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REPORT ON EU AGRI-FOOD FRAUD SUSPICIONS



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The purpose of the Monthly report on EU Agri-Food Fraud suspicions is twofold:

1. Assist Member States' authorities for the enforcement of the provisions of Article 9(2) of the Official Control Regulation which requires the organisation of risk-based controls to identify and combat fraudulent and deceptive practices along the agri-food chain (across some control areas listed in its Article 1(2)).
2. Provide valuable but selected information to stakeholders of the agri-food sector to perform adequate vulnerability assessments and identify new emerging risks.

Disclaimer: The monthly report includes 'non-compliances with fraud suspicions' of cross-border nature identified and shared between members of the Alert and Cooperation Network (ACN) and retrieved from its three components: the Rapid Alert System for Food and Feed network (RASFF), the Administrative Assistance and Cooperation network (AAC) and the Agri-Food Fraud Network (FFN).

The monthly report covers food, feedingstuff, materials and articles intended to come into contact directly or indirectly with food, animal welfare issues for farmed animals, plant protection products, veterinary medicinal products and other inputs that may end in the form of residues and contaminants in food and feed.

The monthly report does not reconcile data and suspicions related to the following subjects:

- animal and plant health,
- release into the environment of Genetically Modified Organisms,
- animal welfare for companion animals,
- placing on the market and use of plant protection products, veterinary medicinal products and other inputs that are not ending as residues and contaminants in food and feed, and
- animal by-products and derived products when they not intended to be used for oral feeding to animals.

Commission Implementing Regulation (EU) 2019/1715 of 30 September 2019 laying down rules for the functioning of the information management system for official controls and its system components ([the IMSOC Regulation](#)) defines a fraud notification as a "non-compliance concerning any suspected intentional action by businesses or individuals, for the purpose of deceiving purchasers and gaining undue advantage therefrom, in violation of the rules referred to in Article 1(2) of Regulation (EU) 2017/625".

*The report includes '**non-compliances with fraud suspicions**'. Those '**non-compliances**' are not confirmed frauds but contribute alerting and triggering investigations by Member States competent authorities.*

THIS MONTH 292 SUSPICIONS WERE RETRIEVED FROM 856 IRASFF NOTIFICATIONS.
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Figure 1: Suspicions per product category

