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Preservatives in Food (Amendment) Regulation 2024

(Made by the Director of Food and Environmental Hygiene under section 55 of the Public Health and Municipal Services Ordinance (Cap. 132))

1. Commencement

This Regulation comes into operation on 30 December 2024.

2. Preservatives in Food Regulation amended

The Preservatives in Food Regulation (Cap. 132 sub. leg. BD) is amended as set out in sections 3 to 11.

3. Section 2 amended (interpretation)

(1) Section 2(1)—

Repeal the definition of *antioxidant*

Substitute

“*antioxidant* (抗氧化劑)—

(a) means a substance, not normally consumed as food by itself nor normally used as a typical ingredient of food, that, when added to, or used in or on, food at any stage of food processing, is capable of prolonging the shelf-life of the food by protecting against deterioration caused by oxidation; but

(b) does not include any vitamins or minerals added to food as nutrients;”.

(2) Section 2(1)—

Repeal the definition of *maximum permitted level*

Substitute

“*maximum permitted level* (最高准許含量)—

- (a) in relation to a permitted food additive specified in column 2 of Schedule 1 to which paragraph (b) does not apply—means the proportion specified in relation to that food additive in column 3 of that Schedule, subject to any note opposite to that food additive in column 4 of that Schedule; or
- (b) in relation to permitted food additives participating in a food additive group and specified, by reference to the group, in column 2 of Schedule 1—means the proportion specified in relation to that group in column 3 of that Schedule which is the proportion applicable to the total amount of the participating additives in that group, subject to any note opposite to that group in column 4 of that Schedule;”.

(3) Section 2(1)—

Repeal the definition of *permitted antioxidant*

Substitute

“*permitted antioxidant* (准許抗氧化劑) means a food additive that—

- (a) is specified—
 - (i) in column 2 of Schedule 1, whether or not by reference to a food additive group of which the food additive is a participating additive; or
 - (ii) in column 2 of Schedule 1B; and
- (b) functions primarily as an antioxidant;”.

- (4) Section 2(1)—

Repeal the definition of *permitted food additive*

Substitute

“*permitted food additive* (准許食物添加劑) means—

- (a) a food additive specified in column 2 of Schedule 1, whether or not by reference to a food additive group of which the food additive is a participating additive; or
- (b) a food additive specified in column 2 of Schedule 1B;”.

- (5) Section 2(1)—

Repeal the definition of *permitted preservative*

Substitute

“*permitted preservative* (准許防腐劑) means a food additive that—

- (a) is specified—
 - (i) in column 2 of Schedule 1, whether or not by reference to a food additive group of which the food additive is a participating additive; or
 - (ii) in column 2 of Schedule 1B; and
- (b) functions primarily as a preservative;”.

- (6) Section 2(1)—

Repeal the definition of *preservative*

Substitute

“*preservative* (防腐劑)—

- (a) means a substance, not normally consumed as food by itself nor normally used as a typical ingredient of food, that, when added to, or used in or on, food at any stage of food processing, is capable of prolonging the shelf-life of the food by protecting against deterioration caused by microorganisms; but
- (b) does not include—
 - (i) common salt (sodium chloride);
 - (ii) sugars;
 - (iii) alcohol or potable spirits, isopropyl alcohol or monoacetin;
 - (iv) herbs or hop extract;
 - (v) spices or essential oils when used for flavouring purposes;
 - (vi) any substance added to food by the process of curing known as smoking; or
 - (vii) any vitamins or minerals added to food as nutrients;”.

(7) Section 2(1)—

Repeal the definition of *alternative form*.

(8) Section 2(1)—

Add in alphabetical order

“*food* (食物) does not include food for special medical purposes;

food additive group (食物添加劑組) means a group of food additives specified in column 1 of Schedule 1A;

participating additive (構成添加劑), in relation to a food additive group, means a food additive that participates in the group and is specified opposite to that group in column 2 of Schedule 1A;”.

- (9) At the end of section 2—

Add

“(4) Subject to the definition of ***maximum permitted level*** in subsection (1), a reference in Schedule 1 to a food additive group is a reference to any or all of the participating additives of that group.”.

4. Section 2A repealed (use of alternative forms)

Section 2A—

Repeal the section.

5. Section 3 amended (restrictions on sale etc. of food containing food additive)

- (1) After section 3(2)—

Add

“(2A) A permitted food additive specified in column 2 of Schedule 1B is permitted to be added to food in accordance with the GMP principles.

(2B) Subsection (2A) does not apply to any relevant food of a scheduled food category that is also specified in Schedule 1C.”.

- (2) Section 3—

Repeal subsection (8)

Substitute

- “(8) Any canned food (including compounded food) may contain nisin but, if the canned food is relevant food of a scheduled food category for which a maximum permitted level is specified in column 3 of Schedule 1 in relation to nisin, only in a proportion not exceeding the maximum permitted level.
- (8A) Any food may contain nisin if nisin is introduced, in the preparation of that food, by the use of canned food that contains nisin as permitted by subsection (8).”.
- (3) Section 3(9)—

Repeal

everything after “sacramental use),”

Substitute

“if—

- (a) for a permitted food additive specified in Schedule 1 for the scheduled food category of the relevant food used in the compounded food—the proportion of the permitted food additive present in the compounded food does not exceed, in relation to the quantity of the relevant food used, the maximum permitted level; or
- (b) for a permitted food additive specified in Schedule 1B—
- (i) the permitted food additive is used in accordance with the GMP principles; and
- (ii) the relevant food used in the compounded food is not of a scheduled food category that is also specified in Schedule 1C.”.

Section 6

6. Section 4 amended (food containing antioxidant not to be recommended for babies and young children)

(1) Section 4, heading—

Repeal

“Food”

Substitute

“Certain food”.

(2) Section 4—

Renumber the section as section 4(1).

(3) After section 4(1)—

Add

“(2) Subsection (1) does not apply to any food if it is a relevant food of food category 13 or any of its sub-categories in Schedule 1.”.

7. Section 10A repealed (transitional: continued application of repealed provisions during transitional period)

Section 10A—

Repeal the section.

8. Section 10B added

Before section 11—

Add

“10B. Transitional provisions for Preservatives in Food (Amendment) Regulation 2024: continued application of repealed or amended provisions during transitional period

(1) During the transitional period, a person who imports, manufactures for sale or sells any article of

food that contains a preservative or an antioxidant (as defined by section 2(1) of the Amended Regulation) does not contravene section 3 if, had the person done so immediately before the commencement date, the person would not have contravened section 3 of the former Regulation.

- (2) During the transitional period, a person who does an act referred to in section 4(1) does not contravene that section if the antioxidant (as defined by section 2(1) of the Amended Regulation) that is in or on the food to which the label, advertisement or description relates was not an antioxidant within the meaning of the former Regulation.
- (3) During the transitional period, a person does not contravene section 5(1) if the substance that—
 - (a) is sold by the person; and
 - (b) is recommended for use as a preservative or an antioxidant (as defined by section 2(1) of the Amended Regulation) in food,was not a preservative or an antioxidant within the meaning of the former Regulation.
- (4) During the transitional period, a person who sells or advertises for sale a preservative or an antioxidant (as defined by section 2(1) of the Amended Regulation), with a view to its use in the preparation of food, does not contravene section 5(3) if, had the person done so immediately before the commencement date, the person would not have contravened section 5(3) of the former Regulation.

- (5) During the transitional period, if any food sold, consigned or delivered by a person contains an added preservative or antioxidant that was specified as permissible in the case of such food in Schedule 1 to the former Regulation, the person does not contravene section 6 if the food is sold, consigned or delivered in accordance with section 6 of the former Regulation.
- (6) To avoid doubt, the provisions of the former Regulation that are necessary to give effect to this section continue to apply to the extent necessary, despite their repeal or amendment by the 2024 Amendment Regulation.
- (7) To avoid doubt, this section (the purpose of which is to enable the continued application of the former Regulation as an alternative to the Amended Regulation during the transitional period) does not otherwise limit or prejudice the application of the 2024 Amendment Regulation.
- (8) In this section—
- 2024 Amendment Regulation** (《2024年修訂規例》) means the Preservatives in Food (Amendment) Regulation 2024;
- Amended Regulation** (《經修訂規例》) means the former Regulation as amended by the 2024 Amendment Regulation;
- commencement date** (生效日期) means 30 December 2024;

former Regulation (《舊有規例》) means the Preservatives in Food Regulation (Cap. 132 sub. leg. BD) as it was in force immediately before the commencement date;

transitional period (過渡期) means the period beginning on 30 December 2024 and ending on 29 December 2026 (both dates inclusive).”.

9. Schedule 1 substituted

Schedule 1—

Repeal the Schedule

Substitute

“Schedule 1

[ss. 2, 3, 4 & 11 & Sch. 1C]

Food which may Contain Food Additive and the Description and Proportion of Food Additive in Each Case

Column 1		Column 2		Column 3	Column 4
No.	Food category or sub-category	Permitted food additives	INS nos.	Maximum permitted level (mg/kg, unless otherwise specified)	Note
1	Dairy products and analogues, excluding infant formulae and follow-up formulae of food categories 13.1.1 and 13.1.2 and their sub-categories (if applicable), and products of food category 2 and its sub-categories (if applicable)				

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Column 1		Column 2		Column 3	Column 4
No.	Food category or sub-category	Permitted food additives	INS nos.	Maximum permitted level (mg/kg, unless otherwise specified)	Note
1.1	Fluid milk and milk products, excluding plain fermented milk products and plain renneted milk products of food category 1.2 and its sub-categories (if applicable)				
1.1.1	Fluid milk (plain), including skimmed, partly skimmed and whole milk		338, 339(i)-(iii), 340(i)-(iii), 341(i)-(iii), 342(i) & (ii), 343(i)-(iii), 450(i)-(iii), (v)-(vii) & (ix), 451(i) & (ii), 452(i)-(v) & 542	1 630	Notes 1 and 2

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Column 1		Column 2		Column 3	Column 4
No.	Food category or sub-category	Permitted food additives	Name	Maximum permitted level (mg/kg, unless otherwise specified)	Note
1.1.2	Other fluid milk (plain) (e.g. plain reconstituted fluid milks, non-flavoured vitamin and mineral fortified fluid milks, lactose reduced milk and plain milk-based beverages), excluding products of food categories 1.1.1, 1.1.3 and 1.2 and their sub-categories (if applicable)	INS nos.	Ascorbic acid, L-	GMP	Note 3
		300	Sodium ascorbate	GMP	Note 3
		307a, b & c	Tocopherols	200	Note 3
		322	Lecithins	GMP	Note 3
		330	Citric acid	GMP	Note 4
		338, 339(i)-(iii), 340(i)-(iii), 341(i)-(iii), 342(i) & (ii), 343(i)-(iii), 450(i)-(iii), (v)-(vii) & (ix),	Phosphates	2 200	Notes 1 and 5

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Column 1		Column 2		Column 3	Column 4
No.	Food category or sub-category	Permitted food additives	Name	Maximum permitted level (mg/kg, unless otherwise specified)	Note
		INS nos.			
		451(i) & (ii), 452(i)-(v) & 542			
		472c	Citric and fatty acid esters of glycerol	GMP	Note 4
1.1.3	Fluid buttermilk (plain)	234	Nisin	12.5	
		325	Sodium lactate	GMP	
		326	Potassium lactate	GMP	
		332(ii)	Tripotassium citrate	GMP	
		338, 339(i)-(iii), 340(i)-(iii), 341(i)-(iii), 342(i) & (ii), 343(i)-(iii), 450(i)-(iii),	Phosphates	1 630	Notes 1 and 2

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Column 1		Column 2		Column 3	Column 4
No.	Food category or sub-category	Permitted food additives	Name	Maximum permitted level (mg/kg, unless otherwise specified)	Note
		INS nos.			
1.1.4	Flavoured fluid milk drinks, including mixes and ready-to-drink fermented or not fermented milk-based drinks with flavourings, excluding cocoa mixes of food category 5.1.1 and its sub-categories (if applicable)	(v)–(vii) & (ix), 451(i) & (ii), 452(i)–(v) & 542	Sorbates	1 000	Notes 7 and 9
		200–203			
		210–213	Benzoates	300	Notes 6 and 7
		234	Nisin	12.5	Note 8
		307a, b & c	Tocopherols	200	Note 12
		334, 335(ii) & 337	Tartrates	2 000	Notes 10 and 11
		338, 339(i)–(iii), 340(i)–(iii), 341(i)–(iii), 342(i) & (ii), 343(i)–(iii), 450(i)–(iii),	Phosphates	1 630	Note 1

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Column 1		Column 2		Column 3	Column 4
No.	Food category or sub-category	Permitted food additives	INS nos.	Maximum permitted level (mg/kg, unless otherwise specified)	Note
1.2	Fermented and renneted milk products (plain), excluding flavoured products of food category 1.1.4 and its sub-categories (if applicable), and desserts of food category 1.7 and its sub-categories (if applicable)		(v)–(vii) & (ix), 451(i) & (ii), 452(i)–(v) & 542	12.5	
			234		
			338, 339(i)–(iii), 340(i)–(iii), 341(i)–(iii), 342(i) & (ii), 343(i)–(iii), 450(i)–(iii), (v)–(vii) & (ix), 451(i) & (ii), 452(i)–(v) & 542		Note 1
			Phosphates		
1.2.1	Fermented milks		234	12.5	
			Nisin		
			Nisin		

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Column 1		Column 2		Column 3	Column 4
No.	Food category or sub-category	Permitted food additives	INS nos.	Maximum permitted level (mg/kg, unless otherwise specified)	Note
	(plain)		290	GMP	
			338, 339(i)-(iii), 340(i)-(iii), 341(i)-(iii), 342(i) & (ii), 343(i)-(iii), 450(i)-(iii), (v)-(vii) & (ix), 451(i) & (ii), 452(i)-(v) & 542	1 630	Note 1
			472c	GMP	
1.2.1.1	Fermented milks (plain), not heat-		234	12.5	
			290	GMP	

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Column 1		Column 2		Column 3	Column 4
No.	Food category or sub-category	Permitted food additives	Name	Maximum permitted level (mg/kg, unless otherwise specified)	Note
	treated after fermentation	INS nos.	Phosphates	1 630	Note 1
		338, 339(i)–(iii), 340(i)–(iii), 341(i)–(iii), 342(i) & (ii), 343(i)–(iii), 450(i)–(iii), (v)–(vii) & (ix), 451(i) & (ii), 452(i)–(v) & 542			
		472c	Citric and fatty acid esters of glycerol	GMP	
1.2.1.2	Fermented milks (plain), heat-treated after fermentation	234	Nisin	12.5	
		290	Carbon dioxide	GMP	
		325	Sodium lactate	GMP	

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Column 1		Column 2		Column 3	Column 4
No.	Food category or sub-category	Permitted food additives	Name	Maximum permitted level (mg/kg, unless otherwise specified)	Note
		INS nos.			
		326	Potassium lactate	GMP	
		327	Calcium lactate	GMP	
		330	Citric acid	GMP	
		332(ii)	Tripotassium citrate	GMP	
		334, 335(ii) & 337	Tartrates	2 000	Note 10
		338, 339(i)-(iii), 340(i)-(iii), 341(i)-(iii), 342(i) & (ii), 343(i)-(iii), 450(i)-(iii)	Phosphates	1 630	Note 1

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Column 1		Column 2		Column 3	Column 4
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		INS nos.			
		(v)–(vii) & (ix), 451(i) & (ii), 452(i)–(v) & 542			
		472c	Citric and fatty acid esters of glycerol	GMP	
		942	Nitrous oxide	GMP	
		200–203	Sorbates	1 000	Note 9
		234	Nisin	12.5	
		290	Carbon dioxide	GMP	
		322	Lecithins	GMP	
		332(ii)	Tripotassium citrate	GMP	
1.2.2	Renneted milk (plain), excluding flavoured renneted milk products of food category 1.7 and its sub-categories (if applicable)				

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Column 1		Column 2		Column 3	Column 4
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			338, 339(i)-(iii), 340(i)-(iii), 341(i)-(iii), 342(i) & (ii), 343(i)-(iii), 450(i)-(iii), (v)-(vii) & (ix), 451(i) & (ii), 452(i)-(v) & 542	1 630	Note 1
1.3	Condensed milk and analogues (plain)		472c	GMP	
1.3.1	Condensed milk (plain), including evaporated milk and sweetened condensed milk		234	12.5	
1.3.2	Beverage whiteners		200-203	200	Note 9

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Column 1		Column 2		Column 3	Column 4
No.	Food category or sub-category	Permitted food additives	Name	Maximum permitted level (mg/kg, unless otherwise specified)	Note
		INS nos.			Note 13
		304 & 305	Ascorbyl esters	80	
		307a, b & c	Tocopherols	200	
		319	Tertiary butylhydroquinone	100	Notes 12 and 14
		320	Butylated hydroxyanisole	100	Notes 12 and 14
		321	Butylated hydroxytoluene	100	Notes 12 and 14
		338, 339(i)-(iii), 340(i)-(iii), 341(i)-(iii), 342(i) & (ii), 343(i)-(iii), 450(i)-(iii), (v)-(vii) & (ix),	Phosphates	13 000	Note 1

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Column 1		Column 2		Column 3	Column 4
No.	Food category or sub-category	Permitted food additives	Name	Maximum permitted level (mg/kg, unless otherwise specified)	Note
1.4	Cream (plain) and the like, excluding flavoured cream products of food categories 1.1.4 and 1.7 and their sub-categories (if applicable)	INS nos. 451(i) & (ii), 452(i)-(v) & 542			
1.4.1	Pasteurized cream (plain)	234	Nisin	12.5	
		322	Lecithins	GMP	
		325	Sodium lactate	GMP	
		326	Potassium lactate	GMP	
		327	Calcium lactate	GMP	

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Column 1		Column 2		Column 3	Column 4
No.	Food category or sub-category	Permitted food additives	Name	Maximum permitted level (mg/kg, unless otherwise specified)	Note
		INS nos.			
		330	Citric acid	GMP	
		332(ii)	Tripotassium citrate	GMP	
		333(iii)	Tricalcium citrate	GMP	
		472c	Citric and fatty acid esters of glycerol	GMP	
1.4.2	Sterilized and ultra-heat treated (UHT) creams, whipping and whipped creams, and reduced fat creams (plain)	234	Nisin	12.5	
		290	Carbon dioxide	GMP	
		322	Lecithins	GMP	
		325	Sodium lactate	GMP	

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Column 1		Column 2		Column 3	Column 4
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		INS nos.			
		326	Potassium lactate	GMP	
		327	Calcium lactate	GMP	
		330	Citric acid	GMP	
		332(ii)	Tripotassium citrate	GMP	
		333(iii)	Tricalcium citrate	GMP	
		472c	Citric and fatty acid esters of glycerol	GMP	
		942	Nitrous oxide	GMP	
1.4.3	Clotted cream (plain)	234	Nisin	10	

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Column 1		Column 2		Column 3	Column 4
No.	Food category or sub-category	Permitted food additives	INS nos.	Maximum permitted level (mg/kg, unless otherwise specified)	Note
1.4.4	Cream analogues, excluding beverage whiteners of food category 1.3.2 and its sub-categories (if applicable)		234	12.5	
			307a, b & c	200	
			338, 339(i)-(iii), 340(i)-(iii), 341(i)-(iii), 342(i) & (ii), 343(i)-(iii), 450(i)-(iii), (v)-(vii) & (ix), 451(i) & (ii), 452(i)-(v) & 542	2 200	Note 1
1.5	Milk powder and cream powder and powder analogues (plain)		234	12.5	

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Column 1		Column 2		Column 3	Column 4
No.	Food category or sub-category	Permitted food additives	INS nos.	Maximum permitted level (mg/kg, unless otherwise specified)	Note
1.5.1	Milk powder and cream powder (plain), including casein and caseinates		234	12.5	
			304 & 305	500	Note 13
			310	200	Notes 12, 14 and 15
			320	100	Notes 12 and 14
			321	200	Notes 12 and 14
			338, 339(i)-(iii), 340(i)-(iii), 341(i)-(iii), 342(i) & (ii), 343(i)-(iii), 450(i)-(iii), (v)-(vii) & (ix),	4 400	Note 1
			Phosphates		

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Column 1		Column 2		Column 3	Column 4	
No.	Food category or sub-category	Permitted food additives	INS nos.	Maximum permitted level (mg/kg, unless otherwise specified)	Note	
1.5.2	Milk powder analogues and cream powder analogues, excluding beverage whiteners of food category 1.3.2 and its sub-categories (if applicable)		451(i) & (ii), 452(i)-(v) & 542			
			234	Nisin	12.5	
			304 & 305	Ascorbyl esters	80	Note 13
			319	Tertiary butylhydroquinone	100	Notes 12 and 14
			320	Butylated hydroxyanisole	100	Notes 12 and 14
			321	Butylated hydroxytoluene	100	Notes 12 and 14
			338, 339(i)-(iii), 340(i)-(iii), 341(i)-(iii), 342(i) & (ii), 343(i)-(iii), 450(i)-(iii),	Phosphates	4 400	Note 1

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Column 1		Column 2		Column 3	Column 4
No.	Food category or sub-category	Permitted food additives	Name	Maximum permitted level (mg/kg, unless otherwise specified)	Note
		INS nos.			
1.6	Cheese and analogues, excluding cheese sauce of food category 12.6.2 and its sub-categories (if applicable), cheese-flavoured snacks of food category 15.1 and its sub-categories (if applicable), and composite prepared foods	(v)–(vii) & (ix), 451(i) & (ii), 452(i)–(v) & 542	Nisin	12.5	
		234			
		1105	Lysozyme	GMP	
1.6.1	Unripened cheese (e.g. cottage cheese, cream cheese and mozzarella	200–203	Sorbates	1 000	Notes 9 and 21
		234	Nisin	12.5	

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		INS nos.			
	cheese)	235	Natamycin (pimaricin)	40	Notes 16 and 17
		243	Lauric arginate ethyl ester	200	
		249 & 250	Nitrites	7	Notes 19 and 20
		251 & 252	Nitrates	35	Notes 18 and 19
		304 & 305	Ascorbyl esters	500	Note 13
		307a, b & c	Tocopherols	200	Note 22
		334, 335(ii) & 337	Tartrates	1 500	Notes 10 and 22

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		INS nos.	Phosphates	4 400	Note 1
		338, 339(i)–(iii), 340(i)–(iii), 341(i)–(iii), 342(i) & (ii), 343(i)–(iii), 450(i)–(iii), (v)–(vii) & (ix), 451(i) & (ii), 452(i)–(v) & 542			
		1105	Lysozyme	GMP	
1.6.2	Ripened cheese (e.g. camembert cheese, cheddar cheese, edam cheese and gouda cheese)	200–203	Sorbates	3 000	Note 9
		234	Nisin	12.5	
		235	Natamycin (pimaricin)	40	Notes 16 and 17

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No.	Food category or sub-category	Permitted food additives	Name	Maximum permitted level (mg/kg, unless otherwise specified)	Note
		INS nos.			
		249 & 250	Nitrites	7	Notes 19 and 20
		251 & 252	Nitrates	35	Notes 18 and 19
		338, 339(i)-(iii), 340(i)-(iii), 341(i)-(iii), 342(i) & (ii), 343(i)-(iii), 450(i)-(iii), (v)-(vii) & (ix), 451(i) & (ii), 452(i)-(v) & 542	Phosphates	1 630	Note 1
		1105	Lysozyme	GMP	

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Column 1		Column 2		Column 3	Column 4
No.	Food category or sub-category	Permitted food additives	Name	Maximum permitted level (mg/kg, unless otherwise specified)	Note
1.6.2.1	Ripened cheese, including rind	INS nos.			
		200–203	Sorbates	3 000	Note 9
		234	Nisin	12.5	
		235	Natamycin (pimaricin)	40	Notes 16 and 17
		239	Hexamethylene tetramine	25	Notes 24 and 25
		243	Lauroic arginate ethyl ester	200	
		249 & 250	Nitrites	7	Notes 19 and 20
		251 & 252	Nitrates	35	Notes 18 and 19
304 & 305	Ascorbyl esters	500	Notes 13 and 23		

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Column 1		Column 2		Column 3	Column 4
No.	Food category or sub-category	Permitted food additives	Name	Maximum permitted level (mg/kg, unless otherwise specified)	Note
		INS nos.	Phosphates	1 630	Note 1
		338, 339(i)-(iii), 340(i)-(iii), 341(i)-(iii), 342(i) & (ii), 343(i)-(iii), 450(i)-(iii), (v)-(vii) & (ix), 451(i) & (ii), 452(i)-(v) & 542			
		1105	Lysozyme	GMP	
1.6.2.2	Rind of ripened cheese	200-203	Sorbates	3 000	Note 9
		234	Nisin	12.5	
		235	Natamycin (pimaricin)	40	Notes 16 and 17

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Column 1		Column 2		Column 3	Column 4
No.	Food category or sub-category	Permitted food additives	Name	Maximum permitted level (mg/kg, unless otherwise specified)	Note
		INS nos.			
		249 & 250	Nitrites	7	Notes 19 and 20
		251 & 252	Nitrates	35	Notes 18 and 19
		338, 339(i)-(iii), 340(i)-(iii), 341(i)-(iii), 342(i) & (ii), 343(i)-(iii), 450(i)-(iii), (v)-(vii) & (ix), 451(i) & (ii), 452(i)-(v) & 542	Phosphates	1 630	Note 1
		1105	Lysozyme	GMP	

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Column 1		Column 2		Column 3	Column 4	
No.	Food category or sub-category	Permitted food additives	INS nos.	Maximum permitted level (mg/kg, unless otherwise specified)	Note	
1.6.2.3	Cheese powder (for reconstitution (e.g. for cheese sauces))		200–203	3 000	Note 9	
			234	12.5		
			235	40	Notes 16 and 17	
			249 & 250	7	Notes 19 and 20	
			251 & 252	35	Notes 18 and 19	
			307a, b & c	300		
			338, 339(i)–(iii), 340(i)–(iii), 341(i)–(iii), 342(i) & (ii), 343(i)–(iii), 450(i)–(iii),	Phosphates	1 630	Note 1
				Tocopherols		

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Column 1		Column 2		Column 3	Column 4
No.	Food category or sub-category	Permitted food additives	Name	Maximum permitted level (mg/kg, unless otherwise specified)	Note
		INS nos.			
		(v)–(vii) & (ix), 451(i) & (ii), 452(i)–(v) & 542			
		1105	Lysozyme	GMP	
1.6.3	Whey cheese	200–203	Sorbates	1 000	Note 9
		234	Nisin	12.5	
		235	Natamycin (pimaricin)	40	Notes 16 and 17
		243	Lauric arginate ethyl ester	200	
		249 & 250	Nitrites	7	Notes 19 and 20
		251 & 252	Nitrates	35	Notes 18 and 19

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Column 1		Column 2		Column 3	Column 4
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		INS nos.	Phosphates	1 630	Note 1
		338, 339(i)–(iii), 340(i)–(iii), 341(i)–(iii), 342(i) & (ii), 343(i)–(iii), 450(i)–(iii), (v)–(vii) & (ix), 451(i) & (ii), 452(i)–(v) & 542			
		1105	Lysozyme	GMP	
1.6.4	Processed cheese (e.g. American cheese, requeson and pepper jack cheese)	200–203	Sorbates	3 000	Note 9
		214, 215, 218 & 219	Hydroxybenzoates, para-	300	Note 26
		234	Nisin	12.5	

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Column 1		Column 2		Column 3	Column 4
No.	Food category or sub-category	Permitted food additives	Name	Maximum permitted level (mg/kg, unless otherwise specified)	Note
		INS nos.			
		235	Natamycin (pimaricin)	40	Notes 16 and 17
		243	Lauric arginate ethyl ester	200	
		249 & 250	Nitrites	7	Notes 19 and 20
		251 & 252	Nitrates	35	Notes 18 and 19
		307a, b & c	Tocopherols	200	
		334, 335(ii) & 337	Tartrates	30 000	Note 10
		338, 339(i)-(iii), 340(i)-(iii), 341(i)-(iii), 342(i) & (ii), 343(i)-(iii), 450(i)-(iii)	Phosphates	9 000	Note 1

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Column 1		Column 2		Column 3	Column 4
No.	Food category or sub-category	Permitted food additives	Name	Maximum permitted level (mg/kg, unless otherwise specified)	Note
		INS nos.			
		(v)–(vii) & (ix), 451(i) & (ii), 452(i)–(v) & 542			
		1105	Lysozyme	GMP	
1.6.5	Cheese analogues, including imitation cheese, imitation cheese mixes and imitation cheese powders	200–203	Sorbates	3 000	Notes 9 and 16
		214, 215, 218 & 219	Hydroxybenzoates, para-	500	Note 26
		234	Nisin	12.5	
		235	Natamycin (pimaricin)	40	Notes 16 and 17
		243	Lauric arginate ethyl ester	200	

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Column 1		Column 2		Column 3	Column 4
No.	Food category or sub-category	Permitted food additives	Name	Maximum permitted level (mg/kg, unless otherwise specified)	Note
		INS nos.			
		249 & 250	Nitrites	7	Notes 19 and 20
		251 & 252	Nitrates	35	Notes 18 and 19
		307a, b & c	Tocopherols	400	
		338, 339(i)-(iii), 340(i)-(iii), 341(i)-(iii), 342(i) & (ii), 343(i)-(iii), 450(i)-(iii), (v)-(vii) & (ix), 451(i) & (ii), 452(i)-(v) & 542	Phosphates	9 000	Note 1
		1105	Lysozyme	GMP	

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Column 1		Column 2		Column 3	Column 4
No.	Food category or sub-category	Permitted food additives	INS nos.	Maximum permitted level (mg/kg, unless otherwise specified)	Note
1.6.6	Whey protein cheese (e.g. ricotta cheese)		200–203	3 000	Note 9
			234	12.5	
			235	40	Notes 16 and 17
			249 & 250	7	Notes 19 and 20
			251 & 252	35	Notes 18 and 19
			260	GMP	
			280	3 000	Note 27
			281	3 000	Note 27
			282	3 000	Note 27
			330	GMP	

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Column 1		Column 2		Column 3	Column 4
No.	Food category or sub-category	Permitted food additives	Name	Maximum permitted level (mg/kg, unless otherwise specified)	Note
		INS nos.			
		338, 339(i)-(iii), 340(i)-(iii), 341(i)-(iii), 342(i) & (ii), 343(i)-(iii), 450(i)-(iii), (v)-(vii) & (ix), 451(i) & (ii), 452(i)-(v) & 542	Phosphates	1 630	Note 1
		1105	Lysozyme	GMP	
1.7	Dairy-based desserts, including ready-to-eat flavoured dairy dessert products and dessert mixes (e.g. ice cream, pudding and fruit or	200-203	Sorbates	1 000	Note 9
		210-213	Benzoates	300	Note 6
		214, 215, 218 & 219	Hydroxybenzoates, para-	120	Note 26
		234	Nisin	12.5	

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Column 1		Column 2		Column 3	Column 4
No.	Food category or sub-category	Permitted food additives	Name	Maximum permitted level (mg/kg, unless otherwise specified)	Note
	flavoured yoghurt), excluding plain fermented milks (e.g. plain yoghurt) of food category 1.2.1 and its sub-categories (if applicable)	INS nos.			
		243	Lauric arginate ethyl ester	200	Note 29
		304 & 305	Ascorbyl esters	500	Notes 13 and 28
		307a, b & c	Tocopherols	500	
		310	Propyl gallate	90	Notes 12 and 28
		334, 335(ii) & 337	Tartrates	2 000	Note 10
		338, 339(i)-(iii), 340(i)-(iii), 341(i)-(iii), 342(i) & (ii), 343(i)-(iii), 450(i)-(iii), (v)-(vii) & (ix),	Phosphates	1 630	Note 1

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Column 1		Column 2		Column 3	Column 4
No.	Food category or sub-category	Permitted food additives	Name	Maximum permitted level (mg/kg, unless otherwise specified)	Note
		INS nos.			
		451(i) & (ii), 452(i)-(v) & 542			
1.7.1	Fruit-containing non-fermented dairy-based desserts	200-203	Sorbates	1 000	Note 9
		210-213	Benzoates	300	Note 6
		214, 215, 218 & 219	Hydroxybenzoates, para-	120	Note 26
		220-228, 539 & -	Sulphites	100	Note 30
		234	Nisin	12.5	
		243	Lauric arginate ethyl ester	200	
		304 & 305	Ascorbyl esters	500	Notes 13 and 28
		307a, b & c	Tocopherols	500	

