

Sanitation Standard for the Tolerance of Mycotoxins in Foods

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Article 1

This standard is prescribed in accordance with the provisions of Article 10 of the Act Governing Food Sanitation.

Article 2

The tolerance of aflatoxin in foods shall meet the following standards:

Food Category	Tolerance of Total Aflatoxin (Including Aflatoxin B ₁ , B ₂ , G ₁ , G ₂)
Peanut, corn	Not more than 15 ppb
Rice, sorghum, legumes, nuts, wheat, barley and oat	Not more than 10 ppb
Edible oils and fats	Not more than 10 ppb
Milk	Not more than 0.5 ppb (as aflatoxin M ₁)
Milk powder	Not more than 5.0 ppb (as aflatoxin M ₁)
Other foods	Not more than 10 ppb

Article 3

The tolerance of ochratoxin A in foods shall meet the following standards:

Food Category	Tolerance of Ochratoxin A
Rice, wheat, barley and oat	Not more than 5 ppb
Roasted coffee beans and coffee powder	Not more than 5 ppb

Article 4

The tolerance of patulin in foods shall meet the following standards:

Food Category	Tolerance of Patulin
Apple juice and mixed beverages containing apple juice	Not more than 50 ppb

Article 5

The tolerance of citrinin in foods shall meet the following standards:

Food Category	Tolerance of Citrinin
Monascus color	Not more than 200 ppb
Red yeast rice	Not more than 5 ppm
Complex food containing red yeast rice	Not more than 2 ppm

Article 6

The tolerance of mycotoxin in infant foods shall be compatible with the "Sanitation Standard for Infant Foods".

Article 7

This Standard shall be implemented from the date of promulgation.