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FOOD SAFETY ACT
(CAP. 449)

Sweeteners for Use in Foodstuffs Regulations 2005

IN exercise of the powers conferred by article 10 of the Food Safety Act, the Minister of Health, the Elderly and Community Care has made the following regulations:

Citation and commencement.

1.1 These regulations may be cited as the Sweeteners for Use in Foodstuffs Regulations, 2005.

1.2 These regulations shall come into effect on the 28th February, 2005, provided that products not conforming with these regulations, but which conform with the provisions of the Sweeteners for Use in Foodstuffs Regulations, 2004 (L.N. 254 of 2004) may be placed on the market until the 29th July, 2005 at the latest and marketed by the 29th January, 2006.

1.3 These regulations implement the provisions of:

(a) European Parliament and Council Directive 94/35/EC on sweeteners for use in foodstuffs, amended by Directives 96/83/EC and 2003/115/EC; and

(b) Commission Directive 95/31/EC laying down specific criteria of purity concerning sweeteners for use in foodstuffs, amended by Directives 98/66/EC, 2000/51/EC and 2001/52/EC.

Scope and applicability.

2.1 These regulations shall apply to sweeteners which are used:

(a) in the preparation of foodstuffs to impart a sweet taste to foodstuffs,

(b) as table top sweeteners.

2.2 These regulations shall not apply to foodstuffs with sweetening properties.

Interpretation.

3.1 In these regulations, unless the context otherwise requires:

"the Act" means the Food Safety Act;

"energy-reduced" means with an energy value reduced by at least 30 % compared with the original foodstuff or a similar product;

"food" has the same meaning as defined in the Act;

"infants" means children under the age of 12 months;

"*quantum satis*" means that no maximum level is specified; however, sweeteners shall be used in accordance with good manufacturing practice, at a dose level not higher than is necessary to achieve the intended purpose and provided the consumer is not misled;

"with no added sugar" means without any added mono- or disaccharides or any other foodstuff used for its sweetening properties;

"young children" means children aged between one and three years.

Permitted sweeteners.

4.1 Only sweeteners listed in the Schedule to these regulations may be placed on the market with a view to:

(a) sale to the ultimate consumer, or

(b) use in the manufacture of foodstuffs.

4.2 Sweeteners referred to in regulation 4.1 (b) may only be used in the manufacture of those foodstuffs listed in the Schedule and in accordance with the conditions specified therein.

4.3 The provisions of regulations 4.1 and 4.2 of these regulations shall supersede any other requirement in any other regulations which are in conflict with these regulations.

4.4 Sweeteners may not be used in food for infants and young children, including food for infants and young children who are not in good health, unless otherwise laid down in specific provisions.

4.5 The maximum usuable doses indicated in the Schedule to these regulations refer to ready-to-eat foodstuffs, prepared according to the instructions for use, where appropriate.

4.6 Without prejudice to other provisions, the presence of a sweetener in foodstuffs is also permissible:

(a) in compound foods with no added sugar or energy-reduced, in compound dietary foods intended for a low-calorie diet and in compound foods with a long shelf-life, other than those mentioned in regulation 4.4, provided the sweetener is permitted in one of the ingredients of the compound foodstuffs;

(b) if the foodstuff is intended to be used solely in the preparation of a compound foodstuff which conforms to these Regulations.

4.7 Any decision as to whether a foodstuff is to be considered as belonging to one of the categories listed in the third column of the Schedule to these regulations, shall be taken in accordance with the provisions of Article 4 of Directive 2003/115/EC of the European Parliament and of the Council.

4.8 Any decision whether a food additive listed in the Schedule to these regulations and authorised at ëquantum satisí is used in accordance with the criteria referred to in regulation 3, shall be taken in accordance with the provisions of Article 4 of Directive 2003/115/EC of the European Parliament and of the Council.

Provisions of L.N. 89 of 1994 and L.N. 310 of 2001.

5.1 These regulations shall apply without prejudice to other provisions permitting additives listed in the Schedule to be used for purposes other than sweetening.

5.2 These regulations shall also apply without prejudice to other provisions governing the composition and the description of foodstuffs.

Table-top sweeteners.

6.1 The sales description of a table-top sweetener must include the term –

"…… – based table-top sweetener", using the name(s) of the sweetening substance(s) used in its composition.

6.2 The labelling of a table-top sweetener containing polyols and,or aspartame must bear the following warnings:

(a) aspartame: "contains a source of phenylalanine";

(b) salt of aspartame and acesulfame: "contains a source of phenylalanine";

(c) polyols: "excessive consumption may induce laxative effects".

8.1 Sweeteners intended for use in foodstuffs or as table-top sweeteners must comply with the criteria of purity laid down in European Community Directive 95/31/EC, as amended. Purity criteria.

9.1 The Sweeteners for Use in Foodstuffs Regulations, 2004 are hereby repealed. Repeal of L.N. 254 of 2004.

9.2 Any reference in any other regulations to the Sweeteners in Food Regulations, 2004 shall be construed as a reference to these regulations.