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Column 1		Column 2		Column 3	Column 4
No.	Food category or sub-category	Permitted food additives	INS nos.	Maximum permitted level (mg/kg, unless otherwise specified)	Note
			310	90	Notes 12 and 28
			334, 335(ii) & 337	2 000	Note 10
			338, 339(i)-(iii), 340(i)-(iii), 341(i)-(iii), 342(i) & (ii), 343(i)-(iii), 450(i)-(iii), (v)-(vii) & (ix), 451(i) & (ii), 452(i)-(v) & 542	1 630	Note 1
1.7.2	Fruit-containing fermented dairy-based desserts, including	Sorbates	200-203	1 000	Note 9
		Benzoates	210-213	300	Note 6

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Column 1		Column 2		Column 3	Column 4	
No.	Food category or sub-category	Permitted food additives	INS nos.	Maximum permitted level (mg/kg, unless otherwise specified)	Note	
	fruit yoghurt		214, 215, 218 & 219	120	Note 26	
			220–228, 539 & –	60	Note 30	
			234	12.5		
			304 & 305	500	Notes 13 and 28	
			307a, b & c	500		
			310	90	Notes 12 and 28	
			334, 335(ii) & 337	2 000	Note 10	
			338, 339(i)–(iii), 340(i)–(iii), 341(i)–(iii), 342(i) & (ii),	1 630	Note 1	

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Column 1		Column 2		Column 3	Column 4
No.	Food category or sub-category	Permitted food additives	Name	Maximum permitted level (mg/kg, unless otherwise specified)	Note
		INS nos.			
		343(i)-(iii), 450(i)-(iii), (v)-(vii) & (ix), 451(i) & (ii), 452(i)-(v) & 542			
1.8	Whey and whey products, excluding whey cheeses of food category 1.6.3 and its sub-categories (if applicable)	234 307a, b & c	Nisin Tocopherols	12.5 200	
1.8.1	Liquid whey and whey products, excluding	234 307a, b & c	Nisin Tocopherols	12.5 200	

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Column 1		Column 2		Column 3	Column 4
No.	Food category or sub-category	Permitted food additives	Name	Maximum permitted level (mg/kg, unless otherwise specified)	Note
		INS nos.	Phosphates	4 400	Note 1
		338, 339(i)-(iii), 340(i)-(iii), 341(i)-(iii), 342(i) & (ii), 343(i)-(iii), 450(i)-(iii), (v)-(vii) & (ix), 451(i) & (ii), 452(i)-(v) & 542			
2	Fats and oils, and fat emulsions	928	Benzoyl peroxide	100	Note 32
2.1	Fats and oils essentially free from water				
2.1.1	Butter oil, anhydrous milkfat and ghee	304 & 305	Ascorbyl esters	500	Notes 13 and 33

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Column 1		Column 2		Column 3	Column 4
No.	Food category or sub-category	Permitted food additives	Name	Maximum permitted level (mg/kg, unless otherwise specified)	Note
		INS nos.			
		307a, b & c	Tocopherols	500	Note 33
		310	Propyl gallate	100	Notes 12, 33 and 34
		311	Octyl gallate	100	Notes 12 and 34
		312	Dodecyl gallate	100	Notes 12 and 34
		319	Tertiary butylhydroquinone	120	Notes 12, 33 and 34
		320	Butylated hydroxyanisole	175	Notes 12, 33 and 34
		321	Butylated hydroxytoluene	75	Notes 12, 33 and 34
		322	Lecithins	GMP	

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Column 1		Column 2		Column 3	Column 4
No.	Food category or sub-category	Permitted food additives	Name	Maximum permitted level (mg/kg, unless otherwise specified)	Note
		INS nos.			
		330	Citric acid	GMP	Note 33
		332(ii)	Tripotassium citrate	GMP	
		333(iii)	Tricalcium citrate	GMP	
2.1.2	Vegetable oils and fats	200-203	Sorbates	1 000	Notes 9 and 36
		304 & 305	Ascorbyl esters	500	Note 13
		307a, b & c	Tocopherols	300	
		310	Propyl gallate	200	Notes 12 and 34
		311	Octyl gallate	100	Notes 12 and 34
		312	Dodecyl gallate	100	Notes 12 and 34

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Column 1		Column 2		Column 3	Column 4
No.	Food category or sub-category	Permitted food additives	Name	Maximum permitted level (mg/kg, unless otherwise specified)	Note
		INS nos.			
		314	Guaiaac resin	1 000	
		319	Tertiary butylhydroquinone	200	Notes 12 and 34
		320	Butylated hydroxyanisole	200	Notes 12 and 34
		321	Butylated hydroxytoluene	200	Notes 12 and 34
		322	Lecithins	GMP	
		330	Citric acid	GMP	Note 12
		332(ii)	Tripotassium citrate	GMP	
		333(iii)	Tricalcium citrate	GMP	
		384	Isopropyl citrates	200	Note 35

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Column 1		Column 2		Column 3	Column 4
No.	Food category or sub-category	Permitted food additives	Name	Maximum permitted level (mg/kg, unless otherwise specified)	Note
		INS nos.			
		388 & 389	Thiodipropionates	200	Note 37
		392	Rosemary extract	700	
		472c	Citric and fatty acid esters of glycerol	100	Note 35
		484	Stearyl citrate	GMP	
		300	Ascorbic acid, L-	GMP	
		304 & 305	Ascorbyl esters	500	Notes 13 and 38
		307a, b & c	Tocopherols	300	Note 39
		310	Propyl gallate	200	Notes 12 and 34
		311	Octyl gallate	100	Notes 12 and 34
2.1.3	Lard, tallow, fish oil and other animal fats				

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Column 1		Column 2		Column 3	Column 4
No.	Food category or sub-category	Permitted food additives	Name	Maximum permitted level (mg/kg, unless otherwise specified)	Note
		INS nos.			
		312	Dodecyl gallate	100	Notes 12 and 34
		314	Guaiaac resin	1 000	
		319	Tertiary butylhydroquinone	200	Notes 12 and 34
		320	Butylated hydroxyanisole	200	Notes 12 and 34
		321	Butylated hydroxytoluene	200	Notes 12 and 34
		322	Lecithins	GMP	
		330	Citric acid	GMP	
		332(ii)	Tripotassium citrate	GMP	

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Column 1		Column 2		Column 3	Column 4
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			333(iii)	GMP	
			384	200	Note 35
			388 & 389	200	Note 37
			392	300	
			472c	100	Note 35
			484	GMP	
2.2	Fat emulsions mainly of water-in-oil type				
2.2.1	Butter		304 & 305	210	Note 13
			310	100	Note 12
			319	200	Note 12

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Column 1		Column 2		Column 3	Column 4
No.	Food category or sub-category	Permitted food additives	INS nos.	Maximum permitted level (mg/kg, unless otherwise specified)	Note
			320	200	Note 12
			321	200	Note 12
2.2.1.1	Butter for manufacturing purposes		304 & 305	210	Note 13
			310	80	Notes 12 and 40
			311	80	Notes 12 and 40
			312	80	Notes 12 and 40
			319	200	Note 12
			320	160	Notes 12 and 40
			321	160	Notes 12 and 40

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Column 1		Column 2		Column 3	Column 4
No.	Food category or sub-category	Permitted food additives	Name	Maximum permitted level (mg/kg, unless otherwise specified)	Note
2.2.2	Fat spreads, dairy fat spreads and blended spreads, including margarine, reduced-fat counterparts of butter, margarine and their mixtures	INS nos.			
		200–203	Sorbates	2 000	Notes 9 and 41
		210–213	Benzoates	1 000	Notes 6 and 41
		214, 215, 218 & 219	Hydroxybenzoates, para-	300	Note 26
		243	Lauric arginate ethyl ester	200	
		262(ii)	Sodium diacetate	1 000	
		304 & 305	Ascorbyl esters	500	Note 13
		307a, b & c	Tocopherols	500	
		310	Propyl gallate	200	Notes 12 and 14
319	Tertiary butylhydroquinone	200	Notes 12 and 14		

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Column 1		Column 2		Column 3	Column 4
No.	Food category or sub-category	Permitted food additives	Name	Maximum permitted level (mg/kg, unless otherwise specified)	Note
		INS nos.			
		320	Butylated hydroxyanisole	200	Notes 12 and 14
		321	Butylated hydroxytoluene	200	Notes 12 and 14
		334, 335(ii) & 337	Tartrates	100	Notes 10 and 43
		338, 339(i)-(iii), 340(i)-(iii), 341(i)-(iii), 342(i) & (ii), 343(i)-(iii), 450(i)-(iii), (v)-(vii) & (ix), 451(i) & (ii), 452(i)-(v) & 542	Phosphates	2 200	Note 1
		384	Isopropyl citrates	100	

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Column 1		Column 2		Column 3	Column 4
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			385 & 386	100	Note 42
			388 & 389	200	Note 37
			484	100	Note 12
2.3	Fat emulsions mainly of oil-in-water type, including mixed and/or flavoured products based on fat emulsions, excluding products with fat derived from milkfat and dessert products of food category 2.4 and its sub-categories (if applicable)		200-203	1 000	Note 9
			210-213	1 000	Note 6
			214, 215, 218 & 219	300	Note 26
			262(ii)	1 000	
			304 & 305	500	Note 13
			307a, b & c	900	
			310	200	Notes 12 and 14
			319	200	Notes 12 and 14

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Column 1		Column 2		Column 3	Column 4
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		INS nos.			
		320	Butylated hydroxyanisole	200	Notes 12 and 14
		321	Butylated hydroxytoluene	200	Notes 12 and 14
		334, 335(ii) & 337	Tartrates	100	Note 10
		338, 339(i)-(iii), 340(i)-(iii), 341(i)-(iii), 342(i) & (ii), 343(i)-(iii), 450(i)-(iii), (v)-(vii) & (ix), 451(i) & (ii), 452(i)-(v) & 542	Phosphates	2 200	Note 1

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2.4	Fat-based desserts, including ready-to-eat products and their mixes, excluding dairy-based dessert products of food category 1.7 and its sub-categories (if applicable)	INS nos.			
		200–203	Sorbates	1 000	Note 9
		210–213	Benzoates	1 000	Note 6
		262(ii)	Sodium diacetate	1 000	
		304 & 305	Ascorbyl esters	80	Note 13
		307a, b & c	Tocopherols	200	
		310	Propyl gallate	200	Notes 12 and 14
		319	Tertiary butylhydroquinone	200	Notes 12 and 14
		320	Butylated hydroxyanisole	200	Notes 12 and 14
		321	Butylated hydroxytoluene	200	Notes 12 and 14
		334, 335(ii) & 337	Tartrates	100	Note 10

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		INS nos.	Phosphates	1 500	Note 1
		338, 339(i)–(iii), 340(i)–(iii), 341(i)–(iii), 342(i) & (ii), 343(i)–(iii), 450(i)–(iii), (v)–(vii) & (ix), 451(i) & (ii), 452(i)–(v) & 542			
3	Edible ices, including water-based frozen desserts, confections and novelties (e.g. sherbet and sorbet)	200–203	Sorbates	500	Note 9
		210–213	Benzoates	1 000	Note 6
		304 & 305	Ascorbyl esters	200	Notes 12 and 13
		307a, b & c 319	Tocopherols Tertiary butylhydroquinone	500 200	Note 12 Notes 12 and 14

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Column 1		Column 2		Column 3	Column 4
No.	Food category or sub-category	Permitted food additives	Name	Maximum permitted level (mg/kg, unless otherwise specified)	Note
		INS nos.			
		320	Butylated hydroxyanisole	200	Notes 12 and 14
		321	Butylated hydroxytoluene	100	Notes 12 and 14
		334, 335(ii) & 337	Tartrates	4 000	Note 10
		338, 339(i)-(iii), 340(i)-(iii), 341(i)-(iii), 342(i) & (ii), 343(i)-(iii), 450(i)-(iii), (v)-(vii) & (ix), 451(i) & (ii), 452(i)-(v) & 542	Phosphates	7 500	Note 1

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No.	Food category or sub-category	Permitted food additives	Maximum permitted level (mg/kg, unless otherwise specified)	Note	
		INS nos.	Name	Note	
		322	Lecithins	Note 45	
		324	Ethoxyquin	Note 44	
		388 & 389	Thiodipropionates	Note 37	
		200–203	Sorbates	Note 9	
4.1.1.2.1	Apples	214, 215, 218 & 219	Hydroxybenzoates, para-	Note 26	
		220–228, 539 & –	Sulphites	Note 30	
		322	Lecithins	Note 45	
		324	Ethoxyquin	3	
		388 & 389	Thiodipropionates	Note 37	
4.1.1.2.2	Pears	200–203	Sorbates	Note 9	

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No.	Food category or sub-category	Permitted food additives	Maximum permitted level (mg/kg, unless otherwise specified)	Note	
		INS nos.	Name	Note	
		214, 215, 218 & 219	Hydroxybenzoates, para-	Note 26	
		220–228, 539 & –	Sulphites	Note 30	
		322	Lecithins	Note 45	
		324	Ethoxyquin		
		388 & 389	Thiodipropionates	Note 37	
		290	Carbon dioxide		
		300	Ascorbic acid, L-		
		301	Sodium ascorbate		
		302	Calcium ascorbate		
4.1.1.3	Peeled or cut fresh fruit, including shredded or flaked fresh coconut		GMP		
			5 000		
			GMP		
			GMP		

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No.	Food category or sub-category	Permitted food additives	INS nos.	Maximum permitted level (mg/kg, unless otherwise specified)	Note
4.1.2	Processed fruit		942	GMP	
4.1.2.1	Frozen fruit		220–228, 539 & –	500	Notes 30 and 48
4.1.2.2	Dried fruit		200–203	500	Note 9
			210–213	800	Note 6
			214, 215, 218 & 219	800	Note 26
			220–228, 539 & –	1 000	Notes 30 and 49
			243	200	
			304 & 305	80	Note 13
			307a, b & c	200	

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Column 1		Column 2		Column 3	Column 4
No.	Food category or sub-category	Permitted food additives	INS nos.	Maximum permitted level (mg/kg, unless otherwise specified)	Note
			385 & 386	265	Note 42
4.1.2.3	Fruit pickled in vinegar, oil or brine		200–203	1 000	Note 9
			210–213	1 000	Note 6
			214, 215, 218 & 219	250	Note 26
			220–228, 539 & –	100	Note 30
			334, 335(ii) & 337	1 000	Note 10
		Phosphates	338, 339(i)–(iii), 340(i)–(iii), 341(i)–(iii), 342(i) & (ii), 343(i)–(iii), 450(i)–(iii),	2 200	Note 1

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Column 1		Column 2		Column 3	Column 4	
No.	Food category or sub-category	Permitted food additives	INS nos.	Maximum permitted level (mg/kg, unless otherwise specified)	Note	
4.1.2.4	Canned or bottled (pasteurized or heat-sterilized) fruit		(v)–(vii) & (ix), 451(i) & (ii), 452(i)–(v) & 542			
			385 & 386	Ethylenediamine-tetraacetates	250	Note 42
			210–213	Benzoates	800	Notes 6 and 50
			214, 215, 218 & 219	Hydroxybenzoates, para-	800	Notes 26 and 50
			220–228, 539 & –	Sulphites	350	Note 30
4.1.2.5	Jams, jellies and		334, 335(ii) & 337	Tartrates	1 300	Notes 10 and 53
			512	Stannous chloride	20	Notes 51 and 52
			200–203	Sorbates	1 000	Note 9

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Column 1		Column 2		Column 3	Column 4
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	marmalades		210–213	1 000	Note 6
			214, 215, 218 & 219	250	Note 26
			220–228, 539 & –	100	Note 30
			334, 335(ii) & 337	3 000	Note 10
			385 & 386	130	Note 42
4.1.2.6	Fruit-based spreads (e.g. apple butter, lemon curd and chutney), excluding products of food category 4.1.2.5 and its sub-categories (if applicable)		200–203	1 000	Note 9
			210–213	1 000	Note 6
			214, 215, 218 & 219	1 000	Note 26
			220–228, 539 & –	100	Note 30
			307a, b & c	200	

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Column 1		Column 2		Column 3	Column 4
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		INS nos.			
		338, 339(i)-(iii), 340(i)-(iii), 341(i)-(iii), 342(i) & (ii), 343(i)-(iii), 450(i)-(iii), (v)-(vii) & (ix), 451(i) & (ii), 452(i)-(v) & 542	Phosphates	1 100	Note 1
		385 & 386	Ethylenediamine-tetraacetates	100	Note 42
		200-203	Sorbates	500	Note 9
		210-213	Benzoates	1 000	Note 6
		214, 215, 218 & 219	Hydroxybenzoates, para-	1 000	Note 26
		220-228, 539 & -	Sulphites	350	Note 30
4.1.2.7	Candied fruit				

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Column 1		Column 2		Column 3	Column 4
No.	Food category or sub-category	Permitted food additives	INS nos.	Maximum permitted level (mg/kg, unless otherwise specified)	Note
			334, 335(ii) & 337	20 000	Note 10
			338, 339(i)-(iii), 340(i)-(iii), 341(i)-(iii), 342(i) & (ii), 343(i)-(iii), 450(i)-(iii), (v)-(vii) & (ix), 451(i) & (ii), 452(i)-(v) & 542	10	Note 1
			Tartrates		
			Phosphates		
4.1.2.8	Fruit preparations, including pulps, purees, fruit sauces, fruit toppings, coconut milk and coconut		200-203	1 000	Note 9
			210-213	1 000	Note 6
			214, 215, 218 & 219	800	Note 26
			Sorbates		
			Benzoates		
			Hydroxybenzoates, para-		

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Column 1		Column 2		Column 3	Column 4
No.	Food category or sub-category	Permitted food additives	Name	Maximum permitted level (mg/kg, unless otherwise specified)	Note
		INS nos.			
	cream	220–228, 539 & –	Sulphites	100	Notes 30 and 54
		307a, b & c	Tocopherols	150	
		338, 339(i)–(iii), 340(i)–(iii), 341(i)–(iii), 342(i) & (ii), 343(i)–(iii), 450(i)–(iii), (v)–(vii) & (ix), 451(i) & (ii), 452(i)–(v) & 542	Phosphates	350	Note 1
4.1.2.9	Fruit-based desserts, including ready-to-eat products and mixes and fruit-flavoured water-based desserts,	200–203	Sorbates	1 000	Note 9
		210–213	Benzoates	1 000	Note 6
		214, 215, 218 & 219	Hydroxybenzoates, para-	800	Note 26

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Column 1		Column 2		Column 3	Column 4
No.	Food category or sub-category	Permitted food additives	INS nos.	Maximum permitted level (mg/kg, unless otherwise specified)	Note
	excluding fine bakery wares containing fruit of food categories 7.2.1 and 7.2.2 and their sub-categories (if applicable), fruit-flavoured edible ices of food category 3 and its sub-categories (if applicable) and fruit-containing frozen dairy desserts of food category 1.7 and its sub-categories (if applicable)	Sulphites	220–228, 539 & –	100	Note 30
		Ascorbyl esters	304 & 305	500	Notes 13 and 28
		Tocopherols	307a, b & c	500	Note 12
		Propyl gallate	310	90	Notes 12 and 28
		Tartrates	334, 335(ii) & 337	1 000	Note 10
		Phosphates	338, 339(i)–(iii), 340(i)–(iii), 341(i)–(iii), 342(i) & (ii), 343(i)–(iii), 450(i)–(iii), (v)–(vii) & (ix),	1 500	Note 1

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Column 1		Column 2		Column 3	Column 4	
No.	Food category or sub-category	Permitted food additives	INS nos.	Maximum permitted level (mg/kg, unless otherwise specified)	Note	
4.1.2.10	Fermented fruit products		451(i) & (ii), 452(i)-(v) & 542			
			200-203	Sorbates	1 000	Note 9
			210-213	Benzoates	1 000	Note 6
			214, 215, 218 & 219	Hydroxybenzoates, para-	800	Note 26
			220-228, 539 & -	Sulphites	100	Note 30
			338, 339(i)-(iii), 340(i)-(iii), 341(i)-(iii), 342(i) & (ii), 343(i)-(iii), 450(i)-(iii), (v)-(vii) & (ix),	Phosphates	2 200	Note 1

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Column 1		Column 2		Column 3	Column 4
No.	Food category or sub-category	Permitted food additives	Name	Maximum permitted level (mg/kg, unless otherwise specified)	Note
		INS nos.			
		451(i) & (ii), 452(i)-(v) & 542			
		385 & 386	Ethylenediamine-tetraacetates	250	Note 42
		200-203	Sorbates	1 000	Note 9
		210-213	Benzoates	1 000	Note 6
		214, 215, 218 & 219	Hydroxybenzoates, para-	800	Note 26
		220-228, 539 & –	Sulphites	100	Note 30
		243	Lauric arginate ethyl ester	200	
		307a, b & c	Tocopherols	150	
		334, 335(ii) & 337	Tartrates	10 000	Note 10
4.1.2.11	Fruit fillings for pastries, including ready-to-eat products and mixes, excluding purees of food category 4.1.2.8 and its sub-categories (if applicable)				

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Column 1		Column 2		Column 3	Column 4
No.	Food category or sub-category	Permitted food additives	Name	Maximum permitted level (mg/kg, unless otherwise specified)	Note
		INS nos.			
		338, 339(i)-(iii), 340(i)-(iii), 341(i)-(iii), 342(i) & (ii), 343(i)-(iii), 450(i)-(iii), (v)-(vii) & (ix), 451(i) & (ii), 452(i)-(v) & 542	Phosphates	1 500	Note 1
		385 & 386	Ethylenediamine-tetraacetates	650	Note 42
4.1.2.12	Cooked fruit	200-203	Sorbates	1 200	Note 9
		210-213	Benzoates	1 000	Notes 6 and 50
		214, 215, 218 & 219	Hydroxybenzoates, para-	800	Notes 26 and 50

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Column 1		Column 2		Column 3	Column 4
No.	Food category or sub-category	Permitted food additives	INS nos.	Maximum permitted level (mg/kg, unless otherwise specified)	Note
			220-228, 539 & –	350	Note 30
4.2	Vegetables (including mushrooms and fungi, roots and tubers, pulses and legumes, and aloe vera), seaweeds, and nuts and seeds		Sulphites		
4.2.1	Fresh vegetables (including mushrooms and fungi, roots and tubers, pulses and legumes, and aloe vera), seaweeds, and nuts and seeds				

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Column 1		Column 2		Column 3	Column 4
No.	Food category or sub-category	Permitted food additives	INS nos.	Maximum permitted level (mg/kg, unless otherwise specified)	Note
4.2.1.1	Untreated fresh vegetables (including mushrooms and fungi, roots and tubers, pulses and legumes (including soybeans), and aloe vera), seaweeds, and nuts and seeds	Acetic acid, glacial	260	GMP	Notes 55 and 56
		Ascorbic acid, L-	300	500	Note 55
		Citric acid	330	GMP	Note 55
4.2.1.2	Surface-treated fresh vegetables (including mushrooms and fungi, roots and tubers, pulses and legumes, and aloe vera), seaweeds, and nuts and seeds	Sorbates	200–203	500	Note 9
		Hydroxybenzoates, para-	214, 215, 218 & 219	12	Note 26
		Lauric arginate ethyl ester	243	200	
		Lecithins	322	GMP	Notes 57 and 58

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Column 1		Column 2		Column 3	Column 4
No.	Food category or sub-category	Permitted food additives	Name	Maximum permitted level (mg/kg, unless otherwise specified)	Note
		INS nos.	Phosphates	1 760	Notes 1 and 59
		338, 339(i)-(iii), 340(i)-(iii), 341(i)-(iii), 342(i) & (ii), 343(i)-(iii), 450(i)-(iii), (v)-(vii) & (ix), 451(i) & (ii), 452(i)-(v) & 542			
		388 & 389	Thiodipropionates	70	Note 37
4.2.1.3	Peeled, cut or shredded fresh vegetables (including mushrooms and fungi, roots and tubers, pulses and legumes, and aloe	220-228, 539 & -	Sulphites	50	Notes 30, 60 and 61
		243	Lauric arginate ethyl ester	200	
		300	Ascorbic acid, L-	5 000	

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No.	Food category or sub-category	Permitted food additives	Name	Maximum permitted level (mg/kg, unless otherwise specified)	Note
	vera), seaweeds, and nuts and seeds	INS nos.	Sodium ascorbate	GMP	Note 44 Notes 1 and 60
		301	Calcium ascorbate	1 000	
		302	Phosphates	5 600	
		338, 339(i)-(iii), 340(i)-(iii), 341(i)-(iii), 342(i) & (ii), 343(i)-(iii), 450(i)-(iii), (v)-(vii) & (ix), 451(i) & (ii), 452(i)-(v) & 542			

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No.	Food category or sub-category	Permitted food additives	INS nos.	Maximum permitted level (mg/kg, unless otherwise specified)	Note
4.2.2	Processed vegetables (including mushrooms and fungi, roots and tubers, pulses and legumes, and aloe vera), seaweeds, and nuts and seeds				
4.2.2.1	Frozen vegetables (including mushrooms and fungi, roots and tubers, pulses and legumes, and aloe vera), seaweeds, and nuts and seeds		200–203	500	Notes 9 and 63
			220–228, 539 & –	50	Notes 30, 60, 61 and 64
			260	GMP	Notes 55 and 56
			300	GMP	Note 62
			330	GMP	Notes 55 and 62

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Column 1		Column 2		Column 3	Column 4
No.	Food category or sub-category	Permitted food additives	Name	Maximum permitted level (mg/kg, unless otherwise specified)	Note
		INS nos.			
		332(ii)	Tripotassium citrate	GMP	
		333(iii)	Tricalcium citrate	GMP	
		338, 339(i)-(iii), 340(i)-(iii), 341(i)-(iii), 342(i) & (ii), 343(i)-(iii), 450(i)-(iii), (v)-(vii) & (ix), 451(i) & (ii), 452(i)-(v) & 542	Phosphates	5 000	Notes 1 and 60
		385 & 386	Ethylenediamine-tetraacetates	100	Notes 42 and 62

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Column 1		Column 2		Column 3	Column 4
No.	Food category or sub-category	Permitted food additives	Name	Maximum permitted level (mg/kg, unless otherwise specified)	Note
4.2.2.2	Dried vegetables (including mushrooms and fungi, roots and tubers, pulses and legumes, and aloe vera), seaweeds, and nuts and seeds	INS nos.			
		200–203	Sorbates	500	Notes 9 and 63
		210–213	Benzoates	1 000	Note 6
		220–228, 539 & –	Sulphites	500	Notes 30 and 67
		304 & 305	Ascorbyl esters	80	Note 13
		307a, b & c	Tocopherols	200	
		310	Propyl gallate	50	Notes 12, 14 and 60
		320	Butylated hydroxyanisole	200	Notes 12, 14 and 60
		321	Butylated hydroxytoluene	200	Notes 12, 14 and 60

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		INS nos.			
		338, 339(i)-(iii), 340(i)-(iii), 341(i)-(iii), 342(i) & (ii), 343(i)-(iii), 450(i)-(iii), (v)-(vii) & (ix), 451(i) & (ii), 452(i)-(v) & 542	Phosphates	5 000	Notes 1 and 60
		385 & 386	Ethylenediamine-tetraacetates	800	Notes 42, 65 and 66
		200-203	Sorbates	1 000	Note 9
		210-213	Benzoates	2 000	Note 6
4.2.2.3	Vegetables (including mushrooms and fungi, roots and tubers, pulses and legumes, and aloe vera) and	214, 215, 218 & 219	Hydroxybenzoates, para-	1 000	Note 26

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	seaweeds pickled in vinegar, oil, brine, or soybean sauce, excluding fermented soybean products of food categories 6.8.6, 6.8.7, 12.9.1 and 12.9.2 and their sub-categories (if applicable) and fermented vegetables of food category 4.2.2.7 and its sub-categories (if applicable)	INS nos.	Sulphites	100	Note 30	
		220–228, 539 & –				
		243	Lauric arginate ethyl ester	200		
		334, 335(ii) & 337	Tartrates	15 000	Note 10	
		338, 339(i)–(iii), 340(i)–(iii), 341(i)–(iii), 342(i) & (ii), 343(i)–(iii), 450(i)–(iii), (v)–(vii) & (ix), 451(i) & (ii), 452(i)–(v) & 542	Phosphates	2 200	Note 1	
		385 & 386	Ethylenediamine-tetraacetates	250	Note 42	

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Column 1		Column 2		Column 3	Column 4
No.	Food category or sub-category	Permitted food additives	INS nos.	Maximum permitted level (mg/kg, unless otherwise specified)	Note
			579	150	Notes 68 and 69
4.2.2.4	Canned or bottled (pasteurized or heat-sterilized) or retort pouch vegetables (including mushrooms and fungi, roots and tubers, pulses and legumes, and aloe vera) and seaweeds	Sorbates	200–203	500	Notes 9 and 63
			220–228, 539 & –	50	Note 30
			234	5	Note 63
		Propyl gallate	310	100	Notes 12 and 70
		Tertiary butylhydroquinone	319	200	Notes 12 and 70
		Butylated hydroxyanisole	320	200	Notes 12 and 70
		Butylated hydroxytoluene	321	200	Notes 12 and 70

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Column 1		Column 2		Column 3	Column 4
No.	Food category or sub-category	Permitted food additives	Name	Maximum permitted level (mg/kg, unless otherwise specified)	Note
		INS nos.	Tartrates	1 300	Notes 10 and 71
		334, 335(ii) & 337	Phosphates	2 200	Note 1
		338, 339(i)-(iii), 340(i)-(iii), 341(i)-(iii), 342(i) & (ii), 343(i)-(iii), 450(i)-(iii), (v)-(vii) & (ix), 451(i) & (ii), 452(i)-(v) & 542	Ethylenediamine-tetraacetates	365	Note 42
		385 & 386	Stannous chloride	25	Note 51
		512	Sorbates	1 000	Note 9
4.2.2.5	Vegetable (including mushrooms and fungi,	200-203	Benzoates	1 000	Note 6
		210-213			

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	roots and tubers, pulses and legumes, and aloe vera), seaweed, and nut and seed purees and spreads (e.g. tomato puree, peanut butter and cashew butter)		214, 215, 218 & 219	1 000	Note 26
			220–228, 539 & –	500	Notes 30 and 72
			307a, b & c	300	
			338, 339(i)–(iii), 340(i)–(iii), 341(i)–(iii), 342(i) & (ii), 343(i)–(iii), 450(i)–(iii), (v)–(vii) & (ix), 451(i) & (ii), 452(i)–(v) & 542	2 200	Notes 1 and 60
			385 & 386	250	Note 42
4.2.2.5.1		Tomato purees	Sorbates	1 000	Note 9

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		INS nos.			
		210–213	Benzoates	1 000	Note 6
		214, 215, 218 & 219	Hydroxybenzoates, para-	1 000	Note 26
		220–228, 539 & –	Sulphites	350	Note 30
		307a, b & c	Tocopherols	300	
		385 & 386	Ethylenediamine-tetraacetates	250	Note 42
		200–203	Sorbates	1 000	Note 9
		210–213	Benzoates	3 000	Note 6
		214, 215, 218 & 219	Hydroxybenzoates, para-	1 000	Note 26
4.2.2.6	Vegetable (including mushrooms and fungi, roots and tubers, pulses and legumes, and aloe vera), seaweed, and nut and seed pulps, pastes and	220–228, 539 & –	Sulphites	300	Notes 30 and 73

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No.	Food category or sub-category	Permitted food additives	Name	Maximum permitted level (mg/kg, unless otherwise specified)	Note
		INS nos.	Phosphates	2 200	Note 1
	preparations (e.g. vegetable desserts and sauces, and candied vegetables), excluding products of food category 4.2.2.5 and its sub-categories (if applicable)	338, 339(i)-(iii), 340(i)-(iii), 341(i)-(iii), 342(i) & (ii), 343(i)-(iii), 450(i)-(iii), (v)-(vii) & (ix), 451(i) & (ii), 452(i)-(v) & 542			
		385 & 386	Ethylenediamine-tetraacetates	80	Note 42
		200-203	Sorbates	1 000	Note 9
		210-213	Benzoates	1 000	Note 6
		214, 215, 218 & 219	Hydroxybenzoates, para-	300	Note 26
		220-228, 539 & -	Sulphites	500	Note 30
4.2.2.7	Fermented vegetables (including mushrooms and fungi, roots and tubers, pulses and legumes, and aloe vera) and seaweed products, excluding				

