food classification system is also adopted in parallel. This approach has the benefit of using nomenclatures consistent with those used in international trade.

1.3 This document “Guidelines on Food Classification for the Pesticide Residues in Food Regulation” (the Guidelines) is intended to facilitate the trade in identifying the appropriate pesticide residue limits that are relevant to the food commodities concerned. The Guidelines is prepared by making reference to the Codex Classification of Foods and Animal Feeds (CAC/MISC 4). Only food commodities of local interest/relevance are included in the Guidelines and traders are recommended to refer to the original Codex classification for a complete Codex list of food commodities if necessary. The Guidelines has also incorporated food items of special local interest not found on the Codex list.

1.4 The Guidelines is provided for information only. It does not have the force of law and should not be interpreted in any manner which would override the provision of the Ordinance. In case of any inconsistency, the statutory provisions will prevail. Furthermore, the Guidelines should not be regarded as legal advice. If you need legal advice, you must contact your own lawyer.

1.5 The Guidelines is subject to periodic review by the Director of Food

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<sup>1</sup> The Codex Alimentarius Commission was established by the World Health Organization and the Food and Agriculture Organization of the United Nations in 1960s and has been the single most important international reference point for consumers, food producers, processors, national food control agencies and the international food trade in developing food associated standards.

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and Environmental Hygiene and may be amended or supplemented as necessary from time to time.

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## GUIDE IN USING THE FOOD CLASSIFICATION TABLES

2.1 The Codex Classification of Food is intended primarily to ensure the use of uniform nomenclature and secondarily to classify foods into groups and/or sub-groups for the purpose of establishing group Maximum Residue Limits (MRLs) for commodities with similar characteristics and residue potential. The Guidelines is mainly focused on the classification of primary food commodities of plant origin. Users may refer to the “User Guidelines for the Pesticide Residues in Food Regulation (Cap. 132CM)” for the interpretation of MRLs/Extraneous Maximum Residue Limits (EMRLs) for processed food and compounded food.

2.2 The Guidelines aims to facilitate the trade in finding the appropriate pesticide residues limits for specific food commodities as stipulated in Schedule 1 of the Regulation, including those for individual commodity concerned, or its relevant subgroup or group MRLs/EMRLs. The Guidelines lists the five common and more complex food classification tables, on “fruits”, “vegetables”, “grasses”, “nuts and seeds” and “herbs and spices”, for readers’ reference. Two examples are provided below to illustrate how to use these classification tables.

### ***Example 1: Blood Orange***

(i) Look up the food item concerned (i.e., blood orange), its food group/subgroup and its Codex code (if available) in the classification table

Code no.	Common name	Scientific name
FC 0001	Citrus fruits	(includes all commodities in this group)
<b>Subgroup C Oranges, Sweet, Sour</b>		
-	Blood orange (see Orange, Sweet)	Cultivar of <i>Citrus sinensis</i> Osbeck

Blood orange belongs to the food group “Citrus fruits” and the subgroup “Oranges, Sweet, Sour”, with no Codex code.

(ii) Check if there is any further information provided for the food item concerned in the classification table

“See Orange, Sweet” in bracket is found following the common name of blood orange. This means that blood orange is also a kind of sweet orange.

(iii) Find the appropriate pesticide residue limits for the food item concerned

Step 1: Search for MRL/EMRL specified for the food item concerned, i.e., blood orange

- If available, finished.
- If not available, go to Step 1a.

Step 1a: Search for MRL/EMRL specified for the related food item (if available), i.e., “orange, sweet”

- If available, finished.
- If not available, go to Step 2.

Step 2: Search for MRL/EMRL specified for the relevant food subgroup (if available), i.e., “Orange, Sweet, Sour”

- If available, finished.
- If not available, go to Step 3.

Step 3: Search for MRL/EMRL specified for the relevant food group, i.e., “Citrus fruits”

- If available, finished.
- If not available, it means no MRL/EMRL has been specified for this food item, blood orange; go to Step 4.

Step 4: Conduct risk assessment (see para. 2.3 below).

(iv) Look up information on the specific portion of the food item to which the MRL/EMRL applies (i.e., the portion which will be subject to chemical analysis for pesticide residues)

**Group 1: Citrus fruits (group letter code FC)**

a. Portion of the commodity to which the MRL applies (and which is analysed):

**Whole commodity.**

The MRL/EMRL will be applicable to the whole blood orange, and the whole blood orange (including peel) will be analysed for the pesticide residues concerned.

**Example 2: French bean**

(i) Look up the food item concerned (i.e., French bean), its food group/subgroup and its Codex code (if available) in the classification table

Code no.	Common name	Scientific name
VP 0060	<b>Legume vegetables</b>	(includes all commodities in this group)
<b>Subgroup A Beans, except broad bean and soya bean (young pods and succulent seeds)</b>		
VP 4415	French bean (young pods and succulent seeds) (see Common bean)	

French bean belongs to the food group “Legume vegetables” and the subgroup “Beans, except broad bean and soya bean (young pods and succulent seeds)”, with a Codex code VP 4415.

(ii) Check if there is any further information provided for the food item concerned in the classification table

“See Common bean” in bracket is found following the common name of French bean. This means that French bean is also a kind of common bean.

(iii) Find the appropriate pesticide residue limits for the food item concerned

Step 1: Search for MRL/EMRL specified for the food item concerned, i.e., French bean

- If available, finished.
- If not available, go to Step 1a.

Step 1a: Search for MRL/EMRL specified for the related food item (if available), i.e., Common bean

- If available, finished.
- If not available, go to Step 2.

Step 2: Search for MRL/EMRL specified for the relevant food subgroup (if available), i.e., “Beans, except broad bean and soya bean (young pods and succulent seeds)”

- If available, finished.
- If not available, go to Step 3.

Step 3: Search for MRL/EMRL specified for the relevant food group, i.e., legume vegetables

- If available, finished.
- If not available, it means no MRL/EMRL has been specified for this food item, French bean; go to Step 4.

Step 4: Conduct risk assessment (see para. 2.3 below).

(iv) Look up information on the specific portion of the food item to which the MRL/EMRL applies (i.e., the portion which will be subject to chemical analysis for pesticide residues)

**Group 14 – Legume vegetables (group letter code VP)**

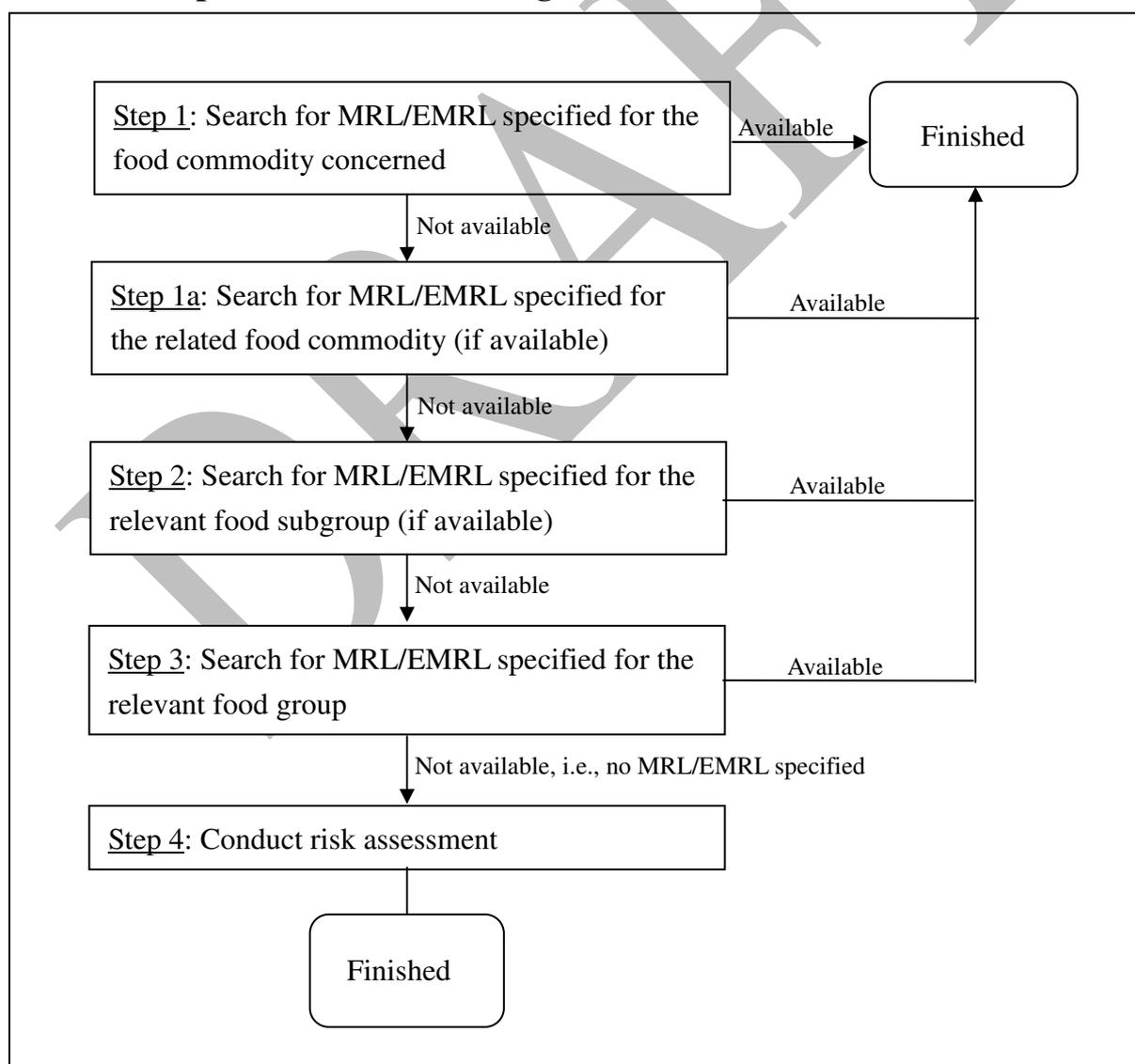
- a. Portion of the commodity to which the MRL applies (and which is analysed): **Whole commodity, unless otherwise specified.**

The MRL/EMRL will be applicable to the whole French bean which will be analysed for the pesticide residues concerned.

2.3 As stipulated in Section 4 of the Regulation, except for exempted pesticides, import and sale of food containing pesticide residues with no MRLs/EMRLs specified in Schedule 1 is only allowed if consumption of the food concerned is not dangerous or prejudicial to health. In deciding whether the consumption of the food concerned is dangerous or prejudicial to health, the Director of Food and Environmental Hygiene (DFEH) will conduct risk assessment.

2.4 Figure 1 summarises the process for finding the appropriate pesticide residue limits for a specific food item using the food classification tables.

**Figure 1. A summary diagram of finding the appropriate pesticide residue limits for a specified food item using the food classification tables**



## FOOD CLASSIFICATION TABLES

### 01 FRUITS

#### I. Classification

##### Group 1 – Citrus fruits (group letter code FC)

- a. Portion of the commodity to which the MRL applies (and which is analysed): **Whole commodity.**
- b. The following four subgroups have been identified:
- Subgroup A “Lemons and Limes” – Hybrids and related species similar to lemons and limes
  - Subgroup B Mandarins – Hybrids and related species similar to mandarins
  - Subgroup C “Oranges, Sweet, Sour” – Hybrids and related species similar to oranges
  - Subgroup D Pummelos – Hybrids and related species
- c. Detailed classification:

Code no.	Common name	Scientific name
FC 0001	<b>Citrus fruits</b>	(includes all commodities in this group)
<b>Subgroup A Lemons and Limes</b>		
FC 0002	<b>Lemons and Limes</b> (including Citron)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <i>Citrus limon</i> Burm. f.;</li> <li>• <i>Citrus aurantiifolia</i> Swingle;</li> <li>• <i>Citrus medica</i> L.;</li> </ul> Hybrids and related species similar to lemons and limes including <i>Citrus jambhiri</i> Lush; <i>Citrus limetta</i> Risso; <i>Citrus limettoides</i> Tan.; <i>Citrus limonia</i> Osbeck. Syn: see specific fruit species (includes all commodities in this subgroup)

