

Index and Examples of Codex Classification of Foods**Index of Classes, Types and Groups of Commodities****Class A Primary Food Commodities of Plant Origin**

Type	No.	Group	Group Letter Code
01 Fruits	001	Citrus fruits	FC
	002	Pome fruits	FP
	003	Stone fruits	FS
	004	Berries and other small fruits	FB
	005	Assorted tropical and sub-tropical fruits – edible peel	FT
	006	Assorted tropical and sub-tropical fruits – inedible peel	FI
02 Vegetables	009	Bulb vegetables	VA
	010	Brassica (cole or cabbage) vegetables, Head cabbages, Flowerhead cabbages	VB
	011	Fruiting vegetables, Cucurbits	VC
	012	Fruiting vegetables, other than Cucurbits	VO
	013	Leafy vegetables (including Brassica leafy vegetables)	VL
	014	Legume vegetables	VP
	015	Pulses	VD
	016	Root and tuber vegetables	VR
017	Stalk and stem vegetables	VS	
03 Grasses	020	Cereal grains	GC
	021	Grasses, for sugar or syrup production	GS
04 Nuts and Seeds	022	Tree nuts	TN
	023	Oilseed	SO
	024	Seed for beverages and sweets	SB
05 Herbs and Spices	027	Herbs	HH
	028	Spices	HS

Class B Primary Food Commodities of Animal Origin

Type	No.	Group	Group Letter Code
06 Mammalian products	030	Meat (from mammals other than marine mammals)	MM
	031	Mammalian fats	MF
	032	Edible offal (mammalian) MO	
	033	Milks	ML
07 Poultry products	036	Poultry meat (including Pigeon meat)	PM
	037	Poultry fats	PF
	038	Poultry, Edible offal of	PO
	039	Eggs	PE
08 Aquatic animal products	040	Freshwater fish	WF
	041	Diadromous fish	WD
	042	Marine fish	WS
	043	Fish roe (including milt = soft roe) and edible offal of fish: offal	WL
	043	Fish roe (including milt = soft roe) and edible offal of fish: roe	WR
	044	Marine mammals	WM
	045	Crustaceans	WC
	046	Reserved	
047	Reserved		
09 Amphibians and reptiles	048	Frogs, lizards, snakes and turtles	AR
10 Invertebrate animals	049	Molluscs (including Cephalopods) and other invertebrate animals	IM

Class C Primary Animal Feed Commodities (not relevant to this exercise on pesticide residues in food)

Class D Processed Foods of Plant Origin

Type	No.	Group	Group Letter Code
12 Secondary food commodities of plant origin	055	Dried fruits	DF
	056	Dried vegetables	DV
	057	Dried herbs	DH
	058	Milled cereal products (early milling stages)	CM
	059	Miscellaneous secondary food commodities of plant origin	SM
13 Derived products of plant origin	065	Cereal grain milling fractions	CF
	066	Teas	DT
	067	Vegetable oils, crude	OC
	068	Vegetable oils, edible (or refined)	OR
	069	Miscellaneous derived edible products of plant origin	DM
	070	Fruit juices	JF
14 Manufactured foods (single-ingredient) of plant origin	075	Reserved	
15 Manufactured foods (multi-ingredient) of plant origin	078	Manufactured multi-ingredient cereal products	CP

Class E Processed Foods of Animal Origin

Type	No.	Group	Group Letter Code
16 Secondary food commodities of animal origin	080	Dried meat and fish products	MD
	081	Reserved	
	082	Secondary milk products	LS
17 Derived edible products of animal origin	084	Crustaceans, processed	SC
	085	Animal fats, processed	FA
	086	Milk fats	FM
	087	Derived milk products	LD
18 Manufactured food (single-ingredient) of animal origin	090	Manufactured milk products (single-ingredient)	LI
19 Manufactured food (multi-ingredient) of animal origin	092	Manufactured milk products (multi-ingredient)	LM

Examples of Classes, Types and Groups of Food

Class A Primary Food Commodities of Plant Origin

Type 1 Fruits

Fruits are derived from many different kinds of perennial plants, trees and shrubs, usually cultivated. They consist mostly of the ripe, often sweet, succulent or pulpy developed plant ovary and its accessory parts, commonly and traditionally known as fruit.