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	fermented soybean products of food categories 6.8.6, 6.8.7, 12.9.1 and 12.9.2 and their sub-categories (if applicable)		260	GMP	
			262(i)	GMP	
			300	GMP	
			301	GMP	
			316	GMP	
			322	GMP	
			325	GMP	
			327	10 000	Note 74

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		INS nos.			
		330	Citric acid	GMP	
		338, 339(i)-(iii), 340(i)-(iii), 341(i)-(iii), 342(i) & (ii), 343(i)-(iii), 450(i)-(iii), (v)-(vii) & (ix), 451(i) & (ii), 452(i)-(v) & 542	Phosphates	2 200	Notes 1 and 75
		385 & 386	Ethylenediamine-tetraacetates	250	Note 42
		472c	Citric and fatty acid esters of glycerol	GMP	

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4.2.2.8	Cooked or fried vegetables (including mushrooms and fungi, roots and tubers, pulses and legumes, and aloe vera) and seaweeds		200–203	1 000	Notes 9 and 77
			210–213	1 000	Note 6
			307a, b & c	200	Notes 12 and 76
			310	100	Notes 12 and 76
			319	200	Notes 12 and 70
			320	200	Notes 12 and 76
			321	200	Notes 12 and 76

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		INS nos.			
		338, 339(i)-(iii), 340(i)-(iii), 341(i)-(iii), 342(i) & (ii), 343(i)-(iii), 450(i)-(iii), (v)-(vii) & (ix), 451(i) & (ii), 452(i)-(v) & 542	Phosphates	2 200	Notes 1 and 60
		385 & 386	Ethylenediamine-tetraacetates	250	Note 42
		388 & 389	Thiodipropionates	70	Notes 37 and 76
		392	Rosemary extract	300	Note 76
4.2.2.8.1	Cooked and pre-packed beetroot	210-213	Benzoates	1 000	Notes 6 and 50

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No.	Food category or sub-category	Permitted food additives	Maximum permitted level (mg/kg, unless otherwise specified)	Note	
		INS nos.	Name		
		214, 215, 218 & 219	Hydroxybenzoates, para-	Notes 26 and 50	
		385 & 386	Ethylenediamine-tetraacetates	Note 42	
5	Confectionery	220–228, 539 & –	Sulphites	Note 30	
		304 & 305	Ascorbyl esters	Notes 12, 13 and 78	
5.1	Cocoa products and chocolate products including imitations and chocolate substitutes	220–228, 539 & –	Sulphites	Note 30	
		304 & 305	Ascorbyl esters	Notes 12, 13 and 78	
		310	Propyl gallate	Notes 12, 14 and 79	

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5.1.1	Cocoa mixes (powders) and cocoa mass/cake	INS nos.	Sulphites	100	Note 30	
			220–228, 539 & –			
			304 & 305	Ascorbyl esters	500	Notes 12 and 13
			310	Propyl gallate	200	Notes 12 and 14
			334, 335(ii) & 337	Tartrates	5 000	Note 10
		338, 339(i)–(iii), 340(i)–(iii), 341(i)–(iii), 342(i) & (ii), 343(i)–(iii), 450(i)–(iii), (v)–(vii) & (ix),	Phosphates	1 630	Note 1	

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		INS nos.			
		451(i) & (ii), 452(i)-(v) & 542			
5.1.2	Cocoa mixes (syrups)	200-203	Sorbates	1 000	Note 9
		210-213	Benzoates	700	Notes 6 and 50
		214, 215, 218 & 219	Hydroxybenzoates, para-	700	Notes 26 and 50
		220-228, 539 & -	Sulphites	100	Note 30
		304 & 305	Ascorbyl esters	500	Notes 12 and 13
		307a, b & c	Tocopherols	500	Note 12
		310	Propyl gallate	200	Notes 12 and 14
		334, 335(ii) & 337	Tartrates	2 000	Note 10

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Column 1		Column 2		Column 3	Column 4
No.	Food category or sub-category	Permitted food additives	Name	Maximum permitted level (mg/kg, unless otherwise specified)	Note
		INS nos.			
		338, 339(i)–(iii), 340(i)–(iii), 341(i)–(iii), 342(i) & (ii), 343(i)–(iii), 450(i)–(iii), (v)–(vii) & (ix), 451(i) & (ii), 452(i)–(v) & 542	Phosphates	1 630	Note 1
5.1.3	Cocoa-based spreads, including fillings (e.g. cocoa butter, chocolate pie filling and nut-chocolate based spreads for bread)	200–203	Sorbates	1 000	Note 9
		210–213	Benzoates	1 500	Note 6
		214, 215, 218 & 219	Hydroxybenzoates, para-	300	Note 26
		220–228, 539 & –	Sulphites	100	Note 30

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Column 1		Column 2		Column 3	Column 4
No.	Food category or sub-category	Permitted food additives	Name	Maximum permitted level (mg/kg, unless otherwise specified)	Note
		INS nos.			
		243	Lauric arginate ethyl ester	200	
		304 & 305	Ascorbyl esters	500	Notes 12 and 13
		307a, b & c	Tocopherols	100	Note 12
		310	Propyl gallate	200	Notes 12 and 14
		334, 335(ii) & 337	Tartrates	2 000	Note 10
		338, 339(i)-(iii), 340(i)-(iii), 341(i)-(iii), 342(i) & (ii), 343(i)-(iii), 450(i)-(iii), (v)-(vii) & (ix),	Phosphates	1 630	Note 1

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Column 1		Column 2		Column 3	Column 4
No.	Food category or sub-category	Permitted food additives	Name	Maximum permitted level (mg/kg, unless otherwise specified)	Note
		INS nos.			
		451(i) & (ii), 452(i)-(v) & 542			
		385 & 386	Ethylenediamine-tetraacetates	50	Note 42
5.1.4	Cocoa and chocolate products, including chocolate-covered nuts and fruit	220-228, 539 & – 304 & 305	Sulphites Ascorbyl esters	100 500	Note 30 Notes 12, 13 and 78
		307a, b & c	Tocopherols	750	Note 12
		310	Propyl gallate	200	Notes 12, 14 and 79
		319	Tertiary butylhydroquinone	200	Notes 12, 14 and 79
		320	Butylated hydroxyanisole	200	Notes 12, 14 and 79
		321	Butylated hydroxytoluene	200	Notes 12, 14 and 79

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Column 1		Column 2		Column 3	Column 4
No.	Food category or sub-category	Permitted food additives	INS nos.	Maximum permitted level (mg/kg, unless otherwise specified)	Note
			334, 335(ii) & 337	5 000	Note 10
			338, 339(i)-(iii), 340(i)-(iii), 341(i)-(iii), 342(i) & (ii), 343(i)-(iii), 450(i)-(iii), (v)-(vii) & (ix), 451(i) & (ii), 452(i)-(v) & 542	1 630	Note 1
5.1.4.1	Chocolate-covered mallow		200-203	1 000	Note 9
			220-228, 539 & -	100	Note 30
			304 & 305	500	Notes 12, 13 and 78

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Column 1		Column 2		Column 3	Column 4
No.	Food category or sub-category	Permitted food additives	Name	Maximum permitted level (mg/kg, unless otherwise specified)	Note
		INS nos.			
		307a, b & c	Tocopherols	750	Note 12
		310	Propyl gallate	200	Notes 12, 14 and 79
		319	Tertiary butylhydroquinone	200	Notes 12, 14 and 79
		320	Butylated hydroxyanisole	200	Notes 12, 14 and 79
		321	Butylated hydroxytoluene	200	Notes 12, 14 and 79
		334, 335(ii) & 337	Tartrates	5 000	Note 10

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Column 1		Column 2		Column 3	Column 4
No.	Food category or sub-category	Permitted food additives	INS nos.	Maximum permitted level (mg/kg, unless otherwise specified)	Note
5.1.5	Imitation chocolate and chocolate substitute products		338, 339(i)-(iii), 340(i)-(iii), 341(i)-(iii), 342(i) & (ii), 343(i)-(iii), 450(i)-(iii), (v)-(vii) & (ix), 451(i) & (ii), 452(i)-(v) & 542	1 630	Note 1
			200-203	1 500	Note 9
			210-213	1 500	Note 6
			214, 215, 218 & 219	300	Note 26
			220-228, 539 & -	100	Note 30

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Column 1		Column 2		Column 3	Column 4
No.	Food category or sub-category	Permitted food additives	Name	Maximum permitted level (mg/kg, unless otherwise specified)	Note
		INS nos.			
		304 & 305	Ascorbyl esters	500	Notes 12 and 13
		307a, b & c	Tocopherols	500	Note 12
		310	Propyl gallate	200	Notes 12 and 14
		321	Butylated hydroxytoluene	200	Notes 12 and 14
		334, 335(ii) & 337	Tartrates	5 000	Note 10
		338, 339(i)-(iii), 340(i)-(iii), 341(i)-(iii), 342(i) & (ii), 343(i)-(iii), 450(i)-(iii), (v)-(vii) & (ix),	Phosphates	2 200	Note 1

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Column 1		Column 2		Column 3	Column 4
No.	Food category or sub-category	Permitted food additives	Name	Maximum permitted level (mg/kg, unless otherwise specified)	Note
		INS nos.			
		451(i) & (ii), 452(i)-(v) & 542			
5.2	Confectionery, including hard candy, soft candy and nougats, excluding products of food categories 5.1, 5.3 and 5.4 and their sub-categories (if applicable)	200-203	Sorbates	1 500	Note 9
		210-213	Benzoates	1 500	Note 6
		214, 215, 218 & 219	Hydroxybenzoates, para-	1 000	Note 26
		220-228, 539 & -	Sulphites	100	Note 30
		262(ii)	Sodium diacetate	1 000	
		304 & 305	Ascorbyl esters	500	Notes 12 and 13
		307a, b & c	Tocopherols	500	Note 12
		310	Propyl gallate	200	Notes 12 and 14

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Column 1		Column 2		Column 3	Column 4
No.	Food category or sub-category	Permitted food additives	Name	Maximum permitted level (mg/kg, unless otherwise specified)	Note
		INS nos.			
		319	Tertiary butylhydroquinone	200	Notes 12 and 14
		320	Butylated hydroxyanisole	200	Notes 12 and 14
		321	Butylated hydroxytoluene	200	Notes 12 and 14
		334, 335(ii) & 337	Tartrates	5 000	Notes 10 and 80
		338, 339(i)-(iii), 340(i)-(iii), 341(i)-(iii), 342(i) & (ii), 343(i)-(iii), 450(i)-(iii), (v)-(vii) & (ix),	Phosphates	2 200	Note 1

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Column 1		Column 2		Column 3	Column 4	
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5.3	Chewing gum	INS nos.				
			451(i) & (ii), 452(i)-(v) & 542			
			200-203	Sorbates	1 500	Note 9
			210-213	Benzoates	1 500	Note 6
			214, 215, 218 & 219	Hydroxybenzoates, para-	1 500	Note 26
			220-228, 539 & -	Sulphites	100	Note 30
			243	Lauric arginate ethyl ester	225	
			304 & 305	Ascorbyl esters	500	Notes 12 and 13
			307a, b & c	Tocopherols	1 500	
			310	Propyl gallate	1 000	Note 14
	314	Guaiac resin	1 500			

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Column 1		Column 2		Column 3	Column 4
No.	Food category or sub-category	Permitted food additives	Name	Maximum permitted level (mg/kg, unless otherwise specified)	Note
		INS nos.			
		319	Tertiary butylhydroquinone	400	Note 14
		320	Butylated hydroxyanisole	400	Note 14
		321	Butylated hydroxytoluene	400	Note 14
		334, 335(ii) & 337	Tartrates	30 000	Note 10
		338, 339(i)-(iii), 340(i)-(iii), 341(i)-(iii), 342(i) & (ii), 343(i)-(iii), 450(i)-(iii), (v)-(vii) & (ix), 451(i) & (ii), 452(i)-(v) & 542	Phosphates	44 000	Note 1

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5.4	Decorations (e.g. for fine bakery wares), toppings (non-fruit) and sweet sauces		484	Stearyl citrate	15 000	
			200–203	Sorbates	1 000	Note 9
			210–213	Benzoates	1 500	Note 6
			214, 215, 218 & 219	Hydroxybenzoates, para-	300	Note 26
			220–228, 539 & –	Sulphites	100	Note 30
			304 & 305	Ascorbyl esters	500	Notes 12 and 13
			307a, b & c	Tocopherols	500	Note 12
			310	Propyl gallate	200	Notes 12 and 14
			319	Tertiary butylhydroquinone	200	Notes 12 and 14

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Column 1		Column 2		Column 3	Column 4
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		INS nos.			
		320	Butylated hydroxyanisole	200	Notes 12 and 14
		321	Butylated hydroxytoluene	200	Notes 12 and 14
		334, 335(ii) & 337	Tartrates	8 000	Note 10
		338, 339(i)-(iii), 340(i)-(iii), 341(i)-(iii), 342(i) & (ii), 343(i)-(iii), 450(i)-(iii), (v)-(vii) & (ix), 451(i) & (ii), 452(i)-(v) & 542	Phosphates	1 630	Note 1

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6	Cereals and cereal products derived from cereal grains, roots and tubers, pulses, legumes and pith or soft core of palm tree, excluding bakery wares of food category 7 and its sub-categories (if applicable)				
6.1	Whole, broken or flaked grain, including barley, corn, oats, rice, sorghum, soybeans and wheat	Sodium diacetate	262(ii)	1 000	Note 82
		Propionic acid	280	1 800	Notes 27, 81 and 82
		Sodium propionate	281	1 800	Notes 27, 81 and 82
		Calcium propionate	282	1 800	Notes 27, 81 and 82
		Propyl gallate	310	100	Note 12

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Column 1		Column 2		Column 3	Column 4
No.	Food category or sub-category	Permitted food additives	INS nos.	Maximum permitted level (mg/kg, unless otherwise specified)	Note
6.2	Flours and starches (including soybean powder)				
6.2.1	Flours	Sulphites	220-228, 539 & -	200	Notes 30 and 88
		Ascorbic acid, L-	300	300	Note 83
		Sodium ascorbate	301	300	
		Tocopherols	307a, b & c	5 000	Notes 12 and 89
		Butylated hydroxyanisole	320	200	Notes 12 and 85
		Lecithins	322	GMP	Note 86
		Tartrates	334, 335(ii) & 337	5 000	Notes 10 and 89

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Column 1		Column 2		Column 3	Column 4
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		INS nos.			
		338, 339(i)–(iii), 340(i)–(iii), 341(i)–(iii), 342(i) & (ii), 343(i)–(iii), 450(i)–(iii), (v)–(vii) & (ix), 451(i) & (ii), 452(i)–(v) & 542	Phosphates	2 500	Notes 1, 83 and 87
		928	Benzoyl peroxide	75	Note 84
6.2.2	Starches	220–228, 539 & –	Sulphites	50	Note 30
		334, 335(ii) & 337	Tartrates	2 000	Note 10

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Column 1		Column 2		Column 3	Column 4
No.	Food category or sub-category	Permitted food additives	Name	Maximum permitted level (mg/kg, unless otherwise specified)	Note
		INS nos.			
		338, 339(i)-(iii), 340(i)-(iii), 341(i)-(iii), 342(i) & (ii), 343(i)-(iii), 450(i)-(iii), (v)-(vii) & (ix), 451(i) & (ii), 452(i)-(v) & 542	Phosphates	1 630	Note 1
6.3	Breakfast cereals, including rolled oats	304 & 305	Ascorbyl esters	200	Note 13
		307a, b & c	Tocopherols	200	
		310	Propyl gallate	200	Notes 12 and 14
		320	Butylated hydroxyanisole	200	Notes 12 and 14

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Column 1		Column 2		Column 3	Column 4
No.	Food category or sub-category	Permitted food additives	Name	Maximum permitted level (mg/kg, unless otherwise specified)	Note
		INS nos.			Notes 12 and 14
		321	Butylated hydroxytoluene	100	Note 1
		338, 339(i)-(iii), 340(i)-(iii), 341(i)-(iii), 342(i) & (ii), 343(i)-(iii), 450(i)-(iii), (v)-(vii) & (ix), 451(i) & (ii), 452(i)-(v) & 542	Phosphates	2 200	
6.4	Pastas and noodles and like products (e.g. rice paper, rice vermicelli, and soybean pastas and noodles)				
6.4.1	Fresh pastas and noodles and like	220-228, 539 & -	Sulphites	50	Notes 30 and 90

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	products	INS nos.			
		262(i)	Sodium acetate	6 000	
		280	Propionic acid	250	Notes 27 and 81
		281	Sodium propionate	250	Notes 27 and 81
		282	Calcium propionate	250	Notes 27 and 81
		290	Carbon dioxide	GMP	
		300	Ascorbic acid, L-	200	
		301	Sodium ascorbate	GMP	
		322	Lecithins	GMP	
	325	Sodium lactate	GMP		

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No.	Food category or sub-category	Permitted food additives	Name	Maximum permitted level (mg/kg, unless otherwise specified)	Note
		INS nos.		GMP	
		330	Citric acid	GMP	
		334, 335(ii) & 337	Tartrates	5 000	Note 10
		338, 339(i)-(iii), 340(i)-(iii), 341(i)-(iii), 342(i) & (ii), 343(i)-(iii), 450(i)-(iii), (v)-(vii) & (ix), 451(i) & (ii), 452(i)-(v) & 542	Phosphates	2 500	Note 1
		472c	Citric and fatty acid esters of glycerol	GMP	

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6.4.2	Dried pastas and noodles and like products		262(i)	GMP	
			300	GMP	
			301	200	
			302	200	
			307a, b & c	500	
			322	GMP	
			325	GMP	
		330	GMP		

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		INS nos.			
		338, 339(i)-(iii), 340(i)-(iii), 341(i)-(iii), 342(i) & (ii), 343(i)-(iii), 450(i)-(iii), (v)-(vii) & (ix), 451(i) & (ii), 452(i)-(v) & 542	Phosphates	900	Note 1
		942	Nitrous oxide	GMP	
6.4.3	Pre-cooked pastas and noodles and like products	200-203	Sorbates	2 000	Note 9
		210-213	Benzoates	1 000	Note 6
		220-228, 539 & -	Sulphites	20	Notes 30 and 93
		234	Nisin	6.25	Note 91

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		INS nos.			
		304 & 305	Ascorbyl esters	500	Note 13
		307a, b & c	Tocopherols	200	
		310	Propyl gallate	200	Notes 12 and 14
		319	Tertiary butylhydroquinone	200	Notes 12 and 14
		320	Butylated hydroxyanisole	200	Notes 12 and 14
		321	Butylated hydroxytoluene	200	Notes 12 and 14
		334, 335(ii) & 337	Tartrates	7 500	Note 10

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		INS nos.			
6.5	Cereal and starch based desserts (e.g. rice pudding and tapioca pudding), including cereal or starch based fillings for desserts	338, 339(i)-(iii), 340(i)-(iii), 341(i)-(iii), 342(i) & (ii), 343(i)-(iii), 450(i)-(iii), (v)-(vii) & (ix), 451(i) & (ii), 452(i)-(v) & 542	Phosphates	2 500	Notes 1 and 92
		200-203	Sorbates	1 000	Note 9
		210-213	Benzoates	1 000	Note 6
		234	Nisin	3	
		243	Lauric arginate ethyl ester	200	
		262(ii)	Sodium diacetate	4 000	Note 94

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		INS nos.			
		304 & 305	Ascorbyl esters	500	Notes 13 and 28
		307a, b & c	Tocopherols	500	Note 12
		310	Propyl gallate	90	Notes 12 and 28
		334, 335(ii) & 337	Tartrates	2 860	Note 10
		338, 339(i)-(iii), 340(i)-(iii), 341(i)-(iii), 342(i) & (ii), 343(i)-(iii), 450(i)-(iii), (v)-(vii) & (ix), 451(i) & (ii), 452(i)-(v) & 542	Phosphates	7 000	Note 1

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		INS nos.	Name	Note	
		385 & 386	Ethylenediamine-tetraacetates	Note 42	
6.6	Batters (e.g. for breading or batters for fish or poultry and breading for tempura batter), excluding doughs (e.g. for bread) of food category 7.1.4 and its sub-categories (if applicable), and other mixes (e.g. for bread or cakes) of food categories 7.1.6 and 7.2.3 and their sub-categories (if applicable)	200–203 307a, b & c 334, 335(ii) & 337 338, 339(i)–(iii), 340(i)–(iii), 341(i)–(iii), 342(i) & (ii), 343(i)–(iii), 450(i)–(iii), (v)–(vii) & (ix), 451(i) & (ii), 452(i)–(v) & 542	Sorbates Tocopherols Tartrates Phosphates	Note 9 Notes 10 and 90 Note 1	

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No.	Food category or sub-category	Permitted food additives	INS nos.	Maximum permitted level (mg/kg, unless otherwise specified)	Note
6.7	Pre-cooked or processed rice products, including rice cakes (Oriental type only), excluding crisp snacks made from rice grains of food category 15.1 and its sub-categories (if applicable), and dessert-type rice cakes of food category 6.5 and its sub-categories (if applicable)				
6.8	Soybean products, excluding soybean-based seasonings and condiments of food category 12.9 and its sub-categories (if applicable)				

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6.8.1	Soybean-based beverages		304 & 305	530	Notes 13 and 95
			307a, b & c	200	Note 95
			338, 339(i)-(iii), 340(i)-(iii), 341(i)-(iii), 342(i) & (ii), 343(i)-(iii), 450(i)-(iii), (v)-(vii) & (ix), 451(i) & (ii), 452(i)-(v) & 542	1 300	Note 1
6.8.2	Dried soybean-based beverage film		220-228, 539 & -	200	Note 30

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		INS nos.			
6.8.3	Soybean curd (tofu)	338, 339(i)-(iii), 340(i)-(iii), 341(i)-(iii), 342(i) & (ii), 343(i)-(iii), 450(i)-(iii), (v)-(vii) & (ix), 451(i) & (ii), 452(i)-(v) & 542	Phosphates	100	Note 1
6.8.4	Semi-dehydrated soybean curd	200-203	Sorbates	1 000	Note 9
6.8.5	Dehydrated soybean curd (kori tofu)	262(ii)	Sodium diacetate	1 000	
6.8.6	Fermented soybeans (e.g. dou chi, natto and tempe)	210-213	Sodium diacetate	1 000	
		214, 215, 218 & 219	Benzoates	1 000	Notes 6 and 50
			Hydroxybenzoates, para-	1 000	Notes 26 and 50

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		INS nos.	Name		
6.8.7	Fermented soybean curd				
6.8.8	Other soybean protein products	200–203	Sorbates	1 000	Note 9
7	Bakery wares	200–203	Sorbates	1 000	Note 9
		210–213	Benzoates	1 000	Note 6
		304 & 305	Ascorbyl esters	1 000	Notes 12 and 13
		320	Butylated hydroxyanisole	200	Notes 12 and 14
		321	Butylated hydroxytoluene	200	Notes 12 and 14
7.1	Bread and ordinary bakery wares and mixes, including all types of non-sweet	200–203	Sorbates	1 000	Note 9
		210–213	Benzoates	1 000	Note 6
		262(ii)	Sodium diacetate	4 000	

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	bakery products and bread-derived products	304 & 305	Ascorbyl esters	1 000	Notes 12 and 13
		320	Butylated hydroxyanisole	200	Notes 12 and 14
		321	Butylated hydroxytoluene	200	Notes 12 and 14
		334, 335(ii) & 337	Tartrates	4 000	Note 10
			200–203	Sorbates	1 000
7.1.1	Breads and rolls (e.g. white breads, rye breads, raisin breads, whole wheat breads, whole wheat rolls and soda breads)	210–213	Benzoates	1 000	Note 6
		262(ii)	Sodium diacetate	4 000	
		304 & 305	Ascorbyl esters	1 000	Notes 12 and 13
		319	Tertiary butylhydroquinone	200	Notes 12 and 14

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Column 1		Column 2		Column 3	Column 4
No.	Food category or sub-category	Permitted food additives	Name	Maximum permitted level (mg/kg, unless otherwise specified)	Note
		INS nos.			
		320	Butylated hydroxyanisole	200	Notes 12 and 14
		321	Butylated hydroxytoluene	200	Notes 12 and 14
		334, 335(ii) & 337	Tartrates	4 000	Note 10
7.1.1.1	Yeast-leavened breads and speciality breads	200–203	Sorbates	1 000	Note 9
		210–213	Benzoates	1 000	Note 6
		262(ii)	Sodium diacetate	4 000	
		304 & 305	Ascorbyl esters	1 000	Notes 12 and 13
		319	Tertiary butylhydroquinone	200	Notes 12 and 14
		320	Butylated hydroxyanisole	200	Notes 12 and 14

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Column 1		Column 2		Column 3	Column 4
No.	Food category or sub-category	Permitted food additives	Name	Maximum permitted level (mg/kg, unless otherwise specified)	Note
		INS nos.			Notes 12 and 14
		321	Butylated hydroxytoluene	200	Note 10
		334, 335(ii) & 337	Tartrates	4 000	
		338, 339(i)-(iii), 340(i)-(iii), 341(i)-(iii), 342(i) & (ii), 343(i)-(iii), 450(i)-(iii), (v)-(vii) & (ix), 451(i) & (ii), 452(i)-(v) & 542	Phosphates	4 900	Note 1
7.1.1.2	Soda breads	200-203	Sorbates	1 000	Note 9
		210-213	Benzoates	1 000	Note 6
		262(ii)	Sodium diacetate	4 000	

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Column 1		Column 2		Column 3	Column 4
No.	Food category or sub-category	Permitted food additives	Name	Maximum permitted level (mg/kg, unless otherwise specified)	Note
		INS nos.			
		304 & 305	Ascorbyl esters	1 000	Notes 12 and 13
		319	Tertiary butylhydroquinone	200	Notes 12 and 14
		320	Butylated hydroxyanisole	200	Notes 12 and 14
		321	Butylated hydroxytoluene	200	Notes 12 and 14
		334, 335(ii) & 337	Tartrates	4 000	Note 10
		338, 339(i)-(iii), 340(i)-(iii), 341(i)-(iii), 342(i) & (ii), 343(i)-(iii), 450(i)-(iii),	Phosphates	9 300	Note 1

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Column 1		Column 2		Column 3	Column 4
No.	Food category or sub-category	Permitted food additives	Name	Maximum permitted level (mg/kg, unless otherwise specified)	Note
		INS nos.			
7.1.2	Crackers (e.g. soda crackers and rye crisps), excluding flavoured crackers of food category 15.1 and its sub-categories (if applicable)	(v)–(vii) & (ix), 451(i) & (ii), 452(i)–(v) & 542			
		200–203	Sorbates	1 000	Note 9
		210–213	Benzoates	1 000	Note 6
		220–228, 539 & –	Sulphites	100	Note 30
		262(ii)	Sodium diacetate	4 000	
		304 & 305	Ascorbyl esters	1 000	Notes 12 and 13
		307a, b & c	Tocopherols	200	
		310	Propyl gallate	100	Note 12
		319	Tertiary butylhydroquinone	200	Notes 12 and 14

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Column 1		Column 2		Column 3	Column 4
No.	Food category or sub-category	Permitted food additives	Name	Maximum permitted level (mg/kg, unless otherwise specified)	Note
		INS nos.			
		320	Butylated hydroxyanisole	200	Notes 12 and 14
		321	Butylated hydroxytoluene	200	Notes 12 and 14
		334, 335(ii) & 337	Tartrates	4 000	Note 10
		338, 339(i)-(iii), 340(i)-(iii), 341(i)-(iii), 342(i) & (ii), 343(i)-(iii), 450(i)-(iii), (v)-(vii) & (ix), 451(i) & (ii), 452(i)-(v) & 542	Phosphates	9 300	Note 1

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Column 1		Column 2		Column 3	Column 4
No.	Food category or sub-category	Permitted food additives	INS nos.	Maximum permitted level (mg/kg, unless otherwise specified)	Note
7.1.3	Other ordinary bakery products (e.g. bagels, pita and English muffins)		200–203	1 000	Note 9
			210–213	1 000	Note 6
			262(ii)	4 000	
			304 & 305	1 000	Notes 12 and 13
			310	100	Notes 12 and 14
			319	200	Notes 12 and 14
			320	200	Notes 12 and 14
			321	200	Notes 12 and 14
		334, 335(ii) & 337	4 000	Note 10	

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Column 1		Column 2		Column 3	Column 4
No.	Food category or sub-category	Permitted food additives	Name	Maximum permitted level (mg/kg, unless otherwise specified)	Note
		INS nos.	Phosphates	9 300	Note 1
		338, 339(i)–(iii), 340(i)–(iii), 341(i)–(iii), 342(i) & (ii), 343(i)–(iii), 450(i)–(iii), (v)–(vii) & (ix), 451(i) & (ii), 452(i)–(v) & 542			
7.1.4	Bread-type products, including bread stuffing and bread crumbs	200–203	Sorbates	1 000	Note 9
		210–213	Benzoates	1 000	Note 6
		262(ii)	Sodium diacetate	4 000	
		304 & 305	Ascorbyl esters	1 000	Notes 12 and 13
		319	Tertiary butylhydroquinone	200	Notes 12 and 14

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Column 1		Column 2		Column 3	Column 4
No.	Food category or sub-category	Permitted food additives	Name	Maximum permitted level (mg/kg, unless otherwise specified)	Note
		INS nos.			
		320	Butylated hydroxyanisole	200	Notes 12 and 14
		321	Butylated hydroxytoluene	200	Notes 12 and 14
		334, 335(ii) & 337	Tartrates	4 000	Note 10
		338, 339(i)-(iii), 340(i)-(iii), 341(i)-(iii), 342(i) & (ii), 343(i)-(iii), 450(i)-(iii), (v)-(vii) & (ix), 451(i) & (ii), 452(i)-(v) & 542	Phosphates	9 300	Note 1

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Column 1		Column 2		Column 3	Column 4	
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7.1.5	Steamed breads and buns (e.g. mantou and bao)	INS nos.				
			200–203	Sorbates	1 000	Note 9
			210–213	Benzoates	1 000	Note 6
			262(ii)	Sodium diacetate	4 000	
			304 & 305	Ascorbyl esters	1 000	Notes 12 and 13
			320	Butylated hydroxyanisole	200	Notes 12 and 14
		321	Butylated hydroxytoluene	200	Notes 12 and 14	
		334, 335(ii) & 337	Tartrates	4 000	Note 10	

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Column 1		Column 2		Column 3	Column 4
No.	Food category or sub-category	Permitted food additives	Name	Maximum permitted level (mg/kg, unless otherwise specified)	Note
		INS nos.			
		338, 339(i)-(iii), 340(i)-(iii), 341(i)-(iii), 342(i) & (ii), 343(i)-(iii), 450(i)-(iii), (v)-(vii) & (ix), 451(i) & (ii), 452(i)-(v) & 542	Phosphates	9 300	Note 1
7.1.6	Mixes for bread and ordinary bakery wares	200-203	Sorbates	1 000	Note 9
		210-213	Benzoates	1 000	Note 6
		262(ii)	Sodium diacetate	4 000	
		304 & 305	Ascorbyl esters	1 000	Notes 12 and 13
		307a, b & c	Tocopherols	100	

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Column 1		Column 2		Column 3	Column 4
No.	Food category or sub-category	Permitted food additives	Name	Maximum permitted level (mg/kg, unless otherwise specified)	Note
		INS nos.			
		320	Butylated hydroxyanisole	200	Notes 12 and 14
		321	Butylated hydroxytoluene	200	Notes 12 and 14
		334, 335(ii) & 337	Tartrates	4 000	Note 10
		338, 339(i)-(iii), 340(i)-(iii), 341(i)-(iii), 342(i) & (ii), 343(i)-(iii), 450(i)-(iii), (v)-(vii) & (ix), 451(i) & (ii), 452(i)-(v) & 542	Phosphates	9 300	Note 1