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<b>Code no.</b>	<b>Common name</b>	<b>Scientific name</b>
FC 0202	Citron	<i>Citrus medica</i> L.; Syn: <i>Citrus cedra</i> Link; <i>Citrus cedratus</i> Raf.; <i>Citrus medica genuina</i> Engl.; <i>Citrus medica</i> proper Bonavia
FC 2206	Kaffir lime	<i>Citrus hystrix</i> DC.
FC 0303	Kumquats	<i>Fortunella japonica</i> (Thunberg) Swingle; <i>Fortunella margarita</i> (Loureiro) Swingle
FC 0204	Lemon	<i>Citrus limon</i> Burm. f.; Syn: <i>Citrus medica limon</i> L.; <i>Citrus limonum</i> Risso; <i>Citrus medica limonum</i> Hook. F.; <i>Citrus jambhiri</i> Lush.
FC 0205	Lime	<i>Citrus aurantifolia</i> Swingle; Syn: <i>Limonia aurantifolia</i> Christm.; <i>Limonia acidissima</i> Houtt.; <i>Citrus lima</i> Lunan.; <i>Citrus acida</i> Roxb.; <i>Citrus limonellus</i> Hassk.
FC 2212	Yuzu	<i>Citrus junos</i> Siebold ex Tanaka
<b>Subgroup B Mandarins</b>		
FC 0003	<b>Mandarins</b> (including Mandarin-like hybrids)	<i>Citrus reticulata</i> Blanco; Hybrids and related species including <i>Citrus nobilis</i> Lour.; <i>Citrus deliciosa</i> Ten.; <i>Citrus tangarina</i> Hort.; <i>Citrus mitis</i> Blanco Syn: <i>Citrus madurensis</i> Lour.; <i>Citrus unshiu</i> Marcow; Syn: see specific fruit species Mandarin (includes all commodities in this subgroup)
-	Clementine	<i>Citrus clementina</i> Hort. ex Tanaka cultivar of <i>Citrus reticulata</i> Blanco (possibly natural hybrid of Mandarin x Orange, Sweet)
-	King mandarin	<i>Citrus nobilis</i> Lour. (= hybrid of Mandarin x Orange, Sweet)
FC 0206	Mandarin	<i>Citrus reticulata</i> Blanco; Syn: <i>Citrus nobilis</i> Andrews (non Lour.); <i>Citrus poonensis</i> Hort. ex Tanaka; <i>Citrus chrysocarpa</i> Lush.
-	Tangelo, small and medium sized cultivars (see Mandarins)	Hybrids of Mandarin x Grapefruit or Mandarin x Shaddock
-	Tangerine	<i>Citrus reticulata</i> Blanco; Syn: <i>Citrus tangarina</i> Hort. ex Tan., <i>Citrus ponnensis</i> Hort., <i>Citrus chrysocarpa</i> Lush., <i>Citrus reshni</i> Hort.
-	Tangors	<i>Citrus nobilis</i> Lour. (= Hybrid of Mandarin x Orange, sweet)
-	Tankan mandarin (see Mandarins)	<i>Citrus reticulata</i> Blanco <i>tankan</i> Hyata (= probably hybrid of Mandarin x Orange, Sweet)
FC 2212	Unshu orange	<i>Citrus reticulata</i> Blanco ssp. <i>unshiu</i> (Marcow.) D.Rivera Núñez et al.

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<b>Code no.</b>	<b>Common name</b>	<b>Scientific name</b>
<b>Subgroup C Oranges, Sweet, Sour</b>		
FC 0004	<b>Oranges, Sweet, Sour</b> (including Orange-like hybrids)	Several cultivars: <i>Citrus sinensis</i> (L.) Osbeck; <i>Citrus aurantium</i> L.; Hybrids and related species: <i>Citrus myrtifolia</i> Raf.; <i>Citrus salicifolia</i> Raf.; Syn: see specific fruit species (includes all commodities in this subgroup)
FC 0207	Orange, Sour	<i>Citrus aurantium</i> L.; Syn: <i>Citrus vulgaris</i> Risso; <i>Citrus bigarradia</i> Loisel ; <i>Citrus communis</i> Le Maout & Dec.
FC 0208	Orange, Sweet	<i>Citrus sinensis</i> (L.) Osbeck; Syn: <i>Citrus aurantium sinensis</i> L.; <i>Citrus dulcis</i> Pers.; <i>Citrus aurantium vulgare</i> Risso & Poit.; <i>Citrus aurantium dulce</i> Hayne
-	Blood orange (see Orange, Sweet)	Cultivar of <i>Citrus sinensis</i> (L.) Osbeck
<b>Subgroup D Pummelos</b>		
FC 0005	<b>Pummelo and Grapefruits</b> (including Shaddock-like hybrids, among others Grapefruit)	<i>Citrus maxima</i> (Burm.) Merr.; Syn: <i>Citrus grandis</i> L. Osbeck; <i>Citrus x paradisi</i> Macfad.; <i>Citrus decumana</i> L. Hybrids and related species, similar to Shaddocks, including <i>Citrus natsudaikai</i> Hayata; Tangelos large sized (= hybrid, Grapefruit x Mandarin); Tangelolos: (hybrid, Grapefruit x Tangelo) Syn: see specific fruit species (includes all commodities in this subgroup)
FC 0203	Grapefruit	Hybrid of Shaddock x Orange, Sweet <i>Citrus x paradisi</i> Macfad.; Syn: <i>Citrus maxima uvacarpa</i> Merr. & Lee.
FC 0209	Pummelo	<i>Citrus maxima</i> (Burm.) Merr. Syn: <i>Citrus grandis</i> Osbeck; <i>Citrus aurantium decumana</i> L.; <i>Citrus decumana</i> Murr.

**Group 2 – Pome fruits (group letter code FP)**

- a. Portion of the commodity to which the MRL applies (and which is analysed): **Whole commodity after removal of stems.**
- b. No subgroup has been identified under this food group.
- c. Detailed classification:

<b>Commodity</b>		
<b>Code no.</b>	<b>Common name</b>	<b>Scientific name</b>
FP 0009	<b>Pome fruits</b>	(includes all commodities in this group)
FP 0226	Apple	<i>Malus domestica</i> Borkhausen
FP 0227	Crab-apple	<i>Malus</i> spp.; among other <i>Malus baccata</i> (L.) Borkh. var. <i>baccata</i> ; <i>Malus prunifolia</i> (Willd.) Borkh.
FP 0228	Loquat	<i>Eriobotrya japonica</i> (Thunberg ex J.A. Murray.) Lindley
FP 2222	Mayhaw	<i>Crataegus</i> spp.
FP 0230	Pear	<i>Pyrus communis</i> L.; <i>Pyrus pyrifolia</i> (Burm.) Nakai; <i>Pyrus bretschneideri</i> Rhd.; <i>Pyrus sinensis</i> L.
-	Pear, Oriental (see Pear)	<i>Pyrus pyrifolia</i> (Burm.) Nakai
-	Nashi pear (see Pear, Oriental)	
-	Sand pear (see Pear, Oriental)	
FP 0307	Persimmon, Japanese (including Persimmon, Chinese)	<i>Diospyros kaki</i> Thunb.; Syn: <i>Diospyros chinensis</i> Blume
FP 0231	Quince	<i>Cydonia oblonga</i> P. Miller; Syn: <i>Cydonia vulgaris</i> Persoon

**Group 3 – Stone fruits (group letter code FS)**

- a. Portion of the commodity to which the MRL applies (and which is analysed): **Whole commodity after removal of stems and stones, but the residue is calculated and expressed on the whole commodity without stem.**
- b. The following three subgroups have been identified:
- Subgroup A Cherries – Cherry and related species of *Prunus*, which produce stone fruits similar to cherry
  - Subgroup B Plums – Plum and related species of *Prunus*, which produce stone fruits similar to plum
  - Subgroup C Peaches – Peach, nectarine, apricot and related species of *Prunus*, which produce stone fruits similar to peach, nectarine and apricot.

c. Detailed classification:

<b>Commodity</b>		
<b>Code no.</b>	<b>Common name</b>	<b>Scientific name</b>
FS 0012	<b>Stone fruits</b>	<i>Prunus</i> spp. (includes all commodities in this group)
<b>Subgroup A Cherries</b>		
FS 0013	<b>Cherries</b>	(includes all commodities in this subgroup)
FS 2230	Cherry, black (including capulin)	<i>Prunus serotina</i> Ehrh. subsp. <i>serotina</i> ; <i>Prunus serotina</i> Ehrh. subsp. <i>capuli</i>
FS 0243	Cherry, Sour	<i>Prunus cerasus</i> L.
FS 0244	Cherry, Sweet	<i>Prunus avium</i> L.
<b>Subgroup B Plums</b>		
FS 0014	<b>Plums (including Prunes)</b>	<i>Prunus domestica</i> L.; other <i>Prunus</i> spp. and ssp. (includes all commodities in this subgroup)
FS 0242	Cherry plum	<i>Prunus cerasifera</i> Ehrhart; Syn: <i>Prunus divaricata</i> Ledebor; <i>Prunus salicina</i> Lindl., var. <i>burbank</i>
FS 0302	Jujube, Chinese	<i>Ziziphus jujuba</i> Mill.
FS 2234	Plum	<i>Prunus domestica</i> L.
-	Plum, Japanese (see Plums)	<i>Prunus salicina</i> Lindley; Syn: <i>Prunus triflora</i> Roxb.

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<b>Commodity</b>		
<b>Code no.</b>	<b>Common name</b>	<b>Scientific name</b>
-	Plum, American (see Sloe)	
FS 0249	Sloe	<i>Prunus spinosa</i> L.; several wild <i>Prunus</i> spp.
-	Prunes (see Plums)	
<b>Subgroup C Peaches</b>		
FS 2001	<b>Peaches (including Nectarine and Apricot)</b>	(includes all commodities in this subgroup)
FS 0240	Apricot	<i>Prunus armeniaca</i> L.; Syn: <i>Armeniaca vulgaris</i> Lamarck
FS 2237	Japanese apricot	<i>Prunus mume</i> Siebold & Zucc.
FS 0245	Nectarine	<i>Prunus persica</i> (L.) Batch, var. <i>nectarina</i>
FS 0247	Peach	<i>Prunus persica</i> (L.) Batsch; Syn: <i>Prunus vulgaris</i> Mill.

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**Group 4 – Berries and other small fruits (group letter code FB)**

a. Portion of the commodity to which the MRL applies (and which is analysed):

**Whole commodity after removal of caps and stems.**

**Currants, Black, Red, White: fruit with stem.**

b. The following five subgroups have been identified:

- Subgroup A Cane berries – includes berries originating from canes that are erect or trailing, mainly *Rubus* species
- Subgroup B Bushberries – includes berries originating from woody shrubs
- Subgroup C “Large shrub/tree berries” – includes berries originating from large shrubs or trees
- Subgroup D “Small fruit vine climbing” – includes berries originating from climbing vines
- Subgroup E “Low growing berries” – includes berries originating from low growing berries that are short shrubs or herbaceous plants

c. Detailed classification:

<b>Commodity</b>		
<b>Code no.</b>	<b>Common name</b>	<b>Scientific name</b>
FB 0018	<b>Berries and other small fruits</b>	(includes all commodities in this group)
<b>Subgroup A Cane berries</b>		
FB 2005	<b>Cane berries</b>	<i>Rubus</i> species (includes all commodities in this subgroup)
FB 0264	Blackberries	<i>Rubus fruticosus</i> auct. aggr., several ssp.
-	Boysenberry (see Dewberries)	Hybrid of <i>Rubus</i> spp.
FB 0266	Dewberries (including Boysenberry and Loganberry)	<i>Rubus ceasius</i> L.; several <i>Rubus</i> ssp. and hybrids
-	Loganberry (see Dewberries)	<i>Rubus loganobaccus</i> L.H. Bailey, hybrid of <i>Rubus</i> spp.
FB 0272	Raspberries, Red, Black	<i>Rubus idaeus</i> L.; <i>Rubus occidentalis</i> L. ; several <i>Rubus</i> spp. and hybrids, including wild raspberries <i>Rubus molluccanus</i> L.

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<b>Commodity</b>		
<b>Code no.</b>	<b>Common name</b>	<b>Scientific name</b>
-	Youngberry (see Dewberries)	<i>Rubus ursinus</i> cv. "Young"
<b>Subgroup B Bush berries</b>		
FB 2006	<b>Bush berries</b>	(includes all commodities in this subgroup)
FB 0019	Vaccinium berries (including Bearberry, except Cranberry)	<i>Vaccinium</i> spp.; <i>Arctostaphylos uva-ursi</i> (L.) Spreng.
FB 0020	Blueberries	<i>Vaccinium corymbosum</i> L.; <i>Vaccinium angustifolium</i> Ait.; <i>Vaccinium virgatum</i> Aiton; <i>Gaylussacia</i> spp.
FB 0261	Bilberry	<i>Vaccinium myrtillus</i> L.
FB 0262	Bilberry, Bog	<i>Vaccinium uliginosum</i> L.
FB 0263	Bilberry, Red	<i>Vaccinium vitis-idaea</i> L.
-	Blueberry, Highbush (see Blueberries)	<i>Vaccinium corymbosum</i> L.
-	Blueberry, Lowbush (see Blueberries)	<i>Vaccinium angustifolium</i> Ait.
-	Blueberry, Rabbiteye (see Blueberries)	<i>Vaccinium virgatum</i> Aiton
FB 0021	Currants, Black, Red, White	<i>Ribes nigrum</i> L.; <i>Ribes rubrum</i> L.
FB 0278	Currant, Black (see also Currants, Black, Red, White)	<i>Ribes nigrum</i> L.
FB 0279	Currant, Red, White (see also Currants, Black, Red, White)	<i>Ribes rubrum</i> L.
FB 0268	Gooseberry	<i>Ribes uva-crispa</i> L. Syn: <i>Ribes grossularia</i> L.
FB 2245	Huckleberries	1. Blueberries, see Blueberries FB 0020 2. <i>Gaylussacia</i> spp., see Blueberries FB 0020 Red Huckleberry ( <i>Vaccinium parvifolium</i> L.)
FB 0270	Juneberries	<i>Amelanchier</i> spp.
FB 0273	Rose hips	<i>Rosa</i> L., several spp.
<b>Subgroup C Large shrub/tree berries</b>		
FB 2007	<b>Large shrub/tree berries</b>	(includes all commodities in this subgroup)

