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Committee on Sanitary and Phytosanitary Measures

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NOTIFICATION

Addendum

The following communication, received on 17 February 2025, is being circulated at the request of the Delegation of Canada.

Established Maximum Residue Limits: Flonicamid

The proposed maximum residue limit (PMRL) document for flonicamid notified in [G/SPS/N/CAN/1579](https://www.wto.org/trade-portal/notifications/notifications.htm?n=1579) (dated 18 November 2024) was adopted 12 February 2025. The proposed MRLs were established via entry into the Maximum Residue Limits Database and are provided directly below:

MRL (ppm)¹ Raw Agricultural Commodity (RAC) and/or Processed Commodity

50	Bok choy Chinese cabbages, watercress
40	Herbs dried leaves (crop subgroup 25B) ²
16	Maca, turnip greens
8.0	Leaf lettuce
7.0	Herbs fresh leaves (crop subgroup 25A) ³
1.5	Bushberries (crop subgroup 13-07B) ⁴
0.4	Sweet corn (crop subgroup 15-21D)

¹ ppm = parts per million

² The established MRLs of 7.0 ppm on dried peppermint leaves and dried spearmint leaves are replaced by a single crop subgroup MRL of 40 ppm for herbs dried leaves (crop subgroup 25B).

³ The established MRLs of 7.0 ppm on fresh peppermint leaves and fresh spearmint leaves are replaced by a single crop subgroup MRL of 7.0 ppm for herbs fresh leaves (crop subgroup 25A).

⁴ The established MRLs of 1.5 ppm for lowbush blueberries and lingonberries are replaced by a single crop subgroup MRL of 1.5 ppm for bushberries (crop subgroup 13-07B).

The commodities included in the listed crop groups/subgroups can be found on the *Residue Chemistry Crop Groups* webpage (<https://www.canada.ca/en/health-canada/services/consumer-product-safety/pesticides-pest-management/public/protecting-your-health-environment/pesticides-food/residue-chemistry-crop-groups.html>) in the Pesticides section of the Canada.ca website.

MRLs established in Canada may be found using Health Canada's *Maximum Residue Limit Database* (<https://pest-control.canada.ca/pesticide-registry/en/mrl-search.html>) on the *Maximum residue limits, human health, and food safety* webpage (<https://www.canada.ca/en/health-canada/services/consumer-product-safety/pesticides-pest-management/public/protecting-your-health-environment/pesticides-food/maximum-residue-limits-pesticides.html>). The database allows users to search for pesticides or for food commodities.

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The specified MRLs have been provided above and are also accessible from the MRL webpages as indicated below:

<https://www.canada.ca/en/health-canada/services/consumer-product-safety/pesticides-pest-management/public/protecting-your-health-environment/pesticides-food/maximum-residue-limits-pesticides.html> (English)

<https://www.canada.ca/fr/sante-canada/services/securite-produits-consommation/pesticides-lutte-antiparasitaire/public/protoger-votre-sante-environnement/pesticides-aliments/limites-maximales-residus-pesticides.html> (French)

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