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Column 1		Column 2		Column 3	Column 4
No.	Food category or sub-category	Permitted food additives	Maximum permitted level (mg/kg, unless otherwise specified)	Note	
		INS nos.	Name	Note	
7.2	Fine bakery wares (sweet, salty or savoury) and mixes	200–203	Sorbates	1 000	Note 9
		210–213	Benzoates	1 000	Note 6
		214, 215, 218 & 219	Hydroxybenzoates, para-	300	Note 26
		220–228, 539 & –	Sulphites	50	Note 30
		234	Nisin	6.25	
		304 & 305	Ascorbyl esters	1 000	Notes 12 and 13
		320	Butylated hydroxyanisole	200	Notes 12 and 14
		321	Butylated hydroxytoluene	200	Notes 12 and 14

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Column 1		Column 2		Column 3	Column 4
No.	Food category or sub-category	Permitted food additives	Name	Maximum permitted level (mg/kg, unless otherwise specified)	Note
		INS nos.			
		338, 339(i)-(iii), 340(i)-(iii), 341(i)-(iii), 342(i) & (ii), 343(i)-(iii), 450(i)-(iii), (v)-(vii) & (ix), 451(i) & (ii), 452(i)-(v) & 542	Phosphates	9 300	Note 1
7.2.1	Cakes, cookies and pies (e.g. cheesecakes, western cakes, mooncakes, oatmeal cookies, fruit-filled pies and custard pies)	200-203	Sorbates	1 000	Note 9
		210-213	Benzoates	1 000	Note 6
		214, 215, 218 & 219	Hydroxybenzoates, para-	300	Note 26
		220-228, 539 & -	Sulphites	50	Note 30
		234	Nisin	6.25	

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Column 1		Column 2		Column 3	Column 4
No.	Food category or sub-category	Permitted food additives		Maximum permitted level (mg/kg, unless otherwise specified)	Note
		INS nos.	Name		
		235	Natamycin (pimaricin)	10	Notes 44 and 96
		262(ii)	Sodium diacetate	4 000	Note 96
		304 & 305	Ascorbyl esters	1 000	Notes 12 and 13
		307a, b & c	Tocopherols	200	Note 98
		310	Propyl gallate	100	Notes 12 and 97
		319	Tertiary butylhydroquinone	200	Notes 12, 97 and 99
		320	Butylated hydroxyanisole	200	Notes 12 and 14
		321	Butylated hydroxytoluene	200	Notes 12 and 14
		334, 335(ii) & 337	Tartrates	5 000	Note 10

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Column 1		Column 2		Column 3	Column 4
No.	Food category or sub-category	Permitted food additives	Name	Maximum permitted level (mg/kg, unless otherwise specified)	Note
		INS nos.			
		338, 339(i)-(iii), 340(i)-(iii), 341(i)-(iii), 342(i) & (ii), 343(i)-(iii), 450(i)-(iii), (v)-(vii) & (ix), 451(i) & (ii), 452(i)-(v) & 542	Phosphates	9 300	Note 1
7.2.2	Other fine bakery products (e.g. pancakes, waffles, Danish pastry, cones for ice cream, flour confectionery, doughnuts, sweet rolls, scones and muffins)	200-203	Sorbates	1 000	Note 9
		210-213	Benzoates	1 000	Note 6
		214, 215, 218 & 219	Hydroxybenzoates, para-	300	Note 26
		220-228, 539 & -	Sulphites	50	Note 30
		234	Nisin	6.25	

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Column 1		Column 2		Column 3	Column 4
No.	Food category or sub-category	Permitted food additives		Maximum permitted level (mg/kg, unless otherwise specified)	Note
		INS nos.	Name		
		235	Natamycin (pimaricin)	10	Note 44
		262(ii)	Sodium diacetate	4 000	
		304 & 305	Ascorbyl esters	1 000	Notes 12 and 13
		307a, b & c	Tocopherols	200	
		320	Butylated hydroxyanisole	200	Notes 12 and 14
		321	Butylated hydroxytoluene	200	Notes 12 and 14
		334, 335(ii) & 337	Tartrates	500	Note 10

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Column 1		Column 2		Column 3	Column 4
No.	Food category or sub-category	Permitted food additives	Name	Maximum permitted level (mg/kg, unless otherwise specified)	Note
		INS nos.			
		338, 339(i)–(iii), 340(i)–(iii), 341(i)–(iii), 342(i) & (ii), 343(i)–(iii), 450(i)–(iii), (v)–(vii) & (ix), 451(i) & (ii), 452(i)–(v) & 542	Phosphates	9 300	Note 1
7.2.3	Mixes for fine bakery wares (e.g. cake mix, flour confectionery mix, pancake mix, pie mix and waffle mix)	200–203	Sorbates	1 000	Note 9
		210–213	Benzoates	1 000	Note 6
		214, 215, 218 & 219	Hydroxybenzoates, para-	300	Note 26
		220–228, 539 & –	Sulphites	50	Note 30
		234	Nisin	6.25	

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Column 1		Column 2		Column 3	Column 4
No.	Food category or sub-category	Permitted food additives	Name	Maximum permitted level (mg/kg, unless otherwise specified)	Note
		INS nos.			
		304 & 305	Ascorbyl esters	1 000	Notes 12 and 13
		307a, b & c	Tocopherols	200	
		310	Propyl gallate	200	Notes 12 and 14
		320	Butylated hydroxyanisole	200	Notes 12 and 14
		321	Butylated hydroxytoluene	200	Notes 12 and 14
		334, 335(ii) & 337	Tartrates	8 000	Note 10

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Column 1		Column 2		Column 3	Column 4
No.	Food category or sub-category	Permitted food additives	INS nos.	Maximum permitted level (mg/kg, unless otherwise specified)	Note
8	Meat and meat products, including poultry and game		338, 339(i)-(iii), 340(i)-(iii), 341(i)-(iii), 342(i) & (ii), 343(i)-(iii), 450(i)-(iii), (v)-(vii) & (ix), 451(i) & (ii), 452(i)-(v) & 542	9 300	Note 1
8.1	Fresh meat, poultry and game				
8.1.1	Fresh meat, poultry and game in whole pieces or cuts		322	GMP	Note 59
			332(ii)	GMP	Note 59

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Column 1		Column 2		Column 3	Column 4
No.	Food category or sub-category	Permitted food additives	INS nos.	Maximum permitted level (mg/kg, unless otherwise specified)	Note
			472c	GMP	Note 59
8.1.2	Fresh meat, poultry and game, comminuted		300	GMP	Note 100
			301	GMP	Note 100
			302	GMP	Note 100
			307a, b & c	300	Notes 12 and 100
			315	GMP	Note 100
			322	GMP	Note 100
			327	GMP	Note 100

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Column 1		Column 2		Column 3	Column 4
No.	Food category or sub-category	Permitted food additives	INS nos.	Maximum permitted level (mg/kg, unless otherwise specified)	Note
			330	GMP	Notes 12 and 100
			332(ii)	GMP	Note 100
			333(iii)	GMP	Note 100
			384	200	
			472c	GMP	Note 100
			262(ii)	1 000	
			307a, b & c	500	
			310	200	Notes 12 and 14
8.2	Processed meat, poultry and game products in whole pieces or cuts		319	100	Notes 12, 14 and 101

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Column 1		Column 2		Column 3	Column 4
No.	Food category or sub-category	Permitted food additives	Name	Maximum permitted level (mg/kg, unless otherwise specified)	Note
		INS nos.			
		320	Butylated hydroxyanisole	200	Notes 12 and 14
		321	Butylated hydroxytoluene	100	Notes 12, 14 and 101
8.2.1	Non-heat treated processed meat, poultry and game products in whole pieces or cuts	234	Nisin	12.5	
		243	Lauric arginate ethyl ester	200	
		262(ii)	Sodium diacetate	1 000	
		307a, b & c	Tocopherols	500	
		310	Propyl gallate	200	Notes 12 and 14
		319	Tertiary butylhydroquinone	100	Notes 12, 14 and 101
		320	Butylated hydroxyanisole	200	Notes 12 and 14

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Column 1		Column 2		Column 3	Column 4
No.	Food category or sub-category	Permitted food additives	Name	Maximum permitted level (mg/kg, unless otherwise specified)	Note
		INS nos.			
		321	Butylated hydroxytoluene	100	Notes 12, 14 and 101
		338, 339(i)-(iii), 340(i)-(iii), 341(i)-(iii), 342(i) & (ii), 343(i)-(iii), 450(i)-(iii), (v)-(vii) & (ix), 451(i) & (ii), 452(i)-(v) & 542	Phosphates	2 200	Note 1
		392	Rosemary extract	300	
8.2.1.1	Cured (including salted) non-heat treated processed	200-203	Sorbates	200	Notes 9 and 16
		234	Nisin	12.5	

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Column 1		Column 2		Column 3	Column 4
No.	Food category or sub-category	Permitted food additives	Name	Maximum permitted level (mg/kg, unless otherwise specified)	Note
	meat, poultry and game products in whole pieces or cuts	243	Lauric arginate ethyl ester	200	
		249 & 250	Nitrites	130	Note 20
		251 & 252	Nitrates	365	Note 18
		262(ii)	Sodium diacetate	1 000	
		307a, b & c	Tocopherols	500	
		310	Propyl gallate	200	Notes 12 and 14
		319	Tertiary butylhydroquinone	100	Notes 12, 14 and 101
		320	Butylated hydroxyanisole	200	Notes 12 and 14
	321	Butylated hydroxytoluene	100	Notes 12, 14 and 101	

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Column 1		Column 2		Column 3	Column 4
No.	Food category or sub-category	Permitted food additives	INS nos.	Maximum permitted level (mg/kg, unless otherwise specified)	Note
			338, 339(i)-(iii), 340(i)-(iii), 341(i)-(iii), 342(i) & (ii), 343(i)-(iii), 450(i)-(iii), (v)-(vii) & (ix), 451(i) & (ii), 452(i)-(v) & 542	2 200	Note 1
			392	300	
8.2.1.2	Cured (including salted) and dried non-heat treated processed meat, poultry and game products in whole pieces or cuts		200-203	2 000	Notes 9 and 16
			210-213	1 000	Notes 6 and 16
			234	12.5	
			235	6	

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Column 1		Column 2		Column 3	Column 4
No.	Food category or sub-category	Permitted food additives	Name	Maximum permitted level (mg/kg, unless otherwise specified)	Note
		INS nos.			
		243	Lauric arginate ethyl ester	200	
		249 & 250	Nitrites	130	Note 20
		251 & 252	Nitrates	365	Note 18
		262(ii)	Sodium diacetate	1 000	
		307a, b & c	Tocopherols	500	
		310	Propyl gallate	200	Notes 12 and 14
		319	Tertiary butylhydroquinone	100	Notes 12, 14 and 101
		320	Butylated hydroxyanisole	200	Notes 12 and 14
		321	Butylated hydroxytoluene	100	Notes 12, 14 and 101

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Column 1		Column 2		Column 3	Column 4
No.	Food category or sub-category	Permitted food additives	Name	Maximum permitted level (mg/kg, unless otherwise specified)	Note
		INS nos.			
		338, 339(i)-(iii), 340(i)-(iii), 341(i)-(iii), 342(i) & (ii), 343(i)-(iii), 450(i)-(iii), (v)-(vii) & (ix), 451(i) & (ii), 452(i)-(v) & 542	Phosphates	2 200	Note 1
		384	Isopropyl citrates	200	
		392	Rosemary extract	300	
8.2.1.3	Fermented non-heat treated processed meat, poultry and game products in whole pieces or cuts	200-203	Sorbates	200	Notes 9 and 16
		234	Nisin	12.5	
		235	Natamycin (pimaricin)	10	Notes 16 and 44

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Column 1		Column 2		Column 3	Column 4
No.	Food category or sub-category	Permitted food additives	Name	Maximum permitted level (mg/kg, unless otherwise specified)	Note
		INS nos.			
		243	Lauric arginate ethyl ester	200	
		249 & 250	Nitrites	130	Note 20
		251 & 252	Nitrates	365	Note 18
		262(ii)	Sodium diacetate	1 000	
		307a, b & c	Tocopherols	500	
		310	Propyl gallate	200	Notes 12 and 14
		319	Tertiary butylhydroquinone	100	Notes 12, 14 and 101
		320	Butylated hydroxyanisole	200	Notes 12 and 14
		321	Butylated hydroxytoluene	100	Notes 12, 14 and 101

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Column 1		Column 2		Column 3	Column 4
No.	Food category or sub-category	Permitted food additives	Name	Maximum permitted level (mg/kg, unless otherwise specified)	Note
		INS nos.			
		338, 339(i)-(iii), 340(i)-(iii), 341(i)-(iii), 342(i) & (ii), 343(i)-(iii), 450(i)-(iii), (v)-(vii) & (ix), 451(i) & (ii), 452(i)-(v) & 542	Phosphates	2 200	Note 1
		392	Rosemary extract	300	
8.2.2	Heat-treated processed meat, poultry and game products in whole pieces or cuts, including cooked (including cured and	200-203	Sorbates	200	Notes 9 and 16
		234	Nisin	25	
		235	Natamycin (pimaricin)	10	Notes 16 and 44

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Column 1		Column 2		Column 3	Column 4
No.	Food category or sub-category	Permitted food additives	Name	Maximum permitted level (mg/kg, unless otherwise specified)	Note
	cooked, and dried and cooked), heat-treated (including sterilized) and canned meat cuts	243	Lauric arginate ethyl ester	200	Note 102
		262(ii)	Sodium diacetate	1 000	
		307a, b & c	Tocopherols	500	
		310	Propyl gallate	200	Notes 12 and 14
		319	Tertiary butylhydroquinone	100	Notes 12, 14 and 101
		320	Butylated hydroxyanisole	200	Notes 12 and 14
		321	Butylated hydroxytoluene	100	Notes 12, 14 and 101

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Column 1		Column 2		Column 3	Column 4
No.	Food category or sub-category	Permitted food additives	Name	Maximum permitted level (mg/kg, unless otherwise specified)	Note
		INS nos.			
		338, 339(i)-(iii), 340(i)-(iii), 341(i)-(iii), 342(i) & (ii), 343(i)-(iii), 450(i)-(iii), (v)-(vii) & (ix), 451(i) & (ii), 452(i)-(v) & 542	Phosphates	1 320	Note 1
		392	Rosemary extract	300	
8.2.2.1	Cured and heat-treated meat	200-203	Sorbates	200	Notes 9 and 16
		234	Nisin	25	
		235	Natamycin (pimaricin)	10	Notes 16 and 44

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Column 1		Column 2		Column 3	Column 4
No.	Food category or sub-category	Permitted food additives	Name	Maximum permitted level (mg/kg, unless otherwise specified)	Note
		INS nos.			
		243	Lauric arginate ethyl ester	200	Note 102
		249 & 250	Nitrites	80	Note 20
		251 & 252	Nitrates	365	Note 18
		262(ii)	Sodium diacetate	1 000	
		307a, b & c	Tocopherols	500	
		310	Propyl gallate	200	Notes 12 and 14
		319	Tertiary butylhydroquinone	100	Notes 12, 14 and 101
		320	Butylated hydroxyanisole	200	Notes 12 and 14
		321	Butylated hydroxytoluene	100	Notes 12, 14 and 101

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Column 1		Column 2		Column 3	Column 4
No.	Food category or sub-category	Permitted food additives	Name	Maximum permitted level (mg/kg, unless otherwise specified)	Note
		INS nos.			
		338, 339(i)-(iii), 340(i)-(iii), 341(i)-(iii), 342(i) & (ii), 343(i)-(iii), 450(i)-(iii), (v)-(vii) & (ix), 451(i) & (ii), 452(i)-(v) & 542	Phosphates	1 320	Note 1
		392	Rosemary extract	300	
8.2.3	Frozen processed meat, poultry and game products in whole pieces or cuts, including raw and cooked meat cuts that have been frozen	200-203	Sorbates	200	Notes 9 and 16
		243	Lauric arginate ethyl ester	200	Notes 16 and 103
		262(ii)	Sodium diacetate	1 000	
		307a, b & c	Tocopherols	500	

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Column 1		Column 2		Column 3	Column 4
No.	Food category or sub-category	Permitted food additives	Name	Maximum permitted level (mg/kg, unless otherwise specified)	Note
		INS nos.			
		310	Propyl gallate	200	Notes 12 and 14
		319	Tertiary butylhydroquinone	100	Notes 12, 14 and 101
		320	Butylated hydroxyanisole	200	Notes 12 and 14
		321	Butylated hydroxytoluene	100	Notes 12, 14 and 101
		338, 339(i)-(iii), 340(i)-(iii), 341(i)-(iii), 342(i) & (ii), 343(i)-(iii), 450(i)-(iii), (v)-(vii) & (ix),	Phosphates	2 200	Note 1

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Column 1		Column 2		Column 3	Column 4	
No.	Food category or sub-category	Permitted food additives	INS nos.	Maximum permitted level (mg/kg, unless otherwise specified)	Note	
8.3	Processed comminuted meat, poultry and game products		451(i) & (ii), 452(i)-(v) & 542			
			200-203	Sorbates	1 500	Note 9
			262(ii)	Sodium diacetate	1 000	
			307a, b & c	Tocopherols	500	
			310	Propyl gallate	200	Notes 12 and 14
			319	Tertiary butylhydroquinone	100	Notes 12, 14 and 104
			320	Butylated hydroxyanisole	200	Notes 12 and 14
		321	Butylated hydroxytoluene	100	Notes 12, 14 and 104	

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Column 1		Column 2		Column 3	Column 4
No.	Food category or sub-category	Permitted food additives	Name	Maximum permitted level (mg/kg, unless otherwise specified)	Note
		INS nos.			
8.3.1	Non-heat treated processed comminuted meat, poultry and game products	338, 339(i)-(iii), 340(i)-(iii), 341(i)-(iii), 342(i) & (ii), 343(i)-(iii), 450(i)-(iii), (v)-(vii) & (ix), 451(i) & (ii), 452(i)-(v) & 542	Phosphates	2 200	Note 1
		200-203	Sorbates	1 500	Note 9
		234	Nisin	12.5	
		243	Lauric arginate ethyl ester	315	
		262(ii)	Sodium diacetate	1 000	
		307a, b & c	Tocopherols	500	

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Column 1		Column 2		Column 3	Column 4
No.	Food category or sub-category	Permitted food additives		Maximum permitted level (mg/kg, unless otherwise specified)	Note
		INS nos.	Name		
		310	Propyl gallate	200	Notes 12 and 14
		319	Tertiary butylhydroquinone	100	Notes 12, 14 and 104
		320	Butylated hydroxyanisole	200	Notes 12 and 14
		321	Butylated hydroxytoluene	100	Notes 12, 14 and 104
		334, 335(ii) & 337	Tartrates	500	Note 10
		338, 339(i)-(iii), 340(i)-(iii), 341(i)-(iii), 342(i) & (ii), 343(i)-(iii), 450(i)-(iii),	Phosphates	2 200	Note 1

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Column 1		Column 2		Column 3	Column 4
No.	Food category or sub-category	Permitted food additives	Name	Maximum permitted level (mg/kg, unless otherwise specified)	Note
		INS nos.			
		(v)–(vii) & (ix), 451(i) & (ii), 452(i)–(v) & 542			
		392	Rosemary extract	300	
8.3.1.1	Cured (including salted) non-heat treated processed comminuted meat, poultry and game products	200–203	Sorbates	1 500	Note 9
		220–228, 539 & –	Sulphites	450	Note 30
		234	Nisin	12.5	
		243	Lauric arginate ethyl ester	315	
		249 & 250	Nitrites	130	Note 20
		251 & 252	Nitrates	365	Note 18
		262(ii)	Sodium diacetate	1 000	
		307a, b & c	Tocopherols	500	

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Column 1		Column 2		Column 3	Column 4
No.	Food category or sub-category	Permitted food additives		Maximum permitted level (mg/kg, unless otherwise specified)	Note
		INS nos.	Name		
		310	Propyl gallate	200	Notes 12 and 14
		319	Tertiary butylhydroquinone	100	Notes 12, 14 and 104
		320	Butylated hydroxyanisole	200	Notes 12 and 14
		321	Butylated hydroxytoluene	100	Notes 12, 14 and 104
		334, 335(ii) & 337	Tartrates	500	Note 10
		338, 339(i)-(iii), 340(i)-(iii), 341(i)-(iii), 342(i) & (ii), 343(i)-(iii), 450(i)-(iii),	Phosphates	2 200	Note 1

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Column 1		Column 2		Column 3	Column 4
No.	Food category or sub-category	Permitted food additives	Maximum permitted level (mg/kg, unless otherwise specified)	Note	Note
		INS nos.	Name		
		(v)–(vii) & (ix), 451(i) & (ii), 452(i)–(v) & 542			
		392	Rosemary extract	300	
8.3.1.2	Cured (including salted) and dried non-heat treated processed comminuted meat, poultry and game products	200–203	Sorbates	1 500	Note 9
		210–213	Benzoates	1 000	Notes 6 and 16
		220–228, 539 & –	Sulphites	450	Note 30
		234	Nisin	12.5	
		235	Natamycin (pimaricin)	20	Notes 16 and 105
		243	Lauric arginate ethyl ester	315	
		249 & 250	Nitrites	130	Note 20

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Column 1		Column 2		Column 3	Column 4
No.	Food category or sub-category	Permitted food additives	Name	Maximum permitted level (mg/kg, unless otherwise specified)	Note
		INS nos.			
		251 & 252	Nitrates	365	Note 18
		262(ii)	Sodium diacetate	1 000	
		307a, b & c	Tocopherols	500	
		310	Propyl gallate	200	Notes 12 and 14
		319	Tertiary butylhydroquinone	100	Notes 12, 14 and 104
		320	Butylated hydroxyanisole	200	Notes 12 and 14
		321	Butylated hydroxytoluene	100	Notes 12, 14 and 104
		334, 335(ii) & 337	Tartrates	500	Note 10

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Column 1		Column 2		Column 3	Column 4
No.	Food category or sub-category	Permitted food additives	Name	Maximum permitted level (mg/kg, unless otherwise specified)	Note
		INS nos.			
		338, 339(i)-(iii), 340(i)-(iii), 341(i)-(iii), 342(i) & (ii), 343(i)-(iii), 450(i)-(iii), (v)-(vii) & (ix), 451(i) & (ii), 452(i)-(v) & 542	Phosphates	2 200	Note 1
		384	Isopropyl citrates	200	
		392	Rosemary extract	300	
		200-203	Sorbates	1 500	Note 9
8.3.1.3	Fermented non-heat treated processed comminuted meat, poultry and game products	220-228, 539 & -	Sulphites	450	Note 30
		234	Nisin	12.5	

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Column 1		Column 2		Column 3	Column 4
No.	Food category or sub-category	Permitted food additives		Maximum permitted level (mg/kg, unless otherwise specified)	Note
		INS nos.	Name		
		235	Natamycin (pimaricin)	10	Notes 16 and 44
		243	Lauric arginate ethyl ester	315	
		249 & 250	Nitrites	130	Note 20
		251 & 252	Nitrates	365	Note 18
		262(ii)	Sodium diacetate	1 000	
		307a, b & c	Tocopherols	500	
		310	Propyl gallate	200	Notes 12 and 14
		319	Tertiary butylhydroquinone	100	Notes 12, 14 and 104
		320	Butylated hydroxyanisole	200	Notes 12 and 14

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Column 1		Column 2		Column 3	Column 4
No.	Food category or sub-category	Permitted food additives	Name	Maximum permitted level (mg/kg, unless otherwise specified)	Note
		INS nos.			
		321	Butylated hydroxytoluene	100	Notes 12, 14 and 104
		334, 335(ii) & 337	Tartrates	500	Note 10
		338, 339(i)-(iii), 340(i)-(iii), 341(i)-(iii), 342(i) & (ii), 343(i)-(iii), 450(i)-(iii), (v)-(vii) & (ix), 451(i) & (ii), 452(i)-(v) & 542	Phosphates	2 200	Note 1
		392	Rosemary extract	300	

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Column 1		Column 2		Column 3	Column 4
No.	Food category or sub-category	Permitted food additives	Name	Maximum permitted level (mg/kg, unless otherwise specified)	Note
8.3.2	Heat-treated processed comminuted meat, poultry and game products, including cooked (including cured and cooked, and dried and cooked), heat-treated (including sterilized) and canned comminuted products (e.g. foie gras and pates, and cooked meatballs)	200–203	Sorbates	1 500	Note 9
		234	Nisin	25	Note 106
		235	Natamycin (pimaricin)	10	Notes 16 and 44
		243	Lauric arginate ethyl ester	200	Note 106
		262(ii)	Sodium diacetate	1 000	
		307a, b & c	Tocopherols	500	
		310	Propyl gallate	200	Notes 12 and 14
		319	Tertiary butylhydroquinone	100	Notes 12, 14 and 104
		320	Butylated hydroxyanisole	200	Notes 12 and 14

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Column 1		Column 2		Column 3	Column 4
No.	Food category or sub-category	Permitted food additives	Name	Maximum permitted level (mg/kg, unless otherwise specified)	Note
		INS nos.			
		321	Butylated hydroxytoluene	100	Notes 12, 14 and 104
		334, 335(ii) & 337	Tartrates	500	Note 10
		338, 339(i)-(iii), 340(i)-(iii), 341(i)-(iii), 342(i) & (ii), 343(i)-(iii), 450(i)-(iii), (v)-(vii) & (ix), 451(i) & (ii), 452(i)-(v) & 542	Phosphates	2 200	Note 1
		385 & 386	Ethylenediamine-tetraacetates	35	Note 42
		392	Rosemary extract	300	

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Column 1		Column 2		Column 3	Column 4
No.	Food category or sub-category	Permitted food additives	Name	Maximum permitted level (mg/kg, unless otherwise specified)	Note
8.3.2.1	Cured and heat-treated processed comminuted meat, poultry and game products (e.g. cooked, cured chopped meat, canned corned beef and luncheon meat)	200–203	Sorbates	1 500	Note 9
		220–228, 539 & –	Sulphites	450	Note 30
		234	Nisin	25	Note 106
		235	Natamycin (pimaricin)	10	Notes 16 and 44
		243	Lauroic arginate ethyl ester	200	Note 106
		249 & 250	Nitrites	80	Note 20
		251 & 252	Nitrates	365	Note 18
		262(ii)	Sodium diacetate	1 000	
		307a, b & c	Tocopherols	500	
		310	Propyl gallate	200	Notes 12 and 14

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Column 1		Column 2		Column 3	Column 4
No.	Food category or sub-category	Permitted food additives	Name	Maximum permitted level (mg/kg, unless otherwise specified)	Note
		INS nos.			
		319	Tertiary butylhydroquinone	100	Notes 12, 14 and 104
		320	Butylated hydroxyanisole	200	Notes 12 and 14
		321	Butylated hydroxytoluene	100	Notes 12, 14 and 104
		334, 335(ii) & 337	Tartrates	500	Note 10
		338, 339(i)-(iii), 340(i)-(iii), 341(i)-(iii), 342(i) & (ii), 343(i)-(iii), 450(i)-(iii), (v)-(vii) & (ix),	Phosphates	2 200	Note 1

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Column 1		Column 2		Column 3	Column 4
No.	Food category or sub-category	Permitted food additives	Name	Maximum permitted level (mg/kg, unless otherwise specified)	Note
		INS nos.			
		451(i) & (ii), 452(i)-(v) & 542			
		385 & 386	Ethylenediamine-tetraacetates	35	Note 42
		392	Rosemary extract	300	
		200-203	Sorbates	1 500	Note 9
8.3.2.2	Heat-treated hamburgers or similar products	220-228, 539 & -	Sulphites	450	Note 30
		234	Nisin	25	Note 106
		235	Natamycin (pimaricin)	10	Notes 16 and 44
		243	Lauric arginate ethyl ester	200	Note 106
		262(ii)	Sodium diacetate	1 000	
		307a, b & c	Tocopherols	500	

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Column 1		Column 2		Column 3	Column 4
No.	Food category or sub-category	Permitted food additives	Name	Maximum permitted level (mg/kg, unless otherwise specified)	Note
		INS nos.			
		310	Propyl gallate	200	Notes 12 and 14
		319	Tertiary butylhydroquinone	100	Notes 12, 14 and 104
		320	Butylated hydroxyanisole	200	Notes 12 and 14
		321	Butylated hydroxytoluene	100	Notes 12, 14 and 104
		334, 335(ii) & 337	Tartrates	500	Note 10
		338, 339(i)-(iii), 340(i)-(iii), 341(i)-(iii), 342(i) & (ii), 343(i)-(iii), 450(i)-(iii),	Phosphates	2 200	Note 1

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Column 1		Column 2		Column 3	Column 4
No.	Food category or sub-category	Permitted food additives	INS nos.	Maximum permitted level (mg/kg, unless otherwise specified)	Note
			(v)–(vii) & (ix), 451(i) & (ii), 452(i)–(v) & 542		
			385 & 386	35	Note 42
			392	300	
			200–203	1 500	Note 9
8.3.2.3	Heat-treated sausages or sausage meat (e.g. breakfast sausages)		220–228, 539 & –	450	Note 30
			234	25	Note 106
			235	10	Notes 16 and 44
			243	200	Note 106
			262(ii)	1 000	
			307a, b & c	500	

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Column 1		Column 2		Column 3	Column 4
No.	Food category or sub-category	Permitted food additives	Name	Maximum permitted level (mg/kg, unless otherwise specified)	Note
		INS nos.			
		310	Propyl gallate	200	Notes 12 and 14
		319	Tertiary butylhydroquinone	100	Notes 12, 14 and 104
		320	Butylated hydroxyanisole	200	Notes 12 and 14
		321	Butylated hydroxytoluene	100	Notes 12, 14 and 104
		334, 335(ii) & 337	Tartrates	500	Note 10
		338, 339(i)-(iii), 340(i)-(iii), 341(i)-(iii), 342(i) & (ii), 343(i)-(iii), 450(i)-(iii),	Phosphates	2 200	Note 1

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Column 1		Column 2		Column 3	Column 4
No.	Food category or sub-category	Permitted food additives	Name	Maximum permitted level (mg/kg, unless otherwise specified)	Note
		INS nos.			
		(v)–(vii) & (ix), 451(i) & (ii), 452(i)–(v) & 542			
		385 & 386	Ethylenediamine-tetraacetates	35	Note 42
		392	Rosemary extract	300	
		200–203	Sorbates	1 500	Note 9
		234	Nisin	12.5	
		243	Lauric arginate ethyl ester	315	Notes 16 and 103
		262(ii)	Sodium diacetate	1 000	
		307a, b & c	Tocopherols	500	
		310	Propyl gallate	200	Notes 12 and 14
8.3.3	Frozen processed comminuted meat, poultry and game products, including raw, partially cooked and fully cooked products (e.g. frozen breaded or battered chicken fingers)				

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Column 1		Column 2		Column 3	Column 4
No.	Food category or sub-category	Permitted food additives	Name	Maximum permitted level (mg/kg, unless otherwise specified)	Note
		INS nos.			
		319	Tertiary butylhydroquinone	100	Notes 12, 14 and 104
		320	Butylated hydroxyanisole	200	Notes 12 and 14
		321	Butylated hydroxytoluene	100	Notes 12, 14 and 104
		334, 335(ii) & 337	Tartrates	500	Note 10
		338, 339(i)-(iii), 340(i)-(iii), 341(i)-(iii), 342(i) & (ii), 343(i)-(iii), 450(i)-(iii), (v)-(vii) & (ix),	Phosphates	2 200	Note 1

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Column 1		Column 2		Column 3	Column 4
No.	Food category or sub-category	Permitted food additives	Name	Maximum permitted level (mg/kg, unless otherwise specified)	Note
		INS nos.			
		451(i) & (ii), 452(i)-(v) & 542			
		392	Rosemary extract	300	
8.3.3.1	Frozen hamburgers or similar products	200-203	Sorbates	1 500	Note 9
		220-228, 539 & -	Sulphites	450	Note 30
		234	Nisin	12.5	
		243	Lauric arginate ethyl ester	315	Notes 16 and 103
		262(ii)	Sodium diacetate	1 000	
		307a, b & c	Tocopherols	500	
		310	Propyl gallate	200	Notes 12 and 14
		319	Tertiary butylhydroquinone	100	Notes 12, 14 and 104