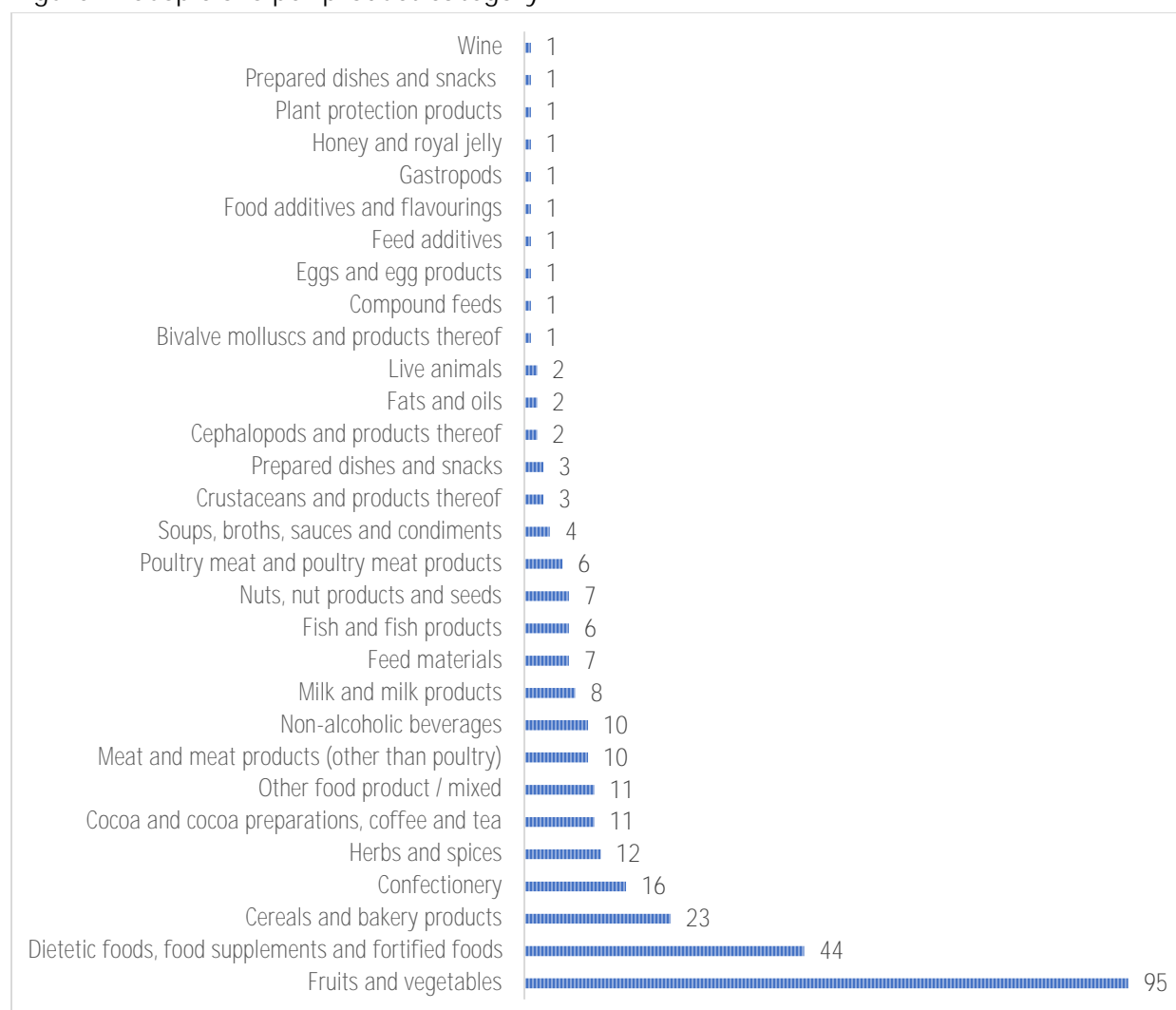


Figure 2: Suspicions per fraud category

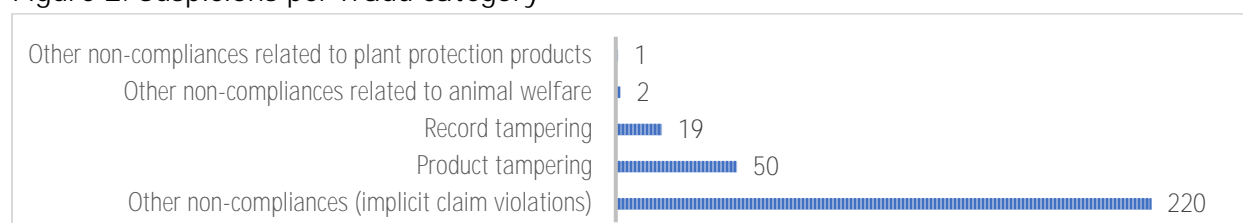
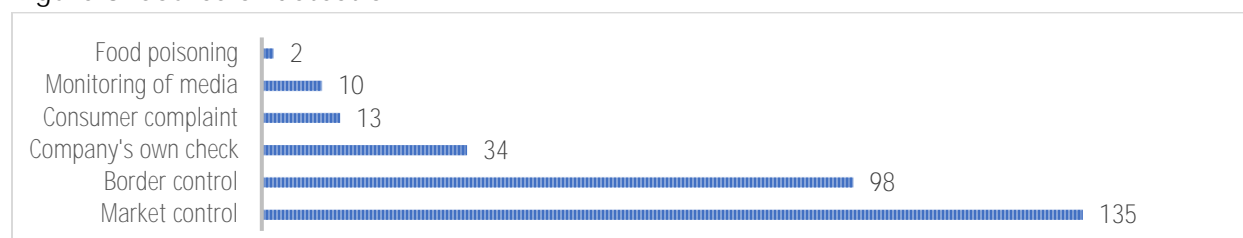


Figure 3: Source of detection



1. PRODUCT TAMPERING

CLASSIFICATION	PRODUCT CATEGORY	COMMODITY	ISSUE	ORIGIN	NOTIFIED BY
Additives not compliant with EU MLs ⁱ	Cereals and bakery products	maize starch	sulphur dioxide (E 220) (12 mg/kg)*	Netherlands	Netherlands
	Confectionery	sugar-coated chickpeas	ponceau 4R / cochineal red A (E 124) (345.2 mg/kg), tartrazine (E 102) [undeclared]*	Belgium	France
	Crustaceans and products thereof	shrimps	sulphites (E 220 - 228) (164.6 mg/kg)	Netherlands	Croatia
		shrimps (Penaeus vannamei)	sulphur dioxide (E 220) (309.8 mg/kg)*	Ecuador	France
	Fruits and vegetables	dried apricots	sulphur dioxide (E 220) (3339 mg/kg)*	Türkiye	Greece
		dried mangoes	sulphur dioxide (E 220) (56 mg/kg)*	China	Denmark
		prepared lemons and olives	sodium benzoate (E 211) (1000 mg/kg)*	Morocco	Spain
	Milk and milk products	sheep's ripened cheese	natamycin (E 235) (6.76 mg/dm ²)	Spain	Germany
Adulteration (ingredient dilution)	Non-alcoholic beverages	soft drinks	sorbic acid (E 200) (727 mg/l)*	Greece	Cyprus
		soft drinks	benzoic acid (E 210) (338 mg/kg)	USA	Germany
Adulteration (ingredient substitution)	Honey and royal jelly	honey	sugar, pollen content	Slovakia	Czechia
Adulteration (ingredient substitution)	Cephalopods and products thereof	octopus	water addition	Greece	Germany
	Dietetic foods, food supplements and fortified foods	food supplements	absence of coenzyme Q10	Germany	Poland
	Milk and milk products	goat milk kefir	sheep milk	Greece	Cyprus
		ghee	vegetable fat, counterfeit	Germany	Netherlands
	Poultry meat and poultry meat products	canned chicken meat	lower content of meat than declared	Poland	Czechia
		chicken sausages	lower content of meat than declared	Poland	Czechia
Adulteration (species substitution)	Meat and meat products (other than poultry)	venison salami	pork and deer meat	Austria	Germany
	Poultry meat and poultry meat products	turkey sausages	chicken DNA	Poland	Lithuania
Unapproved process (concealment, enhancement)	Cereals and bakery products	biscuits	sunset yellow FCF (E 110)*	Thailand	Sweden
		biscuits	tertiary-butyl hydroquinone (TBHQ) (E 319)	Indonesia	Slovenia
		noodles	diphosphates (E 450), polyphosphates (i) (E 452), sodium phosphates (i) (E 339)*	Brazil	Portugal
		noodles	tartrazine (E 102)*	Philippines	Switzerland
	Compound feeds	premixure for feed for swine, cattle, poultry	silage additives (Lactobacillus plantarum DSM 3676, Lactobacillus plantarum DSM 3677, Enterococcus faecium DSM 22502)	Germany	Netherlands
	Confectionery	candies	titanium dioxide (E 171)*	China	Finland
		candies	titanium dioxide (E 171)*	China	Sweden
		confectionery	titanium dioxide (E 171)*	Türkiye	Germany
		jellies	carrageenan (E 407), xanthan gum (E 415), locust bean gum (E 410)*	China	Germany
		sugar coated almonds	erythrosin (E 127)	Syria	Germany
	Dietetic foods, food supplements and fortified foods	food supplements	titanium dioxide (E 171), cannabidiol (CBD), Hawaiian baby woodrose (Argyrea nervosa)*	Netherlands	Belgium
		food supplements	erythrosine (E 127)*	UK	Cyprus
		food supplements	irradiation*	USA	Poland

