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Active Ingredient	Trade Name	Class of Product	Registrant	Monitoring Program	US MRL	Codex MRL	Australia MRL	Canada MRL
Aluminum phosphide	Weevil-cide	Insecticide	UPL		— Processed, Dried, Additional 0.01 Processed food 0.1 Date, dried fruit	— Processed, Dried, Additional 0.01 Dried fruits (DF 0167)	0.01 Processed, Dried, Additional 0.01 Dried Fruits 0.01 Dried foods [except as otherwise listed under this chemical]	0.1 Default
Broflanilide		Insecticide			0.01	—	{0.002}	0.01
Carfentrazone-ethyl	Aim	Herbicide	FMC	Canada*, EU*, Great Britain*, Japan, Korea, Taiwan	— Processed, Dried, Additional 0.1 Date, dried fruit	—	0.05	0.1 Default
Dichlorvos		Insecticide		Australia, Canada*, EU*, Great Britain*, Korea, Taiwan	2* Processed, Dried, Additional 0.5 Packed or bagged nonperishable processed food	—	{0.01}	{0.1} Default
Etofenprox		Insecticide		Canada*, EU*, Great Britain*, Japan, Korea, Taiwan	5	—	{0.05}	{0.1} Default



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Aluminum phosphide	Weevil-cide	0.01	0.01	—	0.07 Processed, Dried, Additional 0.01 Fruits, dried	0.05 Processed, Dried, Additional 0.1 Dried fruits	0.01 Default Processed, Dried, Additional 0.01 (Codex) Dried fruits (DF 0167)	—	—
Broflanilide		0.01 Default	0.01	—	0.01 Default	0.01 Default	0.01 Default	—	—
Carfentrazone-ethyl	Aim	0.02	0.01	—	0.1	0.01 Default	0.01 Default	—	—
Dichlorvos		{0.01}	{0.01}	—	{0.1}	{0.01} Default	{0.01} Default	—	—
Etofenprox		{0.01}	{0.01}	—	{0.01} Default	{0.01} Default	{0.01} Default	—	—



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Fluoride		Insecticide		EU*	— Processed, Dried, Additional 70 All processed food commodities not otherwise listed	—	—	0.1 Default
Flupyradifurone	Sivanto	Insecticide	Bayer	EU*, Great Britain*, Korea, Taiwan	8	—	{0.2}	8
Glyphosate	Roundup	Herbicide	Bayer	Canada*, EU*, Great Britain*, Japan	— Processed, Dried, Additional 0.2 Date, dried fruit	—	2	0.1 Default
Hexythiazox	Savey	Insecticide	Gowan	Australia, Canada*, EU*, Great Britain*, Japan, Korea, Taiwan	— Processed, Dried, Additional 3 Date, dried	2	0.05 Processed, Dried, Additional 3 Dates, Dried	2
Indaziflam		Herbicide		EU*	0.01	—	—	0.1 Default
Magnesium phosphide	Magnaphos	Insecticide	UPL		— Processed, Dried, Additional 0.01 Processed food 0.1 Date, dried fruit	— Processed, Dried, Additional 0.01 Dried fruits (DF 0167)	0.01 Processed, Dried, Additional 0.01 Dried Fruits 0.01 Dried foods [except as otherwise listed under this chemical]	0.1 Default



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Fluoride		0.2	2	—	0.01 Default	0.01 Default	0.01 Default	—	—
Flupyradifurone	Sivanto	{0.01}	{0.01}	—	8	{0.01} Default	{0.01} Default	—	—
Glyphosate	Roundup	0.1	0.1	—	0.2	0.05 Import Tolerance	0.01 Default	—	—
Hexythiazox	Savey	2	2	—	2	0.01 Default	2 (Codex)	—	0.01 Processed, Dried, Additional 0.05 Others (tea)
Indaziflam		0.01 Default	0.01 Default	—	0.01 Default	0.01 Default	0.01 Default	—	—
Magnesium phosphide	Magnaphos	0.01	0.01	—	0.07 Processed, Dried, Additional 0.01 Fruits, dried	0.01 Default	0.01 Default Processed, Dried, Additional 0.01 (Codex) Dried fruits (DF 0167)	—	—



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Malathion		Insecticide		Australia, Canada*, EU*, Great Britain*, Japan, Korea, Taiwan	— Processed, Dried, Additional 8 Date, dried fruit	—	2 Processed, Dried, Additional 8 Dried Fruits	0.1 Default
Methoxyfenozide	Intrepid	Insecticide	Corteva	Canada*, EU*, Great Britain*, Japan, Korea, Taiwan	8	—	{0.03}	8
Methyl bromide		Insecticide / Nematicide		EU*, Great Britain*, Japan	10 US Section 18 Expires Dec 31, 2026 Processed, Dried, Additional 125 Processed food other than those listed	—	20 Processed, Dried, Additional 100 Dates, Dried 30 Dried fruits [except as otherwise listed under this chemical]	{0.1} Default
Oxyfluorfen	Oxystar	Herbicide	Albaugh	Australia, Canada*, EU*, Great Britain*, Korea, Taiwan	— Processed, Dried, Additional 0.05 Date, dried fruit	—	0.05	0.1 Default