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Column 1		Column 2		Column 3	Column 4
No.	Food category or sub-category	Permitted food additives	Name	Maximum permitted level (mg/kg, unless otherwise specified)	Note
		INS nos.			
		320	Butylated hydroxyanisole	200	Notes 12 and 14
		321	Butylated hydroxytoluene	100	Notes 12, 14 and 104
		334, 335(ii) & 337	Tartrates	500	Note 10
		338, 339(i)-(iii), 340(i)-(iii), 341(i)-(iii), 342(i) & (ii), 343(i)-(iii), 450(i)-(iii), (v)-(vii) & (ix), 451(i) & (ii), 452(i)-(v) & 542	Phosphates	2 200	Note 1
		392	Rosemary extract	300	

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Column 1		Column 2		Column 3	Column 4
No.	Food category or sub-category	Permitted food additives	Name	Maximum permitted level (mg/kg, unless otherwise specified)	Note
		INS nos.			
8.4	Edible casings (e.g. sausage casings)	200–203	Sorbates	10 000	Notes 9 and 107
		214, 215, 218 & 219	Hydroxybenzoates, para-	36	Note 26
		234	Nisin	7	
		304 & 305	Ascorbyl esters	5 000	Note 13
		307a, b & c	Tocopherols	5 000	Note 107
		334, 335(ii) & 337	Tartrates	2 000	Notes 10 and 107
		338, 339(i)–(iii), 340(i)–(iii), 341(i)–(iii), 342(i) & (ii), 343(i)–(iii), 450(i)–(iii), (v)–(vii) & (ix),	Phosphates	1 100	Note 1

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No.	Food category or sub-category	Permitted food additives	Name	Maximum permitted level (mg/kg, unless otherwise specified)	Note
		INS nos.			
9	Fish and fish products, including aquatic vertebrates (e.g. fish and aquatic mammals (e.g. whales)) and aquatic invertebrates (e.g. molluscs (e.g. clams and snails), crustaceans (e.g. shrimps, crabs and lobsters) and echinoderms (e.g. sea urchins and sea cucumbers))	451(i) & (ii), 452(i)-(v) & 542			
9.1	Fresh fish and fish products, including molluscs, crustaceans and echinoderms				

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Column 1		Column 2		Column 3	Column 4
No.	Food category or sub-category	Permitted food additives	INS nos.	Maximum permitted level (mg/kg, unless otherwise specified)	Note
9.1.1	Fresh fish				
9.1.2	Fresh molluscs, crustaceans and echinoderms		220-228, 539 & -	100	Note 30
			300	GMP	
			301	GMP	
			302	GMP	
			315	GMP	
			316	GMP	
			322	GMP	

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Column 1		Column 2		Column 3	Column 4
No.	Food category or sub-category	Permitted food additives	Name	Maximum permitted level (mg/kg, unless otherwise specified)	Note
		INS nos.			
		330	Citric acid	GMP	
		472c	Citric and fatty acid esters of glycerol	GMP	
		942	Nitrous oxide	GMP	
9.2	Processed fish and fish products, including molluscs, crustaceans and echinoderms	301	Sodium ascorbate	GMP	
		332(ii)	Tripotassium citrate	GMP	
		333(iii)	Tricalcium citrate	GMP	

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Column 1		Column 2		Column 3	Column 4
No.	Food category or sub-category	Permitted food additives	INS nos.	Maximum permitted level (mg/kg, unless otherwise specified)	Note
9.2.1	Frozen (including fresh and partially cooked) fish, fish fillets and fish products, including molluscs, crustaceans and echinoderms (e.g. frozen clams, frozen cod fillets, frozen crabs, frozen finfish, frozen lobsters, frozen prawns, frozen fish roe and frozen surimi)		220–228, 539 & –	100	Notes 30, 109 and 110
			300	GMP	
			301	GMP	
			302	GMP	Note 108
			304 & 305	1 000	Note 13
			315	GMP	Note 108
			316	GMP	Note 108
			320	200	Notes 12 and 14

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Column 1		Column 2		Column 3	Column 4
No.	Food category or sub-category	Permitted food additives	Name	Maximum permitted level (mg/kg, unless otherwise specified)	Note
		INS nos.			Notes 12 and 14
		321	Butylated hydroxytoluene	200	
		322	Lecithins	GMP	
		330	Citric acid	GMP	
		332(ii)	Tripotassium citrate	GMP	
		333(iii)	Tricalcium citrate	GMP	
		338, 339(i)-(iii), 340(i)-(iii), 341(i)-(iii), 342(i) & (ii), 343(i)-(iii), 450(i)-(iii),	Phosphates	2 200	Note 1

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		INS nos. (v)–(vii) & (ix), 451(i) & (ii), 452(i)–(v) & 542			
		385 & 386	Ethylenediamine-tetraacetates	75	Note 42
		472c	Citric and fatty acid esters of glycerol	GMP	
		942	Nitrous oxide	GMP	Note 108
		260	Acetic acid, glacial	GMP	Note 111
		262(i)	Sodium acetate	GMP	Note 111
		300	Ascorbic acid, L-	GMP	
9.2.2	Frozen uncooked battered fish, fish fillets and fish products, including molluscs, crustaceans and echinoderms (e.g.	301	Sodium ascorbate	GMP	

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Column 1		Column 2		Column 3	Column 4
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	frozen raw breaded shrimps and frozen batter-coated fish fillets)		302	GMP	Note 110
			304 & 305	1 000	Note 13
			307a, b & c	200	Note 12
			315	GMP	Note 110
			320	200	Notes 12 and 14
			321	200	Notes 12 and 14
			322	GMP	
			325	GMP	Note 111
			327	GMP	Note 111

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Column 1		Column 2		Column 3	Column 4
No.	Food category or sub-category	Permitted food additives	Name	Maximum permitted level (mg/kg, unless otherwise specified)	Note
		INS nos.			
		330	Citric acid	GMP	Note 112
		332(ii)	Tripotassium citrate	GMP	
		333(iii)	Tricalcium citrate	GMP	
		338, 339(i)-(iii), 340(i)-(iii), 341(i)-(iii), 342(i) & (ii), 343(i)-(iii), 450(i)-(iii), (v)-(vii) & (ix), 451(i) & (ii), 452(i)-(v) & 542	Phosphates	2 200	Note 1
		385 & 386	Ethylenediamine-tetraacetates	75	Note 42

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Column 1		Column 2		Column 3	Column 4
No.	Food category or sub-category	Permitted food additives	Name	Maximum permitted level (mg/kg, unless otherwise specified)	Note
		INS nos.			
		388 & 389	Thiodipropionates	200	Notes 12 and 37
		472c	Citric and fatty acid esters of glycerol	GMP	Note 59
		260	Acetic acid, glacial	GMP	Note 59
		262(i)	Sodium acetate	GMP	Note 59
		300	Ascorbic acid, L-	GMP	Note 59
		301	Sodium ascorbate	GMP	
		322	Lecithins	GMP	Note 59
		325	Sodium lactate	GMP	Note 59
9.2.3	Frozen uncooked minced and creamed fish products, including molluscs, crustaceans and echinoderms				

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Column 1		Column 2		Column 3	Column 4
No.	Food category or sub-category	Permitted food additives	Name	Maximum permitted level (mg/kg, unless otherwise specified)	Note
		INS nos.			
		327	Calcium lactate	GMP	Note 59
		330	Citric acid	GMP	Note 59
		332(ii)	Tripotassium citrate	GMP	
		333(iii)	Tricalcium citrate	GMP	
		338, 339(i)-(iii), 340(i)-(iii), 341(i)-(iii), 342(i) & (ii), 343(i)-(iii), 450(i)-(iii), (v)-(vii) & (ix),	Phosphates	2 200	Note 1

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Column 1		Column 2		Column 3	Column 4	
No.	Food category or sub-category	Permitted food additives	INS nos.	Maximum permitted level (mg/kg, unless otherwise specified)	Note	
9.2.4	Cooked and/or fried fish and fish products, including molluscs, crustaceans and echinoderms		451(i) & (ii), 452(i)-(v) & 542			
			472c	Citric and fatty acid esters of glycerol	GMP	Note 59
			234	Nisin	12.5	Note 113
			260	Acetic acid, glacial	GMP	
			262(i)	Sodium acetate	GMP	
			262(ii)	Sodium diacetate	1 000	Note 113
			300	Ascorbic acid, L-	GMP	
	301	Sodium ascorbate	GMP			
	325	Sodium lactate	GMP			

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Column 1		Column 2		Column 3	Column 4
No.	Food category or sub-category	Permitted food additives	INS nos.	Maximum permitted level (mg/kg, unless otherwise specified)	Note
		Calcium lactate	327	GMP	
		Citric acid	330	GMP	
		Tripotassium citrate	332(ii)	GMP	
		Tricalcium citrate	333(iii)	GMP	
9.2.4.1	Cooked fish and fish products (excluding frying), including cooked surimi, cooked fish paste and cooked fish roe	Sorbates	200-203	2 000	Note 9
		Nisin	234	12.5	Note 113
		Lauric arginate ethyl ester	243	200	
		Acetic acid, glacial	260	GMP	
		Sodium acetate	262(i)	GMP	

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Column 1		Column 2		Column 3	Column 4
No.	Food category or sub-category	Permitted food additives	Name	Maximum permitted level (mg/kg, unless otherwise specified)	Note
		INS nos.			
		262(ii)	Sodium diacetate	1 000	Note 113
		300	Ascorbic acid, L-	GMP	
		301	Sodium ascorbate	GMP	
		322	Lecithins	GMP	
		325	Sodium lactate	GMP	
		327	Calcium lactate	GMP	
		330	Citric acid	GMP	
		332(ii)	Tripotassium citrate	GMP	

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Column 1		Column 2		Column 3	Column 4
No.	Food category or sub-category	Permitted food additives	Name	Maximum permitted level (mg/kg, unless otherwise specified)	Note
		INS nos.	Tricalcium citrate	GMP	
		333(iii)	Phosphates	2 200	Note 1
		338, 339(i)-(iii), 340(i)-(iii), 341(i)-(iii), 342(i) & (ii), 343(i)-(iii), 450(i)-(iii), (v)-(vii) & (ix), 451(i) & (ii), 452(i)-(v) & 542			
		385 & 386	Ethylenediamine-tetraacetates	50	Note 42
		472c	Citric and fatty acid esters of glycerol	GMP	
9.2.4.1.1	Cooked fish balls and cakes (excluding	200-203	Sorbates	2 000	Notes 9 and 114

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Column 1		Column 2		Column 3	Column 4
No.	Food category or sub-category	Permitted food additives	Name	Maximum permitted level (mg/kg, unless otherwise specified)	Note
	frying)	INS nos.	Benzoates	1 000	Notes 6 and 114
		210–213			
		214, 215, 218 & 219	Hydroxybenzoates, para-	1 000	Notes 26 and 114
		234	Nisin	12.5	Note 113
		243	Lauric arginate ethyl ester	200	
		260	Acetic acid, glacial	GMP	
		262(i)	Sodium acetate	GMP	
		262(ii)	Sodium diacetate	1 000	Note 113
		300	Ascorbic acid, L-	GMP	
		301	Sodium ascorbate	GMP	

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Column 1		Column 2		Column 3	Column 4
No.	Food category or sub-category	Permitted food additives	Name	Maximum permitted level (mg/kg, unless otherwise specified)	Note
		INS nos.			
		322	Lecithins	GMP	
		325	Sodium lactate	GMP	
		327	Calcium lactate	GMP	
		330	Citric acid	GMP	
		332(ii)	Tripotassium citrate	GMP	
		333(iii)	Tricalcium citrate	GMP	
		338, 339(i)-(iii), 340(i)-(iii), 341(i)-(iii), 342(i) & (ii), 343(i)-(iii),	Phosphates	2 200	Note 1

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Column 1		Column 2		Column 3	Column 4
No.	Food category or sub-category	Permitted food additives	Name	Maximum permitted level (mg/kg, unless otherwise specified)	Note
		INS nos.			
		450(i)-(iii), (v)-(vii) & (ix), 451(i) & (ii), 452(i)-(v) & 542			
		385 & 386	Ethylenediamine-tetraacetates	50	Note 42
		472c	Citric and fatty acid esters of glycerol	GMP	
		200-203	Sorbates	2 000	Notes 9 and 115
		210-213	Benzoates	2 000	Notes 6 and 115
		220-228, 539 & -	Sulphites	150	Note 30
9.2.4.2	Cooked molluscs, crustaceans and echinoderms (excluding frying)	234	Nisin	12.5	Note 113

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Column 1		Column 2		Column 3	Column 4
No.	Food category or sub-category	Permitted food additives	Name	Maximum permitted level (mg/kg, unless otherwise specified)	Note
		INS nos.			
		243	Lauric arginate ethyl ester	200	
		260	Acetic acid, glacial	GMP	
		262(i)	Sodium acetate	GMP	
		262(ii)	Sodium diacetate	1 000	Note 113
		300	Ascorbic acid, L-	GMP	
		301	Sodium ascorbate	GMP	
		325	Sodium lactate	GMP	
		327	Calcium lactate	GMP	

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Column 1		Column 2		Column 3	Column 4
No.	Food category or sub-category	Permitted food additives	Name	Maximum permitted level (mg/kg, unless otherwise specified)	Note
		INS nos.			
		330	Citric acid	GMP	
		332(ii)	Tripotassium citrate	GMP	
		333(iii)	Tricalcium citrate	GMP	
		338, 339(i)-(iii), 340(i)-(iii), 341(i)-(iii), 342(i) & (ii), 343(i)-(iii), 450(i)-(iii), (v)-(vii) & (ix), 451(i) & (ii), 452(i)-(v) & 542	Phosphates	2 200	Note 1

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Column 1		Column 2		Column 3	Column 4	
No.	Food category or sub-category	Permitted food additives	INS nos.	Maximum permitted level (mg/kg, unless otherwise specified)	Note	
9.2.4.2.1	Cooked mollusc, crustacean, and echinoderm balls and cakes (excluding frying)		200–203	2 000	Notes 9, 114 and 115	
			210–213	2 000	Notes 6, 114 and 115	
			214, 215, 218 & 219	Hydroxybenzoates, para-	1 000	Notes 26 and 114
			220–228, 539 & –	Sulphites	150	Note 30
			234	Nisin	12.5	Note 113
			243	Lauric arginate ethyl ester	200	
		260	Acetic acid, glacial	GMP		

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Column 1		Column 2		Column 3	Column 4
No.	Food category or sub-category	Permitted food additives	Name	Maximum permitted level (mg/kg, unless otherwise specified)	Note
		INS nos.			
		262(i)	Sodium acetate	GMP	
		262(ii)	Sodium diacetate	1 000	Note 113
		300	Ascorbic acid, L-	GMP	
		301	Sodium ascorbate	GMP	
		325	Sodium lactate	GMP	
		327	Calcium lactate	GMP	
		330	Citric acid	GMP	
		332(ii)	Tripotassium citrate	GMP	

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Column 1		Column 2		Column 3	Column 4
No.	Food category or sub-category	Permitted food additives	INS nos.	Maximum permitted level (mg/kg, unless otherwise specified)	Note
			333(iii)	GMP	
			338, 339(i)-(iii), 340(i)-(iii), 341(i)-(iii), 342(i) & (ii), 343(i)-(iii), 450(i)-(iii), (v)-(vii) & (ix), 451(i) & (ii), 452(i)-(v) & 542	2 200	Note 1
9.2.4.3	Fried fish and fish products, including molluscs, crustaceans and echinoderms		200-203	Sorbates	Notes 9 and 113
			234	Nisin	Note 113
			243	Lauric arginate ethyl ester	Note 116

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Column 1		Column 2		Column 3	Column 4
No.	Food category or sub-category	Permitted food additives	Name	Maximum permitted level (mg/kg, unless otherwise specified)	Note
		INS nos.			
		260	Acetic acid, glacial	GMP	
		262(i)	Sodium acetate	GMP	
		262(ii)	Sodium diacetate	1 000	Note 113
		300	Ascorbic acid, L-	GMP	
		301	Sodium ascorbate	GMP	
		322	Lecithins	GMP	Note 111
		325	Sodium lactate	GMP	
		327	Calcium lactate	GMP	

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Column 1		Column 2		Column 3	Column 4
No.	Food category or sub-category	Permitted food additives	Name	Maximum permitted level (mg/kg, unless otherwise specified)	Note
		INS nos.			
		330	Citric acid	GMP	
		332(ii)	Tripotassium citrate	GMP	
		333(iii)	Tricalcium citrate	GMP	
		472c	Citric and fatty acid esters of glycerol	GMP	Note 111
9.2.4.3.1	Fried fish balls and cakes, including molluscs, crustaceans and echinoderms	200–203	Sorbates	1 000	Notes 9 and 114
		210–213	Benzoates	1 000	Notes 6 and 114
		214, 215, 218 & 219	Hydroxybenzoates, para-	1 000	Notes 26 and 114
		234	Nisin	12.5	Note 113

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Column 1		Column 2		Column 3	Column 4
No.	Food category or sub-category	Permitted food additives	Name	Maximum permitted level (mg/kg, unless otherwise specified)	Note
		INS nos.			
		243	Lauric arginate ethyl ester	200	Note 116
		260	Acetic acid, glacial	GMP	
		262(i)	Sodium acetate	GMP	
		262(ii)	Sodium diacetate	1 000	Note 113
		300	Ascorbic acid, L-	GMP	
		301	Sodium ascorbate	GMP	
		322	Lecithins	GMP	Note 111
		325	Sodium lactate	GMP	

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Column 1		Column 2		Column 3	Column 4
No.	Food category or sub-category	Permitted food additives	Name	Maximum permitted level (mg/kg, unless otherwise specified)	Note
		INS nos.			
		327	Calcium lactate	GMP	
		330	Citric acid	GMP	
		332(ii)	Tripotassium citrate	GMP	
		333(iii)	Tricalcium citrate	GMP	
		472c	Citric and fatty acid esters of glycerol	GMP	Note 111
9.2.5	Smoked, dried, fermented and/or salted fish and fish products, including molluscs, crustaceans and echinoderms	200–203	Sorbates	1 000	Notes 9 and 121
		210–213	Benzoates	200	Notes 6, 117 and 118

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Column 1		Column 2		Column 3	Column 4
No.	Food category or sub-category	Permitted food additives	Name	Maximum permitted level (mg/kg, unless otherwise specified)	Note
		INS nos.			
		220–228, 539 & –	Sulphites	30	Note 30
		243	Lauric arginate ethyl ester	200	Note 118
		260	Acetic acid, glacial	GMP	
		262(i)	Sodium acetate	GMP	
		290	Carbon dioxide	GMP	Note 119
		300	Ascorbic acid, L-	GMP	
		301	Sodium ascorbate	GMP	
		310	Propyl gallate	100	Notes 12 and 14

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Column 1		Column 2		Column 3	Column 4
No.	Food category or sub-category	Permitted food additives	INS nos.	Maximum permitted level (mg/kg, unless otherwise specified)	Note
			316	GMP	Note 119
			319	200	Note 12
			320	200	Notes 12 and 14
			321	200	Notes 12 and 14
			322	GMP	
			325	GMP	
			326	GMP	Note 119
			327	GMP	

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Column 1		Column 2		Column 3	Column 4
No.	Food category or sub-category	Permitted food additives	Name	Maximum permitted level (mg/kg, unless otherwise specified)	Note
		INS nos.			
		330	Citric acid	GMP	
		332(ii)	Tripotassium citrate	GMP	
		333(iii)	Tricalcium citrate	GMP	
		334, 335(ii) & 337	Tartrates	200	Notes 10 and 119
		338, 339(i)-(iii), 340(i)-(iii), 341(i)-(iii), 342(i) & (ii), 343(i)-(iii), 450(i)-(iii), (v)-(vii) & (ix),	Phosphates	2 200	Notes 1 and 120

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No.	Food category or sub-category	Permitted food additives	Name	Maximum permitted level (mg/kg, unless otherwise specified)	Note
		INS nos.			
		451(i) & (ii), 452(i)-(v) & 542			
		472c	Citric and fatty acid esters of glycerol	GMP	
9.2.5.1	Dried shredded fish, including molluscs, crustaceans and echinoderms	200-203	Sorbates	1 000	Notes 9, 114 and 121
		210-213	Benzoates	200	Notes 6, 114 and 118
		214, 215, 218 & 219	Hydroxybenzoates, para-	200	Notes 26 and 114
		220-228, 539 & -	Sulphites	30	Note 30
		243	Lauric arginate ethyl ester	200	Note 118

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Column 1		Column 2		Column 3	Column 4
No.	Food category or sub-category	Permitted food additives	Name	Maximum permitted level (mg/kg, unless otherwise specified)	Note
		INS nos.			
		260	Acetic acid, glacial	GMP	
		262(i)	Sodium acetate	GMP	
		290	Carbon dioxide	GMP	Note 119
		300	Ascorbic acid, L-	GMP	
		301	Sodium ascorbate	GMP	
		310	Propyl gallate	100	Notes 12 and 14
		316	Sodium erythorbate (sodium isoascorbate)	GMP	Note 119
		319	Tertiary butylhydroquinone	200	Note 12

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Column 1		Column 2		Column 3	Column 4
No.	Food category or sub-category	Permitted food additives	Name	Maximum permitted level (mg/kg, unless otherwise specified)	Note
		INS nos.			
		320	Butylated hydroxyanisole	200	Notes 12 and 14
		321	Butylated hydroxytoluene	200	Notes 12 and 14
		322	Lecithins	GMP	
		325	Sodium lactate	GMP	
		326	Potassium lactate	GMP	Note 119
		327	Calcium lactate	GMP	
		330	Citric acid	GMP	
		332(ii)	Tripotassium citrate	GMP	

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Column 1		Column 2		Column 3	Column 4
No.	Food category or sub-category	Permitted food additives	Name	Maximum permitted level (mg/kg, unless otherwise specified)	Note
		INS nos.			
		333(iii)	Tricalcium citrate	GMP	
		334, 335(ii) & 337	Tartrates	200	Notes 10 and 119
		338, 339(i)-(iii), 340(i)-(iii), 341(i)-(iii), 342(i) & (ii), 343(i)-(iii), 450(i)-(iii), (v)-(vii) & (ix), 451(i) & (ii), 452(i)-(v) & 542	Phosphates	2 200	Notes 1 and 120
		472c	Citric and fatty acid esters of glycerol	GMP	

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No.	Food category or sub-category	Permitted food additives	INS nos.	Maximum permitted level (mg/kg, unless otherwise specified)	Note
9.3	Semi-preserved fish and fish products, including molluscs, crustaceans and echinoderms		Sorbates	1 000	Note 9
			Benzoates	2 000	Notes 6 and 122
			Hydroxybenzoates, para-	1 000	Note 26
			Butylated hydroxyanisole	200	Notes 12 and 14
9.3.1	Fish and fish products, including molluscs, crustaceans and echinoderms, marinated with vinegar or wine and/or in jelly		Butylated hydroxytoluene	200	Notes 12 and 14
			Sorbates	1 000	Note 9
			Benzoates	2 000	Notes 6 and 122
			Hydroxybenzoates, para-	1 000	Note 26
		Sulphites	220-228, 539 & -	100	Note 30

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Column 1		Column 2		Column 3	Column 4
No.	Food category or sub-category	Permitted food additives	Name	Maximum permitted level (mg/kg, unless otherwise specified)	Note
		INS nos.			
		243	Lauric arginate ethyl ester	200	
		320	Butylated hydroxyanisole	200	Notes 12 and 14
		321	Butylated hydroxytoluene	200	Notes 12 and 14
		338, 339(i)-(iii), 340(i)-(iii), 341(i)-(iii), 342(i) & (ii), 343(i)-(iii), 450(i)-(iii), (v)-(vii) & (ix), 451(i) & (ii), 452(i)-(v) & 542	Phosphates	2 200	Note 1

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No.	Food category or sub-category	Permitted food additives	Name	Maximum permitted level (mg/kg, unless otherwise specified)	Note	
9.3.2	Fish and fish products, including molluscs, crustaceans and echinoderms, pickled and/or in brine	INS nos.				
			200–203	Sorbates	1 000	Note 9
			210–213	Benzoates	2 000	Notes 6 and 122
			214, 215, 218 & 219	Hydroxybenzoates, para-	1 000	Note 26
			220–228, 539 & –	Sulphites	100	Note 30
			243	Lauric arginate ethyl ester	200	
			320	Butylated hydroxyanisole	200	Notes 12 and 14
		321	Butylated hydroxytoluene	200	Notes 12 and 14	

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No.	Food category or sub-category	Permitted food additives	Name	Maximum permitted level (mg/kg, unless otherwise specified)	Note
		INS nos.	Phosphates	2 200	Note 1
		338, 339(i)-(iii), 340(i)-(iii), 341(i)-(iii), 342(i) & (ii), 343(i)-(iii), 450(i)-(iii), (v)-(vii) & (ix), 451(i) & (ii), 452(i)-(v) & 542			
		385 & 386	Ethylenediamine-tetraacetates	250	Note 42
		200-203	Sorbates	1 000	Note 9
		210-213	Benzoates	2 000	Notes 6 and 122
9.3.3	Semi-preserved salmon substitutes, caviar and other fish roe products, salted and/or treated with a preservative	214, 215, 218 & 219	Hydroxybenzoates, para-	1 000	Note 26

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Column 1		Column 2		Column 3	Column 4
No.	Food category or sub-category	Permitted food additives	Name	Maximum permitted level (mg/kg, unless otherwise specified)	Note
		INS nos.			
		220–228, 539 & –	Sulphites	100	Note 30
		243	Lauric arginate ethyl ester	200	
		320	Butylated hydroxyanisole	200	Notes 12 and 14
		321	Butylated hydroxytoluene	200	Notes 12 and 14
		338, 339(i)–(iii), 340(i)–(iii), 341(i)–(iii), 342(i) & (ii), 343(i)–(iii), 450(i)–(iii), (v)–(vii) & (ix),	Phosphates	2 200	Note 1

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Column 1		Column 2		Column 3	Column 4
No.	Food category or sub-category	Permitted food additives	INS nos.	Maximum permitted level (mg/kg, unless otherwise specified)	Note
9.3.4	Semi-preserved fish and fish products, including molluscs, crustaceans and echinoderms (e.g. traditional Oriental fish paste and shrimp paste), excluding cooked products of food categories 9.2.4.1 and 9.2.4.2 and their sub-categories (if applicable) and products of food		451(i) & (ii), 452(i)-(v) & 542		
			200-203	1 000	Note 9
			210-213	2 000	Notes 6 and 122
			214, 215, 218 & 219	1 000	Note 26
			243	200	
			320	200	Notes 12 and 14
			321	200	Notes 12 and 14

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No.	Food category or sub-category	Permitted food additives	Name	Maximum permitted level (mg/kg, unless otherwise specified)	Note
		INS nos.			
	categories 9.3.1, 9.3.2 and 9.3.3 and their sub-categories (if applicable)	338, 339(i)-(iii), 340(i)-(iii), 341(i)-(iii), 342(i) & (ii), 343(i)-(iii), 450(i)-(iii), (v)-(vii) & (ix), 451(i) & (ii), 452(i)-(v) & 542	Phosphates	2 200	Notes 1 and 123
9.4	Fully preserved (including canned or fermented) fish and fish products, including molluscs, crustaceans and echinoderms,	220-228, 539 & - 320 321	Sulphites Butylated hydroxyanisole Butylated hydroxytoluene	150 200 200	Notes 30 and 125 Notes 12 and 14 Notes 12 and 14

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10.2.1	Pasteurized and chemically preserved (e.g. by addition of salt) liquid egg products, including whole egg, egg yolk and egg white	INS nos.			
		200–203	Sorbates	5 000	Note 9
		210–213	Benzoates	5 000	Note 6
		234	Nisin	6.25	
		243	Lauric arginate ethyl ester	200	
		260	Acetic acid, glacial	GMP	
		262(i)	Sodium acetate	GMP	
		322	Lecithins	GMP	
		325	Sodium lactate	GMP	
		330	Citric acid	GMP	

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Column 1		Column 2		Column 3	Column 4
No.	Food category or sub-category	Permitted food additives	Name	Maximum permitted level (mg/kg, unless otherwise specified)	Note
		INS nos.	Phosphates	4 400	Notes 1 and 126
		338, 339(i)-(iii), 340(i)-(iii), 341(i)-(iii), 342(i) & (ii), 343(i)-(iii), 450(i)-(iii), (v)-(vii) & (ix), 451(i) & (ii), 452(i)-(v) & 542			
10.2.2	Pasteurized and frozen egg products, including whole egg, egg yolk and egg white	200-203	Sorbates	1 000	Note 9
		234	Nisin	6.25	
		243	Lauric arginate ethyl ester	200	
		260	Acetic acid, glacial	GMP	

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No.	Food category or sub-category	Permitted food additives	Name	Maximum permitted level (mg/kg, unless otherwise specified)	Note
		INS nos.			
		262(i)	Sodium acetate	GMP	
		322	Lecithins	GMP	
		325	Sodium lactate	GMP	
		330	Citric acid	GMP	
		338, 339(i)-(iii), 340(i)-(iii), 341(i)-(iii), 342(i) & (ii), 343(i)-(iii), 450(i)-(iii), (v)-(vii) & (ix),	Phosphates	1 290	Note 1

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Column 1		Column 2		Column 3	Column 4
No.	Food category or sub-category	Permitted food additives	Name	Maximum permitted level (mg/kg, unless otherwise specified)	Note
		INS nos.			
		451(i) & (ii), 452(i)-(v) & 542			
10.2.3	Dried and/or heat coagulated (pasteurized) egg products, including whole egg, egg yolk and egg white	200-203	Sorbates	1 000	Note 9
		214, 215, 218 & 219	Hydroxybenzoates, para-	200	Note 26
		234	Nisin	6.25	
		243	Lauric arginate ethyl ester	200	
		338, 339(i)-(iii), 340(i)-(iii), 341(i)-(iii), 342(i) & (ii), 343(i)-(iii), 450(i)-(iii), (v)-(vii) & (ix),	Phosphates	1 630	Note 1

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Column 1		Column 2		Column 3	Column 4
No.	Food category or sub-category	Permitted food additives	INS nos.	Maximum permitted level (mg/kg, unless otherwise specified)	Note
10.3	Preserved eggs, including alkaline, salted and canned eggs		451(i) & (ii), 452(i)-(v) & 542 385 & 386	200	Notes 42 and 127
			338, 339(i)-(iii), 340(i)-(iii), 341(i)-(iii), 342(i) & (ii), 343(i)-(iii), 450(i)-(iii), (v)-(vii) & (ix), 451(i) & (ii), 452(i)-(v) & 542	1 000	Note 1
10.4	Egg-based desserts (e.g. egg custard and		200-203 210-213	1 000 1 000	Note 9 Note 6

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Column 1		Column 2		Column 3	Column 4
No.	Food category or sub-category	Permitted food additives	Name	Maximum permitted level (mg/kg, unless otherwise specified)	Note
	custard fillings for fine bakery wares)	INS nos.			
		243	Lauric arginate ethyl ester	200	
		262(ii)	Sodium diacetate	2 000	
		304 & 305	Ascorbyl esters	500	Notes 13 and 28
		307a, b & c	Tocopherols	500	Note 128
		310	Propyl gallate	90	Notes 12 and 28
		334, 335(ii) & 337	Tartrates	2 000	Note 10
		338, 339(i)-(iii), 340(i)-(iii), 341(i)-(iii), 342(i) & (ii), 343(i)-(iii), 450(i)-(iii),	Phosphates	1 400	Note 1

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Column 1		Column 2		Column 3	Column 4
No.	Food category or sub-category	Permitted food additives	INS nos.	Maximum permitted level (mg/kg, unless otherwise specified)	Note
11	Sugars and table-top sweeteners		(v)–(vii) & (ix), 451(i) & (ii), 452(i)–(v) & 542		
11.1	Refined and raw sugars				
11.1.1	White sugar, dextrose anhydrous, dextrose monohydrate and fructose		220–228, 539 & –	15	Note 30
11.1.2	Powdered sugar and powdered dextrose		220–228, 539 & –	15	Note 30
			338, 339(i)–(iii), 340(i)–(iii), 341(i)–(iii), 342(i) & (ii), 343(i)–(iii), 450(i)–(iii),	6 600	Note 1