Exposure to pesticides is dependent on the particular part of the fruit used for food. Fruits may be consumed whole, after removal of the peel, or in part, and in the form of fresh, dried or processed products.

Group 001 Citrus fruits (except kumquats)

Group Letter Code FC

Class A Type 1 Fruits

Kumquats: see Group 005 Assorted tropical and sub-tropical fruits - edible peel

Citrus fruits are produced on trees or shrubs of the family Rutaceae. These fruits are characterized by aromatic oily peel, globular form and interior segments of juice-filled vesicles. The fruit is fully exposed to pesticides during the growing season. Post-harvest treatments with pesticides and liquid waxes are often carried out to avoid deterioration during transport and distribution due to fungal diseases, insect pests or loss of moisture. The fruit pulp may be consumed in succulent form and as a juice.

The entire fruit may be used for preserves.

Portion of the commodity to which the MRL applies (and which is analysed): **Whole commodity.**

Group 001 Citrus fruits

Code No. Commodity

FC 0001 **Citrus fruits**

FC 0002 **Lemons and Limes** (including Citron)

FC 0003 **Mandarins** (including Mandarin-like hybrids)

FC 0004 **Oranges, Sweet, Sour** (including Orange-like hybrids)

FC 0005 **Shaddocks or Pomelos** (including Shaddock-like hybrids, among others Grapefruit)

FC 4000 **Bigarade**, see Orange, Sour

FC 4001 **Blood orange**, see Orange, Sweet

FC 0201 **Calamondin**, see also Subgroup 0003 Mandarins

FC 4002 **Chinotto**, see Orange, Sour

FC 4003 **Chironja**, see Subgroup Oranges, Sweet, Sour (including Orange-like hybrids)

FC 0202 **Citron**, see also Subgroup 0002 Lemons and Limes

FC 4005 **Clementine**, see Mandarin

FC 4006 **Cleopatra mandarin**, see Subgroup 0003 Mandarins

FC 4007 **Dancy or Dancy mandarin**, see Subgroup 0003 Mandarins
FC 0203 **Grapefruit**, see also Subgroup 0005 Shaddocks or Pomelos
FC 4008 **King mandarin**, see Subgroup 0003 Mandarin
FC 0204 **Lemon**, see also Subgroup 0002 Lemons and Limes
FC 0205 **Lime**, see also Subgroup 0002 Lemons and Limes
FC 4011 **Malta orange**, see Blood Orange
FC 0206 **Mandarin**, see also Subgroup 0003 Mandarins
FC 4014 **Mediterranean mandarin**, see Subgroup 0003 Mandarins
FC 4016 **Myrtle-leaf orange**, see Chinotto
FC 4018 **Natsudaidai**, see Subgroup 0005 Shaddocks or Pomelos
FC 4019 **Orange, Bitter**, see Orange, Sour
FC 0207 **Orange, Sour**, see also Subgroup 0004 Oranges, Sweet, Sour
FC 0208 **Orange, Sweet**, see also Subgroup 0004 Oranges, Sweet, Sour
FC 4020 **Pomelo**, see Shaddocks or Pomelos
FC 4022 **Satsuma or Satsuma mandarin**, see Subgroup 0003 Mandarins
FC 4024 **Seville Orange**, see Orange, Sour
FC 0209 **Shaddock**, see also Subgroup 0005 Shaddocks or Pomelos
FC 4029 **Tangelo, large-sized cultivars**, see Subgroup 0005 Shaddocks or Pomelos
FC 4031 **Tangelo, small and medium sized cultivars**, see Subgroup 0003 Mandarins
FC 4033 **Tangelolo**, see Subgroup 0005 Shaddocks or Pomelos
FC 4027 **Tangerine**, see Subgroup 0003 Mandarins
FC 4035 **Tangors**, see Subgroup 0003 Mandarins
FC 4037 **Tankan mandarin**, see Subgroup 0003 Mandarins
FC 4039 **Ugli**, see Subgroup 0005 Shaddocks or Pomelos
FC 4041 **Willowleaf mandarin**, see Mediterranean Mandarin and Subgroup 0003 Mandarins