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Malathion		0.02	0.02	—	8	0.01 Default	0.01 Default	—	0.01 Processed, Dried, Additional 0.05 Others (tea)
Methoxyfenozide	Intrepid	{0.01}	{0.01}	—	{0.01} Default	{0.01} Default	{0.01} Default	—	{0.01} Processed, Dried, Additional 0.05 Others (tea)
Methyl bromide		20	20	—	20 Processed, Dried, Additional 100 Date, dried 30 Fruits, dried	20 Processed, Dried, Additional 30 Dried fruits	{0.01} Default	—	—
Oxyfluorfen	Oxystar	0.01	0.05	—	0.05	0.01 Default	0.01 Default	—	0.01 Processed, Dried, Additional 0.05 Others (tea)



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Phosphine	U-Phos	Insecticide	Degesch		— Processed, Dried, Additional 0.01 Processed food 0.1 Date, dried fruit	— Processed, Dried, Additional 0.01 Dried fruits (DF 0167)	0.01 Processed, Dried, Additional 0.01 Dried Fruits 0.01 Dried foods [except as otherwise listed under this chemical]	0.1 Processed, Dried, Additional 0.01 All processed foods
Pyriproxyfen	Esteem	Insecticide	Valent	Australia, Canada*, EU*, Japan, Korea, Taiwan	0.3	—	{0.1}	{0.1} Default
Spinetoram	Hemi	Insecticide	Corteva	Canada*, EU*, Great Britain*, Korea, Taiwan	0.1	—	{0.01}	0.1 Default
Spinosad	Entrust	Insecticide	Corteva	Australia, Canada*, EU*, Great Britain*, Japan, Korea, Taiwan	0.1	—	{0.01}	0.1 Default
Sulfuryl fluoride	Profume	Insecticide	Douglas Products	EU*	— Processed, Dried, Additional 2 All processed food commodities not otherwise listed	— Processed, Dried, Additional 0.06 Dried fruits (DF 0167)	0.02 Processed, Dried, Additional 0.07 Dried Fruits	0.01 Processed, Dried, Additional 2 All processed foods (other than those listed in this item)



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Phosphine	U-Phos	0.01	0.01	—	0.07 Processed, Dried, Additional 0.01 Fruits, dried	0.05 Processed, Dried, Additional 0.1 Dried fruits	0.01 Default Processed, Dried, Additional 0.01 (Codex) Dried fruits (DF 0167)	—	—
Pyriproxyfen	Esteem	{0.01}	{0.05}	—	{0.01} Default	{0.01} Default	{0.01} Default	—	{0.01} Processed, Dried, Additional 0.05 Others (tea)
Spinetoram	Hemi	{0.02}	{0.05}	—	{0.01} Default	{0.01} Default	{0.01} Default	—	—
Spinosad	Entrust	{0.02}	{0.02}	—	0.1	{0.01} Default	{0.01} Default	—	—
Sulfuryl fluoride	Profume	0.01	0.01	—	0.01 Default	0.01 Default	0.01 Default Processed, Dried, Additional 0.06 (Codex) Dried fruits (DF 0167)	—	—



LEGEND

Active Ingredient	The " Active Ingredient " column lists the chemical substance for which there are established U.S. MRLs. These terms should not be considered residue definitions.
Trade Name	The " Trade Name " column lists product trade names containing the active ingredient. This information is not exhaustive and does not confirm registration for use on this commodity or in all U.S. states.
Class of Product	The " Class of product " indicates the pesticide types, which has been categorized into fungicide, herbicide, insecticide (which, in the context of the QRS, broadly includes rodenticide, molluscicide, miticide, acaricide, fumigant), as well as nematocide, plant growth regulator, and synergist.
Registrant	The " Registrant " column indicates the registrant for the substance in the United States. Data owner and licensed products may be different in other markets.
Monitoring Program	The " Monitoring Program " column indicates the latest publicly available information for select markets. Some countries publish lists of substances planned for monitoring in the current or upcoming years, while others publish residue reports detailing substances tested in past programs. Markets marked with an asterisk (*) indicate that the information is based on monitoring programs from previous years.
U.S. MRL	The " U.S. MRL " column lists the established MRLs in the United States in parts per million (ppm). It does not include substances that are exempt from a tolerance. An established MRL does not mean the active ingredient is registered for use on this commodity in the United States.
"Market" MRL	The " Market " columns list the markets' established MRLs in parts per million (ppm). An established MRL does not mean the product is registered for use on this commodity in the United States.
--	A dash indicates a MRL (or tolerance) is not established for the commodity and active ingredient combination.
{123}	A MRL listed in red text and enclosed in brackets indicates the MRL is more restrictive than the U.S. MRL.
*	An asterisk indicates additional MRLs are in effect and may be applicable to the raw agricultural commodity and pesticide active ingredient. For more information on additional MRLs, please consult the U.S. Code of Federal Regulations and the MRL databases of each foreign market listed under "MRL Information Sources" in this legend.
Default	Default indicates the MRL value displayed is a default tolerance. Some markets apply a default MRL value when a MRL has not been established for the commodity/active ingredient combination.