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No.	Food category or sub-category	Permitted food additives	INS nos.	Maximum permitted level (mg/kg, unless otherwise specified)	Note
11.1.3	Soft white sugar, soft brown sugar, glucose syrup, dried glucose syrup and raw cane sugar		(v)–(vii) & (ix), 451(i) & (ii), 452(i)–(v) & 542	20	Notes 30 and 129
11.1.4	Lactose		220–228, 539 & –		
11.1.5	Plantation or mill white sugar		220–228, 539 & –	70	Note 30
11.2	Brown sugar (e.g. Demerara sugar), excluding products of food category 11.1.3 and its sub-categories (if applicable)		220–228, 539 & –	40	Note 30

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Column 1		Column 2		Column 3	Column 4
No.	Food category or sub-category	Permitted food additives	INS nos.	Maximum permitted level (mg/kg, unless otherwise specified)	Note
11.3	Sugar solutions and syrups, also (partially) inverted, including treacle and molasses, excluding products of food category 11.1.3 and its sub-categories (if applicable)	Sulphites	220–228, 539 & –	70	Note 30
11.4	Other sugars and syrups (e.g. xylose, maple syrup and decorative sugar toppings)	Sorbates	200–203	1 000	Note 9
		Benzoates	210–213	1 000	Note 6
		Hydroxybenzoates, para-	214, 215, 218 & 219	100	Note 26
		Sulphites	220–228, 539 & –	40	Note 30
		Calcium acetate	263	GMP	
		Ascorbyl esters	304 & 305	200	Note 13

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No.	Food category or sub-category	Permitted food additives	Name	Maximum permitted level (mg/kg, unless otherwise specified)	Note
		INS nos.		GMP	
		322	Lecithins	GMP	
		332(ii)	Tripotassium citrate	GMP	
		338, 339(i)-(iii), 340(i)-(iii), 341(i)-(iii), 342(i) & (ii), 343(i)-(iii), 450(i)-(iii), (v)-(vii) & (ix), 451(i) & (ii), 452(i)-(v) & 542	Phosphates	1 320	Note 1
		472c	Citric and fatty acid esters of glycerol	GMP	

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Column 1		Column 2		Column 3	Column 4
No.	Food category or sub-category	Permitted food additives	Name	Maximum permitted level (mg/kg, unless otherwise specified)	Note
		INS nos.			
		451(i) & (ii), 452(i)-(v) & 542			
		385 & 386	Ethylenediamine-tetraacetates	1 000	Notes 42 and 130
12	Spices, condiments, vinegars, soups, sauces, salads, yeast and like products and soybean sauces, excluding cocoa- and nut-based spreads of food categories 4.2.2.5 and 5.1.3 and their sub-categories (if applicable), and products composed primarily of protein that are derived from soybeans or other				

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No.	Food category or sub-category	Permitted food additives	INS nos.	Maximum permitted level (mg/kg, unless otherwise specified)	Note
	sources (e.g. milk, cereal or vegetables)				
12.1	Salt and salt substitutes		262(ii)	2 500	
12.1.1	Salt		262(ii)	2 500	
			338, 339(i)-(iii), 340(i)-(iii), 341(i)-(iii), 342(i) & (ii), 343(i)-(iii), 450(i)-(iii), (v)-(vii) & (ix), 451(i) & (ii), 452(i)-(v) & 542	8 800	Note 1
12.1.2	Salt substitutes		260	GMP	

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		INS nos.			
		262(i)	Sodium acetate	GMP	
		262(ii)	Sodium diacetate	2 500	
		300	Ascorbic acid, L-	GMP	
		301	Sodium ascorbate	GMP	
		322	Lecithins	GMP	
		327	Calcium lactate	GMP	
		330	Citric acid	GMP	
		332(ii)	Tripotassium citrate	GMP	

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Column 1		Column 2		Column 3	Column 4
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		INS nos.	Phosphates	4 400	Note 1
		338, 339(i)–(iii), 340(i)–(iii), 341(i)–(iii), 342(i) & (ii), 343(i)–(iii), 450(i)–(iii), (v)–(vii) & (ix), 451(i) & (ii), 452(i)–(v) & 542			
		472c	Citric and fatty acid esters of glycerol	GMP	
12.2	Herbs, spices, seasonings and condiments (e.g. seasoning for instant noodles)	200–203	Sorbates	1 000	Note 9
		262(ii)	Sodium diacetate	2 500	
		304 & 305	Ascorbyl esters	500	Note 13
		307a, b & c	Tocopherols	2 000	

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Column 1		Column 2		Column 3	Column 4
No.	Food category or sub-category	Permitted food additives	Name	Maximum permitted level (mg/kg, unless otherwise specified)	Note
		INS nos.			
		310	Propyl gallate	200	Notes 12 and 14
		319	Tertiary butylhydroquinone	200	Notes 12 and 14
		320	Butylated hydroxyanisole	200	Notes 12 and 14
		321	Butylated hydroxytoluene	200	Notes 12 and 14
		385 & 386	Ethylenediamine-tetraacetates	70	Note 42
		200–203	Sorbates	1 000	Note 9
		220–228, 539 & –	Sulphites	150	Note 30
		262(ii)	Sodium diacetate	2 500	
		304 & 305	Ascorbyl esters	500	Note 13
		307a, b & c	Tocopherols	2 000	
12.2.1	Herbs and spices (e.g. basil, oregano, cumin and chilli paste)				

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No.	Food category or sub-category	Permitted food additives	INS nos.	Maximum permitted level (mg/kg, unless otherwise specified)	Note
		Propyl gallate	310	200	Notes 12 and 14
		Tertiary butylhydroquinone	319	200	Notes 12 and 14
		Butylated hydroxyanisole	320	200	Notes 12 and 14
		Butylated hydroxytoluene	321	200	Notes 12 and 14
		Ethylenediamine-tetraacetates	385 & 386	70	Note 42
		Sorbates	200–203	1 000	Note 9
		Benzoates	210–213	350	Notes 6 and 50
		Hydroxybenzoates, para-	214, 215, 218 & 219	350	Notes 26 and 50
		Sulphites	220–228, 539 & –	150	Note 30
12.2.1.1	Curry paste				

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Column 1		Column 2		Column 3	Column 4
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		INS nos.			
		262(ii)	Sodium diacetate	2 500	
		304 & 305	Ascorbyl esters	500	Note 13
		307a, b & c	Tocopherols	2 000	
		310	Propyl gallate	200	Notes 12 and 14
		319	Tertiary butylhydroquinone	200	Notes 12 and 14
		320	Butylated hydroxyanisole	200	Notes 12 and 14
		321	Butylated hydroxytoluene	200	Notes 12 and 14
		385 & 386	Ethylenediamine-tetraacetates	70	Note 42

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Column 1		Column 2		Column 3	Column 4
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		INS nos.	Name		
12.2.2	Seasonings and condiments (e.g. meat tenderizers, onion salt and garlic salt), excluding condiment sauces (e.g. ketchup, mayonnaise and mustard) and relishes	200–203	Sorbates	1 000	Note 9
		210–213	Benzoates	1 000	Note 6
		220–228, 539 & –	Sulphites	200	Note 30
		243	Lauric arginate ethyl ester	200	
		262(ii)	Sodium diacetate	2 500	
		304 & 305	Ascorbyl esters	500	Note 13
		307a, b & c	Tocopherols	2 000	
		310	Propyl gallate	200	Notes 12 and 14
		319	Tertiary butylhydroquinone	200	Notes 12 and 14
		320	Butylated hydroxyanisole	200	Notes 12 and 14

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Column 1		Column 2		Column 3	Column 4
No.	Food category or sub-category	Permitted food additives	Name	Maximum permitted level (mg/kg, unless otherwise specified)	Note
		INS nos.			
		321	Butylated hydroxytoluene	200	Notes 12 and 14
		334, 335(ii) & 337	Tartrates	7 500	Note 10
		338, 339(i)-(iii), 340(i)-(iii), 341(i)-(iii), 342(i) & (ii), 343(i)-(iii), 450(i)-(iii), (v)-(vii) & (ix), 451(i) & (ii), 452(i)-(v) & 542	Phosphates	2 200	Notes 1 and 132
		385 & 386	Ethylenediamine-tetraacetates	70	Note 42

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No.	Food category or sub-category	Permitted food additives	INS nos.	Maximum permitted level (mg/kg, unless otherwise specified)	Note
12.3	Vinegars, including cider vinegar, wine vinegar, malt vinegar, spirit vinegar, grain vinegar, raisin vinegar and fruit (wine) vinegar		200–203	1 000	Note 9
			210–213	1 000	Note 6
			214, 215, 218 & 219	100	Note 26
			220–228, 539 & –	100	Note 30
			234	3.75	
			262(ii)	2 500	
12.4	Mustards		200–203	1 000	Note 9
			210–213	1 000	Note 6
			214, 215, 218 & 219	300	Note 26
			220–228, 539 & –	250	Notes 30 and 133
			262(ii)	2 500	

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Column 1		Column 2		Column 3	Column 4
No.	Food category or sub-category	Permitted food additives	INS nos.	Maximum permitted level (mg/kg, unless otherwise specified)	Note
			304 & 305	500	Note 13
			307a, b & c	200	
			319	200	Note 12
			334, 335(ii) & 337	5 000	Note 10
			385 & 386	75	Note 42
12.5	Soups and broths		200–203	1 000	Note 9
			210–213	500	Note 6
			243	200	
			262(ii)	500	
			304 & 305	200	Note 13
			307a, b & c	50	

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Column 1		Column 2		Column 3	Column 4
No.	Food category or sub-category	Permitted food additives	Name	Maximum permitted level (mg/kg, unless otherwise specified)	Note
		INS nos.			
		310	Propyl gallate	200	Notes 12, 14 and 134
		319	Tertiary butylhydroquinone	200	Notes 12 and 14
		320	Butylated hydroxyanisole	200	Notes 12 and 14
		321	Butylated hydroxytoluene	200	Notes 12 and 14
		334, 335(ii) & 337	Tartrates	5 000	Note 10
		338, 339(i)-(iii), 340(i)-(iii), 341(i)-(iii), 342(i) & (ii), 343(i)-(iii), 450(i)-(iii),	Phosphates	1 500	Note 1

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Column 1		Column 2		Column 3	Column 4
No.	Food category or sub-category	Permitted food additives	Name	Maximum permitted level (mg/kg, unless otherwise specified)	Note
		INS nos.			
12.5.1	Ready-to-eat soups and broths, including canned, bottled, and frozen (e.g. bouillon, consommés, water- and cream-based soups, chowders and bisques)	(v)–(vii) & (ix), 451(i) & (ii), 452(i)–(v) & 542	Sorbates	1 000	Note 9
		200–203	Benzoates	500	Note 6
		210–213	Nisin	5	
		234	Lauric arginate ethyl ester	200	
		243	Sodium diacetate	500	
		262(ii)	Ascorbyl esters	200	Note 13
		304 & 305	Tocopherols	50	
		307a, b & c	Propyl gallate	200	Notes 12, 14 and 134
		310	Tertiary butylhydroquinone	200	Notes 12 and 14

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Column 1		Column 2		Column 3	Column 4
No.	Food category or sub-category	Permitted food additives	Name	Maximum permitted level (mg/kg, unless otherwise specified)	Note
		INS nos.			
		320	Butylated hydroxyanisole	200	Notes 12 and 14
		321	Butylated hydroxytoluene	200	Notes 12 and 14
		334, 335(ii) & 337	Tartrates	5 000	Note 10
		338, 339(i)-(iii), 340(i)-(iii), 341(i)-(iii), 342(i) & (ii), 343(i)-(iii), 450(i)-(iii), (v)-(vii) & (ix), 451(i) & (ii), 452(i)-(v) & 542	Phosphates	1 500	Note 1

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No.	Food category or sub-category	Permitted food additives	Maximum permitted level (mg/kg, unless otherwise specified)	Note	
		INS nos.	Name		
12.5.2	Mixes for soups and broths (e.g. bouillon powders and cubes, powdered and condensed soups, and stock cubes and powders)	200–203	Sorbates	1 000	Note 9
		210–213	Benzoates	500	Note 6
		214, 215, 218 & 219	Hydroxybenzoates, para-	175	Note 26
		243	Lauric arginate ethyl ester	200	
		262(ii)	Sodium diacetate	500	
		304 & 305	Ascorbyl esters	200	Note 13
		307a, b & c	Tocopherols	50	
		310	Propyl gallate	200	Notes 12, 14 and 134
		319	Tertiary butylhydroquinone	200	Notes 12 and 14
		320	Butylated hydroxyanisole	200	Notes 12 and 14

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Column 1		Column 2		Column 3	Column 4
No.	Food category or sub-category	Permitted food additives	Name	Maximum permitted level (mg/kg, unless otherwise specified)	Note
		INS nos.			
		321	Butylated hydroxytoluene	200	Notes 12 and 14
		334, 335(ii) & 337	Tartrates	5 000	Note 10
		338, 339(i)-(iii), 340(i)-(iii), 341(i)-(iii), 342(i) & (ii), 343(i)-(iii), 450(i)-(iii), (v)-(vii) & (ix), 451(i) & (ii), 452(i)-(v) & 542	Phosphates	1 500	Note 1
12.6	Sauces and like products	200-203	Sorbates	1 000	Notes 9 and 134
		210-213	Benzoates	1 000	Note 6

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No.	Food category or sub-category	Permitted food additives	INS nos.	Maximum permitted level (mg/kg, unless otherwise specified)	Note
			214, 215, 218 & 219	1 000	Note 26
			220–228, 539 & –	300	Note 30
			262(ii)	2 500	
			310	200	Notes 12 and 14
			314	600	Note 12
			319	200	Notes 12 and 14
			320	200	Notes 12 and 14
			321	100	Notes 12 and 14

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		INS nos.			
		338, 339(i)-(iii), 340(i)-(iii), 341(i)-(iii), 342(i) & (ii), 343(i)-(iii), 450(i)-(iii), (v)-(vii) & (ix), 451(i) & (ii), 452(i)-(v) & 542	Phosphates	2 200	Note 1
12.6.1	Emulsified sauces and dips (e.g. mayonnaise, salad dressing and onion dip)	200-203	Sorbates	1 000	Notes 9 and 134
		210-213	Benzoates	1 000	Note 6
		214, 215, 218 & 219	Hydroxybenzoates, para-	1 000	Note 26
		220-228, 539 & -	Sulphites	300	Note 30

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		INS nos.			
		234	Nisin	5	
		235	Natamycin (pimaricin)	10	Notes 44 and 135
		243	Lauric arginate ethyl ester	200	
		262(ii)	Sodium diacetate	2 500	
		304 & 305	Ascorbyl esters	500	Notes 12 and 13
		307a, b & c	Tocopherols	600	
		310	Propyl gallate	200	Notes 12 and 14
		314	Guaiaac resin	600	Note 12
		319	Tertiary butylhydroquinone	200	Notes 12 and 14

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Column 1		Column 2		Column 3	Column 4
No.	Food category or sub-category	Permitted food additives	Name	Maximum permitted level (mg/kg, unless otherwise specified)	Note
		INS nos.			
		320	Butylated hydroxyanisole	200	Notes 12 and 14
		321	Butylated hydroxytoluene	100	Notes 12 and 14
		334, 335(ii) & 337	Tartrates	2 000	Note 10
		338, 339(i)-(iii), 340(i)-(iii), 341(i)-(iii), 342(i) & (ii), 343(i)-(iii), 450(i)-(iii), (v)-(vii) & (ix), 451(i) & (ii), 452(i)-(v) & 542	Phosphates	2 200	Note 1
		385 & 386	Ethylenediamine-tetraacetates	100	Note 42

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No.	Food category or sub-category	Permitted food additives	INS nos.	Maximum permitted level (mg/kg, unless otherwise specified)	Note
12.6.2	Non-emulsified sauces, including water-based, coconut milk-based and milk-based sauces (e.g. barbecue sauce, ketchup, cheese sauce, cream sauce, Worcestershire sauce, brown gravy and chilli sauce)	Sorbates	200–203	1 000	Notes 9 and 134
		Benzoates	210–213	1 000	Note 6
		Hydroxybenzoates, para-	214, 215, 218 & 219	1 000	Note 26
		Sulphites	220–228, 539 & –	300	Note 30
		Nisin	234	5	
		Lauric arginate ethyl ester	243	200	
		Sodium diacetate	262(ii)	2 500	
		Ascorbyl esters	304 & 305	500	Note 13
		Tocopherols	307a, b & c	600	
		Propyl gallate	310	200	Notes 12 and 14

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No.	Food category or sub-category	Permitted food additives	Name	Maximum permitted level (mg/kg, unless otherwise specified)	Note
		INS nos.			
		314	Guaiaac resin	600	Note 12
		319	Tertiary butylhydroquinone	200	Notes 12 and 14
		320	Butylated hydroxyanisole	200	Notes 12 and 14
		321	Butylated hydroxytoluene	100	Notes 12 and 14
		334, 335(ii) & 337	Tartrates	5 000	Note 10
		338, 339(i)-(iii), 340(i)-(iii), 341(i)-(iii), 342(i) & (ii), 343(i)-(iii), 450(i)-(iii), (v)-(vii) & (ix),	Phosphates	2 200	Note 1

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		INS nos.			
		451(i) & (ii), 452(i)-(v) & 542			
		385 & 386	Ethylenediamine-tetraacetates	75	Note 42
12.6.3	Mixes for sauces and gravies (e.g. mixes for cheese sauce, hollandaise sauce and salad dressing)	200-203	Sorbates	1 000	Notes 9 and 134
		210-213	Benzoates	1 000	Note 6
		214, 215, 218 & 219	Hydroxybenzoates, para-	1 000	Note 26
		220-228, 539 & -	Sulphites	300	Note 30
		262(ii)	Sodium diacetate	2 500	Note 134
		304 & 305	Ascorbyl esters	200	Note 13
		307a, b & c	Tocopherols	300	Note 134
		310	Propyl gallate	200	Notes 12 and 14

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Column 1		Column 2		Column 3	Column 4
No.	Food category or sub-category	Permitted food additives	Name	Maximum permitted level (mg/kg, unless otherwise specified)	Note
		INS nos.			
		314	Guaiaac resin	600	Note 12
		319	Tertiary butylhydroquinone	200	Notes 12 and 14
		320	Butylated hydroxyanisole	200	Notes 12 and 14
		321	Butylated hydroxytoluene	100	Notes 12 and 14
		334, 335(ii) & 337	Tartrates	5 000	Notes 10 and 134
		338, 339(i)-(iii), 340(i)-(iii), 341(i)-(iii), 342(i) & (ii), 343(i)-(iii), 450(i)-(iii), (v)-(vii) & (ix),	Phosphates	2 200	Note 1

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Column 1		Column 2		Column 3	Column 4
No.	Food category or sub-category	Permitted food additives	Name	Maximum permitted level (mg/kg, unless otherwise specified)	Note
		INS nos.			
		451(i) & (ii), 452(i)-(v) & 542			
12.6.4	Clear sauces (e.g. fish sauce and oyster sauce)	200-203	Sorbates	1 000	Notes 9 and 134
		210-213	Benzoates	1 000	Note 6
		214, 215, 218 & 219	Hydroxybenzoates, para-	1 000	Note 26
		220-228, 539 & -	Sulphites	300	Note 30
		234	Nisin	5	
		262(ii)	Sodium diacetate	2 500	
		304 & 305	Ascorbyl esters	200	Note 13
		310	Propyl gallate	200	Notes 12 and 14
		314	Guaiac resin	600	Note 12

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Column 1		Column 2		Column 3	Column 4
No.	Food category or sub-category	Permitted food additives	Name	Maximum permitted level (mg/kg, unless otherwise specified)	Note
		INS nos.			
		319	Tertiary butylhydroquinone	200	Notes 12 and 14
		320	Butylated hydroxyanisole	200	Notes 12 and 14
		321	Butylated hydroxytoluene	100	Notes 12 and 14
		338, 339(i)-(iii), 340(i)-(iii), 341(i)-(iii), 342(i) & (ii), 343(i)-(iii), 450(i)-(iii), (v)-(vii) & (ix), 451(i) & (ii), 452(i)-(v) & 542	Phosphates	2 200	Note 1

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Column 1		Column 2		Column 3	Column 4
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12.7	Salads (e.g. macaroni salad and potato salad) and sandwich spreads, excluding cocoa- and nut-based spreads of food categories 4.2.2.5 and 5.1.3 and their sub-categories (if applicable)	INS nos.			
		200–203	Sorbates	1 500	Note 9
		210–213	Benzoates	1 500	Note 6
		234	Nisin	5	
		243	Lauric arginate ethyl ester	200	
		262(ii)	Sodium diacetate	2 500	
12.8	Yeast and like products	304 & 305	Ascorbyl esters	200	Note 13
		385 & 386	Ethylenediamine-tetraacetates	100	Note 42
12.8	Yeast and like products	320	Butylated hydroxyanisole	200	Note 12
12.9	Soybean-based	262(ii)	Sodium diacetate	2 500	

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Column 1		Column 2		Column 3	Column 4
No.	Food category or sub-category	Permitted food additives	Name	Maximum permitted level (mg/kg, unless otherwise specified)	Note
		INS nos.			
	seasonings and condiments	338, 339(i)-(iii), 340(i)-(iii), 341(i)-(iii), 342(i) & (ii), 343(i)-(iii), 450(i)-(iii), (v)-(vii) & (ix), 451(i) & (ii), 452(i)-(v) & 542	Phosphates	1 200	Note 1
12.9.1	Fermented soybean paste (e.g. miso and dou jiang)	200-203	Sorbates	1 000	Note 9
		210-213	Benzoates	1 000	Note 6
		214, 215, 218 & 219	Hydroxybenzoates, para-	250	Note 26
		220-228, 539 & -	Sulphites	30	Note 30
		234	Nisin	5	

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Column 1		Column 2		Column 3	Column 4
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		INS nos.			
		262(ii)	Sodium diacetate	2 500	
		334, 335(ii) & 337	Tartrates	1 000	Note 10
		338, 339(i)-(iii), 340(i)-(iii), 341(i)-(iii), 342(i) & (ii), 343(i)-(iii), 450(i)-(iii), (v)-(vii) & (ix), 451(i) & (ii), 452(i)-(v) & 542	Phosphates	1 200	Note 1
12.9.2	Soybean sauce	200-203	Sorbates	1 000	Notes 9 and 114
		210-213	Benzoates	550	Notes 6 and 114

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			214, 215, 218 & 219	550	Notes 26 and 114
			234	5	
			262(ii)	2 500	
			338, 339(i)-(iii), 340(i)-(iii), 341(i)-(iii), 342(i) & (ii), 343(i)-(iii), 450(i)-(iii), (v)-(vii) & (ix), 451(i) & (ii), 452(i)-(v) & 542	1 200	Note 1
13	Food intended to be consumed principally by persons under the age of 36 months				

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Column 1		Column 2		Column 3	Column 4
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13.1	Infant formulae and follow-up formulae				
13.1.1	Infant formulae	Carbon dioxide	290	GMP	
		Sodium ascorbate	301	75	Notes 128 and 136
		Ascorbyl esters	304 & 305	10	Notes 128, 136 and 137
		Tocopherols	307a, b & c	10	Notes 128 and 136
		Lecithins	322	5 000	Notes 128 and 136
		Citric acid	330	GMP	

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Column 1		Column 2		Column 3	Column 4
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		INS nos.	Tripotassium citrate	GMP	
		332(ii)	Phosphates	450	Notes 1, 128 and 136
		338, 339(i)-(iii), 340(i)-(iii), 341(i)-(iii), 342(i) & (ii), 343(i)-(iii), 450(i)-(ii), (v)-(vii) & (ix), 451(i) & (ii), 452(i)-(v) & 542			
		472c	Citric and fatty acid esters of glycerol	9 000	Notes 128, 136 and 138
13.1.2	Follow-up formulae	290	Carbon dioxide	GMP	

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		INS nos.			
		300	Ascorbic acid, L-	50	Notes 128, 136 and 139
		301	Sodium ascorbate	75	Notes 128, 136, 139 and 140
		302	Calcium ascorbate	50	Notes 128, 136, 139 and 140
		304 & 305	Ascorbyl esters	50	Notes 128, 136, 137 and 139
		307a, b & c	Tocopherols	30	Notes 128 and 136

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Column 1		Column 2		Column 3	Column 4
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		INS nos.			
		322	Lecithins	5 000	Notes 128 and 136
		330	Citric acid	GMP	
		332(ii)	Tripotassium citrate	GMP	
		338, 339(i)-(iii), 340(i)-(iii), 341(i)-(iii), 342(i) & (ii), 343(i)-(iii), 450(i)-(iii), (v)-(vii) & (ix), 451(i) & (ii), 452(i)-(v) & 542	Phosphates	450	Notes 1, 128 and 136

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			472c	9 000	Notes 128, 136 and 138
13.2	Complementary foods for infants and young children, excluding products of food category 13.1 and its sub-categories (if applicable)		260	5 000	Note 141
			261(i)	GMP	
			262(i)	GMP	
			263	GMP	
			290	GMP	
			300	500	
			301	500	Note 140
			302	200	Note 140

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Column 1		Column 2		Column 3	Column 4
No.	Food category or sub-category	Permitted food additives	Name	Maximum permitted level (mg/kg, unless otherwise specified)	Note
		INS nos.			
		304 & 305	Ascorbyl esters	200	Notes 12 and 137
		307a, b & c	Tocopherols	300	Note 12
		322	Lecithins	5 000	Notes 143 and 144
		325	Sodium lactate	GMP	Note 142
		326	Potassium lactate	GMP	Note 142
		327	Calcium lactate	GMP	Note 142
		330	Citric acid	5 000	Note 141
		332(ii)	Tripotassium citrate	GMP	
		333(iii)	Tricalcium citrate	GMP	

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Column 1		Column 2		Column 3	Column 4
No.	Food category or sub-category	Permitted food additives	Name	Maximum permitted level (mg/kg, unless otherwise specified)	Note
		INS nos.	Tartrates	5 000	Note 10
		334, 335(ii) & 337			
		338, 339(i)-(iii), 340(i)-(iii), 341(i)-(iii), 342(i) & (ii), 343(i)-(iii), 450(i)-(iii), (v)-(vii) & (ix), 451(i) & (ii), 452(i)-(v) & 542	Phosphates	4 400	Note 1
		472c	Citric and fatty acid esters of glycerol	5 000	
14	Beverages, excluding dairy products of food category 1.1.4 and its sub-categories (if applicable)				

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No.	Food category or sub-category	Permitted food additives	INS nos.	Maximum permitted level (mg/kg, unless otherwise specified)	Note
14.1	Non-alcoholic (“soft”) beverages				
14.1.1	Bottled or packaged drinking waters	Carbon dioxide	290	GMP	
14.1.2	Fruit and vegetable juices, excluding beverages based on fruit and vegetable juices of food category 14.1.4.2 and its sub-categories (if applicable)	Nisin	234	5	Note 134
		Carbon dioxide	290	GMP	
14.1.2.1	Fruit juice	Ethylenediamine-tetraacetates	385 & 386	35	Notes 42 and 134
		Sorbates	200–203	1 000	Notes 9 and 114
		Benzoates	210–213	1 000	Notes 6 and 114
		Hydroxybenzoates, para-	214, 215, 218 & 219	800	Notes 26 and 114

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Column 1		Column 2		Column 3	Column 4
No.	Food category or sub-category	Permitted food additives	Name	Maximum permitted level (mg/kg, unless otherwise specified)	Note
		INS nos.			
		220–228, 539 & –	Sulphites	50	Note 30
		234	Nisin	5	
		235	Natamycin (pimaricin)	10	Note 44
		290	Carbon dioxide	GMP	
		300	Ascorbic acid, L-	GMP	
		301	Sodium ascorbate	GMP	
		302	Calcium ascorbate	GMP	
		330	Citric acid	3 000	
		334, 335(ii) & 337	Tartrates	4 000	Notes 10 and 145

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Column 1		Column 2		Column 3	Column 4
No.	Food category or sub-category	Permitted food additives	Name	Maximum permitted level (mg/kg, unless otherwise specified)	Note
		INS nos.			
		338, 339(i)-(iii), 340(i)-(iii), 341(i)-(iii), 342(i) & (ii), 343(i)-(iii), 450(i)-(iii), (v)-(vii) & (ix), 451(i) & (ii), 452(i)-(v) & 542	Phosphates	1 630	Note 1
		385 & 386	Ethylenediamine-tetraacetates	35	Note 42
14.1.2.1.1	Grape juice products (unfermented, intended for sacramental use)	200-203	Sorbates	1 000	Notes 9 and 114
		210-213	Benzoates	2 000	Notes 6 and 114
		214, 215, 218 & 219	Hydroxybenzoates, para-	2 000	Notes 26 and 114

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Column 1		Column 2		Column 3	Column 4
No.	Food category or sub-category	Permitted food additives	Name	Maximum permitted level (mg/kg, unless otherwise specified)	Note
		INS nos.			
		220-228, 539 & -	Sulphites	70	Note 30
		234	Nisin	5	
		235	Natamycin (pimaricin)	10	Note 44
		290	Carbon dioxide	GMP	
		300	Ascorbic acid, L-	GMP	
		301	Sodium ascorbate	GMP	
		302	Calcium ascorbate	GMP	
		330	Citric acid	3 000	
		334, 335(ii) & 337	Tartrates	4 000	Note 10

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Column 1		Column 2		Column 3	Column 4
No.	Food category or sub-category	Permitted food additives	Name	Maximum permitted level (mg/kg, unless otherwise specified)	Note
		INS nos.			
		338, 339(i)-(iii), 340(i)-(iii), 341(i)-(iii), 342(i) & (ii), 343(i)-(iii), 450(i)-(iii), (v)-(vii) & (ix), 451(i) & (ii), 452(i)-(v) & 542	Phosphates	1 630	Note 1
		385 & 386	Ethylenediamine-tetraacetates	35	Note 42
14.1.2.2	Vegetable juice	200-203	Sorbates	400	Notes 9 and 114
		210-213	Benzoates	160	Notes 6 and 114
		214, 215, 218 & 219	Hydroxybenzoates, para-	160	Notes 26 and 114

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Column 1		Column 2		Column 3	Column 4
No.	Food category or sub-category	Permitted food additives	Name	Maximum permitted level (mg/kg, unless otherwise specified)	Note
		INS nos.			
		220–228, 539 & –	Sulphites	50	Note 30
		234	Nisin	5	
		235	Natamycin (pimaricin)	10	Note 44
		290	Carbon dioxide	GMP	
		300	Ascorbic acid, L-	GMP	
		330	Citric acid	GMP	
		338, 339(i)–(iii), 340(i)–(iii), 341(i)–(iii), 342(i) & (ii), 343(i)–(iii), 450(i)–(iii),	Phosphates	1 630	Note 1

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Column 1		Column 2		Column 3	Column 4
No.	Food category or sub-category	Permitted food additives	Name	Maximum permitted level (mg/kg, unless otherwise specified)	Note
		INS nos.			
		(v)–(vii) & (ix), 451(i) & (ii), 452(i)–(v) & 542			
		385 & 386	Ethylenediamine-tetraacetates	35	Note 42
14.1.2.3	Concentrates for fruit juice	200–203	Sorbates	1 000	Notes 9, 114 and 134
		210–213	Benzoates	1 000	Notes 6, 114 and 134
		214, 215, 218 & 219	Hydroxybenzoates, para-	800	Notes 26, 114 and 134
		220–228, 539 & –	Sulphites	50	Notes 30 and 134
		234	Nisin	5	Note 134

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Column 1		Column 2		Column 3	Column 4
No.	Food category or sub-category	Permitted food additives	Name	Maximum permitted level (mg/kg, unless otherwise specified)	Note
		INS nos.			
		290	Carbon dioxide	GMP	
		300	Ascorbic acid, L-	GMP	
		301	Sodium ascorbate	GMP	
		302	Calcium ascorbate	GMP	
		315	Erythorbic acid (isoascorbic acid)	GMP	
		316	Sodium erythorbate (sodium isoascorbate)	GMP	
		330	Citric acid	3 000	Note 134
		334, 335(ii) & 337	Tartrates	4 000	Notes 10, 134 and 145