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<b>Commodity</b>		
<b>Code no.</b>	<b>Common name</b>	<b>Scientific name</b>
FB 2250	Bayberries	<i>Morella</i> spp., except "bayberry, red" (see FT 2303)
FB 0267	Elderberries	<i>Sambucus</i> spp.
FB 0271	Mulberries	<i>Morus alba</i> L.; <i>Morus nigra</i> L.; <i>Morus rubra</i> L.
<b>Subgroup D Small fruit vine climbing</b>		
FB 2008	<b>Small fruit vine climbing</b>	(includes all commodities in this subgroup)
FB 0269	Grapes	<i>Vitis vinifera</i> L., several cultivars
FB 2258	Schisandraberry	<i>Schisandra chinensis</i> (Turcz.) Baill.
FB 1235	Table-grapes	Special cultivars of <i>Vitis vinifera</i> L., suitable for direct human consumption
FB 1236	Wine-grapes	Special cultivars of <i>Vitis vinifera</i> L., suitable for preparing juice and fermenting into wine
<b>Subgroup E Low growing berries</b>		
FB 2009	<b>Low growing berries</b>	(includes all commodities in this subgroup)
FB 0265	Cranberry	<i>Vaccinium macrocarpon</i> Aiton
FB 0275	Strawberry	<i>Fragaria x ananassa</i> Duchesne ex Rozier

**Group 5 – “Assorted tropical and sub-tropical fruits - edible peel”**  
**(group letter code FT)**

a. Portion of the commodity to which the MRL applies (and which is analysed):

**Whole commodity.**

**Dates, olives and similar fruits with hard seeds: Whole commodity after removal of stems and stones but residue calculated and expressed on the whole fruit.**

b. The following three subgroups have been identified:

- Subgroup A “Assorted tropical and sub-tropical fruits - edible peel” – small
- Subgroup B “Assorted tropical and sub-tropical fruits - edible peel” – medium to large
- Subgroup C “Assorted tropical and sub-tropical fruits - edible peel” – palms

c. Detailed classification:

<b>Commodity</b>		
<b>Code no.</b>	<b>Common name</b>	<b>Scientific name</b>
FT 0026	<b>Assorted tropical and sub-tropical fruits - edible peel</b>	(includes all commodities in this group)
<b>Subgroup A “Assorted tropical and sub-tropical fruits - edible peel” – small</b>		
FT 2011	<b>“Assorted tropical and sub-tropical fruits - edible peel” – small</b>	(includes all commodities in this subgroup)
-	Acerola (see Barbados cherry)	
FT 0287	Barbados cherry	<i>Malpighia emarginata</i> DC.; Syn: <i>Malpighia glabra</i> L.
FT 2303	Bayberry, Red	<i>Morella rubra</i> Lour.
FT 0293	Chinese olive, Black, White	<i>Canarium tramdenum</i> C. D. Dai & Yakovlev; Syn: <i>Canarium pimela</i> K. D. Koenig; <i>Canarium album</i> (Lour.) Raeusch.
FT 0305	Tables Olives	<i>Olea europaea</i> L., var. <i>europaea</i>

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<b>Commodity</b>		
<b>Code no.</b>	<b>Common name</b>	<b>Scientific name</b>
FT 0340	Java apple (wax jambu)	<i>Syzigium samarangense</i> (Bl.) Merr. & Perry; Syn: <i>Eugenia javanica</i> Lam
<b>Subgroup B “Assorted tropical and sub-tropical fruits - edible peel” – medium to large</b>		
FT 2012	<b>“Assorted tropical and sub-tropical fruits - edible peel” – large</b>	(includes all commodities in this subgroup)
FT 0289	Carambola	<i>Averrhoa carambola</i> L.
FT 0297	Fig	<i>Ficus carica</i> L.
FT 2356	Gooseberry, Indian	<i>Phyllanthus emblica</i> L.
FT 0336	Guava	<i>Psidium guajava</i> L.
FT 0300	Jaboticaba	<i>Myrciaria cauliflora</i> O. Berg.; Syn: <i>Eugenia cauliflora</i> DC.
FT 2371	Noni	<i>Morinda citrifolia</i> L.
FT 0309	Rose apple	<i>Syzigium jambos</i> (L.) Alston; Syn: <i>Eugenia jambos</i> L.
<b>Subgroup C “Assorted tropical and sub-tropical fruits - edible peel” – palms</b>		
FT 2013	<b>“Assorted tropical and sub-tropical fruits - edible peel” - palms</b>	(includes all commodities in this subgroup)
FT 0295	Date	<i>Phoenix dactylifera</i> L.

**Group 6 – “Assorted tropical and sub-tropical fruits - inedible peel”**  
**(group letter code FI)**

a. Portion of the commodity to which the MRL applies (and which is analysed):

**Whole fruit unless qualified: e.g., banana pulp.**

**Pineapple after removal of crown.**

**Avocado, mangos and similar fruit with hard seeds: Whole commodity after removal of stone but residue calculated and expressed on whole fruit.**

b. The following six subgroups have been identified:

- Subgroup A “Assorted tropical and sub-tropical fruits - inedible peel” – small
- Subgroup B “Assorted tropical and sub-tropical fruits - inedible smooth peel” - large
- Subgroup C “Assorted tropical and sub-tropical fruits - inedible rough or hairy peel” - large
- Subgroup D “Assorted tropical and sub-tropical fruits - inedible peel” - cactus
- Subgroup E “Assorted tropical and sub-tropical fruits - inedible peel” - vines
- Subgroup F “Assorted tropical and sub-tropical fruits - inedible peel” – palms

c. Detailed classification:

Commodity		
Code no.	Common name	Scientific name
FI 0030	Assorted tropical and sub-tropical fruits - inedible peel	(includes all commodities in this group)
<b>Subgroup A “Assorted tropical and sub-tropical fruits - inedible peel” – small</b>		
FI 2021	“Assorted tropical and sub-tropical fruits - inedible peel” – small	(includes all commodities in this subgroup)

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<b>Commodity</b>		
<b>Code no.</b>	<b>Common name</b>	<b>Scientific name</b>
FI 0343	Litchi	<i>Litchi chinensis</i> Sonn.; Syn: <i>Nephelium litchi</i> Camb.
FI 0342	Longan	<i>Dimocarpus longan</i> Lour. Syn: <i>Nephelium longana</i> (Lam.) Camb.; <i>Euphoria longana</i> Lam.
FI 0366	Spanish lime	<i>Melicoccus bijugatus</i> Jacq.; Syn: <i>Melicocca bijuga</i> L.
FI 0369	Tamarind	<i>Tamarindus indica</i> L., sweet varieties
FI 2463	Wampi	<i>Clausena lansium</i> (Lour.) Skeels
<b>Subgroup B “Assorted tropical and sub-tropical fruits - inedible smooth peel” – large</b>		
FI 2022	<b>“Assorted tropical and sub-tropical fruits - inedible smooth peel” – large</b>	(includes all commodities in this subgroup)
FI 0326	Avocado	<i>Persea americana</i> Mill.
FI 0327	Banana	Subsp. and cultivars of <i>Musa</i> species and hybrids
-	Banana, Dwarf (see Banana)	<i>Musa</i> hybrids, AAA group Syn: <i>Musa acuminata</i> Colla “Dwarf Cavendish”; <i>Musa cavendishii</i> Lambert; <i>Musa nana</i> Lour.
FI 0330	Canistel	<i>Pouteria campechiana</i> (Kunth.) Baenhi; this species includes former <i>Lacuma nervosa</i> A. DC. and <i>Lacuma salicifolia</i> Kunth.
FI 0335	Feijoa	<i>Acca sellowiana</i> (O. Berg) Burret; Syn: <i>Feijoa sellowiana</i> (O. Berg) O. Berg
FI 2488	Langsat	<i>Lansium domesticum</i> Corrêa Syn: <i>Aglaiia domestica</i> ; <i>Aglaiia dookoo</i>
FI 0345	Mango	<i>Mangifera indica</i> L.
FI 0346	Mangostan	<i>Garcinia mangostana</i> L.
FI 0350	Papaya	<i>Carica papaya</i> L.
FI 0352	Persimmon, American	<i>Diospyros virginiana</i> L.
-	Plantain (see Banana)	<i>Musa x paradisiaca</i> L., var. <i>sapientum</i> (L.) Kuntze
FI 0355	Pomegranate	<i>Punica granatum</i> L.
FI 0360	Sapote, Black	<i>Diospyros digyna</i> Jacq. Syn: <i>Diospyros ebenaster</i> Retz.
FI 0363	Sapote, White	<i>Casimiroa edulis</i> La Llave & Lex
FI 0367	Star apple	<i>Chrysophyllum cainito</i> L.

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<b>Commodity</b>		
<b>Code no.</b>	<b>Common name</b>	<b>Scientific name</b>
<b>Subgroup C “Assorted tropical and sub-tropical fruits – inedible rough or hairy peel” – large</b>		
FI 2023	<b>“Assorted tropical and sub-tropical fruits – inedible rough or hairy peel” – large</b>	(includes all commodities in this subgroup)
FI 2520	Atemoya	<i>Annona x atemoya</i> Mabb.
FI 0329	Breadfruit	<i>Artocarpus altilis</i> (Parkinson) Fosberg Syn: <i>Artocarpus communis</i> J.R. et G. Forster
FI 0331	Cherimoya	<i>Annona cherimola</i> Mill.
FI 0332	Custard apple	<i>Annona reticulata</i> L.
FI 0334	Durian	<i>Durio zibethinus</i> L.
FI 0337	llama	<i>Annona macrophyllata</i> Donn. Sm. Syn: <i>Annona diversifolia</i> Saff.
FI 0338	Jackfruit	<i>Artocarpus heterophyllus</i> Lam.; Syn: <i>Artocarpus integrifolia</i> auct
FI 0353	Pineapple	<i>Ananas comosus</i> (L.) Merril
FI 0357	Pulasan	<i>Nephelium ramboutan-ake</i> (Labill.) Leenh.
FI 0358	Rambutan	<i>Nephelium lappaceum</i> L.
FI 0359	Sapodilla	<i>Manilkara zapota</i> (L.) P. Royen Syn: <i>Manilkara achras</i> (Mill.) Fosberg; <i>Achras zapota</i> L.
FI 0362	Sapote, Mammey	<i>Pouteria sapota</i> (Jacq.) H.E. Moore & Stearn; Syn: <i>Calocarpum sapota</i> (Jacq.) Merr.
FI 0365	Soursop	<i>Annona muricata</i> L.
FI 0368	Sugar apple	<i>Annona squamosa</i> L.
<b>Subgroup D “Assorted tropical and sub-tropical fruits - inedible peel” – cactus</b>		
FI 2024	<b>“Assorted tropical and sub-tropical fruits - inedible peel” – cactus</b>	(includes all commodities in this subgroup)
-	Dragon fruit (see Pitaya)	<i>Hylocereus undatus</i> (Haw.) Britton & Rose
FI 2540	Pitaya	<i>Hylocereus</i> spp.; <i>Hylocereus undatus</i> (Haw.) Britton & Rose; <i>Hylocereus megalanthus</i> (K.Schum. Ex Vaupel) Ralf Bauer; <i>Hylocereus polyrhizus</i> (F.A.C. Weber) Britton & Rose; <i>Hylocereus ocamponis</i> (Salm-Dyck) Britton & Rose; <i>Hylocereus triangularis</i> (L.) Britton & Rose

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<b>Commodity</b>		
<b>Code no.</b>	<b>Common name</b>	<b>Scientific name</b>
FI 0356	Prickly pear	<i>Opuntia ficus-indica</i> (L.) P. Miller; <i>Opuntia engelmannii</i> Salm-Dyck ex Engelm. var. <i>lindheimeri</i> (Engelman.) B.D. Parfitt & Pinkava
<b>Subgroup E “Assorted tropical and sub-tropical fruits - inedible peel” – vines</b>		
FI 2025	<b>“Assorted tropical and sub-tropical fruits - inedible peel” – vines</b>	(includes all commodities in this subgroup)
-	Chinese gooseberry (see Kiwifruit)	
FI 0341	Kiwifruit	<i>Actinidia deliciosa</i> (A. Chev.) C. F. Liang & A. R. Ferguson; <i>Actinidia chinensis</i> Planch. and hybrids
FI 0351	Passion fruit	Cultivars of <i>Passiflora edulis</i> Sims
<b>Subgroup F “Assorted tropical and sub-tropical fruits - inedible peel” – palms</b>		
FI 2026	<b>“Assorted tropical and sub-tropical fruits - inedible peel” – palms</b>	(includes all commodities in this subgroup)
FI 2580	Coconut, Young	<i>Cocos nucifera</i> L.