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Unapproved process (concealment, enhancement)	Dietetic foods, food supplements and fortified foods	food supplements	ethylene oxide*	India	Romania
		food supplements	titanium dioxide (E 171)*	USA	Sweden
		food supplements for children	benzoic acid (E 210)*	UK	Finland
		psyllium powder	ethylene oxide*	India	Netherlands
		psyllium powder	ethylene oxide*	India	Netherlands
	Food additives and flavourings	baking agents	diphosphate (E 450)	Austria	Germany
	Fruits and vegetables	dried mangoes	benzoic acid (E 210) (unapproved and undeclared), sulfur dioxide (E 220) (undeclared)*	Thailand	Denmark
		fruit preparations	sodium benzoate (E 211), sodium metabisulphite (E 223), cochineal carmine (E 120)*	Brazil	Portugal
		pear puree	chlorate*	Netherlands	Netherlands
		roasted chickpeas	titanium dioxide (E 171)*	Türkiye	Italy
	Herbs and spices	dried cinnamon bark	sulfur dioxide (E 220)*	Vietnam	Cyprus
	Non-alcoholic beverages	soft drinks	fast green FCF (E 143), past expiration date, absence of warning for tartrazine (E 102)	Belgium	Spain
	Other food product / mixed	vegan falafel	sorbic acid (E 200)	Netherlands	Germany
	Prepared dishes and snacks	shrimp chips	sulphur dioxide (E 220)*	Vietnam	Norway
		snacks	gardenia yellow, gardenia blue (dyes)	China	Austria
Undeclared process (concealment, enhancement)	Wine	wine	flavouring	Spain	Germany
	Prepared dishes and snacks	sweet potato snacks	sulphur dioxide (E 220)*	China	Denmark
	Soups, broths, sauces and condiments	teriyaki mayo sauce	sorbic acid (E 200)	Thailand	Denmark

2. RECORD TAMPERING

CLASSIFICATION	PRODUCT CATEGORY	COMMODITY	ISSUE	ORIGIN	NOTIFIED BY
Dietary claims	Cereals and bakery products	gluten-free oat flakes	presence of gluten (>80 mg/kg)*	Poland	Poland
	Fruits and vegetables	quinoa bars	"no sugar" claim (presence of sugars)	Czechia	Austria
	Milk and milk products	lactose-free milk	lactose (170 mg/kg)*	Belgium	Netherlands
EU protected designation	Meat and meat products (other than poultry)	meat product	misleading denomination "Coppa di Parma"	Netherlands	Italy
	Milk and milk products	cheese	misleading denomination "Halloumi"	Türkiye	Cyprus
		cheese	misleading denomination "Fontina"	Italy	Czechia
		cheese	misleading designation "Parmigiano Reggiano"	Italy	Italy
Nutrition and health claims	Cocoa and cocoa preparations, coffee and tea	tea	health claims	Bulgaria	Germany
	Confectionery	crystallised ginger	health claims	China	Germany
	Dietetic foods, food supplements and fortified foods	food supplements	health claims	Netherlands	Belgium
		food supplements	health claims	Paraguay	Germany

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Nutrition and health claims	Dietetic foods, food supplements and fortified foods	food supplements	health claims	Switzerland	Germany
		food supplements	health claims	Canada	Norway
		food supplements	health claims	unknown	Slovenia
		food supplements	health claims	Denmark	Sweden
		royal jelly	health claims	France	Belgium
Product related dates, records and information	Milk and milk products	cheese	higher content of fat than declared	Austria	Germany
	Prepared dishes and snacks	chips	narcotics advertising	Lithuania	Finland
Others	Bivalve molluscs and products thereof	oysters	documents forgery	Ireland	Ireland