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Column 1		Column 2		Column 3	Column 4
No.	Food category or sub-category	Permitted food additives	Name	Maximum permitted level (mg/kg, unless otherwise specified)	Note
		INS nos.			
		338, 339(i)–(iii), 340(i)–(iii), 341(i)–(iii), 342(i) & (ii), 343(i)–(iii), 450(i)–(iii), (v)–(vii) & (ix), 451(i) & (ii), 452(i)–(v) & 542	Phosphates	1 630	Notes 1 and 134
		385 & 386	Ethylenediamine-tetraacetates	35	Notes 42 and 134
14.1.2.4	Concentrates for vegetable juice	200–203	Sorbates	2 000	Notes 9, 114 and 134
		210–213	Benzoates	800	Notes 6, 114 and 134

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Column 1		Column 2		Column 3	Column 4
No.	Food category or sub-category	Permitted food additives	Name	Maximum permitted level (mg/kg, unless otherwise specified)	Note
		INS nos.			
		214, 215, 218 & 219	Hydroxybenzoates, para-	800	Notes 26, 114 and 134
		220-228, 539 & -	Sulphites	50	Notes 30 and 134
		234	Nisin	5	Note 134
		290	Carbon dioxide	GMP	
		300	Ascorbic acid, L-	GMP	
		301	Sodium ascorbate	GMP	
		302	Calcium ascorbate	GMP	
		315	Erythorbic acid (isoascorbic acid)	GMP	

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Column 1		Column 2		Column 3	Column 4
No.	Food category or sub-category	Permitted food additives	INS nos.	Maximum permitted level (mg/kg, unless otherwise specified)	Note
			316	GMP	
			330	GMP	
			338, 339(i)-(iii), 340(i)-(iii), 341(i)-(iii), 342(i) & (ii), 343(i)-(iii), 450(i)-(iii), (v)-(vii) & (ix), 451(i) & (ii), 452(i)-(v) & 542	1 630	Notes 1 and 134
			385 & 386	35	Notes 42 and 134
14.1.3	Fruit and vegetable		234	5	Note 134

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No.	Food category or sub-category	Permitted food additives	INS nos.	Maximum permitted level (mg/kg, unless otherwise specified)	Note
	nectars	Carbon dioxide	290	GMP	
		Ethylenediamine-tetraacetates	385 & 386	35	Notes 42 and 134
14.1.3.1	Fruit nectar	Sorbates	200-203	1 000	Notes 9 and 114
		Benzoates	210-213	1 000	Notes 6 and 114
		Hydroxybenzoates, para-	214, 215, 218 & 219	800	Notes 26 and 114
		Sulphites	220-228, 539 & -	50	Note 30
		Nisin	234	5	
		Natamycin (pimaricin)	235	10	Note 44
		Carbon dioxide	290	GMP	

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Column 1		Column 2		Column 3	Column 4
No.	Food category or sub-category	Permitted food additives	Name	Maximum permitted level (mg/kg, unless otherwise specified)	Note
		INS nos.			
		300	Ascorbic acid, L-	GMP	
		301	Sodium ascorbate	GMP	
		302	Calcium ascorbate	GMP	
		330	Citric acid	5 000	
		334, 335(ii) & 337	Tartrates	4 000	Note 10
		338, 339(i)-(iii), 340(i)-(iii), 341(i)-(iii), 342(i) & (ii), 343(i)-(iii), 450(i)-(iii), (v)-(vii) & (ix),	Phosphates	1 630	Note 1

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Column 1		Column 2		Column 3	Column 4
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		INS nos.			
		451(i) & (ii), 452(i)-(v) & 542			
		385 & 386	Ethylenediamine-tetraacetates	35	Note 42
14.1.3.2	Vegetable nectar	200-203	Sorbates	400	Notes 9 and 114
		210-213	Benzoates	160	Notes 6 and 114
		214, 215, 218 & 219	Hydroxybenzoates, para-	160	Notes 26 and 114
		220-228, 539 & -	Sulphites	50	Note 30
		234	Nisin	5	
		235	Natamycin (pimaricin)	10	Note 44
		290	Carbon dioxide	GMP	

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Column 1		Column 2		Column 3	Column 4
No.	Food category or sub-category	Permitted food additives	Name	Maximum permitted level (mg/kg, unless otherwise specified)	Note
		INS nos.	Ascorbic acid, L-	GMP	
		300			
		330	Citric acid	GMP	
		338, 339(i)-(iii), 340(i)-(iii), 341(i)-(iii), 342(i) & (ii), 343(i)-(iii), 450(i)-(iii), (v)-(vii) & (ix), 451(i) & (ii), 452(i)-(v) & 542	Phosphates	1 630	Note 1
		385 & 386	Ethylenediamine-tetraacetates	35	Note 42

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Column 1		Column 2		Column 3	Column 4
No.	Food category or sub-category	Permitted food additives	INS nos.	Maximum permitted level (mg/kg, unless otherwise specified)	Note
14.1.3.3	Concentrates for fruit nectar		200–203	1 000	Notes 9, 114 and 134
			210–213	1 000	Notes 6, 114 and 134
			214, 215, 218 & 219	800	Notes 26, 114 and 134
			220–228, 539 & –	50	Notes 30 and 134
			234	5	Note 134
			290	GMP	
		300	GMP	GMP	

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		INS nos.			
		301	Sodium ascorbate	GMP	
		302	Calcium ascorbate	GMP	
		315	Erythorbic acid (isoascorbic acid)	GMP	
		316	Sodium erythorbate (sodium isoascorbate)	GMP	
		330	Citric acid	5 000	Note 134
		334, 335(ii) & 337	Tartrates	4 000	Notes 10 and 134
		338, 339(i)-(iii), 340(i)-(iii), 341(i)-(iii), 342(i) & (ii), 343(i)-(iii), 450(i)-(iii),	Phosphates	1 630	Notes 1 and 134

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No.	Food category or sub-category	Permitted food additives	Name	Maximum permitted level (mg/kg, unless otherwise specified)	Note
		INS nos.			
		(v)–(vii) & (ix), 451(i) & (ii), 452(i)–(v) & 542			
		385 & 386	Ethylenediamine-tetraacetates	35	Notes 42 and 134
14.1.3.4	Concentrates for vegetable nectar	200–203	Sorbates	2 000	Notes 9, 114 and 134
		210–213	Benzoates	600	Notes 6, 114 and 134
		214, 215, 218 & 219	Hydroxybenzoates, para-	600	Notes 26, 114 and 134
		220–228, 539 & –	Sulphites	50	Notes 30 and 134

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Column 1		Column 2		Column 3	Column 4
No.	Food category or sub-category	Permitted food additives	Name	Maximum permitted level (mg/kg, unless otherwise specified)	Note
		INS nos.			
		234	Nisin	5	Note 134
		290	Carbon dioxide	GMP	
		300	Ascorbic acid, L-	GMP	
		301	Sodium ascorbate	GMP	
		302	Calcium ascorbate	GMP	
		315	Erythorbic acid (isoascorbic acid)	GMP	
		316	Sodium erythorbate (sodium isoascorbate)	GMP	
		330	Citric acid	GMP	

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Column 1		Column 2		Column 3	Column 4
No.	Food category or sub-category	Permitted food additives	Name	Maximum permitted level (mg/kg, unless otherwise specified)	Note
		INS nos.			
		338, 339(i)-(iii), 340(i)-(iii), 341(i)-(iii), 342(i) & (ii), 343(i)-(iii), 450(i)-(iii), (v)-(vii) & (ix), 451(i) & (ii), 452(i)-(v) & 542	Phosphates	1 630	Notes 1 and 134
		385 & 386	Ethylenediamine-tetraacetates	35	Notes 42 and 134
14.1.4	Water-based flavoured drinks, including carbonated and non-carbonated varieties	200-203	Sorbates	500	Notes 9 and 134
		210-213	Benzoates	250	Notes 6 and 134

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Column 1		Column 2		Column 3	Column 4
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		INS nos.			
	and concentrates (liquid or solid), “sports”, “energy” or “electrolyte” drinks, particulated drinks, ready-to-drink coffee, tea drinks and herbal-based drinks (e.g. iced tea, fruit-flavoured iced tea and chilled canned cappuccino drinks)	214, 215, 218 & 219	Hydroxybenzoates, para-	500	Notes 26 and 134
		220–228, 539 & –	Sulphites	70	Notes 30, 134 and 147
		234	Nisin	5	Note 134
		242	Dimethyl dicarbonate	250	Notes 134 and 146
		304 & 305	Ascorbyl esters	1 000	Notes 12, 13 and 134
		307a, b & c	Tocopherols	200	Note 134
		310	Propyl gallate	1 000	Notes 12 and 134
		334, 335(ii) & 337	Tartrates	800	Notes 10 and 134

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Column 1		Column 2		Column 3	Column 4
No.	Food category or sub-category	Permitted food additives	Name	Maximum permitted level (mg/kg, unless otherwise specified)	Note
		INS nos.	Phosphates	1 630	Notes 1 and 134
		338, 339(i)-(iii), 340(i)-(iii), 341(i)-(iii), 342(i) & (ii), 343(i)-(iii), 450(i)-(iii), (v)-(vii) & (ix), 451(i) & (ii), 452(i)-(v) & 542			
		384	Isopropyl citrates	200	Note 134
		385 & 386	Ethylenediamine-tetraacetates	200	Notes 42 and 134
		388 & 389	Thiodipropionates	1 000	Notes 12, 37 and 134
		484	Stearyl citrate	500	Note 134

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Column 1		Column 2		Column 3	Column 4
No.	Food category or sub-category	Permitted food additives		Maximum permitted level (mg/kg, unless otherwise specified)	Note
		INS nos.	Name		
		512	Stannous chloride	20	Notes 51 and 134
14.1.4.1	Carbonated water-based flavoured drinks (e.g. colas, carbonated “energy” drinks and dry ginger ale)	200–203	Sorbates	500	Note 9
		210–213	Benzoates	250	Note 6
		214, 215, 218 & 219	Hydroxybenzoates, para-	500	Note 26
		220–228, 539 & –	Sulphites	70	Notes 30 and 147
		234	Nisin	5	
		242	Dimethyl dicarbonate	250	Note 146
		243	Lauric arginate ethyl ester	50	
		304 & 305	Ascorbyl esters	1 000	Notes 12 and 13
		307a, b & c	Tocopherols	200	

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Column 1		Column 2		Column 3	Column 4
No.	Food category or sub-category	Permitted food additives	Name	Maximum permitted level (mg/kg, unless otherwise specified)	Note
		INS nos.			
		310	Propyl gallate	1 000	Note 12
		334, 335(ii) & 337	Tartrates	800	Note 10
		338, 339(i)-(iii), 340(i)-(iii), 341(i)-(iii), 342(i) & (ii), 343(i)-(iii), 450(i)-(iii), (v)-(vii) & (ix), 451(i) & (ii), 452(i)-(v) & 542	Phosphates	1 630	Note 1
		384	Isopropyl citrates	200	
		385 & 386	Ethylenediamine-tetraacetates	200	Note 42
		388 & 389	Thiodipropionates	1 000	Notes 12 and 37

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Column 1		Column 2		Column 3	Column 4
No.	Food category or sub-category	Permitted food additives	Name	Maximum permitted level (mg/kg, unless otherwise specified)	Note
		INS nos.			
		484	Stearyl citrate	500	
		512	Stannous chloride	20	Note 51
		200–203	Sorbates	500	Note 9
		210–213	Benzoates	250	Note 6
		214, 215, 218 & 219	Hydroxybenzoates, para-	500	Note 26
		220–228, 539 & –	Sulphites	70	Notes 30 and 147
		234	Nisin	5	
		242	Dimethyl dicarbonate	250	Note 146
		243	Lauric arginate ethyl ester	50	
		304 & 305	Ascorbyl esters	1 000	Notes 12 and 13
		307a, b & c	Tocopherols	200	
14.1.4.2	Non-carbonated water-based flavoured drinks, including punches and ades (e.g. fruit juice-based drinks, lactic acid beverages and “sports” drinks containing electrolytes)				

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Column 1		Column 2		Column 3	Column 4
No.	Food category or sub-category	Permitted food additives	Name	Maximum permitted level (mg/kg, unless otherwise specified)	Note
		INS nos.			
		310	Propyl gallate	1 000	Note 12
		334, 335(ii) & 337	Tartrates	800	Note 10
		338, 339(i)-(iii), 340(i)-(iii), 341(i)-(iii), 342(i) & (ii), 343(i)-(iii), 450(i)-(iii), (v)-(vii) & (ix), 451(i) & (ii), 452(i)-(v) & 542	Phosphates	1 630	Note 1
		384	Isopropyl citrates	200	
		385 & 386	Ethylenediamine-tetraacetates	200	Note 42
		388 & 389	Thiodipropionates	1 000	Notes 12 and 37

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Column 1		Column 2		Column 3	Column 4
No.	Food category or sub-category	Permitted food additives	Name	Maximum permitted level (mg/kg, unless otherwise specified)	Note
		INS nos.			
		484	Stearyl citrate	500	
		512	Stannous chloride	20	Note 51
14.1.4.3	Concentrates (liquid or solid) for water-based flavoured drinks	200–203	Sorbates	500	Notes 9 and 134
		210–213	Benzoates	250	Notes 6 and 134
		214, 215, 218 & 219	Hydroxybenzoates, para-	500	Notes 26 and 134
		220–228, 539 & –	Sulphites	70	Notes 30, 134 and 147
		234	Nisin	5	Note 134
		242	Dimethyl dicarbonate	250	Notes 134 and 146
		243	Lauric arginate ethyl ester	50	Note 134

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Column 1		Column 2		Column 3	Column 4
No.	Food category or sub-category	Permitted food additives	Name	Maximum permitted level (mg/kg, unless otherwise specified)	Note
		INS nos.			
		304 & 305	Ascorbyl esters	1 000	Notes 12, 13 and 134
		307a, b & c	Tocopherols	200	Note 134
		310	Propyl gallate	1 000	Notes 12 and 134
		334, 335(ii) & 337	Tartrates	800	Notes 10 and 134
		338, 339(i)-(iii), 340(i)-(iii), 341(i)-(iii), 342(i) & (ii), 343(i)-(iii), 450(i)-(iii), (v)-(vii) & (ix), 451(i) & (ii), 452(i)-(v) & 542	Phosphates	1 630	Notes 1 and 134

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Column 1		Column 2		Column 3	Column 4
No.	Food category or sub-category	Permitted food additives	Name	Maximum permitted level (mg/kg, unless otherwise specified)	Note
		INS nos.			
		384	Isopropyl citrates	200	Note 134
		385 & 386	Ethylenediamine-tetraacetates	200	Notes 42 and 134
		388 & 389	Thiodipropionates	1 000	Notes 12, 37 and 134
		484	Stearyl citrate	500	Note 134
		512	Stannous chloride	20	Notes 51 and 134
14.1.5	Coffee, coffee substitutes, tea, herbal infusions, and other hot cereal and grain beverages, including ready-to-drink products, their mixes and concentrates, and treated coffee beans	200–203	Sorbates	500	Notes 9 and 134
		210–213	Benzoates	1 000	Notes 6 and 134
		214, 215, 218 & 219	Hydroxybenzoates, para-	450	Notes 26 and 134
		234	Nisin	5	Note 134

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Column 1		Column 2		Column 3	Column 4
No.	Food category or sub-category	Permitted food additives	Name	Maximum permitted level (mg/kg, unless otherwise specified)	Note
		INS nos.			
	for the manufacture of coffee products, excluding ready-to-drink cocoa of food category 1.1.4 and its sub-categories (if applicable) and cocoa mixes of food category 5.1.1 and its sub-categories (if applicable)	242	Dimethyl dicarbonates	250	Notes 134 and 146
		260	Acetic acid, glacial	GMP	
		262(i)	Sodium acetate	GMP	
		290	Carbon dioxide	GMP	
		300	Ascorbic acid, L-	GMP	
		301	Sodium ascorbate	GMP	
		307a, b & c	Tocopherols	200	Note 134
		322	Lecithins	GMP	

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Column 1		Column 2		Column 3	Column 4
No.	Food category or sub-category	Permitted food additives	Name	Maximum permitted level (mg/kg, unless otherwise specified)	Note
		INS nos.			
		325	Sodium lactate	GMP	
		327	Calcium lactate	GMP	
		330	Citric acid	GMP	
		332(ii)	Tripotassium citrate	GMP	
		334, 335(ii) & 337	Tartrates	5 000	Notes 10 and 134
		338, 339(i)-(iii), 340(i)-(iii), 341(i)-(iii), 342(i) & (ii), 343(i)-(iii), 450(i)-(iii)	Phosphates	300	Notes 1 and 134

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Column 1		Column 2		Column 3	Column 4
No.	Food category or sub-category	Permitted food additives	Name	Maximum permitted level (mg/kg, unless otherwise specified)	Note
		INS nos.			
		(v)–(vii) & (ix), 451(i) & (ii), 452(i)–(v) & 542			
		385 & 386	Ethylenediamine-tetraacetates	35	Notes 42 and 134
		472c	Citric and fatty acid esters of glycerol	GMP	
14.1.5.1	Coffee extract, solid	200–203	Sorbates	500	Notes 9 and 134
		210–213	Benzoates	1 000	Notes 6 and 134
		214, 215, 218 & 219	Hydroxybenzoates, para-	450	Notes 26 and 134
		220–228, 539 & –	Sulphites	150	Notes 30 and 134
		234	Nisin	5	Note 134

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Column 1		Column 2		Column 3	Column 4
No.	Food category or sub-category	Permitted food additives	Name	Maximum permitted level (mg/kg, unless otherwise specified)	Note
		INS nos.			
		242	Dimethyl dicarbonate	250	Notes 134 and 146
		260	Acetic acid, glacial	GMP	
		262(i)	Sodium acetate	GMP	
		290	Carbon dioxide	GMP	
		300	Ascorbic acid, L-	GMP	
		301	Sodium ascorbate	GMP	
		307a, b & c	Tocopherols	200	Note 134
		322	Lecithins	GMP	

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Column 1		Column 2		Column 3	Column 4
No.	Food category or sub-category	Permitted food additives	Name	Maximum permitted level (mg/kg, unless otherwise specified)	Note
		INS nos.			
		325	Sodium lactate	GMP	
		327	Calcium lactate	GMP	
		330	Citric acid	GMP	
		332(ii)	Tripotassium citrate	GMP	
		334, 335(ii) & 337	Tartrates	5 000	Notes 10 and 134
		338, 339(i)-(iii), 340(i)-(iii), 341(i)-(iii), 342(i) & (ii), 343(i)-(iii), 450(i)-(iii)	Phosphates	300	Notes 1 and 134

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Column 1		Column 2		Column 3	Column 4
No.	Food category or sub-category	Permitted food additives	Name	Maximum permitted level (mg/kg, unless otherwise specified)	Note
		INS nos.			
		(v)–(vii) & (ix), 451(i) & (ii), 452(i)–(v) & 542			
		385 & 386	Ethylenediamine-tetraacetates	35	Notes 42 and 134
		472c	Citric and fatty acid esters of glycerol	GMP	
14.2	Alcoholic beverages, including alcohol-free and low-alcoholic counterparts				
14.2.1	Beer and malt beverages	210–213	Benzoates	70	Notes 6 and 50
		214, 215, 218 & 219	Hydroxybenzoates, para-	70	Notes 26 and 50
		220–228, 539 & –	Sulphites	50	Note 30

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Column 1		Column 2		Column 3	Column 4
No.	Food category or sub-category	Permitted food additives	INS nos.	Maximum permitted level (mg/kg, unless otherwise specified)	Note
			235	10	
			334, 335(ii) & 337	2 000	Note 10
			385 & 386	25	Note 42
			1105	500	
14.2.2	Cider and perry		200–203	500	Note 9
			210–213	1 000	Notes 6 and 148
			214, 215, 218 & 219	200	Note 26
			220–228, 539 & –	200	Note 30
			235	10	

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Column 1		Column 2		Column 3	Column 4
No.	Food category or sub-category	Permitted food additives	INS nos.	Maximum permitted level (mg/kg, unless otherwise specified)	Note
			242	250	Note 146
			334, 335(ii) & 337	2 000	Note 10
			338, 339(i)-(iii), 340(i)-(iii), 341(i)-(iii), 342(i) & (ii), 343(i)-(iii), 450(i)-(iii), (v)-(vii) & (ix), 451(i) & (ii), 452(i)-(v) & 542	880	Note 1
			1105	500	
			200-203	200	Note 9
14.2.3	Grape wines		220-228, 539 & -	350	Note 30

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Column 1		Column 2		Column 3	Column 4
No.	Food category or sub-category	Permitted food additives	INS nos.	Maximum permitted level (mg/kg, unless otherwise specified)	Note
			235	10	
			242	200	Note 146
			290	GMP	Note 149
			315	150	Notes 140 and 150
			316	150	Notes 140 and 150
			334, 335(ii) & 337	4 000	Note 10
			1105	500	
14.2.4	Wines (other than grape, apple and pear)		200-203	500	Note 9
			210-213	1 000	Note 6

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Column 1		Column 2		Column 3	Column 4
No.	Food category or sub-category	Permitted food additives	INS nos.	Maximum permitted level (mg/kg, unless otherwise specified)	Note
	(e.g. rice wine (sake), and sparkling and still fruit wines)		214, 215, 218 & 219	200	Note 26
			220–228, 539 & –	200	Note 30
			235	10	
			242	250	Note 146
			334, 335(ii) & 337	4 000	Note 10
14.2.5	Mead		1105	500	
			200–203	200	Note 9
			210–213	1 000	Note 6
			214, 215, 218 & 219	200	Note 26

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Column 1		Column 2		Column 3	Column 4
No.	Food category or sub-category	Permitted food additives	Name	Maximum permitted level (mg/kg, unless otherwise specified)	Note
		INS nos.			
		220–228, 539 & –	Sulphites	200	Note 30
		235	Natamycin (pimaricin)	10	
		242	Dimethyl dicarbonate	200	Note 146
		338, 339(i)–(iii), 340(i)–(iii), 341(i)–(iii), 342(i) & (ii), 343(i)–(iii), 450(i)–(iii), (v)–(vii) & (ix), 451(i) & (ii), 452(i)–(v) & 542	Phosphates	440	Note 1
		1105	Lysozyme	500	

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Column 1		Column 2		Column 3	Column 4
No.	Food category or sub-category	Permitted food additives	Name	Maximum permitted level (mg/kg, unless otherwise specified)	Note
14.2.6	Distilled spirituous beverages containing more than 15% alcohol	INS nos.	Sorbates	400	Note 9
			Sulphites	200	Note 30
		200–203 220–228, 539 & – 334, 335(ii) & 337	Tartrates	3 000	Notes 10 and 151
		338, 339(i)–(iii), 340(i)–(iii), 341(i)–(iii), 342(i) & (ii), 343(i)–(iii), 450(i)–(iii), (v)–(vii) & (ix), 451(i) & (ii), 452(i)–(v) & 542	Phosphates	440	Note 1
		385 & 386	Ethylenediamine-tetraacetates	25	Note 42

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Column 1		Column 2		Column 3	Column 4	
No.	Food category or sub-category	Permitted food additives	INS nos.	Maximum permitted level (mg/kg, unless otherwise specified)	Note	
14.2.7	Aromatized alcoholic beverages (e.g. wine and spirituous cooler-type beverages and low-alcoholic refreshers)		200–203	500	Note 9	
			210–213	1 000	Note 6	
			214, 215, 218 & 219	Hydroxybenzoates, para-	1 000	Note 26
			220–228, 539 & –	Sulphites	250	Note 30
			235	Natamycin (pimaricin)	10	
			307a, b & c	Tocopherols	5	
			334, 335(ii) & 337	Tartrates	4 000	Note 10
			385 & 386	Ethylenediamine-tetraacetates	25	Note 42
			1105	Lysozyme	500	
		15	Ready-to-eat savouries		319	200

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Column 1		Column 2		Column 3	Column 4
No.	Food category or sub-category	Permitted food additives	Name	Maximum permitted level (mg/kg, unless otherwise specified)	Note
		INS nos.			Notes 12 and 14
		321	Butylated hydroxytoluene	200	Note 10
		334, 335(ii) & 337	Tartrates	2 000	
		338, 339(i)-(iii), 340(i)-(iii), 341(i)-(iii), 342(i) & (ii), 343(i)-(iii), 450(i)-(iii), (v)-(vii) & (ix), 451(i) & (ii), 452(i)-(v) & 542	Phosphates	2 200	Note 1
		388 & 389	Thiodipropionates	200	Note 37

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Column 1		Column 2		Column 3	Column 4
No.	Food category or sub-category	Permitted food additives	Maximum permitted level (mg/kg, unless otherwise specified)	Note	
		INS nos.	Name		
15.1	Snacks—potato, cereal, flour or starch based (from roots and tubers, pulses and legumes), including all plain and flavoured savoury snacks (e.g. potato chips, popcorn and flavoured crackers), excluding plain crackers of food category 7.1.2 and its sub-categories (if applicable)	200–203	Sorbates	1 000	Note 9
		210–213	Benzoates	1 000	Note 6
		214, 215, 218 & 219	Hydroxybenzoates, para-	300	Note 26
		220–228, 539 & –	Sulphites	50	Note 30
		262(ii)	Sodium diacetate	1 000	
		304 & 305	Ascorbyl esters	200	Note 13
		307a, b & c	Tocopherols	200	
		310	Propyl gallate	200	Notes 12 and 14
		319	Tertiary butylhydroquinone	200	Notes 12 and 14
		320	Butylated hydroxyanisole	200	Notes 12 and 14

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Column 1		Column 2		Column 3	Column 4
No.	Food category or sub-category	Permitted food additives	Name	Maximum permitted level (mg/kg, unless otherwise specified)	Note
		INS nos.			
		321	Butylated hydroxytoluene	200	Notes 12 and 14
		334, 335(ii) & 337	Tartrates	2 000	Note 10
		338, 339(i)-(iii), 340(i)-(iii), 341(i)-(iii), 342(i) & (ii), 343(i)-(iii), 450(i)-(iii), (v)-(vii) & (ix), 451(i) & (ii), 452(i)-(v) & 542	Phosphates	2 200	Note 1
		388 & 389	Thiodipropionates	200	Note 37
		392	Rosemary extract	300	

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Column 1		Column 2		Column 3	Column 4
No.	Food category or sub-category	Permitted food additives	Name	Maximum permitted level (mg/kg, unless otherwise specified)	Note
15.2	Processed nuts, including coated nuts and nut mixtures (with e.g. dried fruit), excluding chocolate-covered nuts of food category 5.1.4 and its sub-categories (if applicable) and nuts covered in imitation chocolate of food category 5.1.5 and its sub-categories (if applicable)	INS nos.			
		200–203	Sorbates	1 000	Note 9
		214, 215, 218 & 219	Hydroxybenzoates, para-	300	Note 26
		304 & 305	Ascorbyl esters	200	Note 13
		307a, b & c	Tocopherols	200	
		310	Propyl gallate	200	Notes 12 and 14
		319	Tertiary butylhydroquinone	200	Notes 12 and 14
		320	Butylated hydroxyanisole	200	Notes 12 and 14
		321	Butylated hydroxytoluene	200	Notes 12 and 14
		334, 335(ii) & 337	Tartrates	2 000	Note 10

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Column 1		Column 2		Column 3	Column 4
No.	Food category or sub-category	Permitted food additives	Name	Maximum permitted level (mg/kg, unless otherwise specified)	Note
		INS nos.	Phosphates	2 200	Note 1
		338, 339(i)–(iii), 340(i)–(iii), 341(i)–(iii), 342(i) & (ii), 343(i)–(iii), 450(i)–(iii), (v)–(vii) & (ix), 451(i) & (ii), 452(i)–(v) & 542			
		388 & 389	Thiodipropionates	200	Note 37
		392	Rosemary extract	300	
15.3	Snacks—fish based, excluding dried fish snacks of food category 9.2.5 and its	319	Tertiary butylhydroquinone	200	Notes 12 and 14
		321	Butylated hydroxytoluene	200	Notes 12 and 14

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Column 1		Column 2		Column 3	Column 4
No.	Food category or sub-category	Permitted food additives	INS nos.	Maximum permitted level (mg/kg, unless otherwise specified)	Note
	sub-categories (if applicable) and dried meat snacks of food category 8.3.1.2 and its sub-categories (if applicable)		334, 335(ii) & 337	2 000	Note 10
			338, 339(i)-(iii), 340(i)-(iii), 341(i)-(iii), 342(i) & (ii), 343(i)-(iii), 450(i)-(iii), (v)-(vii) & (ix), 451(i) & (ii), 452(i)-(v) & 542	2 200	Note 1
16	Miscellaneous		388 & 389	200	Note 37
16.1	Food additives				

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No.	Food category or sub-category	Permitted food additives	INS nos.	Maximum permitted level (mg/kg, unless otherwise specified)	Note
16.1.1	Colouring matter (if in the form of a solution of a permitted colouring matter)	Sorbates	200-203	1 000	Notes 9 and 114
		Benzoates	210-213	2 000	Notes 6 and 114
		Hydroxybenzoates, para-	214, 215, 218 & 219	2 000	Notes 26 and 114
16.1.2	Preparations of permitted sweetener and water only	Benzoates	210-213	750	Note 6
		Hydroxybenzoates, para-	214, 215, 218 & 219	250	Note 26
16.1.3	Dimethylpolysiloxane	Sorbates	200-203	1 000	Notes 9 and 152
		Benzoates	210-213	2 000	Notes 6 and 152
		Hydroxybenzoates, para-	214, 215, 218 & 219	2 000	Notes 26 and 152

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Column 1		Column 2		Column 3	Column 4
No.	Food category or sub-category	Permitted food additives	Maximum permitted level (mg/kg, unless otherwise specified)	Note	
		INS nos.	Name		
		220–228, 539 & –	Sulphites	Notes 30 and 152	
16.2	Flavourings and flavouring syrups	210–213	Benzoates	Notes 6 and 152	
		214, 215, 218 & 219	Hydroxybenzoates, para-	Notes 26 and 152	
		220–228, 539 & –	Sulphites	Notes 30 and 152	
16.3	Enzymes				
16.3.1	Rennet, liquid	210–213	Benzoates	Notes 6 and 50	
		214, 215, 218 & 219	Hydroxybenzoates, para-	Notes 26 and 50	
16.3.2	Papain, solid	220–228, 539 & –	Sulphites	Note 30	

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Column 1		Column 2		Column 3	Column 4
No.	Food category or sub-category	Permitted food additives	INS nos.	Maximum permitted level (mg/kg, unless otherwise specified)	Note
16.3.3	Papain, aqueous solutions		200-203	1 000	Notes 9 and 152
16.3.4	Aqueous solutions of enzyme preparations not otherwise specified, including immobilized enzyme preparations in aqueous media		220-228, 539 & -	5 000	Notes 30 and 152
			200-203	3 000	Notes 9 and 152
			210-213	3 000	Notes 6 and 152
			214, 215, 218 & 219	3 000	Notes 26 and 152
			220-228, 539 & -	500	Notes 30 and 152
16.4	Essential oils and isolates from the concentrates of essential oils		310	1 000	Notes 12 and 14
			311	1 000	Notes 12 and 14

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Column 1		Column 2		Column 3	Column 4
No.	Food category or sub-category	Permitted food additives	INS nos.	Maximum permitted level (mg/kg, unless otherwise specified)	Note
			312	1 000	Notes 12 and 14
			320	1 000	Notes 12 and 14
			321	1 000	Notes 12 and 14
16.5	Gelatin		220–228, 539 & –	1 000	Note 30
16.6	Silicone antifoam emulsion		200–203	1 000	Notes 9 and 114
			210–213	2 000	Notes 6 and 114
			214, 215, 218 & 219	2 000	Notes 26 and 114
16.7	Pectin, liquid		220–228, 539 & –	250	Note 30

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Column 1		Column 2		Column 3	Column 4
No.	Food category or sub-category	Permitted food additives	Name	Maximum permitted level (mg/kg, unless otherwise specified)	Note
16.8	Partial glycerol esters	INS nos.			
		310	Propyl gallate	100	Notes 12 and 153
		311	Octyl gallate	100	Notes 12 and 153
		312	Dodecyl gallate	100	Notes 12 and 153
		320	Butylated hydroxyanisole	100	Notes 12 and 153
321	Butylated hydroxytoluene	200	Notes 12 and 153		

Note 1 As phosphorus.

Note 2 For use in sterilized and ultra-heat treated (UHT) milks only.

Note 3 Excluding lactose reduced milks.