*II. Special notes to reader on food type “01 FRUITS”*

1. Melon-type fruits such as melon, watermelon, cantaloupe, etc., belong to “Fruiting vegetables – Cucurbits”.
2. Taking into consideration the water content and percentage of sugar, the similar use pattern of pesticides and the residues behaviour, and the portion of the commodity to which the MRLs apply, “Persimmon, Japanese” and “Persimmon, Chinese” are grouped under “pome fruits”; whereas “Persimmon, American” is grouped under “Assorted tropical and sub-tropical fruits – inedible peel”.
3. Coconut belongs to “Tree nuts” whereas “Coconut, Young” is grouped under “Assorted tropical and sub-tropical fruits – inedible peel”.
4. Goji berries and ground cherries belong to “Fruiting vegetables other than Cucurbits”.

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## 02 VEGETABLES

### I. Classification

#### Group 9 – Bulb vegetables (group letter code VA)

- a. Portion of the commodity to which the MRL applies (and which is analysed):

**Bulb/dry onions and garlic: Whole commodity after removal of roots and adhering soil and whatever parchment skin is easily detached.**

**Leeks and spring onions: Whole vegetable after removal of roots and adhering soil.**

- b. No subgroup has been identified under this food group.

- c. Detailed classification:

Commodity		
Code no.	Common name	Scientific name
VA 0035	<b>Bulb vegetables</b>	(includes all commodities in this group)
VA 4155	Chives	<i>Allium schoenoprasum</i> L.
VA 4157	Chives, Chinese	<i>Allium tuberosum</i> Rottler ex Spreng.; Syn: <i>Allium odoratum</i> L.
VA 0380	Fennel, Bulb	<i>Foeniculum vulgare</i> Mill.; Syn: <i>Foeniculum officinale</i> All. • var. <i>dulce</i> (Mill.) Thell.; Syn: <i>Foeniculum dulce</i> Mill.; • var. <i>azoricum</i> (Mill.) Thell.; Syn: <i>Foeniculum azoricum</i> Mill.
VA 0381	Garlic	<i>Allium sativum</i> L.
VA 0382	Garlic, Great-headed	<i>Allium ampeloprasum</i> L., var. <i>ampeloprasum</i>
VA 0383	Kurrat	<i>Allium ampeloprasum</i> L., var. <i>kurrat</i> Schweinf. ex Krause Syn: <i>Allium kurrat</i> Schweinf. ex K. Krause
VA 0384	Leek	<i>Allium porrum</i> L.; Syn: <i>Allium ampeloprasum</i> L., var. <i>porrum</i> (L.) Gay
-	Lily	<i>Lilium</i> spp.

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<b>Commodity</b>		
<b>Code no.</b>	<b>Common name</b>	<b>Scientific name</b>
VA 0385	Onion, Bulb	<i>Allium cepa</i> L. var. <i>cepa</i> , various cultivars
VA 0386	Onion, Chinese	<i>Allium chinense</i> G. Don; Syn: <i>Allium bakeri</i> Regel
-	Onion, Pearl	<i>Allium porrum</i> L. var. <i>sectivum</i> Lueder
VA 0387	Onion, Welsh	<i>Allium fistulosum</i> L.
VA 4171	Rakkyo (see Onion, Chinese)	
VA 0388	Shallot	<i>Allium ascalonicum</i> L.; Syn: <i>Allium cepa</i> L., var. <i>aggregatum</i> G. Don
VA 0390	Silverskin onion	<i>Allium cepa</i> L.
VA 0389	Spring onion	<i>Allium cepa</i> L., various cultivars, a.o. White Lisbon; White Portugal
VA 0391	Tree onion	<i>Allium cepa</i> L., var. <i>proliferum</i> Targioni-Tozzetti; Syn: <i>Allium cepa</i> L., var. <i>bulbiferum</i> Bailey; <i>Allium cepa</i> L., var. <i>viviparum</i> (Metz.) Alef

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**Group 10 – Brassica (cole or cabbage) vegetables, Head cabbages, Flowerhead brassicas (group letter code VB)**

a. Portion of the commodity to which the MRL applies (and which is analysed):

**Head cabbages and Kohlrabi: Whole commodity as marketed, after removal of obviously decomposed or withered leaves.**

**Cauliflower and broccoli: flower heads (immature inflorescence only).**

**Brussels sprouts: “buttons” only.**

b. One subgroup has been identified:

- Subgroup A Flowerhead Brassicas – includes Broccoli, “Broccoli, Chinese” and Cauliflower

c. Detailed classification:

Commodity		
Code no.	Common name	Scientific name
VB 0040	<b>Brassica (cole or cabbage) vegetables, Head cabbages, Flowerhead brassicas</b>	(includes all commodities in this group)
VB 0041	Cabbages, Head	<i>Brassica oleracea</i> L., var. <i>capitata</i> L., several subvar. and cvs. Syn: <i>Brassica oleracea</i> L., convar. <i>capitata</i> L.
VB 0402	Brussels sprouts	<i>Brassica oleracea</i> L., var. <i>gemmifera</i> (DC.) Zenker Syn: <i>Brassica oleracea</i> L., convar. <i>oleracea</i> L., var. <i>gemmifera</i> DC.
VB 4175	Cabbage (see Cabbages, Head)	
VB 4177	Cabbage, Green (see Cabbage, Savoy)	
VB 4179	Cabbage, Red (see Cabbages, Head,)	<i>Brassica oleracea</i> L. var. <i>capitata</i> L., subvar. <i>rubra</i> Syn: <i>Brassica oleracea</i> L., convar. <i>capitata</i> L., var. <i>rubra</i>
VB 4181	Cabbage, Oxhead (see Cabbages, Head)	<i>Brassica oleracea</i> L., var. <i>capitata</i> L., subvar. <i>alba</i> , forma <i>conica</i> Syn: <i>Brassica oleracea</i> L., convar. <i>capitata</i> L., var. <i>alba</i> , forma <i>conica</i>
VB 4185	Cabbage, White (see Cabbages, Head)	<i>Brassica oleracea</i> L., var. <i>capitata</i> L., subvar. <i>alba</i> Syn: <i>Brassica oleracea</i> L., convar. <i>capitata</i> L., var. <i>alba</i>

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<b>Code no.</b>	<b>Common name</b>	<b>Scientific name</b>
VB 0403	Cabbage, Savoy (see also Cabbages, Head)	<i>Brassica oleracea</i> L., var. <i>capitata</i> L., subvar. <i>sabauda</i> L. Syn: <i>Brassica oleracea</i> L., convar. <i>capitata</i> L., var. <i>sabauda</i> L.
VB 4187	Cabbage, Yellow (see Cabbage, Savoy)	
VB 0405	Kohlrabi	<i>Brassica oleracea</i> L., var. <i>gongylodes</i> L. Syn: <i>Brassica oleracea</i> L., convar. <i>acephala</i> , var. <i>gongylodes</i>
<b>Subgroup A Flowerhead Brassicas</b>		
VB 0042	<b>Flowerhead brassicas (includes Broccoli, “Broccoli, Chinese” and Cauliflower)</b>	(includes all commodities in this subgroup)
VB 0400	Broccoli	<i>Brassica oleracea</i> L., var. <i>italica</i> Plenck Syn: <i>Brassica oleracea</i> L., convar. <i>botrytis</i> L., var. <i>italica</i> Plenck
VB 0401	Broccoli, Chinese	<i>Brassica oleracea</i> var. <i>alboglabra</i> (L.H. Bailey) Musil Syn: <i>Brassica oleracea</i> L., var. <i>alboglabra</i> Bailey; <i>Brassica oleracea</i> L., var. <i>albiflora</i> Kuntze
VB 4173	Broccoli, Sprouting (see Broccoli)	
VB 0404	Cauliflower	<i>Brassica oleracea</i> L., var. <i>botrytis</i> L., several forms and cvs (white and green) Syn: <i>Brassica oleracea</i> L., convar. <i>botrytis</i> L., var. <i>botrytis</i> L.
VB 4189	Cauliflower, Green (see Cauliflower)	
VB 4191	Kailan (see Broccoli, Chinese)	

**Group 11 – Fruiting vegetables, Cucurbits (group letter code VC)**

a. Portion of the commodity to which the MRL applies (and which is analysed): **Whole commodity after removal of stems.**

b. One subgroup has been identified:

- Subgroup A “Melons, except Watermelon”

c. Detailed classification:

Code no.	Common name	Scientific name
VC 0045	<b>Fruiting vegetables, Cucurbits</b>	(includes all commodities in this group)
VC 0421	Balsam pear	<i>Momordica charantia</i> L. Syn: <i>Momordica charantia</i> L. var. <i>abbreviata</i> Ser.
VC 4195	Bitter gourd (see Balsam pear)	
VC 4197	Bitter melon (see Balsam pear)	
VC 0422	Bottle gourd	<i>Lagenaria siceraria</i> (Molina) Standl.; Syn: <i>Lagenaria vulgaris</i> Ser.; <i>Lagenaria leucantha</i> (Duch.) Rusby
VC 0423	Chayote	<i>Sechium edule</i> (Jacq.) Swartz; Syn: <i>Chayota edulis</i> Jacq.
VC 0424	Cucumber	<i>Cucumis sativus</i> L.; English and forcing cucumber cultivars
VC 0425	Gherkin	<i>Cucumis sativus</i> L.; pickling cucumber cultivars
VC 0427	Loofah, Angled	<i>Luffa acutangula</i> (L.) Roxb.
VC 0428	Loofah, Smooth	<i>Luffa aegyptiaca</i> Mill.; Syn: <i>Luffa cylindrica</i> (L.) M. J. Roem.
VC 0429	Pumpkins	Mature cultivars of <i>Cucurbita maxima</i> Duch. ex Lam.; <i>Cucurbita mixta</i> Pang.; <i>Cucurbita moschata</i> (Duch. ex Lam.) Duch. ex Poir and <i>Cucurbita pepo</i> L.
VC 4251	Vegetable spaghetti (see Pumpkins)	<i>Cucurbita pepo</i>
VC 0433	Winter squash (see Pumpkins)	Mature cultivars of <i>Cucurbita maxima</i> Duch. ex Lam.; <i>Cucurbita mixta</i> Pang.; <i>Cucurbita Moschata</i> (Duch. ex Lam.) Duch. ex Poir and <i>Cucurbita pepo</i> L.
VC 0430	Snake gourd	<i>Trichosanthes cucumerina</i> L.; Syn: <i>Trichosanthes anguina</i> L.

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<b>Code no.</b>	<b>Common name</b>	<b>Scientific name</b>
VC 0431	Squash, Summer	<i>Cucurbita pepo</i> L., var. <i>meloepo</i> Alef several cultivars, immature
VC 4263	Zucchini (see Squash, Summer)	
VC 0432	Watermelon	<i>Citrullus lanatus</i> (Thunb.) Matsum. & Nakai Syn: <i>Citrullus vulgaris</i> Schrad.; <i>Colocynthis citrullus</i> (L.) O. Ktze.
VC 4205	Citron melon (see Watermelon)	<i>Citrullus lanatus</i> (Thunb.) Mansf., var. <i>edulis</i> ; Syn: <i>Citrullus edulis</i> Pang.
VC 4255	Wax gourd	<i>Benincasa hispida</i> (Thunb.) Cogn.; Syn: <i>Benincasa cerifera</i> Savi
-	Hairy gourd	<i>Benincasa hispida</i> (Thunb.) Cogn., var. <i>chieh-qua</i> How
<b>Subgroup A Melons, except Watermelon</b>		
VC 0046	<b>Melons, except Watermelon</b>	Several var. and cultivars of <i>Cucumis melo</i> L. (includes all commodities in this subgroup)
VC 4199	Cantaloupe	<i>Cucumis melo</i> L., var. <i>cantaloupensis</i> Naud.
VC 4219	Melon, Honeydew	Cultivar of Winter, or White-skinned Melon <i>Cucumis melo</i> L., var. <i>inodorus</i> Naud.
VC 4225	Melon, Oriental Pickling	<i>Cucumis melo</i> L., var. <i>conomon</i> Mak
VC 4239	Muskmelon	Cultivar of <i>Cucumis melo</i> L., var. <i>reticulatus</i> Naud.
-	Hami melon	<i>Cucumis melo</i> L., var. <i>saccharinus</i> Naud.

