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[^{F1}ANNEX II

[^{F1}Domestic] list of food additives approved for use in foods and conditions of use

Textual Amendments

- F1** Substituted by Commission Regulation (EU) No 1129/2011 of 11 November 2011 amending Annex II to Regulation (EC) No 1333/2008 of the European Parliament and of the Council by establishing a Union list of food additives (Text with EEA relevance).
- F1** Word in Annex 2 heading substituted (31.12.2020) by The Food Additives, Flavourings, Enzymes and Extraction Solvents (Amendment etc.) (EU Exit) Regulations 2019 (S.I. 2019/860), regs. 1, **112**; 2020 c. 1, Sch. 5 para. 1(1)

[^{F2}PART C

DEFINITIONS OF GROUPS OF ADDITIVES

(5) Other additives that may be regulated combined

[^{F3}(a)

E 200 – 202: SORBIC ACID – POTASSIUM SORBATE (SA)

E-number	Name
E 200	Sorbic acid
E 202	Potassium sorbate]

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E 210–213: BENZOIC ACID — BENZOATES (BA)

E-number	Name
E 210	Benzoic acid
E 211	Sodium benzoate
E 212	Potassium benzoate
E 213	Calcium benzoate

(c)

E 200–213: SORBIC ACID — SORBATES; BENZOIC ACID — BENZOATES (SA + BA)

E-number	Name
E 200	Sorbic acid
E 202	Potassium sorbate

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E 210	Benzoic acid
E 211	Sodium benzoate
E 212	Potassium benzoate
E 213	Calcium benzoate

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E 200–219: SORBIC ACID — SORBATES; BENZOIC ACID — BENZOATES; P-HYDROXYBENZOATES (SA + BA + PHB)

E-number	Name
E 200	Sorbic acid
E 202	Potassium sorbate
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E 210	Benzoic acid
E 211	Sodium benzoate
E 212	Potassium benzoate
E 213	Calcium benzoate
E 214	Ethyl-p-hydroxybenzoate
E 215	Sodium ethyl p-hydroxybenzoate
E 218	Methyl p-hydroxybenzoate
E 219	Sodium methyl p-hydroxybenzoate

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E 200 – 202; 214 – 219: SORBIC ACID – POTASSIUM SORBATE; P-HYDROXYBENZOATES (SA + PHB)

E-number	Name
E 200	Sorbic acid
E 202	Potassium sorbate
E 214	Ethyl-p-hydroxybenzoate
E 215	Sodium ethyl p-hydroxybenzoate
E 218	Methyl p-hydroxybenzoate
E 219	Sodium methyl p-hydroxybenzoate]

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E 214–219: P-HYDROXYBENZOATES (PHB)

E-number	Name
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E 214	Ethyl-p-hydroxybenzoate
E 215	Sodium ethyl p-hydroxybenzoate
E 218	Methyl p-hydroxybenzoate
E 219	Sodium methyl p-hydroxybenzoate

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E 220–228: SULPHUR DIOXIDE — SULPHITES

E-number	Name
E 220	Sulphur dioxide
E 221	Sodium sulphite
E 222	Sodium hydrogen sulphite
E 223	Sodium metabisulphite
E 224	Potassium metabisulphite
E 226	Calcium sulphite
E 227	Calcium hydrogen sulphite
E 228	Potassium hydrogen sulphite

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E 249–250: NITRITES

E-number	Name
E 249	Potassium nitrite
E 250	Sodium nitrite

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E 251–252: NITRATES

E-number	Name
E 251	Sodium nitrate
E 252	Potassium nitrate

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E 280–283: PROPIONIC ACID — PROPIONATES

E-number	Name
E 280	Propionic acid
E 281	Sodium propionate

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E 282	Calcium propionate
E 283	Potassium propionate

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E 310–320: PROPYL GALLATE, TBHQ AND BHA

E-number	Name
E 310	Propyl gallate
E 319	Tertiary-butyl hydroquinone (TBHQ)
E 320	Butylated hydroxyanisole (BHA)]

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E 338–341, E 343 AND E 450 — 452: PHOSPHORIC ACID —
PHOSPHATES — DI-, TRI- AND POLYPHOSPHATES

[^{F6} E-number	Name
E 338	Phosphoric acid
E 339	Sodium phosphates
E 340	Potassium phosphates
E 341	Calcium phosphates
E 343	Magnesium phosphates
E 450	Diphosphates ^a
E451	Triphosphates
E 452	Polyphosphates

^a E 450 (ix) is not included]

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E 355–357: ADIPIC ACID — ADIPATES