Note 4 Excluding all fluid milks that are not vitamin or mineral fortified.

Note 5 Except that the maximum permitted level for use in lactose reduced milks is 500 mg/kg.

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- Note 6 As benzoic acid.
- Note 7 For use in flavoured products heat-treated after fermentation only.
- Note 8 Excluding fermented milks and drinks not heat-treated after fermentation.
- Note 9 As sorbic acid.
- Note 10 As tartaric acid.
- Note 11 For use in flavoured fermented milk products only.
- Note 12 The levels of ascorbyl esters, butylated hydroxyanisole, butylated hydroxytoluene, citric acid, dodecyl gallate, guaiac resin, octyl gallate, propyl gallate, stearyl citrate, tertiary butylhydroquinone, thiodipropionates and tocopherols are calculated against the weight of the fat or oil content of the food.
- Note 13 As ascorbyl stearate.
- Note 14 In relation to butylated hydroxyanisole, butylated hydroxytoluene, propyl gallate, octyl gallate, dodecyl gallate and tertiary butylhydroquinone, 2 or more of these food additives can be used in combination only if the following condition is satisfied: when the quantity of each such food additive present in that food is expressed as a percentage of the maximum permitted level, the sum of those percentages does not exceed 100.
- Note 15 For use in milk powder for vending machines only.
- Note 16 For use in surface treatment only.
- Note 17 The level of natamycin (pimaricin) is equivalent to 2 mg/dm² surface application to a maximum depth of 5 mm.
- Note 18 As residual NO₃ ion.

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- Note 19 Nitrates and nitrites can be used in combination only if the following condition is satisfied: when the quantity of each such food additive present in that food is expressed as a percentage of the maximum permitted level, the sum of those percentages does not exceed 100.
- Note 20 As residual NO_2 ion.
- Note 21 Except that the maximum permitted level for use in products containing added fruits, vegetables or meats is 3 000 mg/kg.
- Note 22 For use in cream cheese only.
- Note 23 For use in grated cheese only.
- Note 24 As formaldehyde.
- Note 25 For use only in Provolone cheese.
- Note 26 As para-hydroxybenzoic acid.
- Note 27 As the acid.
- Note 28 The levels of food additives concerned are calculated on the dry ingredient, dry weight, dry mix or concentrate basis.
- Note 29 Excluding fermented milk products.
- Note 30 As residual sulphur dioxide.
- Note 31 Excluding liquid whey and whey products used as ingredients in infant formula.
- Note 32 Excluding whey powders for use in infant food.
- Note 33 Excluding anhydrous milkfat.

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- Note 34 In relation to butylated hydroxyanisole, butylated hydroxytoluene, propyl gallate, octyl gallate, dodecyl gallate and tertiary butylhydroquinone, 2 or more of these food additives can be used in combination only if the combined level does not exceed 200 mg/kg, and the individual maximum permitted levels are not exceeded.
- Note 35 Isopropyl citrates and citric and fatty acid esters of glycerol can be used in combination only if the combined level does not exceed 100 mg/kg, and the individual maximum permitted levels are not exceeded.
- Note 36 For use in hydrogenated vegetable oil only.
- Note 37 As thiodipropionic acid.
- Note 38 Except that the maximum permitted level for use in fish oils is 2 500 mg/kg.
- Note 39 Except that the maximum permitted level for use in fish oils, singly or in combination, is 6 000 mg/kg.
- Note 40 Any 2 or more of butylated hydroxyanisole, butylated hydroxytoluene, propyl gallate, octyl gallate and dodecyl gallate may be used in combination if—
- (a) the combined level of butylated hydroxyanisole, butylated hydroxytoluene, propyl gallate, octyl gallate and dodecyl gallate does not exceed 240 mg/kg;
 - (b) among propyl gallate, octyl gallate and dodecyl gallate—
 - (i) only one of them is used at a level not exceeding 80 mg/kg; or
 - (ii) any 2 or more of them are used in combination at a combined level not exceeding 80 mg/kg; and

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- (c) among butylated hydroxyanisole and butylated hydroxytoluene—
- (i) only butylated hydroxyanisole is used at a level not exceeding 160 mg/kg;
 - (ii) only butylated hydroxytoluene is used at a level not exceeding 160 mg/kg; or
 - (iii) butylated hydroxyanisole and butylated hydroxytoluene are used in combination at a combined level not exceeding 160 mg/kg.
- Note 41 Except for use in fat spreads and blended spreads; if benzoates and sorbates are used in combination, the combined level must not exceed 2 000 mg/kg of which the maximum permitted level of benzoic acid does not exceed 1 000 mg/kg.
- Note 42 As anhydrous calcium disodium ethylenediaminetetraacetate.
- Note 43 Except that the maximum permitted level for use in dairy fat spreads is 5 000 mg/kg as tartaric acid.
- Note 44 On the residual level basis.
- Note 45 For use in waxes, coatings or glazes for the application to the surface of fresh fruit only.
- Note 46 For use on citrus fruits only.
- Note 47 Except that the maximum permitted level for use in longan and litchi is 50 mg/kg.
- Note 48 For use in frozen sliced apples only.
- Note 49 Except that the maximum permitted level for use in dried apricots is 2 000 mg/kg, in bleached raisins is 1 500 mg/kg, in desiccated coconut is 200 mg/kg and in coconut from which oil has been partially extracted is 50 mg/kg.

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- Note 50 Benzoates and para-hydroxybenzoates can be used in combination only if the following condition is satisfied: when the quantity of each such food additive present in that food is expressed as a percentage of the maximum permitted level, the sum of those percentages does not exceed 100.
- Note 51 As tin.
- Note 52 Excluding canned pears and canned pineapples.
- Note 53 For use in canned stone fruits only.
- Note 54 Except that the maximum permitted level for use in aqueous coconut products is 30 mg/kg.
- Note 55 For use in edible fungi and fungus products only.
- Note 56 Except that the maximum permitted level for use in pickled fungi is 20 000 mg/kg.
- Note 57 For use as a glaze for application to the surface of fresh vegetables, seaweeds or nuts and seeds only.
- Note 58 For use in waxes, coatings or glazes for the application to the surface of fresh vegetables, seaweeds or nuts and seeds only.
- Note 59 For use in glaze, coatings or decorations for fruits, vegetables, meats or fishes only.
- Note 60 For use in potatoes only.
- Note 61 For use to prevent browning of certain light-coloured vegetables only.
- Note 62 For use in frozen French fried potatoes only.
- Note 63 For use in mushrooms and fungi, and seaweeds only.
- Note 64 Except that the maximum permitted level for use in frozen avocado is 300 mg/kg.
- Note 65 For use in dry beans only.

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- Note 66 The level in ready-to-eat food must not exceed 200 mg/kg on the anhydrous basis.
- Note 67 Except that the maximum permitted level for use in Kampyo is 5 000 mg/kg.
- Note 68 As iron.
- Note 69 For use in olives only.
- Note 70 For use in nuts and seeds only.
- Note 71 Except that the maximum permitted level for use in canned chestnuts and canned chestnut puree is 10 000 mg/kg.
- Note 72 For use in energy-reduced products only.
- Note 73 Except that the maximum permitted level for use in candied vegetables is 350 mg/kg, and for use to prevent browning of certain light-coloured vegetables is 50 mg/kg.
- Note 74 As calcium.
- Note 75 Except that the maximum permitted level for use in Gochujang is 5 000 mg/kg.
- Note 76 For use in fried nuts and seeds only.
- Note 77 For use in potato dough and pre-fried potato slices only.
- Note 78 Excluding chocolate and chocolate products, except that the maximum permitted level for use in white chocolate is 200 mg/kg calculated on a fat content basis.
- Note 79 Excluding chocolate and chocolate products other than white chocolate.
- Note 80 Except that the maximum permitted level for use in fruity confection products is 20 000 mg/kg.

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- Note 81 Propionic acid, sodium propionate and calcium propionate can be used in combination only if the following condition is satisfied: when the quantity of each such food additive present in that food is expressed as a percentage of the maximum permitted level, the sum of those percentages does not exceed 100.
- Note 82 For use in unprocessed cereal grains only.
- Note 83 For use in wheat flour only.
- Note 84 Except that the maximum permitted level for use in wheat flour is 60 mg/kg.
- Note 85 Excluding rice flour and wheat flour.
- Note 86 Except that the maximum permitted level for use in wheat flour is 2 000 mg/kg.
- Note 87 Except that the maximum permitted level for use in self-raising flour is 12 000 mg/kg.
- Note 88 For use in wheat flours for biscuit and pastry manufacture only.
- Note 89 For use in flours with additives only.
- Note 90 For use in wheat and/or wheat products only.
- Note 91 For use in fresh instant noodles only.
- Note 92 Except that the maximum permitted level for use in instant noodles is 2 000 mg/kg as phosphorus.
- Note 93 For use in instant noodles only.
- Note 94 For use in tapioca balls only.
- Note 95 Excluding plain products.
- Note 96 Excluding biscuits and cookies.
- Note 97 For use in sweet crackers, cookies and biscuits only.

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- Note 98 Except that the maximum permitted level for use in products containing nut paste is 500 mg/kg.
- Note 99 For use in mooncakes only.
- Note 100 For use in fresh minced meat that contains other ingredients apart from comminuted meat only.
- Note 101 For use in dehydrated products only.
- Note 102 For use in ready-to-eat cooked cured ham and cooked cured pork shoulder products that require refrigeration only.
- Note 103 For use in cooked frozen meat products only.
- Note 104 For use in dehydrated products and salami-type products only.
- Note 105 The level of natamycin (pimaricin) is equivalent to 1 mg/dm² surface application to a maximum depth of 5 mm.
- Note 106 For use in ready-to-eat luncheon meat, cooked cured chopped meat and corned beef products that require refrigeration only.
- Note 107 On a casings basis.
- Note 108 For use in raw molluscs only.
- Note 109 Except that the maximum permitted level for use in frozen shrimps and prawns and frozen lobsters is 100 mg/kg in the edible part of the raw product, or 30 mg/kg in the edible part of the cooked product.
- Note 110 For use in molluscs, crustaceans and echinoderms only.
- Note 111 For use in breading or batter coatings only.
- Note 112 For use in minced fish only.
- Note 113 For use in ready-to-eat products only.

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- Note 114 In relation to benzoates, para-hydroxybenzoates and sorbates, 2 or more of these food additives can be used in combination only if the following condition is satisfied: when the quantity of each such food additive present in that food is expressed as a percentage of the maximum permitted level, the sum of those percentages does not exceed 100.
- Note 115 Except that the maximum permitted level for use in shrimp (*Crangon crangon* and *Crangon vulgaris*) is 6 000 mg/kg.
- Note 116 For use in ready-to-eat products that require refrigeration only.
- Note 117 Except that the maximum permitted level for use in fermented fish products is 1 000 mg/kg.
- Note 118 For use in reduced-oxygen-packaged smoked fish and smoke-flavoured fish products only.
- Note 119 For use in smoked fish and smoke-flavoured fish products only.
- Note 120 Except that the maximum permitted level for use in smoked molluscs and salted molluscs is 700 mg/kg.
- Note 121 Except that the maximum permitted level for use in salted fish and dried salted fish of the Gadidae family of fishes, salted Atlantic herring and salted sprat is 200 mg/kg and in smoked fish and smoke-flavoured fish is 2 000 mg/kg for reduced-oxygen-packaged product only.
- Note 122 Except that the maximum permitted level for use in caviar substitutes is 2 500 mg/kg.
- Note 123 For use in crustacean and fish pastes only.
- Note 124 Except that the maximum permitted level for use in canned shrimps or prawns and canned crab meat products is 250 mg/kg.
- Note 125 Except that the maximum permitted level for use in canned abalone is 1 000 mg/kg.
- Note 126 Except that the maximum permitted level for use in liquid egg whites is 8 800 mg/kg as phosphorus and in liquid whole eggs is 14 700 mg/kg as phosphorus.

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- Note 127 The level of ethylenediaminetetraacetates is calculated against the egg yolk weight on a dry basis.
- Note 128 On the ready-to-eat basis.
- Note 129 Except that the maximum permitted level for use in dried glucose syrup used in the manufacture of sugar confectionery is 150 mg/kg and in glucose syrup used in the manufacture of sugar confectionery is 400 mg/kg.
- Note 130 The level of ethylenediaminetetraacetates is calculated on a dry weight basis of the high intensity sweetener.
- Note 131 For use in liquid products only.
- Note 132 Except that the maximum permitted level for use as a meat tenderizer is 35 000 mg/kg.
- Note 133 Except that the maximum permitted level for use in Dijon mustard is 500 mg/kg.
- Note 134 The levels of food additives concerned are measured in the form of the food that is reconstituted according to the instruction of manufacturer or is served to consumer.
- Note 135 For use in mayonnaise and salad dressing only.
- Note 136 The maximum permitted level is expressed as mg additive/L of food.
- Note 137 Ascorbyl palmitate only.
- Note 138 Except that the maximum permitted level for use in powdered infant formula is 7 500 mg/kg.
- Note 139 Ascorbic acid, sodium ascorbate, calcium ascorbate and ascorbyl palmitate can be used in combination only if the following condition is satisfied: when the quantity of each such food additive present in that food is expressed as a percentage of the maximum permitted level, the sum of those percentages does not exceed 100.
- Note 140 As ascorbic acid.

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- Note 141 Except that use in processed cereal-based foods for infants and young children in accordance with GMP is permitted.
- Note 142 L(+)- form only.
- Note 143 For use in canned baby foods only.
- Note 144 Except that the maximum permitted level for use in processed cereal-based foods for infants and young children is 15 000 mg/kg.
- Note 145 For use in grape juice only.
- Note 146 The maximum permitted level refers to the added level during manufacturing of the food.
- Note 147 For use in fruit juice-based drinks and dry ginger ale only.
- Note 148 For use in products containing less than 7% ethanol only.
- Note 149 The CO₂ content in finished still wine must not exceed 4 000 mg/kg at 20 °C.
- Note 150 Erythorbic acid (isoascorbic acid) and sodium erythorbate (sodium isoascorbate) can be used in combination only if the following condition is satisfied: when the quantity of each such food additive present in that food is expressed as a percentage of the maximum permitted level, the sum of those percentages does not exceed 100.
- Note 151 Excluding use in whiskey.
- Note 152 In relation to benzoates, para-hydroxybenzoates, sorbates and sulphites, 2 or more of these food additives can be used in combination only if the following condition is satisfied: when the quantity of each such food additive present in that food is expressed as a percentage of the maximum permitted level, the sum of those percentages does not exceed 100.

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- Note 153
- Any 2 or more of butylated hydroxyanisole, butylated hydroxytoluene, propyl gallate, octyl gallate and dodecyl gallate may be used in combination if—
- (a) the combined level of butylated hydroxyanisole, butylated hydroxytoluene, propyl gallate, octyl gallate and dodecyl gallate does not exceed 300 mg/kg;
 - (b) among propyl gallate, octyl gallate and dodecyl gallate—
 - (i) only one of them is used at a level not exceeding 100 mg/kg; or
 - (ii) any 2 or more of them are used in combination at a combined level not exceeding 100 mg/kg; and
 - (c) among butylated hydroxyanisole and butylated hydroxytoluene—
 - (i) only butylated hydroxyanisole is used at a level not exceeding 100 mg/kg;
 - (ii) only butylated hydroxytoluene is used at a level not exceeding 200 mg/kg; or
 - (iii) butylated hydroxyanisole and butylated hydroxytoluene are used in combination at a combined level not exceeding 200 mg/kg.”.

10. Schedule 1A substituted

Schedule 1A—

Repeal the Schedule**Substitute****“Schedule 1A**

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Participating Additives of Food Additive Groups

Item	Column 1 Food additive group (INS nos.)	Column 2 Participating additives (INS nos.)
1.	Sorbates (200–203)	Sorbic acid (200) Sodium sorbate (201) Potassium sorbate (202) Calcium sorbate (203)
2.	Benzoates (210–213)	Benzoic acid (210) Sodium benzoate (211) Potassium benzoate (212) Calcium benzoate (213)
3.	Hydroxybenzoates, para- (214, 215, 218 & 219)	Ethyl para-hydroxybenzoate (214) Sodium ethyl para- hydroxybenzoate (215) Methyl para- hydroxybenzoate (218)

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Item	Column 1 Food additive group (INS nos.)	Column 2 Participating additives (INS nos.)
		Sodium methyl para-hydroxybenzoate (219)
4.	Sulphites (220–228, 539 & –)	Sulphur dioxide (220) Sodium sulphite (221) Sodium hydrogen sulphite (222) Sodium metabisulphite (223) Potassium metabisulphite (224) Potassium sulphite (225) Calcium sulphite (226) Calcium hydrogen sulphite (227) Potassium bisulphite (228) Sodium thiosulphate (539) Sulphurous acid (–)
5.	Ortho-phenylphenols (231 & 232)	Ortho-phenylphenol (231) Sodium ortho-phenylphenol (232)
6.	Nitrites (249 & 250)	Potassium nitrite (249) Sodium nitrite (250)
7.	Nitrates (251 & 252)	Sodium nitrate (251) Potassium nitrate (252)

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Item	Column 1 Food additive group (INS nos.)	Column 2 Participating additives (INS nos.)
8.	Ascorbyl esters (304 & 305)	Ascorbyl palmitate (304) Ascorbyl stearate (305)
9.	Tocopherols (307a, b & c)	d-alpha-Tocopherol (307a) Tocopherol concentrate, mixed (307b) dl-alpha-Tocopherol (307c)
10.	Tartrates (334, 335(ii) & 337)	L(+)-Tartaric acid (334) Sodium (L+)-tartrate (335(ii)) Potassium sodium L(+)- tartrate (337)
11.	Phosphates (338, 339(i)–(iii), 340(i)–(iii), 341(i)–(iii), 342(i) & (ii), 343(i)–(iii), 450(i)–(iii), (v)–(vii) & (ix), 451(i) & (ii), 452(i)–(v) & 542)	Phosphoric acid (338) Sodium dihydrogen phosphate (339(i)) Disodium hydrogen phosphate (339(ii)) Trisodium phosphate (339(iii)) Potassium dihydrogen phosphate (340(i)) Dipotassium hydrogen phosphate (340(ii)) Tripotassium phosphate (340(iii))

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Item	Column 1 Food additive group (INS nos.)	Column 2 Participating additives (INS nos.)
		Calcium dihydrogen phosphate (341(i)) Calcium hydrogen phosphate (341(ii)) Tricalcium phosphate (341(iii)) Ammonium dihydrogen phosphate (342(i)) Diammonium hydrogen phosphate (342(ii)) Magnesium dihydrogen phosphate (343(i)) Magnesium hydrogen phosphate (343(ii)) Trimagnesium phosphate (343(iii)) Disodium diphosphate (450(i)) Trisodium diphosphate (450(ii)) Tetrasodium diphosphate (450(iii)) Tetrapotassium diphosphate (450(v)) Dicalcium diphosphate (450(vi))

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Item	Column 1 Food additive group (INS nos.)	Column 2 Participating additives (INS nos.)
		Calcium dihydrogen diphosphate (450(vii)) Magnesium dihydrogen diphosphate (450(ix)) Pentasodium triphosphate (451(i)) Pentapotassium triphosphate (451(ii)) Sodium polyphosphate (452(i)) Potassium polyphosphate (452(ii)) Sodium calcium polyphosphate (452(iii)) Calcium polyphosphate (452(iv)) Ammonium polyphosphate (452(v)) Bone phosphate (542)
12.	Ethylenediaminetetraacetates (385 & 386)	Calcium disodium ethylenediaminetetraacetate (385) Disodium ethylenediaminetetraacetate (386)

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Item	Column 1 Food additive group (INS nos.)	Column 2 Participating additives (INS nos.)
13.	Thiodipropionates (388 & 389)	Thiodipropionic acid (388) Dilauryl thiodipropionate (389)

11. Schedules 1B and 1C added

After Schedule 1A—

Add

“Schedule 1B

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Food Additives Permitted under Section 3(2A) for Use in Food in accordance with GMP Principles

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Item

Permitted food additive (INS no.)

1. Acetic acid, glacial (260)
2. Potassium acetate (261(i))
3. Sodium acetate (262(i))
4. Calcium acetate (263)

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Column 1	Column 2
Item	Permitted food additive (INS no.)
5.	Propionic acid (280)
6.	Sodium propionate (281)
7.	Calcium propionate (282)
8.	Potassium propionate (283)
9.	Carbon dioxide (290)
10.	Ascorbic acid, L- (300)
11.	Sodium ascorbate (301)
12.	Calcium ascorbate (302)
13.	Erythorbic acid (isoascorbic acid) (315)
14.	Sodium erythorbate (sodium isoascorbate) (316)
15.	Lecithins (322)
16.	Sodium lactate (325)
17.	Potassium lactate (326)
18.	Calcium lactate (327)
19.	Citric acid (330)

Column 1	Column 2
Item	Permitted food additive (INS no.)
20.	Tripotassium citrate (332(ii))
21.	Tricalcium citrate (333(iii))
22.	Citric and fatty acid esters of glycerol (472c)
23.	Nitrous oxide (942)
24.	Glucose oxidase (1102)

Schedule 1C

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Food Excluded from Operation of Section 3(2A)

Column 1	Column 2
Food category no. (as assigned by Schedule 1)	Food category or sub-category
1.1.1	Fluid milk (plain), including skimmed, partly skimmed and whole milk

Column 1	Column 2
Food category no. (as assigned by Schedule 1)	Food category or sub-category
1.1.2	Other fluid milk (plain) (e.g. plain reconstituted fluid milks, non-flavoured vitamin and mineral fortified fluid milks, lactose reduced milk and plain milk-based beverages), excluding products of food categories 1.1.1, 1.1.3 and 1.2 and their sub-categories (if applicable)
1.1.3	Fluid buttermilk (plain)
1.2	Fermented and renneted milk products (plain), excluding flavoured products of food category 1.1.4 and its sub-categories (if applicable), and desserts of food category 1.7 and its sub-categories (if applicable)
1.2.1	Fermented milks (plain)
1.2.1.1	Fermented milks (plain), not heat-treated after fermentation
1.2.1.2	Fermented milks (plain), heat-treated after fermentation
1.2.2	Renneted milk (plain), excluding flavoured renneted milk products of food category 1.7 and its sub-categories (if applicable)

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Column 1	Column 2
Food category no. (as assigned by Schedule 1)	Food category or sub-category
1.4.1	Pasteurized cream (plain)
1.4.2	Sterilized and ultra-heat treated (UHT) creams, whipping and whipped creams, and reduced fat creams (plain)
1.6.3	Whey cheese
1.6.6	Whey protein cheese (e.g. ricotta cheese)
1.8.2	Dried whey and whey products, excluding whey cheeses of food category 1.6.3 and its sub-categories (if applicable)
2.1	Fats and oils essentially free from water
2.1.1	Butter oil, anhydrous milkfat and ghee
2.1.2	Vegetable oils and fats
2.1.3	Lard, tallow, fish oil and other animal fats
2.2.1	Butter
2.2.1.1	Butter for manufacturing purposes

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Column 1	Column 2
Food category no. (as assigned by Schedule 1)	Food category or sub-category
4.1.1	Fresh fruit
4.1.1.1	Untreated fresh fruit
4.1.1.2	Surface-treated fresh fruit
4.1.1.2.1	Apples
4.1.1.2.2	Pears
4.1.1.3	Peeled or cut fresh fruit, including shredded or flaked fresh coconut
4.2.1	Fresh vegetables (including mushrooms and fungi, roots and tubers, pulses and legumes, and aloe vera), seaweeds, and nuts and seeds
4.2.1.1	Untreated fresh vegetables (including mushrooms and fungi, roots and tubers, pulses and legumes (including soybeans), and aloe vera), seaweeds, and nuts and seeds
4.2.1.2	Surface-treated fresh vegetables (including mushrooms and fungi, roots and tubers, pulses and legumes, and aloe vera), seaweeds, and nuts and seeds

Column 1	Column 2
Food category no. (as assigned by Schedule 1)	Food category or sub-category
4.2.1.3	Peeled, cut or shredded fresh vegetables (including mushrooms and fungi, roots and tubers, pulses and legumes, and aloe vera), seaweeds, and nuts and seeds
4.2.2.1	Frozen vegetables (including mushrooms and fungi, roots and tubers, pulses and legumes, and aloe vera), seaweeds, and nuts and seeds
4.2.2.7	Fermented vegetables (including mushrooms and fungi, roots and tubers, pulses and legumes, and aloe vera) and seaweed products, excluding fermented soybean products of food categories 6.8.6, 6.8.7, 12.9.1 and 12.9.2 and their sub-categories (if applicable)
6.1	Whole, broken or flaked grain, including barley, corn, oats, rice, sorghum, soybeans and wheat
6.2	Flours and starches (including soybean powder)
6.2.1	Flours
6.2.2	Starches
6.4.1	Fresh pastas and noodles and like products

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6.4.2	Dried pastas and noodles and like products
8.1	Fresh meat, poultry and game
8.1.1	Fresh meat, poultry and game in whole pieces or cuts
8.1.2	Fresh meat, poultry and game, comminuted
9.1	Fresh fish and fish products, including molluscs, crustaceans and echinoderms
9.1.1	Fresh fish
9.1.2	Fresh molluscs, crustaceans and echinoderms
9.2	Processed fish and fish products, including molluscs, crustaceans and echinoderms
9.2.1	Frozen (including fresh and partially cooked) fish, fish fillets and fish products, including molluscs, crustaceans and echinoderms (e.g. frozen clams, frozen cod fillets, frozen crabs, frozen finfish, frozen lobsters, frozen prawns, frozen fish roe and frozen surimi)

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9.2.2	Frozen uncooked battered fish, fish fillets and fish products, including molluscs, crustaceans and echinoderms (e.g. frozen raw breaded shrimps and frozen batter-coated fish fillets)
9.2.3	Frozen uncooked minced and creamed fish products, including molluscs, crustaceans and echinoderms
9.2.4	Cooked and/or fried fish and fish products, including molluscs, crustaceans and echinoderms
9.2.4.1	Cooked fish and fish products (excluding frying), including cooked surimi, cooked fish paste and cooked fish roe
9.2.4.1.1	Cooked fish balls and cakes (excluding frying)
9.2.4.2	Cooked molluscs, crustaceans and echinoderms (excluding frying)
9.2.4.2.1	Cooked mollusc, crustacean, and echinoderm balls and cakes (excluding frying)
9.2.4.3	Fried fish and fish products, including molluscs, crustaceans and echinoderms

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Food category no. (as assigned by Schedule 1)	Food category or sub-category
9.2.4.3.1	Fried fish balls and cakes, including molluscs, crustaceans and echinoderms
9.2.5	Smoked, dried, fermented and/or salted fish and fish products, including molluscs, crustaceans and echinoderms
9.2.5.1	Dried shredded fish, including molluscs, crustaceans and echinoderms
10.1	Fresh eggs
10.2.1	Pasteurized and chemically preserved (e.g. by addition of salt) liquid egg products, including whole egg, egg yolk and egg white
10.2.2	Pasteurized and frozen egg products, including whole egg, egg yolk and egg white
11.1	Refined and raw sugars
11.1.1	White sugar, dextrose anhydrous, dextrose monohydrate and fructose
11.1.2	Powdered sugar and powdered dextrose

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11.1.3	Soft white sugar, soft brown sugar, glucose syrup, dried glucose syrup and raw cane sugar
11.1.4	Lactose
11.1.5	Plantation or mill white sugar
11.2	Brown sugar (e.g. Demerara sugar), excluding products of food category 11.1.3 and its sub-categories (if applicable)
11.3	Sugar solutions and syrups, also (partially) inverted, including treacle and molasses, excluding products of food category 11.1.3 and its sub-categories (if applicable)
11.4	Other sugars and syrups (e.g. xylose, maple syrup and decorative sugar toppings)
11.5	Honey
12.1	Salt and salt substitutes
12.1.1	Salt
12.1.2	Salt substitutes

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12.2.1	Herbs and spices*
12.2.1.1	Curry paste
13.1	Infant formulae and follow-up formulae
13.1.1	Infant formulae
13.1.2	Follow-up formulae
13.2	Complementary foods for infants and young children, excluding products of food category 13.1 and its sub-categories (if applicable)
14.1.1	Bottled or packaged drinking waters
14.1.2	Fruit and vegetable juices, excluding beverages based on fruit and vegetable juices of food category 14.1.4.2 and its sub-categories (if applicable)
14.1.2.1	Fruit juice
14.1.2.1.1	Grape juice products (unfermented, intended for sacramental use)

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Column 1	Column 2
Food category no. (as assigned by Schedule 1)	Food category or sub-category
14.1.2.2	Vegetable juice
14.1.2.3	Concentrates for fruit juice
14.1.2.4	Concentrates for vegetable juice
14.1.3	Fruit and vegetable nectars
14.1.3.1	Fruit nectar
14.1.3.2	Vegetable nectar
14.1.3.3	Concentrates for fruit nectar
14.1.3.4	Concentrates for vegetable nectar
14.1.5	Coffee, coffee substitutes, tea, herbal infusions, and other hot cereal and grain beverages, including ready-to-drink products, their mixes and concentrates, and treated coffee beans for the manufacture of coffee products, excluding ready-to-drink cocoa of food category 1.1.4 and its sub-categories (if applicable) and cocoa mixes of food category 5.1.1 and its sub-categories (if applicable)

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Column 2

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Food category or sub-category

14.1.5.1 Coffee extract, solid

14.2.3 Grape wines

*Excluding spices”.

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Explanatory Note

This Regulation amends the Preservatives in Food Regulation (Cap. 132 sub. leg. BD) (*principal Regulation*). The main purposes of the amendments are set out below.

2. The definitions of *preservative* and *antioxidant* in the principal Regulation are amended. This Regulation adds a new definition of *food* to the principal Regulation to exclude food for special medical purposes from the application of the principal Regulation.
3. The principal Regulation prohibits the use of food additives (defined as a preservative or an antioxidant) except for those listed in Schedule 1 to the principal Regulation (*permitted food additives*). Relevant food may contain the permitted food additives in a proportion that do not exceed the maximum permitted levels specified in that Schedule. This Regulation updates that Schedule.
4. Schedule 1A to the principal Regulation lists out, in relation to certain food additives, their “alternative forms” that may be used in food under section 2A of the principal Regulation. That section 2A is repealed and a new section 2(4) is added to the principal Regulation, and that Schedule 1A is substituted. Instead of specifying the “alternative forms” for permitted food additives that are subject to the same maximum permitted levels, the new provisions provide for the maximum permitted level to be specified for a food additive group. The participating additives which constitute the food additive group are specified in the new Schedule 1A. This means the total amount of participating additives of that group must not exceed the maximum permitted level specified for that group.

5. New section 3(2A) and (2B) and new Schedules 1B and 1C are added to the principal Regulation. The new Schedule 1B lists out the food additives that are permitted, pursuant to the new section 3(2A), to be added to food in accordance with the GMP principles. The new Schedule 1C lists out the food categories and sub-categories that are excluded from the operation of the new section 3(2A).
6. Section 3(8) of the principal Regulation permits canned food to contain nisin and other food to contain nisin where it is introduced in the preparation of that food by the use of canned food containing nisin. That section is repealed and reenacted as the new section 3(8) and (8A). The effect is that, for any canned food that is relevant food of a scheduled food category for which a maximum permitted level is specified in column 3 of the new Schedule 1 in relation to nisin, the proportion of nisin that may be present is limited to the maximum permitted level.
7. Section 3(9) of the principal Regulation is amended so a permitted food additive specified in the new Schedule 1B may be introduced by the use of any food (**Food A**) in the preparation of compounded food if the permitted food additive is used in Food A in accordance with the GMP principles. However, this permission does not apply if the relevant food used in the compounded food is of a scheduled food category that is also specified in the new Schedule 1C.
8. Section 4 of the principal Regulation is amended to exclude from its application any food falling within food category 13 or its sub-categories in the new Schedule 1.
9. Section 10A of the principal Regulation is repealed because it is a transitional provision for an earlier amendment and its effect has already expired.

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10. A new section 10B added to the principal Regulation contains transitional provision to the effect as follows: despite the amendments to the requirements under the principal Regulation, if, during the transitional period of 24 months from 30 December 2024, a person complies with the requirements in force immediately before the commencement date of this Regulation, the person does not contravene the principal Regulation, as amended.