**Group 12 – Fruiting vegetables, other than Cucurbits (group letter code VO)**

a. Portion of the commodity to which the MRL applies (and which is analysed): **Whole commodity after removal of stems.**

**Mushrooms: Whole commodity.**

**Sweet corn and fresh corn: kernels plus cob without husk.**

b. The following two subgroups have been identified:

- Subgroup A Peppers
- Subgroup B “Fungi, Edible (not including mushrooms)”

c. Detailed classification:

<b>Commodity</b>		
<b>Code no.</b>	<b>Common name</b>	<b>Scientific name</b>
VO 0050	<b>Fruiting vegetables, other than Cucurbits</b>	(includes all commodities in this group)
VO 4275	Cherry tomato	<i>Lycopersicon esculentum</i> var. <i>cerasiforme</i> (Dunal) A. Gray Syn: <i>Solanum lycopersicum</i> L. var. <i>cerasiforme</i> (Dunal) D.M. Spooner, G.J. Anderson & R.K. Jansen
VO 4279	Chinese lantern plant (see Ground cherries)	
VO 0440	Egg plant	<i>Solanum melongena</i> L., several var. and cultivars
VO 0449	Fungi, Edible (not including mushrooms)	
-	Goji berry (Wolfberry)	<i>Lycium barbarum</i> L.; <i>Lycium chinense</i> Mill.
VO 0441	Ground cherries	<i>Physalis alkekengi</i> L.; <i>Physalis ixocarpa</i> Brot. ex Horn.; <i>Physalis peruviana</i> L.
VO 0450	Mushrooms	Cultivated cultivars of <i>Agaricus</i> spp. Syn: <i>Psalliota</i> spp., mainly <i>Agaricus bisporus</i> (Codex Stan. 55-1981)
VO 0442	Okra	<i>Abelmoschus esculentus</i> (L.) Moench; Syn: <i>Hibiscus esculentus</i> L.
VO 0443	Pepino	<i>Solanum muricatum</i> L.
VO 0446	Roselle	<i>Hibiscus sabdariffa</i> L., var. <i>sabdariffa</i> L.
VO 0447	Sweet corn (corn-on-the-cob)	<i>Zea mays</i> L., var. <i>saccharata</i> Sturt (Codex Stan. 133-1981); Syn: <i>Zea mays</i> L., var. <i>rugosa</i> Bonof.
VO 1275	Sweet corn (kernels)	(see Codex Stan. 132-1981)

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<b>Commodity</b>		
<b>Code no.</b>	<b>Common name</b>	<b>Scientific name</b>
-	Thai eggplant	<i>Solanum undatum</i> Jacq. non Lam.
VO 4309	Tomatillo	<i>Physalis ixocarpa</i> Brot. ex Horn.
VO 0448	Tomato	<i>Lycopersicon esculentum</i> Mill.; Syn: <i>Solanum lycopersicum</i> L.
<b>Subgroup A Peppers</b>		
VO 0051	Peppers	(includes Peppers, Chili and Peppers, Sweet)
VO 4269	Bell pepper (see Peppers, Sweet)	
VO 4281	Cluster pepper (see Peppers, Chili)	<i>Capsicum annuum</i> L., var. <i>fasciculatum</i> (Sturt.) Irish
VO 4283	Cone pepper (see Peppers, Chili)	
VO 0444	Peppers, Chili	<i>Capsicum annuum</i> L.; several pungent cultivars
VO 4301	Peppers, Long (see Peppers, Sweet)	<i>Capsicum annuum</i> L., var. <i>longum</i> (D.C.) Sendtn.
VO 0445	Peppers, Sweet (including pimento or pimiento)	<i>Capsicum annuum</i> , var. <i>grossum</i> (L.) Sendtn. and var. <i>longum</i> (D.C.) Sendtn.

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**Group 13 – Leafy vegetables (including Brassica leafy vegetables)**  
**(group letter code VL)**

a. Portion of the commodity to which the MRL applies (and which is analysed): **Whole commodity as usually marketed, after removal of obviously decomposed or withered leaves.**

b. One subgroup has been identified:

- Subgroup A Brassica leafy vegetables

c. Detailed classification:

Commodity		
Code no.	Common name	Scientific name
VL 0053	<b>Leafy vegetables</b> <b>(including Brassica leafy vegetables)</b>	(includes all commodities in this group)
VL 0460	Amaranth	<i>Amaranthus</i> spp.; including <i>Amaranthus spinosus</i> L.; <i>Amaranthus dubius</i> C. Mart. ex Thell.; <i>Amaranthus hypochondriacus</i> L.; <i>Amaranthus cruentus</i> L.; <i>Amaranthus viridis</i> L.; <i>Amaranthus tricolor</i> L.; Syn: <i>Amaranthus mangostanus</i> L.
VL 0421	Balsam pear leaves	<i>Momordia charantia</i> L.
VL 4317	Beet leaves (see Chard)	
VL 0461	Betel leaves	<i>Piper betle</i> L.
VL 0462	Boxthorn	<i>Lycium chinense</i> Mill.
VL 0464	Chard	<i>Beta vulgaris</i> L. subsp. <i>vulgaris</i> var. <i>cicla</i> L.; <i>Beta vulgaris</i> L. subsp. <i>vulgaris</i> var. <i>vulgaris</i>
-	Chayote leaves	<i>Sechium edule</i> (Jacq.) Sw.
VL 0465	Chervil	<i>Anthriscus cerefolium</i> (L.) Hoffmann
VL 0469	Chicory leaves (green and red cultivars)	<i>Cichorium intybus</i> L., var. <i>foliosum</i> Hegi
-	Chrysanthemum, edible leaved	<i>Glebionis</i> spp.
-	Chrysanthemum, garland (See Chrysanthemum, edible leaved)	<i>Glebionis coronaria</i> (L.) Cass. ex Spach; Syn: <i>Chrysanthemum coronarium</i> L.

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<b>Code no.</b>	<b>Common name</b>	<b>Scientific name</b>
	Chrysanthemum, corn (See Chrysanthemum, edible leaved)	<i>Glebionis segetum</i> (L.) Fourr.; Syn: <i>Chrysanthemum segetum</i> L.
VL 0470	Corn salad	<i>Valerianella locusta</i> (L.) Laterrade; Syn: <i>Valerianella olitoria</i> Poll.
VL 0510	Cos lettuce	<i>Lactuca sativa</i> L., var. <i>romana</i> <i>Lactuca sativa</i> L., var. <i>longifolia</i>
VL 4335	Crisphead lettuce (see Lettuce, Head)	
VL 4339	Cutting lettuce (see Lettuce, Leaf)	
VL 0474	Dandelion	<i>Taraxacum officinale</i> F. H. Wigg.
VL 0476	Endive	<i>Cichorium endivia</i> L.
VL 0269	Grape leaves	<i>Vitis vinifera</i> L.
VL 0507	Kangkung	<i>Ipomoea aquatica</i> Forssk.; Syn: <i>Ipomoea reptans</i> Poir.
VL 4357	Lambs lettuce (see Corn salad)	
VL 0482	Lettuce, Head	<i>Lactuca sativa</i> L., var. <i>capitata</i> , several cultivars
VL 0483	Lettuce, Leaf	<i>Lactuca sativa</i> L., var. <i>crispa</i> L., several cultivars; Syn: <i>Lactuca sativa</i> , var. <i>foliosa</i>
VL 4359	Lettuce, Red (see Lettuce, Head)	Red cultivar of <i>Lactuca sativa</i> , var. <i>capitata</i>
-	Perilla leaves	<i>Perilla frutescens</i> (L.) Britton var. <i>frutescens</i>
VL 0490	Plantain leaves	<i>Plantago major</i> L.
VL 0492	Purslane	<i>Portulaca oleracea</i> L., ssp. <i>sativa</i> (Haw) Celak.
VL 0494	Radish leaves (including radish tops)	<i>Raphanus sativus</i> L., several var.
VL 4371	Red-leaved chicory (see Chicory leaves)	
VL 4372	Rocket salad (see Rucola,)	
VL 0496	Rucola	<i>Eruca vesicaria</i> (L.) Cav. ssp <i>sativa</i> Mill. <i>Eruca sativa</i> L.
VL 0498	Salsify leaves	<i>Tragopogon porrifolium</i> L.; <i>Scorzonera hispanica</i> L.

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<b>Commodity</b>		
<b>Code no.</b>	<b>Common name</b>	<b>Scientific name</b>
-	Shepherd's purse	<i>Capsella bursa-pastoris</i> (L.) Medik.
VL 0502	Spinach	<i>Spinacia oleracea</i> L.
VL 0503	Spinach, Indian	<i>Basella alba</i> L.; Syn: <i>Basella rubra</i> L.
VL 0508	Sweet potato, leaves	<i>Ipomoea batatas</i> (L.) Lam.
VL 4379	Swiss chard (see Chard)	
VL 0505	Taro leaves	<i>Colocasia esculenta</i> (L.) Schott
-	Water shield	<i>Brasenia schreberi</i> J.F. Gmel.
VL 4389	Water spinach (see Kangkung)	
VL 0473	Watercress	<i>Nasturtium officinale</i> R. Br. and a hybrid of <i>Nasturtium officinalis</i> R. Br. x <i>Nasturtium microphyllum</i> (Boenningh.) Rchb.
-	Yam leaves	<i>Dioscorea</i> spp.
<b>Subgroup A Brassica leafy vegetables</b>		
VL 0054	<b>Brassica leafy vegetables</b>	<i>Brassica</i> spp. (includes all commodities in this subgroup)
-	Big-stem mustard (see Mustard greens)	<i>Brassica juncea</i> (L.) Czern subsp. <i>tsatsai</i> (T.L. Mao) Gladis
VL 4329	Celery cabbage (see Chinese cabbage)	
VL 4331	Celery mustard (see Pak-choi)	
VL 0467	Chinese cabbage (type Pe-tsai)	<i>Brassica pekinensis</i> (Lour.) Rupr., several cultivars Syn: <i>Brassica rapa</i> L., ssp <i>pekinensis</i> (Lour.) Hanelt
-	Chinese flat cabbage	<i>Brassica rapa</i> L. subsp. <i>narinosa</i> (L.H. Bailey) Hanelt
VL 0468	Choisum (Flowering white cabbage)	<i>Brassica rapa</i> L. subsp. <i>chinensis</i> (L.) Hanelt var. <i>parachinensis</i> (L.H. Bailey) Hanelt., several cultivars Syn: <i>Brassica parachinensis</i> L. H. Bailey
VL 4332	Collard (see Kale)	
VL 0478	Indian mustard	<i>Brassica juncea</i> (L.) Czern.

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<b>Code no.</b>	<b>Common name</b>	<b>Scientific name</b>
VL 0480	Kale (including among others: Collards, Curly kale, Scotch kale, Thousand-headed kale; not including Marrow-stem kale)	<i>Brassica oleracea</i> L., convar. <i>acephala</i> (DC.) Alef., var. <i>acephala</i> ; <i>Brassica oleracea</i> L., var. <i>sabellica</i> L.; <i>Brassica oleracea</i> L., var. <i>ramosa</i> DC. L; <i>Brassica oleracea</i> L., var. <i>palmifolia</i> DC.
-	Leaf mustard (see Mustard greens)	<i>Brassica juncea</i> (L.) Czern. subsp. <i>integrifolia</i> (H. West) Thell.
VL 0485	Mustard greens	<i>Brassica juncea</i> (L.) Czern., several cultivars
-	Mustard, tuberous rooted, Chinese	<i>Brassica juncea</i> (L.) Czern. subsp. <i>napiformis</i> (Pailleux & Bois)
VL 0466	Pak-choi or Paksoi, Chinese cabbage (type Pak-choi)	<i>Brassica rapa</i> subsp. <i>chinensis</i> (L.) Hanelt, several cultivars; Syn: <i>Brassica campestris</i> , ssp. <i>chinensis</i> (L.) Makino; <i>Brassica chinensis</i> L.
VL 0506	Turnip greens	<i>Brassica rapa</i> L., var. <i>rapa</i> ; Syn: <i>Brassica campestris</i> L., var. <i>rapifera</i> Metz.

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**Group 14 – Legume vegetables (group letter code VP)**

- a. Portion of the commodity to which the MRL applies (and which is analysed): **Whole commodity, unless otherwise specified.**
- b. Four subgroups have been identified:
- Subgroup A Beans, except broad bean and soya bean (young pods and succulent seeds)
  - Subgroup B Beans, shelled (succulent seeds)
  - Subgroup C Peas (young pods and succulent seeds)
  - Subgroup D Peas, shelled (succulent seeds)
- c. Detailed classification:

<b>Commodity</b>		
<b>Code no.</b>	<b>Common name</b>	<b>Scientific name</b>
VP 0060	<b>Legume vegetables</b>	(includes all commodities in this group)
VP 0522	Broad bean (young pods and succulent seeds)	<i>Vicia faba</i> L. subsp. <i>eu-faba</i> , var. <i>major</i> Harz and var. <i>minor</i> Beck.
VP 0523	Broad bean, shelled	<i>Vicia faba</i> L. subsp. <i>eu-faba</i> , var. <i>major</i> Harz and var. <i>minor</i> Beck.
VP 4443	Pigeon bean (young pods and succulent seeds)	<i>Vicia faba</i> L., subsp. <i>eu-faba</i> , var. <i>minor</i> Beck.
VP 0524	Chick-pea (young pods)	<i>Cicer arietinum</i> L.
VP 0530	Goa bean (young pods)	<i>Psophocarpus tetragonolobus</i> (L.) DC.
VP 0531	Hyacinth bean (young pods and/or succulent seeds)	<i>Lablab purpureus</i> (L.) Sweet; Syn: <i>Dolichos lablab</i> L.; <i>Lablab niger</i> Medik; <i>Lablab vulgaris</i> Savi
VP 0537	Pigeon pea (young pods and/or succulent seeds)	<i>Cajanus cajan</i> (L.) Millsp.; Syn: <i>Cajanus indicus</i> Spreng.
VP 0541	Soya bean (succulent seeds)	<i>Glycine max</i> (L.) Merr.; Syn: <i>Glycine soja</i> Sieb. & Zucc.; <i>Glycine hispida</i> (Moench) Maxim.; <i>Soja max</i> (L.) Piper
VP 0542	Sword bean (young pods and succulent seeds)	<i>Canavalia gladiata</i> (Jacq.) DC.
VP 0543	Winged pea (young pods)	<i>Tetragonolobus purpureus</i> Moench; Syn: <i>Lotus tetragonolobus</i> L.