3. OTHER NON-COMPLIANCES (implicit claim violations)

CLASSIFICATION	PRODUCT CATEGORY	COMMODITY	ISSUE	ORIGIN	NOTIFIED BY
Diversion	Cereals and bakery products	wheat	feed unfit for consumption (Ergot sclerotia) diverted to food*	France	Belgium
	Fats and oils	rapeseed oil	non-food grade oil possibly diverted to food after import	Ukraine	Poland
		vegetable oil	non-food grade oil possibly diverted to food after import	Belarus	Poland
	Meat and meat products (other than poultry)	horse meat (2 carcasses not placed on the market)	medical treatment records and eligibility for slaughter information altered in horses' passports	Ireland	France
		slaughtered horse	horse treated with phenylbutazone not excluded for slaughter in its passport	France	Italy
		slaughtered horse	passport forgery (horse excluded from the food chain according to database records)	Ireland	Italy
		slaughtered horse	passport forgery*	UK (slaughtered in the Netherlands)	Netherlands
	Nuts, nut products and seeds	mustard seeds	non-food grade mustard flour possibly diverted to food after import	Ukraine	Poland
Food, ingredient not authorised in the EU	Cocoa and cocoa preparations, coffee and tea	butterfly pea flowers	Clitoria ternatea*	Netherlands	Belgium
		instant coffee	cannabidiol (CBD), Cordyceps militaris*	UK	Portugal
		tea	Clitoria ternatea*	Netherlands	Belgium
		tea	Clitoria ternatea*	Netherlands	Belgium
		tea	Carlina acaulis, health claims	Bulgaria	Germany
	Confectionery	candies	cannabidiol (CBD), tetrahydrocannabiphlorol (THCP)*	Cyprus	Belgium
		candies	cannabidiol (CBD), cannabigerol (CBG), tetrahydrocannabiphlorol (THCP), kratom (Mitragyna speciosa)*	Czechia	Belgium
		candies	tetrahydrocannabiphlorol (THCP), kratom (Mitragyna speciosa)*	Czechia	Belgium
		candies	muscimol*	Czechia	Germany
		candies	muscimol*	Netherlands	Germany
		gummies	cannabidiol (CBD), kratom (Mitragyna speciosa), tetrahydrocannabihexol (THCH), tetrahydrocannabiphlorol (THCP)*	Spain	Belgium
		gummies	hexahydrocannabinol (HHC)*	Czechia	Spain

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Food, ingredient not authorised in the EU	Confectionery	gummies	muscimol*	Czechia	Spain
		various food products	tetrahydrocannabihexol (THC), tetrahydrocannabiphorol (THCP), hexahydrocannabinol (HHC), muscimol, kratom (<i>Mitragyna speciosa</i>)*	Czechia	Spain
	Dietetic foods, food supplements and fortified foods	CBD products	cannabidiol (CBD)*	Netherlands	Ireland
		CBD products	cannabidiol (CBD)	Czechia	Poland
		food supplements	dihydromyricetin (DHM)*	Netherlands	Austria
		food supplements	lithium orotate*	UK	Austria
		food supplements	L-theanine, health claims*	China	Belgium
		food supplements	<i>Ipomoea purpurea</i> , <i>Iris</i> spp, <i>Nicotiana tabacum</i>	France	Belgium
		food supplements	synephrine, cannabidiol (CBD), kratom (<i>Mitragyna speciosa</i>), Hawaiian baby woodrose (<i>Argyrea nervosa</i>)*	Netherlands	Belgium
		food supplements	Pueraria mirifica extract	Thailand	Belgium
		food supplements	1,3-dimethylamylamine (DMAA), yohimbine*	USA	Belgium
		food supplements	tongkat ali (<i>Eurycoma longifolia</i>), cannabidiol (CBD), <i>Withania somnifera</i> *	Denmark	Denmark
		food supplements	<i>Convolvulus arvensis</i> L.*	Netherlands	France
		food supplements	sibutramine*	USA	France
		food supplements	sildenafil, tadalafil*	China	Hungary
		food supplements	sildenafil, tadalafil*	China	Hungary
		food supplements	sildenafil*	Thailand	Hungary
		food supplements	sildenafil*	Thailand	Hungary
		food supplements	sildenafil*	Thailand	Hungary
		food supplements	sildenafil*	unknown	Hungary
		food supplements	<i>Trametes versicolor</i> *	UK	Ireland
		food supplements	tongkat ali (<i>Eurycoma longifolia</i>)*	USA	Ireland
		food supplements	tongkat ali (<i>Eurycoma longifolia</i>)*	USA	Ireland
		food supplements	tongkat ali (<i>Eurycoma longifolia</i>)*	Germany	Netherlands
		food supplements	1,3-dimethylamylamine (DMAA)*	Türkiye	Romania
		food supplements	cannabidiol (CBD)*	Czechia	Spain
		food supplements	synephrine, titanium dioxide (E 171)*	Romania	Sweden
		food supplements**	<i>Azadirachta indica</i> *	India	Poland
		mushroom mix	Lion's mane (<i>Herichium ericaneus</i>), maitake (<i>Grifola frondosa</i>), chaga (<i>Inonotus obliquus</i>), <i>Cordyceps sinensis</i> , Reishi (<i>Ganoderma lucidum</i>)	Netherlands	Belgium
		organic food supplements	<i>Epimedium grandiflorum</i> , <i>Hoodia gordonii</i> , <i>Rauwolfia vomitoria</i> , <i>Pausintalia yohimbe</i> , lack of organic registration	Bulgaria	Sweden
	Feed additives	alga	spirulina extract, health claims	France	Germany
	Feed materials	compound feed for fish	ruminant DNA	Germany	France
	Non-alcoholic beverages	drinks	<i>Panax notoginseng</i> , alpha glycerylphosphorylcholine (GPC)*	USA	Finland
		drinks	basil seeds	Thailand	Germany
		drinks	<i>Hovenia dulcis</i> *	South Korea	Ireland
		drinks	sildenafil	Czechia	Slovenia
		drinks	hemp seed extract, natural cannabis flavouring*	Poland	Spain

