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## **Committee on Sanitary and Phytosanitary Measures**

## **NOTIFICATION**

1.	Notifyin	g Member: <u>CANADA</u>	
	If applic	cable, name of local government involved:	
2.	Agency	responsible: Pest Management Regulatory Agency (PMRA), Health Canada	
3.	schedule where a	s covered (provide tariff item number(s) as specified in national es deposited with the WTO; ICS numbers should be provided in addition, applicable): Pesticide fludioxonil in or on sugar beet roots (ICS codes: 65.020, 67.040, 67.080)	
4.	Regions	or countries likely to be affected, to the extent relevant or practicable:	
	[X] AI	l trading partners	
	[] Sp	pecific regions or countries:	
5.		the notified document: Proposed Maximum Residue Limit: Fludioxonil 23-34). Language(s): English and French. Number of pages: 12 and 13	
6.	consult o	<b>Description of content:</b> The objective of the notified document PMRL2023-34 is to consult on the listed maximum residue limit (MRL) for fludioxonil that has been proposed by Health Canada's Pest Management Regulatory Agency (PMRA).	
	MRL (ppr	m) <sup>1</sup> Raw Agricultural Commodity (RAC) and/or Processed Commodity	
	4.0	Sugar beet roots <sup>2</sup>	
		earts per million Lis proposed to replace the currently established MRL of 0.02 ppm.	
7.	Objective and rationale: [X] food safety, [ ] animal health, [ ] plant protection, [ ] protect humans from animal/plant pest or disease, [ ] protect territory from other damage from pests.		
8.	Is there a relevant international standard? If so, identify the standar		
		Codex Alimentarius Commission (e.g. title or serial number of Codex standard or related text): 211 Fludioxonil	
		Norld Organization for Animal Health (OIE) (e.g. Terrestrial or Aquatic Animal Health Code, chapter number):	
	[] I	nternational Plant Protection Convention (e.g. ISPM number):	
	[] 1	None	
	Does thi	is proposed regulation conform to the relevant international standard?	
	[] Yes	[X] No	
	If no, describe, whenever possible, how and why it deviates from international standard: Currently, there are no Codex MRLs listed for fludioxonil in o the petitioned commodity according to the Codex Alimentarius Pesticide Index website.		

- 9. Other relevant documents and language(s) in which these are available: Health Canada website: <a href="https://www.canada.ca/en/health-canada/services/consumer-product-safety/pesticides-pest-management/public/consultations.html">https://www.canada.ca/en/health-canada/services/consumer-product-safety/pesticides-pest-management/public/consultations.html</a>, PMRL2023-34, posted: 27 June 2023 (available in English and French)
- **10. Proposed date of adoption** (*dd/mm/yy*): Normally within four to five months from the posting of the Proposed MRL document on the Health Canada website.

Proposed date of publication (dd/mm/yy):

- 11. Proposed date of entry into force: [ ] Six months from date of publication, and/or (dd/mm/yy): On the date the measure is adopted.
  - [] Trade facilitating measure
- 12. Final date for comments: [] Sixty days from the date of circulation of the notification and/or (dd/mm/yy): 10 September 2023

Agency or authority designated to handle comments: [] National Notification Authority, [X] National Enquiry Point. Address, fax number and e-mail address (if available) of other body:

13. Text(s) available from: [] National Notification Authority, [X] National Enquiry Point. Address, fax number and e-mail address (if available) of other body:

The electronic version of the regulatory text can be downloaded at:

https://www.canada.ca/en/health-canada/services/consumer-product-safety/pesticides-pest-management/public/consultations/proposed-maximum-residue-limit/2023/fludioxonil-sugar-beet-roots/document.html (English)

https://www.canada.ca/fr/sante-canada/services/securite-produits-

consommation/pesticides-lutte-antiparasitaire/public/consultations/limites-maximales-residus-proposees/2023/fludioxonil-racines-betterave-sucre/document.html (French)

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