Import Tolerance	Import Tolerance indicates that the MRL has been set by the country or market for imported products only. Import tolerances do not apply for domestically produced products. This MRL will be noted as an Import Tolerance only if it is specifically identified as such in the MRL regulation. Not all markets indicate whether a MRL is an import tolerance.
LOD	LOD is the " Limit of Determination ," which Codex Alimentarius defines as "the lowest concentration of a pesticide residue or contaminant that can be identified and quantitatively measured in a special food, agricultural commodity, or animal feed with an acceptable degree of certainty by a regulatory method of analysis."
LOQ	LOQ is the " Limit of Quantification ," which is the lowest concentration of a substance that can be measured with certainty using standard tests. The LOQ may be equal to or higher than the LOD.
Processed MRLs	Not all markets establish processed MRLs. For enforcement purposes, markets may choose to apply a processing factor to the MRL established on the raw commodity. Processing factors are usually not publicly available.
US Regional	US Regional indicates a U.S. MRL with regional registration. Such a tolerance is supported by residue data from specific growing regions for a raw agricultural commodity (See US 40 CFR 180.1 (I)).
US Section 18	US Section 18 indicates a U.S. MRL emergency exemption.
Report Updated on	Data updated on January 12, 2026.
ASCE webpage	USDA Foreign Agricultural Service: The Assisting Specialty Crop Exports (ASCE) initiative website.

USDA DISCLAIMER

This MRL Quick Reference Sheet does not guarantee the acceptance of shipments to foreign markets and the decision whether to ship and responsibility for shipping remains that of the shipper taking all relevant information into consideration.

MARKET INFORMATION

The markets listed in the MRL Quick Reference Sheet represent priority destinations for date exports, based on export value. Specific market information and links to the original MRL sources can be found in the sections below.

MARKET	THE FOOD AND AGRICULTURAL IMPORT REGULATION AND STANDARDS (FAIRS) ANNUAL REPORTS
Australia	FAIRS Country Report Annual - Published on July 14, 2025

Canada	FAIRS Country Report Annual - Published on July 1, 2025
European Union	FAIRS Country Report Annual - Published on December 1, 2025
Great Britain	FAIRS Country Report Annual - Published on December 19, 2025
Indonesia	FAIRS Country Report Annual - Published on December 30, 2024
Japan	FAIRS Country Report Annual - Published on January 07, 2026
Korea	FAIRS Country Report Annual - Published on April 22, 2025
Malaysia	FAIRS Country Report Annual - Published on April 22, 2025
Mexico	FAIRS Country Report Annual - Published on December 2, 2025
Taiwan	FAIRS Country Report Annual - Published on January 13, 2026

MARKET	FAIRS EXPORT CERTIFICATE ANNUAL REPORTS
Australia	FAIRS Export Certificate Report Annual - Published on July 21, 2025
Canada	FAIRS Export Certificate Report Annual - Published on July 1, 2025
European Union	FAIRS Export Certificate Report Annual - Published on December 12, 2025
Great Britain	FAIRS Export Certificate Report Annual - Published on December 19, 2025
Indonesia	FAIRS Export Certificate Report Annual - Published on December 30, 2024
Japan	FAIRS Export Certificate Report Annual - Published on December 4, 2025
Korea	FAIRS Export Certificate Report Annual - Published on April 22, 2025
Malaysia	FAIRS Export Certificate Report Annual - Published on April 22, 2025
Mexico	FAIRS Export Certificate Report Annual - Published on December 2, 2025
Taiwan	FAIRS Export Certificate Report Annual - Published on January 13, 2026

MAXIMUM RESIDUE LEVEL (MRL) INFORMATION	
	The MRLs in the quick reference sheet come from FoodChain ID's Regulatory Limits MRL Database , which offers up-to-date information on MRLs established globally. USDA currently funds the 'Starter' subscription for the database where users in the United States can have access to limited current MRL information.

MARKET	MRL INFORMATION SOURCES
United States	Code of Federal Regulations, Title 40, Chapter I, Subchapter E, Part 180
Codex	Codex Pesticide Index
Australia	Agricultural and Veterinary Chemicals (MRL Standard for Residues of Chemical Products) Instrument 2023

Canada	Maximum Residue Limits for pesticides – Health Canada- Consumer Product Safety
European Union	EU - Pesticide database – European Commission – Food safety
Great Britain	The GB MRL statutory Register – Health and Safety Executive
Indonesia	Regulation of the Minister of Agriculture Number 55/Permentan/KR.040/11/2016 of 2016 concerning Food Safety Supervision of Imported Fresh Food of Plant Origin
Japan	Search engine for MRLs – The Japan Food Chemical Research Foundation - List of Agricultural Chemicals and Veterinary Drugs in Foods
Korea	Pesticides and Veterinary Drugs Information – Food Safety Korea
Malaysia	DOA MRL Database
Mexico	COFEPRIS MRL Database
Taiwan	Standards for Pesticide Residue Limits in Foods – Taiwan Food and Drug Administration

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