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Food, ingredient not authorised in the EU	Non-alcoholic beverages	soft drinks	benzoic acid (E 210) (185 mg/l), brominated vegetable oil (BVO), dioctyl sodium sulfosuccinate (DSS)*	Mexico	Germany
	Nuts, nut products and seeds	nuts	betel nuts*	India	Denmark
	Other food product / mixed	jellies	cannabidiol (CBD)*	Czechia	Poland
Residues of pesticides not compliant with EU MRLs ⁱⁱ	Cereals and bakery products	organic quinoa	chlorpyrifos (0.022 mg/kg)*	Bolivia	Netherlands
		rice	thiamethoxam (0.136 mg/kg), tricyclazole (0.025 mg/kg)*	Cambodia	Italy
		rice**	acetamiprid (0.023 mg/kg)	Pakistan	Austria
		rice**	thiamethoxam (0.042 mg/kg), tricyclazole (0.075 mg/kg)*	India	France
		rice**	acetamiprid (0.038 mg/kg), thiamethoxam (0.029 mg/kg), imidacloprid (0.021 mg/kg)*	Pakistan	France
		rice**	thiamethoxam (0.012 mg/kg), imidacloprid (0.014 mg/kg), triazophos (0.058 mg/kg)*	Pakistan	France
		rice**	thiamethoxam (0.035 mg/kg), tricyclazole (0.076 mg/kg)*	India	France
		rice**	tricyclazole (0.058 mg/kg)*	India	France
		rice**	thiamethoxam (0.016 mg/kg), imidacloprid (0.023 mg/kg)*	Pakistan	France
		rice**	thiamethoxam (0.017 mg/kg)*	Pakistan	France
		rice**	thiamethoxam (0.018 mg/kg), imidacloprid (0.022 mg/kg)*	Pakistan	France
		rice**	propiconazole (0.040 mg/kg), tricyclazole (0.157 mg/kg)*	India	Germany
		rice**	imidacloprid (0.22 mg/kg)*	Pakistan	Germany
		rice**	tricyclazole (0.086 mg/kg)*	India	Ireland
		rice**	thifluzamide (0.032 mg/kg)*	India	Netherlands
		rice**	thiamethoxam (0.026 mg/kg)*	Pakistan	Netherlands
	Cocoa and cocoa preparations, coffee and tea	black tea	difenoconazole (0.16 mg/kg), pyraclostrobin (0.57 mg/kg), dinotefuran (0.072 mg/kg)*	China	Italy
		green and black tea**	diafenthiuron (0.58 mg/kg)*	China	France
		green tea	chlorpyrifos (0.21 mg/kg)*	China	Poland
		green tea	lambda-cyhalothrin (0.051 mg/kg), tolfenpyrad (0.106 mg/kg), dinotefuran (0.354 mg/kg)*	China	Romania
		herbal mixture	anthraquinone (0.029 mg/kg)*	France	France
	Feed materials	calcium salt of fatty acids	chlorpyrifos (0.023 mg/kg)*	Ecuador	Germany
		flax seeds	chlorpyrifos (0.028 mg/kg)	Estonia	Netherlands
		liquorice powder	oxymatrine (0.13 mg/kg)*	Germany	Belgium
		millet	diquat (0.186 mg/kg)*	Ukraine	Netherlands
		millet	diquat (0.052 mg/kg)*	Ukraine	Poland
		soybean lecithin	procymidone (0.22 mg/kg)	Brazil	Netherlands
	Fruits and vegetables	apricots	methomyl (0.044 mg/kg), cyfluthrin (0.36; 0.37 mg/kg), imidacloprid (0.22; 0.28 mg/kg)*	Egypt	Poland