SCHEDULE

E No	Name	Foodstuffs	Maximum usable dose
E 420	Sorbitol: (i) Sorbitol (ii) Sorbitol syrup	**Desserts and similar products** — Water-based flavoured desserts, energy-reduced or with no added sugar	*quantum satis*
E 421	Mannitol		
E 953	Isomalt	— Milk- and milk-derivative-based preparations, energy-reduced or with no added sugar	
E 965	Maltitol: (i) Maltitol (ii) Maltitol syrup		
E 966	Lactitol	— Fruit- and vegetable-based desserts, energy-reduced or with no added sugar	
E 967	Xylitol	— Egg-based desserts, energy-reduced or with no added sugar	
		— Cereal-based desserts, energy reduced or with no added sugar	
		— Breakfast cereals or cereal-based products, energy reduced or with no added sugar	
		— Fat-based desserts, energy-reduced or with no added sugar	
		— Edible ices, energy-reduced or with no added sugar	
		— Jams, jellies, marmalades and crystallized fruit, energy-reduced or with no added sugar	
		— Fruit preparations, energy-reduced or with no added sugar, with the exception of those intended for the manufacture of fruit-juice-based drinks	
		Confectionery	
		— Confectionery with no added sugar	
		— Dried-fruit-based confectionery, energy-reduced or with no added sugar	
		— Starch-based confectionery, energy-reduced or with no added sugar	
		— Cocoa-based products, energy reduced or with no added sugar	

E No	Name	Foodstuffs	Maximum usable dose
		— Cocoa-, milk-, dried-fruit- or fat-based sandwich spreads, energy-reduced or with no added sugar	
		— Chewing gum with no added sugar	
		— Sauces	
		— Mustard	
		— Fine bakery products, energy reduced or with no added sugar	
		— Products intended for particular nutritional uses	
		— Food supplements as defined in L.N. 239/2003 supplied in a solid form	
E 950	Acesulfame K	**Non-alcoholic drinks**	
		— Water-based flavoured drinks, energy-reduced or with no added sugar	350 mg/l
		— Milk- and milk-derivative-based or fruit-juice-based drinks, energy-reduced or with no added sugar	350 mg/l
		Desserts and similar products	
		— Water-based flavoured desserts, energy-reduced or with no added sugar	350 mg/kg
		— Milk- and milk-derivative-based preparations, energy-reduced or with no added sugar	350 mg/kg
		— Fruit- and vegetable-based desserts, energy-reduced or with no added sugar	350 mg/kg
		— Egg-based desserts, energy-reduced or with no added sugar	350 mg/kg
		— Cereal-based desserts, energy reduced or with no added sugar	350 mg/kg
		— Fat-based desserts, energy-reduced or with no added sugar	350 mg/kg
		— ‘snacks’: certain flavours of ready to eat, prepacked, dry, savoury starch products and coated nuts	350 mg/kg

E No	Name	Foodstuffs	Maximum usable dose
		Confectionery	
		— Confectionery with no added sugar	500 mg/kg
		— Cocoa- or dried-fruit-based confectionery, energy-reduced or with no added sugar	500 mg/kg
		— Starch-based confectionery, energy-reduced or with no added sugar	1 000 mg/kg
		— Cocoa-, milk-, dried-fruit- or fat-based sandwich spreads, energy-reduced or with no added sugar	1 000 mg/kg
		— Chewing gum with no added sugar	2 000 mg/kg
		— Cider and perry	350 mg/l
		— Alcohol-free beer or with an alcohol content not exceeding 1,2 % vol	350 mg/l
		— 'Bière de table/Tafelbier/Table beer' (original wort content less than 6 %) except for 'Obergäriges Einfachbier'	350 mg/l
		— Beers with a minimum acidity of 30 milli-equivalents expressed as NaOH	350 mg/l
		— Brown beers of the 'oud bruin' type	350 mg/l
		— Edible ices, energy-reduced or with no added sugar	800 mg/kg
		— Canned or bottled fruit, energy-reduced or with no added sugar	350 mg/kg
		— Energy-reduced jams, jellies and marmalades	1 000 mg/kg
		— Energy-reduced fruit and vegetable preparations	350 mg/kg
		— Sweet-sour preserves of fruit and vegetables	200 mg/kg
		— Sweet-sour preserves and semipreserves of fish and marinades of fish, crustaceans and molluscs	200 mg/kg
		— Sauces	350 mg/kg
		— Mustard	350 mg/kg

E No	Name	Foodstuffs	Maximum usable dose
		— Fine bakery products for special nutritional uses	1 000 mg/kg
		— Foods intended for use in energy-restricted diets for weight reduction as referred to in L.N. 1/1999	450 mg/kg
		— Dietary foods for special medical purposes as defined in L.N. 309/2001	450 mg/kg
		— Food supplements as defined in L.N. 239/2003 supplied in liquid form	350 mg/l
		— Food supplements as defined in L.N. 239/2003 supplied in a solid form	500 mg/kg
		— Food supplements as defined in L.N. 239/2003, based on vitamins and/or mineral elements and supplied in a syrup-type or chewable form	2 000 mg/kg
		— Breakfast cereals with a fibre content of more than 15 %, and containing at least 20 % bran,energy-reduced or with no added sugar	1 200 mg/kg
		— Energy-reduced soups	110 mg/l
		— Breath-freshening micro-sweets, with no added sugar	2 500 mg/kg
		— Energy-reduced beer	25 mg/l
		— Drinks consisting of a mixture of a non-alcoholic drink and beer, cider, perry, spirits or wine	350 mg/l
		— Spirit drinks containing less than 15 % alcohol by volume	350 mg/kg
		— Cornets and wafers, for icecream, with no added sugar	2 000 mg/kg
		— Energy-reduced tablet-form confectionery	500 mg/kg
		— *Feinkostsalat*	350 mg/kg
		— *Essoblaten*	2 000 mg/kg