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<b>Code no.</b>	<b>Common name</b>	<b>Scientific name</b>
VP 0546	Soya bean (young pods)	<i>Glycine max</i> (L.) Merr.; Syn: <i>Glycine soja</i> Sieb. & Zucc.; <i>Glycine hispida</i> (Moench) Maxim.; <i>Soja max</i> (L.) Piper
<b>Subgroup A Beans, except broad bean and soya bean (young pods and succulent seeds)</b>		
VP 0061	<b>Beans, except broad bean and soya bean (young pods and succulent seeds)</b>	<i>Phaseolus</i> spp. (includes all commodities in this subgroup)
VP 0526	Common bean (young pods and/or succulent seeds)	<i>Phaseolus vulgaris</i> L., several cultivars
VP 4409	Field bean (young pods) (see Common bean)	
VP 4415	French bean (young pods and succulent seeds) (see Common bean)	
VP 4421	Green bean (young pods and succulent seeds) (see Common bean)	
VP 4431	Kidney bean (young pods and/or succulent seeds) (see Common bean)	
VP 0534	Lima bean (young pods and/or succulent seeds)	<i>Phaseolus lunatus</i> L.; Syn: <i>Phaseolus limensis</i> Macf.; <i>Phaseolus inamoenus</i> L.
VP 4453	Snap bean (young pods) (see Common bean)	
<b>Subgroup B Beans, shelled (succulent seeds)</b>		
VP 0062	<b>Beans, shelled (succulent seeds)</b>	<i>Phaseolus</i> spp. (includes all commodities in this subgroup)
<b>Subgroup C Peas (young pods and succulent seeds)</b>		
VP 0063	<b>Peas (young pods and succulent seeds)</b>	<i>Pisum</i> spp.; <i>Vigna</i> spp. (includes all commodities in this subgroup)
VP 4395	Asparagus bean (pods) (see Yard-long bean)	

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<b>Commodity</b>		
<b>Code no.</b>	<b>Common name</b>	<b>Scientific name</b>
VP 0527	Cowpea (young pods)	<i>Vigna unguiculata</i> L. Walp., Cv-group <i>unguiculata</i> Syn: <i>Vigna unguiculata</i> (L.) Walp. subsp. <i>unguiculata</i>
VP 0528	Garden pea (young pods)	<i>Pisum sativum</i> L., subsp. <i>hortense</i> (Neilr.) A. et G.; Syn: <i>Pisum sativum</i> L., subsp. <i>sativum</i> L.
VP 0536	Mung bean (young pods)	<i>Vigna radiata</i> (L.) Wilczek, var. <i>radiata</i> ; <i>Vigna aureus</i> (Roxb.) Hepper; Syn: <i>Phaseolus aureus</i> Roxb.
VP 0538	Podded pea (young pods)	<i>Pisum sativum</i> L., subsp. <i>sativum</i> var. <i>axiphium</i> ; <i>Pisum sativum</i> L., subsp. <i>sativum</i> , var. <i>sacharatum</i>
VP 4457	Sugar pea (young pods) (see Podded pea)	<i>Pisum sativum</i> L., subsp. <i>sativum</i> , var. <i>sacharatum</i>
VP 0544	Yard-long bean (young pods)	<i>Vigna unguiculata</i> (L.) Walp., Cv-group <i>sesquipedalis</i> Syn: <i>Vigna unguiculata</i> (L.) Walp. subsp. <i>sesquipedalis</i> (L.) Verdc.
<b>Subgroup D Peas, shelled (succulent seeds)</b>		
VP 0064	<b>Peas, shelled (succulent seeds)</b>	<i>Pisum</i> spp.; <i>Vigna</i> spp. (includes all commodities in this subgroup)
VP 0529	Garden pea, shelled (succulent seeds)	<i>Pisum sativum</i> L., subsp. <i>hortense</i> (Neilr.) A. et G.; Syn: <i>Pisum sativum</i> L., subsp. <i>sativum</i> L.

**Group 15 – Pulses (group letter code VD)**

a. Portion of the commodity to which the MRL applies (and which is analysed): **Whole commodity.**

b. Two subgroups have been identified:

- Subgroup A Beans (dry)
- Subgroup B Peas (dry)

c. Detailed classification:

<b>Commodity</b>		
<b>Code no.</b>	<b>Common name</b>	<b>Scientific name</b>
VD 0070	<b>Pulses</b>	(includes all commodities in this group)
VD 0523	Broad bean (dry)	<i>Vicia faba</i> L., subsp. <i>eu-faba</i> , var. <i>major</i> Harz. and var. <i>minor</i> Beck.
VD 0524	Chick-pea (dry)	<i>Cicer arietinum</i> L.
VD 0531	Hyacinth bean (dry)	<i>LabLab purpureus</i> (L.) Sweet; Syn: <i>Lablab niger</i> Medik; <i>Dolichos lablab</i> L.; <i>Lablab vulgaris</i> Savi.
VD 0533	Lentil (dry)	<i>Lens esculenta</i> Moench; Syn: <i>Lens culinaris</i> Medik; <i>Ervum lens</i> L.
VD 0545	Lupin (dry)	<i>Lupinus</i> spp., sweet spp. var. and cultivars with a low alkaloid content
VD 0537	Pigeon pea (dry)	<i>Cajanus cajan</i> (L.) Millsp.; Syn: <i>Cajanus indicus</i> Spreng.
VD 0541	Soya bean (dry)	<i>Glycine max</i> (L.) Merr.; Syn: <i>Glycine soja</i> Sieb. & Zucc.; <i>Glycine hispida</i> (Moench) Maxim.; <i>Soja max</i> (L.) Piper
<b>Subgroup A Beans (dry)</b>		
VD 0071	<b>Beans (dry)</b>	<i>Phaseolus</i> spp.; several species and cultivars (includes all commodities in this subgroup)
VD 0534	Lima bean (dry)	<i>Phaseolus lunatus</i> L.; Syn: <i>Phaseolus limensis</i> Macf.; <i>Phaseolus inamoenus</i> L.
VD 0526	Common bean (dry)	<i>Phaseolus vulgaris</i> L.
VD 4477	Field bean (dry) (see Common bean (dry))	
VD 4503	Kidney bean (dry) (see Common bean (dry))	
<b>Subgroup B Peas (dry)</b>		

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<b>Code no.</b>	<b>Common name</b>	<b>Scientific name</b>
VD 0072	<b>Peas (dry)</b>	<i>Pisum</i> spp.; <i>Vigna</i> spp. (includes all commodities in this subgroup)
VD 0560	Adzuki bean (dry)	<i>Vigna angularis</i> (Willd.) Ohwi & H. Ohashi; Syn: <i>Phaseolus angularis</i> (Willd.) Wight
VD 0527	Cowpea (dry)	<i>Vigna unguiculata</i> (L.) Walp.; Syn: <i>Vigna sinensis</i> (L.) Savi ex Hassk.; <i>Dolichos sinensis</i> L.
VD 0561	Field pea (dry)	<i>Pisum sativum</i> L., subsp. <i>arvense</i> (L.) A. et G.; Syn: <i>Pisum arvense</i> L.
VD 0536	Mung bean (dry)	<i>Vigna radiata</i> (L.) Wilczek, var. <i>radiata</i> ; <i>Vigna aureus</i> (Roxb.) Hepper; Syn: <i>Phaseolus aureus</i> Roxb.
VD 0539	Rice bean (dry)	<i>Vigna umbellata</i> (Thunb.) Ohwi & H. Ohashi; Syn: <i>Vigna calcarata</i> (Roxb.) Kurz; <i>Phaseolus calcaratus</i> Roxb.

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**Group 16 – Root and tuber vegetables (group letter code VR)**

a. Portion of the commodity to which the MRL applies (and which is analysed): **Whole commodity after removing tops. Remove adhering soil (e.g., by rinsing in running water or by gentle brushing of the dry commodity).**

b. No subgroup has been identified under this food group.

c. Detailed classification:

<b>Commodity</b>		
<b>Code no.</b>	<b>Common name</b>	<b>Scientific name</b>
VR 0075	<b>Root and tuber vegetables</b>	(includes all commodities in this group)
VR 0572	Arrowhead	<i>Sagittaria sagittifolia</i> L.; <i>Sagittaria latifolia</i> Willd.; <i>Sagittaria trifolia</i> L.
VR 0573	Arrowroot	<i>Maranta arundinacea</i> L.; several cultivars
VR 0574	Beetroot	<i>Beta vulgaris</i> L., var. <i>conditiva</i>
VR 0575	Burdock, greater or edible	<i>Arctium lappa</i> L.; Syn: <i>Lappa officinalis</i> All.; <i>Lappa major</i> Gaertn.
VR 0576	Canna, edible	<i>Canna indica</i> L. Syn: <i>Canna edulis</i> Ker. Gawl.
VR 0577	Carrot	<i>Daucus carota</i> L., several subsp., var. and cultivars
VR 0463	Cassava	<i>Manihot esculenta</i> Crantz.; Syn: <i>Manihot aipi</i> Pohl; <i>Manihot ultissima</i> Pohl; <i>Manihot dulcis</i> Pax.; <i>Manihot palmata</i> Muell.-Arg.
VR 0578	Celeriac	<i>Apium graveolens</i> L., var. <i>rapaceum</i> (Mill.) Gaudin
VR 2941	Kudzu	<i>Pueraria lobata</i> (Willd.) Ohwi
VR 0469	Chicory, roots	<i>Cichorium intybus</i> L. var. <i>foliosum</i> hegi and var. <i>sativum</i> Lam. & DC.
VR 4535	Chinese radish (see Radish, Japanese)	
-	Chinese water chestnut	<i>Eleocharis dulchis</i> (Burm. f.) Trin. ex Hensch.
VR 0581	Galangal, Greater	<i>Languas galanga</i> (L.) Stuntz; Syn: <i>Alpinia galanga</i> Sw.
VR 0582	Galangal, Lesser	<i>Languas officinarum</i> (Hance) Farwell
-	Ginseng (Codex Stan. 295R-2009)	<i>Panax</i> spp.

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<b>Code no.</b>	<b>Common name</b>	<b>Scientific name</b>
VR 0583	Horseradish	<i>Armoracia rusticana</i> (Gaertn.) M. et Sch.; Syn: <i>Cochlearia armoracia</i> L.; <i>Armoracia lapathifolia</i> Gilib.
VR 0584	Japanese artichoke	<i>Stachys sieboldii</i> Miq.
-	Konjac	<i>Amorphophallus konjac</i> K. Koch
-	Lotus tuber	<i>Nelumbo nucifera</i> Gaertn.
VR 0588	Parsnip	<i>Pastinaca sativa</i> L.
VR 0589	Potato	<i>Solanum tuberosum</i> L., several subsp., varieties and cultivars
VR 0494	Radish	<i>Raphanus sativus</i> L., subvar. <i>radicola</i> Pers.
VR 0591	Radish, Japanese	<i>Raphanus sativus</i> L., var. <i>longipinnatus</i> Bailey
VR 4563	Rutabaga (see Swede)	
VR 0596	Sugar beet	<i>Beta vulgaris</i> L., var. <i>sacharifera</i> ; Syn: <i>Beta vulgaris</i> L. var. <i>altissima</i>
VR 0497	Swede	<i>Brassica napus</i> L., var. <i>napobrassica</i> (L.) Reichenbach
VR 0508	Sweet potato	<i>Ipomoea batatas</i> (L.) Lam.
VR 4569	Tapioca (see Cassava)	
VR 0505	Taro	<i>Colocasia esculenta</i> (L.) Schott, var. <i>esculenta</i>
VR 0506	Turnip, Garden	<i>Brassica rapa</i> L., var. <i>rapa</i> ; Syn: <i>Brassica campestris</i> L., var. <i>rapifera</i> Metz.
VR 3953	Wasabi root	<i>Wasabia japonica</i> (Miq.) Matsum.; Syn: <i>Wasabia japonica</i> (Miq.) Koidz
VR 0601	Yam bean	<i>Pachyrhizus erosus</i> (L.) Urban; Syn: <i>Pachyrhizus angulatus</i> Rich. ex DC.; <i>Pachyrhizus bulbosus</i> (L.) Kurz; <i>Dolichos erosus</i> L.
VR 4579	Yam, Greater (see Yams)	<i>Dioscorea alata</i> L.
VR 0600	Yams	<i>Dioscorea</i> L.; several species

**Group 17 – Stalk and stem vegetables (group letter code VS)**

- a. Portion of the commodity to which the MRL applies (and which is analysed): **Whole commodity as marketed after removal of obviously decomposed or withered leaves.**

**Rhubarb, leaf stems only.**

**Globe artichoke, flowerhead only.**

**Celery and asparagus, remove adhering soil.**

- b. No subgroup has been identified under this food group.