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Residues of pesticides not compliant with EU MRLs ⁱⁱ	Fruits and vegetables	avocados	azoxystrobin (0.011 mg/kg), prochloraz (0.60 mg/kg)*	South Africa	France
		beans	chlorpyrifos (0.091 mg/kg)*	Madagascar	Austria
		beans	chlorpyrifos (0.034 mg/kg)*	Peru	Malta
		beans	carbendazim (0.012 mg/kg), haloxyfop (0.032 mg/kg)*	Egypt	Malta
		beans	fosetyl (8.6 mg/kg)*	UK	Malta
		calabash	methamidophos (0.026 mg/kg), acephate (0.29 mg/kg)*	India	Germany
		celery	tebuconazole (1.4 mg/kg)*	Belgium	Belgium
		celery roots	fosthiazate (0.36 mg/kg)*	Poland	Czechia
		cherries	omethoate (0.016 mg/kg), dimethoate (0.012 mg/kg)*	Austria	Belgium
		cucumbers	fosthiazate (0.19 mg/kg)*	Türkiye	Austria
		cucumbers	chlorpyrifos (0.060 mg/kg)*	Serbia	Croatia
		dried mushrooms	tetramethrin (1.1 mg/kg), propoxur (0.23 mg/kg)*	China	Latvia
		grapefruits	propamocarb (1.3 mg/kg)	R. of North Macedonia	Croatia
		grapefruits	acetamiprid (1.5 mg/kg)*	Türkiye	Finland
		grapefruits	acetamiprid (0.93 mg/kg), pyriproxyfen (0.041 mg/kg)*	Türkiye	Germany
		grapefruits	acetamiprid (1.2 mg/kg)*	Türkiye	Germany
		grapefruits	acetamiprid (1.6 mg/kg)*	Türkiye	Germany
		grapefruits	acetamiprid (1.28 mg/kg)*	Poland	Poland
		kakis	acetamiprid (0.031 mg/kg)	Spain	Slovenia
		kakis	acetamiprid (0.040 mg/kg)	Spain	Slovenia
		lemons	formetanate (0.21 mg/kg), lufenuron (0.26 mg/kg), chlorfenapyr (0.077 mg/kg), flutriafol (0.24 mg/kg)*	Israel	Belgium
		lentils	imazethapyr (0.033 mg/kg)*	Russia	Poland
		limes	chlorpyrifos (0.032 mg/kg)*	Brazil	France
		long beans**	chlorpyrifos (0.013 mg/kg)*	India	Belgium
		mangoes	chlorpyrifos (0.063 mg/kg)*	Egypt	Germany
		mangoes	cyfluthrin (0.029 mg/kg) and imidacloprid (0.047 mg/kg)	Egypt	Slovenia
		oranges	flumetralin (0.158 mg/kg)	South Africa	Romania
		organic ginger roots	tebufenpyrad (4.2 mg/kg)*	Peru	Portugal
		papayas	fenpyroximate (0.026 mg/kg), isocycloseram (0.046 mg/kg)	Brazil	Luxembourg
		passion fruits**	carbendazim (0.45 mg/kg)*	Colombia	Netherlands
		pears	diflubenzuron (0.039 mg/kg)*	Türkiye	Austria
		pears	diflubenzuron (0.052 mg/kg)*	Türkiye	Austria
		pears	diflubenzuron (0.084 mg/kg)	Türkiye	Romania
		peas	chlorothalonil (0.042 mg/kg)*	Kenya	Denmark
		peppers	chlorpyrifos (0.033 mg/kg)*	Uzbekistan	Latvia
		peppers	formetanate (0.12 mg/kg)*	Albania	Slovenia
		peppers (other than sweet)**	formetanate (0.281 mg/kg)	Türkiye	Bulgaria
		peppers (other than sweet)**	sulfoxaflor (1.145 mg/kg)	Türkiye	Bulgaria

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Residues of pesticides not compliant with EU MRLs ⁱⁱ	Fruits and vegetables	peppers**	chlorpyrifos (0.106 mg/kg)*	Türkiye	Bulgaria
		peppers**	bifenazate (0.041 mg/kg)	Türkiye	Bulgaria
		peppers**	bifenazate (0.056 mg/kg)	Türkiye	Bulgaria
		peppers**	bifenazate (0.073 mg/kg)	Türkiye	Bulgaria
		peppers**	bifenazate (0.074 mg/kg)	Türkiye	Bulgaria
		peppers**	bifenazate (0.085 mg/kg)	Türkiye	Bulgaria
		peppers**	bifenazate (0.097 mg/kg)	Türkiye	Bulgaria
		peppers**	bifenazate (0.097 mg/kg)	Türkiye	Bulgaria
		peppers**	chlorpyrifos-methyl (0.126 mg/kg)*	Türkiye	Bulgaria
		peppers**	formetanate (0.045 mg/kg)	Türkiye	Bulgaria
		peppers**	indoxacarb (0.059 mg/kg), acrinathrin (0.026 mg/kg)	Türkiye	Bulgaria
		peppers**	indoxacarb (0.077 mg/kg)	Türkiye	Bulgaria
		peppers**	tebufenpyrad (0.120 mg/kg)	Türkiye	Bulgaria
		peppers**	hexaconazole (0.045 mg/kg)*	Kenya	Netherlands
		pickled vegetables mix	chlorpyrifos (0.071 mg/kg)*	R. of North Macedonia	Croatia
		pitahayas	propiconazole (0.087 mg/kg), alpha-cypermethrin (0.086 mg/kg)*	Thailand	Germany
		pomegranates**	acetamiprid (0.016 mg/kg), pyrimethanil (0.052 mg/kg)	Türkiye	Bulgaria
		pomegranates**	acetamiprid (0.052 mg/kg), pyriproxyfen (0.057 mg/kg)	Türkiye	Bulgaria
		pomegranates**	acetamiprid (0.060 mg/kg), pyriproxyfen (0.083 mg/kg)	Türkiye	Bulgaria
		pomegranates**	acetamiprid (0.112 mg/kg)*	Türkiye	Bulgaria
		pomegranates**	acetamiprid (0.121 mg/kg), pyriproxyfen (0.094 mg/kg)*	Türkiye	Bulgaria
		pomegranates**	acetamiprid (0.052 mg/kg), pyriproxyfen (0.033 mg/kg)	Türkiye	Bulgaria
		pomegranates**	pyrimethanil (0.043 mg/kg), biphenyl (0.027 mg/kg)	Türkiye	Bulgaria
		pomegranates**	pyriproxyfen (0.048 mg/kg)	Türkiye	Bulgaria
		pomegranates**	pyriproxyfen (0.079 mg/kg)	Türkiye	Bulgaria
		pomegranates**	cipermetrin (0.156 mg/kg), imidacloprid (0.047 mg/kg), lambda-cyhalothrin (0.036 mg/kg), pirimethanil (0.35 mg/kg), tebuconazol (0.060 mg/kg)	Türkiye	Romania
		pomegranates**	lambda-cyhalothrin (0.046 mg/kg), pyriproxyfen (0.061 mg/kg), fenpropathrin (0.086 mg/kg)*	Türkiye	Bulgaria
		raisins	chlorpyrifos (0.036 mg/kg), fenvalerate (0.33 mg/kg)*	Iran	Belgium
		raisins	chlorpyrifos (0.034 mg/kg)*	Afghanistan	Norway
		raisins	chlorpyrifos (0.32 mg/kg)*	Afghanistan	Norway
		raisins	phosmet (0.022 mg/kg)*	South Africa	Norway
		rambutan	cypermethrin (0.5 mg/kg), difenoconazole (0.3 mg/kg)*	Indonesia	Netherlands
		raspberries	formetanate (0.45 mg/kg)	Spain	Germany
		rucola	prosulfocarb (0.03 mg/kg)	Sweden	Finland