E-number	Name
E 355	Adipic acid
E 356	Sodium adipate
E 357	Potassium adipate

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E 432–436: POLYSORBATES

E-number	Name
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E 432	Polyoxyethylene sorbitan monolaurate (polysorbate 20)
E 433	Polyoxyethylene sorbitan monooleate (polysorbate 80)
E 434	Polyoxyethylene sorbitan monopalmitate (polysorbate 40)
E 435	Polyoxyethylene sorbitan monostearate (polysorbate 60)
E 436	Polyoxyethylene sorbitan tristearate (polysorbate 65)

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E 473–474: SUCROSE ESTERS OF FATTY ACIDS, SUCROGLYCERIDES

E-number	Name
E 473	Sucrose esters of fatty acids
E 474	Sucroglycerides

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E 481–482: STEAROYL-2-LACTYLATES

E-number	Name
E 481	Sodium stearoyl-2-lactylate
E 482	Calcium stearoyl-2-lactylate

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E 491–495: SORBITAN ESTERS

E-number	Name
E 491	Sorbitan monostearate
E 492	Sorbitan tristearate
E 493	Sorbitan monolaurate
E 494	Sorbitan monooleate
E 495	Sorbitan monopalmitate

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E 520–523: ALUMINIUM SULPHATES

E-number	Name
E 520	Aluminium sulphate

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E 521	Aluminium sodium sulphate
E 522	Aluminium potassium sulphate
E 523	Aluminium ammonium sulphate

(s.1.) ^{F7}E 551 – 559: Silicon dioxide – silicates ⁽¹⁾

E-number	Name
E 551	Silicon dioxide
E 552	Calcium silicate
E 553a	Magnesium silicate
E 553b	Talc
E 554	Sodium aluminium silicate
E 555	Potassium aluminium silicate
E 556	Calcium aluminium silicate
E 559	Aluminium silicate (Kaolin)

(s.2.) E 551 – 553: Silicon dioxide – silicates ⁽²⁾

E-number	Name
E 551	Silicon dioxide
E 552	Calcium silicate
E 553a	Magnesium silicate
E 553b	Talc

Textual Amendments

F7 Substituted by [Commission Regulation \(EU\) No 380/2012 of 3 May 2012 amending Annex II to Regulation \(EC\) No 1333/2008 of the European Parliament and of the Council as regards the conditions of use and the use levels for aluminium-containing food additives \(Text with EEA relevance\).](#)

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E 620–625: GLUTAMIC ACID — GLUTAMATES

E-number	Name
E 620	Glutamic acid
E 621	Monosodium glutamate
E 622	Monopotassium glutamate
E 623	Calcium diglutamate
E 624	Monoammonium glutamate

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E 625	Magnesium diglutamate
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E 626–635: RIBONUCLEOTIDES

E-number	Name
E 626	Guanylic acid
E 627	Disodium guanylate
E 628	Dipotassium guanylate
E 629	Calcium guanylate
E 630	Inosinic acid
E 631	Disodium inosinate
E 632	Dipotassium inosinate
E 633	Calcium inosinate
E 634	Calcium 5'-ribonucleotides
E 635	Disodium 5'-ribonucleotides

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- (1) [^{F1}[^{F7}applicable until 31 January 2014.
(2) applicable from 1 February 2014.]]

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Changes and effects yet to be applied to :

- Regulation applied (with modifications) by [S.I. 2023/959 reg. 4\(a\)](#)[Sch. 1](#)

Changes and effects yet to be applied to the whole legislation item and associated provisions

- Annex 2 Pt. B para. 2 words inserted by [S.S.I. 2023/78 sch. 1 para. 1\(b\)](#)
- Annex 2 Pt. B para. 2 Table words inserted by [S.I. 2023/343 Sch. 1 para. 2\(b\)](#)
- Annex 2 Pt. B para. 2 words substituted by [S.S.I. 2023/78 sch. 1 para. 1\(a\)](#)
- Annex 2 Pt. B para. 2 table words substituted by [S.I. 2023/334 reg. 2\(2\)\(a\)](#)
- Annex 2 Pt. B para. 2 Table words substituted by [S.I. 2023/343 Sch. 1 para. 2\(a\)](#)
- Annex 2 Pt. C para. 5(v) inserted by [S.I. 2023/334 reg. 2\(3\)](#)
- Annex 2 Pt. C para. 5(v) inserted by [S.I. 2023/343 Sch. 1 para. 3](#)
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- Art. 28A(5) inserted by [S.I. 2019/1013 reg. 79\(b\)](#) (This amendment not applied to legislation.gov.uk. S.I. 2019/1013 revoked immediately before IP completion day by S.I. 2020/1504, regs. 1(2), 21(e))