- c. Detailed classification:

Commodity		
Code no.	Common name	Scientific name
VS 0078	<b>Stalk and stem vegetables</b>	(includes all commodities in this group)
VS 0620	Artichoke, globe	<i>Cynara scolymus</i> L.
VS 0621	Asparagus	<i>Asparagus officinalis</i> L.
VS 0622	Bamboo shoots	<i>Arundinaria</i> spp.; <i>Bambusa</i> spp. including <i>Bambusa blumeana</i> ; <i>Bambusa multiplex</i> ; <i>Bambusa oldhamii</i> ; <i>Bambusa textilis</i> ; <i>Chimonobambusa</i> spp.; <i>Dendrocalamus</i> spp., including <i>Dendrocalamus asper</i> ; <i>Dendrocalamus beecheyana</i> ; <i>Dendrocalamus brandisii</i> ; <i>Dendrocalamus giganteus</i> ; <i>Dendrocalamus laetiflorus</i> and <i>Dendrocalamus strictus</i> ; <i>Gigantochloa</i> spp. including <i>Gigantochloa albociliata</i> ; <i>Gigantochloa atter</i> ; <i>Gigantochloa levis</i> ; <i>Gigantochloa robusta</i> ; <i>Nastus elatus</i> ; <i>Phyllostachys</i> spp.; <i>Thyrsostachys siamensis</i> ; <i>Thyrsostachys oliverii</i> (Poaceae (alt. Gramineae))
VS 0624	Celery	<i>Apium graveolens</i> L., var. <i>dulce</i>
-	Celery leaves (see Group 23 Herbs)	
VS 0625	Celtuce	<i>Lactuca sativa</i> L., var. <i>angustina</i> Irish; Syn: <i>Lactuca sativa</i> L., var. <i>asparagina</i> Bailey

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<b>Commodity</b>		
<b>Code no.</b>	<b>Common name</b>	<b>Scientific name</b>
-	Flowering stalk of Garlic	<i>Allium sativum</i> L.
VS 0626	Palm hearts	among others <i>Raphia</i> spp.; <i>Cocus nucifera</i> L.; <i>Borassus aethiopicum</i> Mart.; <i>Salacca zalacca</i> (Gaertn.) Voss
-	Prickly pear pads	<i>Opuntia ficus-indica</i> (L.) Mill.
VS 0627	Rhubarb	<i>Rheum x hybridum</i> Murray Syn: <i>Rheum rhaponticum</i> L.
-	Water celery	<i>Oenanthe javanica</i> (Blume) DC.
-	Wild rice stem	<i>Zizania caduciflora</i> (Turcz.) Hand-Mazz.
VS 0469	Witloof chicory (sprouts)	<i>Cichorium intybus</i> L., var. <i>foliosum</i> Hegi; green, red and white cultivars

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*II. Special notes to reader on food type “02 VEGETABLES”*

1. “Broccoli, Chinese”/“Kailan” belongs to the food group “Brassica (cole or cabbage) vegetables, Head cabbages, Flowerhead brassicas”.
2. Melon-type fruits such as melon, watermelon, cantaloupe, etc., belong to “Fruiting vegetables – Cucurbits”.
3. Goji berries and ground cherries belong to “Fruiting vegetables other than Cucurbits”.

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## 03 GRASSES

### I. Classification

#### Group 18 – Cereal grains (group letter code GC)

- a. Portion of the commodity to which the MRL applies (and which is analysed): **Whole commodity.**
- b. No subgroup has been identified under this food group.
- c. Detailed classification:

Commodity		
Code no.	Common name	Scientific name
GC 0080	Cereal grains	Seeds of gramineous plants as listed below, and Buckwheat and <i>Chenopodium</i> spp. as listed (includes all commodities in this group)
GC 0640	Barley	<i>Hordeum vulgare</i> L.; Syn: <i>Hordeum sativum</i> Pers.
GC 0641	Buckwheat	<i>Fagopyrum esculentum</i> Moench; Syn: <i>Fagopyrum sagittatum</i> Gilib.
GC 0644	Job's tears	<i>Coix lacryma-jobi</i> L.
GC 0645	Maize	<i>Zea mays</i> L., several cultivars, not including Popcorn and Sweet corn
GC 0646	Millet	Including Barnyard millet, Bulrush millet, Common millet, Finger millet, Foxtail millet, Little millet; see for scientific names, specific commodities listed as Millet, followed by a specific denomination
GC 4645	Millet, Barnyard (see Millet)	<i>Echinochloa crus-galli</i> (L.) Beauv.; Syn: <i>Panicum crus-galli</i> L.; <i>Echinochloa frumentacea</i> (Roxb.) Link; Syn: <i>Panicum frumentaceum</i> Roxb.
GC 4647	Millet, Bulrush (see Millet)	<i>Pennisetum glaucum</i> (L.) R. Br.; Syn: <i>Pennisetum typhoides</i> (Burm. f.) Stapf. & C.E. Hubbard; <i>Pennisetum americanum</i> (L.) Leeke; <i>Pennisetum spicatum</i> (L.) Koern.
GC 4649	Millet, Common (see Millet)	<i>Panicum miliaceum</i> L.

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<b>Commodity</b>		
<b>Code no.</b>	<b>Common name</b>	<b>Scientific name</b>
GC 4651	Millet, Finger (see Millet)	<i>Eleusine coracana</i> (L.) Gaertn.
GC 4653	Millet, Foxtail (see Millet)	<i>Setaria italica</i> (L.) Beauv.; Syn: <i>Panicum italicum</i> L.; <i>Chaetochloa italica</i> (L.) Scribn.
GC 4655	Millet, Little (see Millet)	<i>Panicum sumatrense</i> Roth ex Roem. & Schult.
GC 4661	Pearl millet (see Millet, Bulrush)	
GC 0647	Oats	<i>Avena sativa</i> L.; <i>Avena fatua</i> L.; <i>Avena abyssinica</i> Hochst.; <i>Avena nuda</i> L.
GC 0656	Popcorn	<i>Zea mays</i> L., var. <i>everta</i> Sturt.; Syn: <i>Zea mays</i> L., var. <i>praecox</i>
GC 0648	Quinoa	<i>Chenopodium quinoa</i> Willd.
GC 0649	Rice	<i>Oryza sativa</i> L.; several ssp. and cultivars
GC 0650	Rye	<i>Secale cereale</i> L.
GC 0651	Sorghum	<i>Sorghum bicolor</i> (L.) Moench; several <i>Sorghum</i> ssp. and cultivars
GC 0657	Teosinte	<i>Zea mays</i> ssp. <i>mexicana</i> (Schrader) Iltis; Syn: <i>Zea mexicana</i> (Schrader) Kunze; <i>Euchlaena mexicana</i> Schrader.
GC 0653	Triticale	Hybrid of Wheat and Rye
GC 0654	Wheat	Cultivars of <i>Triticum aestivum</i> L.; Syn: <i>Triticum sativum</i> Lam.; <i>Triticum vulgare</i> Vill.; <i>Triticum durum</i> Desf.; <i>Triticum spelta</i> L.; <i>Triticum dicoccum</i> Schubl.
GC 0655	Wild rice	<i>Zizania aquatica</i> L.

**Group 19 – Grasses for sugar or syrup production (group letter code GS)**

- a. Portion of the commodity to which the MRL applies (and which is analysed): **Whole commodity.**
- b. No subgroup has been identified under this food group.
- c. Detailed classification:

Commodity		
Code no.	Common name	Scientific name
GS 0658	Sorgo or Sorghum, Sweet	Varieties and cultivars of Sorghum of which the stems contain considerable amounts of sweet juice. Among others cultivars of <i>Sorghum bicolor</i> (L.) Moench; <i>Sorghum dochna</i> (Forsk.) Showdon
GS 0659	Sugar cane	<i>Saccharum officinarum</i> L.

## 04 NUTS AND SEEDS

### I. *Classification*

#### Group 20 – Tree nuts (group letter code TN)

a. Portion of the commodity to which the MRL applies (and which is analysed): **Whole commodity after removal of shell.**

**Chestnuts: whole in skin.**

b. No subgroup has been identified under this food group.

c. Detailed classification:

Commodity		
Code no.	Common name	Scientific name
TN 0085	<b>Tree nuts</b>	(includes all commodities in this group)
TN 0660	Almonds	<i>Prunus dulcis</i> (Mill.) D. A. Webb Syn: <i>Amygdalus communis</i> L., <i>Prunus amygdalus</i> Batsch.
TN 0662	Brazil nut	<i>Bertholletia excelsa</i> Humb. & Bonpl.
TN 0663	Butter nut	<i>Juglans cinerea</i> L.
TN 0295	Cashew nut	<i>Anacardium occidentale</i> L.
TN 0664	Chestnuts	<i>Castanea</i> spp.
TN 0665	Coconut	<i>Cocos nucifera</i> L.
-	Ginkgo	<i>Ginkgo biloba</i> L.
TN 0666	Hazelnuts	<i>Corylus avellana</i> L.; <i>Corylus maxima</i> Mill.; <i>Corylus americana</i> Marshall; <i>Corylus californica</i> (A. DC.) Rose
TN 4685	Filberts (see Hazelnuts)	<i>Corylus maxima</i> Mill.
TN 0667	Hickory nuts	<i>Carya ovata</i> (Mill.) K. Koch.; <i>Carya glabra</i> (Mill.) Sweet; other sweet <i>Carya</i> species
TN 0669	Macadamia nuts	<i>Macadamia ternifolia</i> F. Muell.; <i>Macadamia tetraphylla</i> L.A.S. Johnson
TN 0672	Pecan	<i>Carya illinoensis</i> (Wangh.) K. Koch

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Commodity		
Code no.	Common name	Scientific name
TN 0673	Pine nuts	Mainly <i>Pinus pinea</i> L.; also <i>Pinus cembra</i> L.; <i>Pinus edulis</i> Engelm.; <i>Pinus sibirica</i> Du Tour; <i>Pinus koraiensis</i> Siebold & Zucc.; <i>Pinus gerardiana</i> Wall. ex D. Don; <i>Pinus monophylla</i> Torr. & Frém. and other <i>Pinus</i> species, except <i>Pinus armandii</i> Franch. and <i>Pinus massoniana</i> Lamb.
TN 0675	Pistachio nut	<i>Pistacia vera</i> L.
TN 0678	Walnuts	<i>Juglans regia</i> L.; <i>Juglans nigra</i> L.

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**Group 21 – Oilseed (group letter code SO)**

a. Portion of the commodity to which the MRL applies (and which is analysed): **Unless specified, seed or kernels, after removal of shell or husk.**

**Oilfruits: whole commodity.**

b. No subgroup has been identified under this food group.

c. Detailed classification:

<b>Commodity</b>		
<b>Code no.</b>	<b>Common name</b>	<b>Scientific name</b>
SO 0088	<b>Oilseed</b>	(includes all commodities in this group)
-	Canola (see Rape seed)	
SO 0691	Cotton seed	<i>Gossypium</i> spp.; several species and cultivars
-	Flax-seed (see Linseed)	
-	Grape seed	<i>Vitis vinifera</i> L., several cultivars
SO 0692	Kapok	<i>Ceiba pentandra</i> (L.) Gaertn.
SO 0693	Linseed	<i>Linum usitatissimum</i> L.
-	Melon seed	<i>Cucumis melo</i> L. spp. several species and cultivars
SO 0485	Mustard seed	<i>Brassica nigra</i> (L.) Koch; <i>Sinapis alba</i> L. Syn: <i>Brassica hirta</i> Moench
SO 0694	Mustard seed, Field	<i>Brassica campestris</i> L., var. <i>sarson</i> Prain; <i>Brassica campestris</i> L., var. <i>toria</i> Duthie & Fuller
SO 0478	Mustard seed, Indian	<i>Brassica juncea</i> (L.) Czern. & Coss.
-	Olives for oil production	<i>Olea europaea</i> L., var. <i>europaea</i>
-	Palm kernel (see Palm nut)	
SO 0696	Palm nut	<i>Elaeis guineensis</i> Jacq.
SO 0697	Peanut	<i>Arachis hypogaea</i> L.
SO 0703	Peanut, whole	
SO 0698	Poppy seed	<i>Papaver somniferum</i> L.
-	Pumpkin seed	<i>Cucurbita pepo</i> L.
SO 0495	Rape seed	<i>Brassica napus</i> L.
SO 0699	Safflower seed	<i>Carthamus tinctorius</i> L.

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Commodity		
Code no.	Common name	Scientific name
SO 0700	Sesame seed	<i>Sesamum indicum</i> L.; Syn: <i>Sesamum orientale</i> L.
SO 0702	Sunflower seed	<i>Helianthus annuus</i> L.
-	Tea oil plant	<i>Camellia oleifera</i> Abel.
-	Watermelon seed	<i>Citrullus lanatus</i> (Thunb.) Matsum. & Nakai Syn: <i>Citrullus vulgaris</i> Schrad.; <i>Colocynthis citrullus</i> (L.) O. Ktze.