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Residues of pesticides not compliant with EU MRLs ⁱⁱ	Fruits and vegetables	salads	lufenuron (0.049 mg/kg), omethoate (0.052 mg/kg), dimethoate (0.14 mg/kg), cyfluthrin (0.086 mg/kg)*	Egypt	Cyprus
		tamarillo	propamocarb (0.035 mg/kg)	Colombia	Romania
		tomatoes	cadmium (0.094 mg/kg), (0.079 mg/kg)*	Türkiye	Croatia
		tomatoes	triadimenol (0.028 mg/kg)	Greece	Cyprus
		tomatoes	chlorpyrifos (0.055 mg/kg), indoxacarb (0.026 mg/kg)*	Türkiye	Greece
		tomatoes	indoxacarb (0.102 mg/kg)	Türkiye	Romania
		tomatoes	indoxacarb (0.11 mg/kg)*	Türkiye	Romania
		tomatoes	chlorpyrifos-methyl (0.07 mg/kg)*	Türkiye	Romania
		tomatoes	indoxacarb (0.049 mg/kg)	Türkiye	Romania
		tuvar beans	chlorpyrifos (0.071 mg/kg)*	India	Finland
		vine leaves**	boscalid (1.4 mg/kg), pyrimethanil (0.50 mg/kg), azoxystrobin (0.38 mg/kg), dimethomorph (0.30 mg/kg), acetamiprid (0.20 mg/kg), cyprodinil (0.18 mg/kg), iprovalicarb (0.14 mg/kg), proquinazid (0.026 mg/kg), bromuconazole (0.017 mg/kg), fluopyram (0.018 mg/kg)	Türkiye	Austria
		vine leaves**	cypermethrin (2.6 mg/kg), penconazole (0.09 mg/kg), acetamiprid (0.41 mg/kg), boscalid (3.8 mg/kg), imidacloprid (3.9 mg/kg)*	Egypt	Belgium
		vine leaves**	acetamiprid (0.08 mg/kg)	Türkiye	Bulgaria
	Herbs and spices	basil	indoxacarb (1.5 mg/kg)	Israel	Belgium
		cumin	chlorpyrifos-methyl (0.049 mg/kg)*	India	Sweden
		cumin powder**	acetamiprid (2.0 mg/kg), azoxystrobin (0.63 mg/kg), kresoxim-methyl (0.23 mg/kg), chlorpyrifos (0.36 mg/kg), carbendazim (0.57 mg/kg), hexaconazole (0.14 mg/kg), thiamethoxam (0.34 mg/kg), clothianidin (0.26 mg/kg), iprobenfos (0.077 mg/kg), picoxystrobin (0.39 mg/kg)*	India	Netherlands
		cumin seeds	acetamiprid (1.1 mg/kg), azoxystrobin (0.6 mg/kg), carbendazim (1.8 mg/kg), chlorpyrifos (0.15 mg/kg), clothianidin (0.41 mg/kg), cypermethrin (0.32 mg/kg), fipronil (0.43 mg/kg), fluxapyroxad (0.12 mg/kg), hexaconazol (0.78 mg/kg), metalaxyl (0.35 mg/kg), picoxystrobin (0.29 mg/kg), thiamethoxam (0.60 mg/kg), tolfenpyrad (0.46 mg/kg), tricyclazole (0.84 mg/kg)	UK	Germany
		cumin seeds**	acetamiprid (0.19 mg/kg), chlorpyrifos (0.11 mg/kg), carbendazim (0.47 mg/kg), thiamethoxam (0.41 mg/kg), clothianidin (0.46 mg/kg), tolfenpyrad (0.034 mg/kg), tricyclazole (0.86 mg/kg)*	India	Poland
		ground cinnamon	chlorpyrifos (0.024 mg/kg)*	Indonesia	Italy