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**Group 22 – Seed for beverages and sweets (group letter code SB)**

- a. Portion of the commodity to which the MRL applies (and which is analysed): **Unless specified, whole commodity (seed only, other parts of the fruit not included).**
- b. No subgroup has been identified under this food group.
- c. Detailed classification:

Commodity		
Code no.	Common name	Scientific name
SB 0091	<b>Seed for beverages and sweets</b>	(includes all commodities in this group)
SB 0715	Cacao beans	<i>Theobroma cacao</i> L.; several ssp.
SB 0716	Coffee beans	Among others <i>Coffea arabica</i> L.; <i>Coffea canephora</i> Pierre ex Froehner; <i>Coffea liberica</i> Bull ex Hiern.; ssp. and cultivars
SB 0717	Cola nuts	<i>Cola nitida</i> (Vent.) Schott & Endl. ; <i>Cola acuminata</i> (P. Beauv.) Schott & Endl.; <i>Cola anomala</i> K. Schum.; <i>Cola verticillata</i> (Thonn.) Stapf ex A. Chev.
SB 4727	Kola, see Cola nuts	

*II. Special notes to reader on food type “04 NUTS AND SEEDS”*

1. Coconut belongs to “Tree nuts” whereas “Coconut, Young” is grouped under “Assorted tropical and sub-tropical fruits – inedible peel”.

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## 05 HERBS AND SPICES

### I. Classification

#### Group 23 – Herbs (group letter code HH)

- a. Portion of the commodity to which the MRL applies (and which is analysed): **Whole commodity as prepared for wholesale or retail distribution.**
- b. No subgroup has been identified under this food group.
- c. Detailed classification:

Commodity		
Code no.	Common name	Scientific name
HH 0092	Herbs	(includes all commodities in this group)
-	Anise	<i>Pimpinella anisum</i> L.
HH 0722	Basil	<i>Ocimum basilicum</i> L.; <i>Ocimum x citrodorum</i> Vis.; <i>Ocimum minimum</i> L.; <i>Ocimum americanum</i> L.; <i>Ocimum gratissimum</i> L.; <i>Ocimum tenuiflorum</i> L.
HH 0724	Borage	<i>Borago officinalis</i> L.
-	Borage, Indian	<i>Plectranthus amboinicus</i> (Lour.) Spreng.
HH 0624	Celery leaves	<i>Apium graveolens</i> L., var. <i>seccalinum</i> Alef
HH 0727	Chives (see Group 09 – Bulb vegetables)	<i>Allium schoenoprasum</i> L.
-	Cilantro (see Coriander leaves)	
-	Coriander leaves	<i>Coriandrum sativum</i> L.
-	Coriander, Vietnamese	<i>Persicaria odorata</i> (Lour.) Sojak.
HH 0729	Curry leaves	<i>Murraya koenigii</i> (L.) Spreng.
HH 0730	Dill	<i>Anethum graveolens</i> L.
HH 0731	Fennel	<i>Foeniculum vulgare</i> Mill.; Syn: <i>Foeniculum officinale</i> All.; <i>Foeniculum capillaceum</i> Gilib.

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<b>Commodity</b>		
<b>Code no.</b>	<b>Common name</b>	<b>Scientific name</b>
-	Fennel, Bulb (see Group 09 – Stalk and stem vegetables)	
-	Japanese pepper leaves	<i>Zanthoxylum piperitum</i> DC.
-	Kaffir lime leaves	<i>Citrus hystrix</i> DC.
-	Laurel leaves	<i>Laurus nobilis</i> L.
HH 0734	Lavender	<i>Lavendula angustifolia</i> Mill.; Syn: <i>Lavendula officinalis</i> Chaix; <i>Lavendula spica</i> L.; <i>Lavendula vera</i> DC.
-	Lemongrass	<i>Cymbopogon citratus</i> (DC.) Stapf; <i>Cymbopogon flexuosus</i> (Nees ex Steud.) Will. Watson
HH 0736	Marjoram	<i>Origanum majorana</i> L.; <i>Marjorana hortensis</i> Moench.; <i>Origanum vulgare</i> L.; <i>Origanum onites</i> L.
HH 0738	Mints	Several <i>Mentha</i> species and hybrids; (see also individual Mints) including <i>Mentha spicata</i> L.; <i>Mentha x piperata</i> L.; <i>Mentha x gracilis</i> Sole; <i>Mentha aquatica</i> L.; <i>Mentha longifolia</i> (L.) Huds.; <i>Mentha arvensis</i> L.; <i>Mentha suaveolens</i> Ehrh.
-	Oregano (see Marjoram)	
-	Pandan leaves	<i>Pandanus amaryllifolius</i> Roxb.
HH 0740	Parsley	<i>Petroselinum crispum</i> (Mill.) Nyman ex A. W. Hill; Syn: <i>Petroselinum sativum</i> Hoffm.; <i>Petroselinum hortense</i> auct.; <i>Petroselinum crispum</i> var. <i>neapolitanum</i> Danert
-	Peppermint (see Mints)	<i>Mentha x piperita</i> L. (= hybrid of <i>Mentha aquatica</i> L. x <i>Mentha spicata</i> L.)
-	Beefsteak plant (Perilla)	<i>Perilla frutescens</i> (L.) Britton var. <i>crispa</i>
HH 0741	Rosemary	<i>Rosmarinus officinalis</i> L.
HH 0742	Rue	<i>Ruta graveolens</i> L.
HH 0743	Sage and related <i>Salvia</i> species	<i>Salvia officinalis</i> L.; <i>Salvia sclarea</i> L.; <i>Salvia triloba</i> L.
HH 0745	Savory, Summer; Winter	<i>Satureja hortensis</i> L.; <i>Satureja montana</i> L.
HH 4765	Spearmint (see Mints)	<i>Mentha spicata</i> L.; Syn: <i>Mentha viridis</i> L.
-	Stevia	<i>Stevia rebaudiana</i> (Bertoni) Bertoni
HH 0749	Tarragon	<i>Artemisia dracunculus</i> L.

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Commodity		
Code no.	Common name	Scientific name
HH 0750	Thyme	Including <i>Thymus vulgaris</i> L.; <i>Thymus serpyllum</i> L.; <i>Thymus citriodorus</i> (Pers.) Schreb. and <i>Thymus</i> hybrids.
HH 0752	Wintergreen leaves	<i>Gaultheria procumbens</i> L. (not including herbs of the Wintergreen family ( <i>Pyrolaceae</i> ))
-	Wasabi leaves	<i>Wasabia japonica</i> (Miq.) Matsum.

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**Group 24 – Spices (group letter code HS)**

a. Portion of the commodity to which MRL applies (and which is analysed):  
**Unless specified, whole commodity as marketed, mainly in the dried form.**

b. Three subgroups have been identified:

- Subgroup A Seeds
- Subgroup B Fruit or berry
- Subgroup C Root or rhizome

c. Detailed classification:

<b>Commodity</b>		
<b>Code no.</b>	<b>Common name</b>	<b>Scientific name</b>
HS 0093	<b>Spices</b>	(includes all commodities in this group)
HS 0777	Cinnamon bark (including Cinnamon, Chinese bark)	<i>Cinnamomum verum</i> J. Presl; Syn: <i>Cinnamomum zeylanicum</i> Blume; <i>Cinnamomum aromaticum</i> Nees; Syn: <i>Cinnamomum cassia</i> (Nees) Nees ex Blume; <i>Cinnamomum burmannii</i> (C. G. & T. Nees) Nees ex Blume; <i>Cinnamomum loureiroi</i> Nees
HS 0778	Cloves, buds	<i>Syzygium aromaticum</i> (L.) Merr. & Perr.; Syn: <i>Eugenia caryophyllus</i> (Sprengel) Bullock & Harrison; <i>Eugenia aromatica</i> Kuntze; <i>Eugenia caryophyllata</i> Thunb.; <i>Caryophyllus aromaticus</i> L.
-	Kaffir lime peel	<i>Citrus hystrix</i> DC.
HS 0788	Mace	Dried aril of <i>Myristica fragrans</i> Houtt.
-	Mastic	<i>Pistacia lentiscus</i> L.
HS 0444	Peppers Chili, dried (Fell outside of the definition of spices for the proposes of setting MRLs (ALINORM 04/27/24) <sup>2</sup> )	

<sup>2</sup> According to the Report of the 36th Session of the Codex Committee on Pesticide Residues, “Noting that MRLs existed for fresh chilli and other peppers for a number of pesticides and that good agricultural practice (GAP) and trial data were required to establish these MRLs, the Committee agreed that chili pepper fell outside of the definition of spices for the proposes of setting MRLs”. In other words, the group MRL for “spices (HS 0093)” would not be applicable to “Peppers Chilli, dried (HS 0444)” whereas the group/subgroup MRL for “Fruiting Vegetables, other than Cucurbits (VO 0050)” and “Peppers (VO 0051)” would be applicable when

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<b>Commodity</b>		
<b>Code no.</b>	<b>Common name</b>	<b>Scientific name</b>
-	Saffron	<i>Crocus sativus</i> L.
HS 3350	Satsuma mandarin peel	<i>Citrus unshiu</i> Marcow.
-	Yuja peel	<i>Citrus junos</i> Siebold ex Tanaka
	Yuzu peel (see Yuja peel)	
<b>Subgroup A Seeds</b>		
HS 0190	<b>Spices, seeds</b>	(includes all commodities in this subgroup)
HS 0720	Angelica seed	<i>Angelica archangelica</i> L.; <i>Angelica sylvestris</i> L.
HS 0771	Anise seed	<i>Pimpinella anisum</i> L.
-	Basil seed	<i>Ocimum</i> spp.
HS 0774	Caraway seed	<i>Carum carvi</i> L.
HS 0775	Cardamom (pods and seeds)	<i>Elettaria cardamomum</i> (L.) Maton; <i>Amomum tsao-ko</i> Crevost & Lemarié; <i>Amomum subulatum</i> Roxb.; <i>Amomum compactum</i> Sol. ex Maton
HS 0624	Celery seed	<i>Apium graveolens</i> L.
HS 0779	Coriander, seed	<i>Coriandrum sativum</i> L.
HS 0780	Cumin seed	<i>Cuminum cyminum</i> L.
HS 0730	Dill seed	<i>Anethum graveolens</i> L.
HS 0731	Fennel, seed	<i>Foeniculum vulgare</i> Mill.; Syn: <i>Foeniculum officinale</i> All; <i>Foeniculum capilaceum</i> Gilib.
HS 0789	Nutmeg	Seed of <i>Myristica fragrans</i> Houltt.
-	Parsley seed	<i>Petroselinum crispum</i> (Mill.) Nyman ex A. W. Hill
<b>Subgroup B Fruit or berry</b>		
HS 0191	<b>Spices, fruit or berries</b>	(includes all commodities in this subgroup)
-	Luo han guo	<i>Siraitia grosvenorii</i> (Swingle) C. Jeffrey ex. A.M. Lu & Zhi Y. Zhang
HS 0790	Pepper, Black; White; Pink; Green	<i>Piper nigrum</i> L. <sup>3</sup>
-	Pepper, Sichuan	<i>Zanthoxylum bungeanum</i> Maxim.; <i>Zanthoxylum schinifolium</i> Siebold & Zucc.; <i>Zanthoxylum simulans</i> Hance; <i>Zanthoxylum piperitum</i> (L.) DC
HS 0792	Pimento, fruit	<i>Pimenta dioica</i> (L.) Merrill; Syn: <i>Pimenta officinalis</i> Lindl.

appropriate, taking into account the principles for determining MRL/EMRL for a food in a dried, dehydrated or concentrated form as stipulated in Section 5(2) of the Pesticide Residues in Food Regulation (Cap. 132CM).

<sup>3</sup> Although white pepper is in principle a processed food belonging to “Derived products of plant origin”, it is listed for convenience in Group 24 Spices. White pepper is prepared from Black pepper, *Piper nigrum* L. The seeds are retted in water and dried after removal of the mesocarp. The resulting white pepper may or may not be ground into powder.

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<b>Commodity</b>		
<b>Code no.</b>	<b>Common name</b>	<b>Scientific name</b>
-	Star anise	<i>Illicium verum</i> Hook. f.
HS 0795	Vanilla, beans	<i>Vanilla mexicana</i> Mill.; Syn: <i>Vanilla fragrans</i> (Salisb.) Ames; <i>Vanilla planifolia</i> Andrews
<b>Subgroup C Root and rhizome</b>		
HS 0193	<b>Spices, root or rhizome</b>	(includes all commodities in this subgroup)
-	Coriander, root	<i>Coriandrum sativum</i> L.
-	Fingerroot	<i>Boesenbergia rotunda</i> (L.) Mansf. Syn: <i>Boesenbergia pandurata</i> (Roxb.) Schltr.
HS 0783	Galangal, rhizomes	<i>Languas galanga</i> (L.) Stunz; Syn: <i>Alpinia galanga</i> Sw.; <i>Languas officinarum</i> (Hance) Farwell; Syn: <i>Alpinia officinarum</i> Hance; <i>Kaempferia galanga</i> L.
HS 0784	Ginger, rhizomes	<i>Zingier officinale</i> Roscoe
HS 0787	Liquorice, roots	<i>Glycyrrhiza glabra</i> L.
HS 0794	Turmeric, root	<i>Curcuma domestica</i> Val.; Syn: <i>Curcuma longa</i> Keunig non L.

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