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Residues of pesticides not compliant with EU MRLs ⁱⁱ	Herbs and spices	masala	chlorpyrifos (0.12 mg/kg), carbaryl (0.27 mg/kg), fipronil (0.057 mg/kg), tricyclazole (0.14 mg/kg)*	Bangladesh	Italy
		oregano	fluazifop-p (0.61 mg/kg)*	Italy	Germany
		organic hibiscus flowers	chlorpyrifos (0.032 mg/kg)*	Senegal	Germany
		organic turmeric	thiabendazole (0.12 mg/kg)	Peru	Germany
		pepper	chlorpyrifos (0.92 mg/kg), anthraquinone (0.057 mg/kg)*	China	Germany
	Nuts, nut products and seeds	organic groundnuts	carbaryl (0.199 mg/kg)	Egypt	Belgium
		organic psyllium husks	trimethylsulfonium cation (0.018 mg/kg)	Austria	Germany
		peanuts	fluazifop-P (0.027 mg/kg)	Brazil	Belgium
		pistachios	clothianidin (0.028 mg/kg)	Türkiye, Iran	Greece
		sesame seeds	chlorpyrifos (0.024 mg/kg)*	Guatemala	Belgium
	Other food product / mixed	chickpea flour	chlorpyrifos (0.031 mg/kg)*	India	Germany
		vegan whipping cream	chlorate (0.092 mg/kg)	Slovakia	Germany
		vine leaves**	cypermethrin (0.20 mg/kg)	Türkiye	Bulgaria
Residues of veterinary medicines not compliant with EU MRLs ⁱⁱ	Cephalopods and products thereof	shrimps (Litopenaeus vannamei)	oxytetracycline (128 µg/kg)*	Vietnam	Slovenia
	Crustaceans and products thereof	shrimps (Litopenaeus vannamei)	sulfamethoxazol (170 µg/kg), tetracycline (553 µg/kg), doxycycline (617 µg/kg)*	Vietnam	Germany
	Eggs and egg products	egg products	enrofloxacin (41 µg/kg)*	China	Netherlands
	Fish and fish products	Clarias gariepinus	leucocrystal violet (0.24 µg/kg)*	Vietnam	Slovenia
	Meat and meat products (other than poultry)	dried hog casings	nitrofurantoin (3.2- 5.3 µg/kg)*	China	Spain
		pork meat	phoxim (62.5 µg/kg)	Belgium	Belgium
	Poultry meat and poultry meat products	chicken	toltrazuril (263.4 µg/kg)*	Ukraine	Poland
Unauthorised origin (country, operators, establishments...)	Fish and fish products	salmon (Oncorhynchus gorbuscha)	unauthorised reefer vessel	Russia, processed in China	Germany
		salmon (Oncorhynchus gorbuscha)	unauthorised reefer vessel	Russia, processed in China	Germany
		salmon (Oncorhynchus gorbuscha)	unauthorised reefer vessel	Russia, processed in China	Germany
		salmon (Oncorhynchus gorbuscha)	unauthorised reefer vessel	Russia, processed in China	Germany
	Fruits and vegetables	cucumbers	illegal trade	Romania	Poland
	Gastropods	snails	unapproved operator*	France	France
	Other food product / mixed	meat and dairy products	illegal trade, transport temperature	Germany	Czechia
		various products	illegal trade	Germany	Czechia
	Soups, broths, sauces and condiments	broth	illegal import*	Vietnam	Denmark
		products of animal origin	skipped border control*	Vietnam	Netherlands

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Others	Fish and fish products	Xiphias gladius, Isurus oxyrinchus, Prionace glauca, Makaira nigricans, Lepidocybium flavobrunneum	traceability defects (lack of container transfer certificate and means of transport mismatch)*	Peru	Spain
	Meat and meat products (other than poultry)	dried hog casings	skipped border controls*	China	Belgium
		various food products	transport temperature	Romania	Denmark
	Non-alcoholic beverages	coffee drink with milk	skipped border controls*	Türkiye	Belgium
	Other food product / mixed	fish products preparation	skipped border controls*	China	Netherlands
		products of animal origin	transport temperature and traceability defects*	unknown	EC on behalf of Northern Ireland
		various food products	skipped border controls*	Japan	Netherlands
		various products	transport temperature	Netherlands	Belgium
	Poultry meat and poultry meat products	meat preparations	transport temperature	Romania	Italy
		poultry meat products	transport temperature and traceability defects*	Vietnam	EC on behalf of Northern Ireland
	Soups, broths, sauces and condiments	sauce (containing milk)	skipped border controls*	South Korea	Netherlands

4. OTHERS

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Other non-compliances related to animal welfare	Live animals	3 veals	unfit for transport (under 14 days of age)	Czechia	Italy
		44 cattle	declaration in journey log not corresponding with tachograph	France	Italy
Trade of non-authorised plant protection product	Plant protection products	neem oil	absence of authorisation	Netherlands	Belgium

* RASFF notification (with hyperlink to RASFF Window).

** Product originating from a country subject to a temporary increase of official border controls under Commission Implementing Regulation (EU) 2019/1793 of 22 October 2019 on the temporary increase of official controls and emergency measures governing the entry into the Union of certain goods from third countries implementing Regulations (EU) 2017/625 and (EC) No 178/2002 of the European Parliament and of the Council (OJ L 277, 29.10.2019, p. 89).

*** Product originating from an establishment subject to measures of Commission Implementing Regulation (EU) 2019/1873 of 7 November 2019 on the procedures at border control posts for a coordinated performance by competent authorities of intensified official controls on products of animal origin, germinal products, animal by-products and composite products (OJ L 289, 8.11.2019, p. 50).

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ⁱ MLs: Maximum Limit(s)

ⁱⁱ MRLs: Maximum Residue Level(s)