E No	Name	Foodstuffs	Maximum usable dose
E 951	Aspartame	**Non-alcoholic drinks**	
		— Water-based flavoured drinks, energy-reduced or with no added sugar	600 mg/l
		— Milk- and milk-derivative-based or fruit-juice-based drinks, energy-reduced or with no added sugar	600 mg/l
		Desserts and similar products	
		— Water-based flavoured desserts, energy-reduced or with no added sugar	1 000 mg/kg
		— Milk- and milk-derivate-based preparations, energy-reduced or with no added sugar	1 000 mg/kg
		— Fruit- and vegetable-based desserts, energy-reduced or with no added sugar	1 000 mg/kg
		— Egg-based desserts, energy-reduced or with no added sugar	1 000 mg/kg
		— Cereal-based desserts, energy reduced or with no added sugar	1 000 mg/kg
		— Fat-based desserts, energy-reduced or with no added sugar	1 000 mg/kg
		— 'snacks': certain flavours of ready to eat, prepacked, dry, savoury starch products and coated nuts	500 mg/kg
		Confectionery	
		— Confectionery with no added sugar	1 000 mg/kg
		— Cocoa- or dried-fruit-based confectionery, energy-reduced or with no added sugar	2 000 mg/kg
		— Starch-based confectionery, energy-reduced or with no added sugar	2 000 mg/kg
		— Cocoa-, milk-, dried-fruit- or fat-based sandwich spreads, energy-reduced or with no added sugar	1 000 mg/kg
		Chewing gum with no added sugar	5 500 mg/kg
		- *Essoblaten*	1 000 mg/kg

E No	Name	Foodstuffs	Maximum usable dose
		— Cider and perry	600 mg/l
		— Alcohol-free beer or with an alcohol content not exceeding 1,2 % vol	600 mg/l
		— 'Bière de table/Tafelbier/Table beer' (original wort content less than 6 %) except for 'Obergäriges Einfachbier'	600 mg/l
		— Beers with a minimum acidity of 30 milli-equivalents expressed as NaOH	600 mg/l
		— Brown beers of the 'oud bruin' type	600 mg/l
		— Edible ices, energy-reduced or with no added sugar	800 mg/kg
		— Canned or bottled fruit, energy reduced or with no added sugar	1 000 mg/kg
		— Energy-reduced jams, jellies and marmalades	1 000 mg/kg
		— Energy-reduced fruit and vegetable preparations	1 000 mg/kg
		— Sweet-sour preserves of fruit and vegetables	300 mg/kg
		— Sweet-sour preserves and semipreserves of fish and marinades of fish, crustaceans and molluscs	300 mg/kg
		— Sauces	350 mg/kg
		— Mustard	350 mg/kg
		— Fine bakery products for special nutritional uses	1 700 mg/kg
		— Foods intended for use in energy-restricted diets for weight reduction as referred to in L.N. 1/1999	800 mg/kg
		— Dietary foods for special medical purposes as defined in L.N. 309/2001	1 000 mg/kg
		— Food supplements as defined in L.N. 239/2003 supplied in liquid form	600 mg/kg
		— Food supplements as defined in L.N. 239/2003 supplied in a solid form	2 000 mg/kg

E No	Name	Foodstuffs	Maximum usable dose
		— Food supplements as defined in L.N. 239/2003, based on vitamins and/or mineral elements and supplied in a syrup -type or chewable form	5 500 mg/kg
		— Breakfast cereals with a fibre content of more than 15 %, and containing at least 20 % bran, energy -reduced or with no added sugar	1 000 mg/kg
		— Energy -reduced soups	110 mg/l
		— Breath-freshening micro-sweets, with no added sugar	6 000 mg/kg
		— Strongly flavoured freshening throat pastilles with no added sugar	2 000 mg/kg
		— Energy -reduced beer	25 mg/l
		— Drinks consisting of a mixture of a non-alcoholic drink and beer, cider, perry, spirits or wine	600 mg/l
		— Spirit drinks containing less than 15 % alcohol by volume	600 mg/kg
		— *Feinkostsalat*	350 mg/kg

E No	Name	Foodstuffs	Maximum usable dose
E 952	Cyclamic acid and its Na and Ca salts	**Non-alcoholic drinks**	
		— Water-based flavoured drinks, energy-reduced or with no added sugar	250 mg/l
		— Milk- and milk-derivative-based or fruit-juice-based drinks, energy-reduced or with no added sugar	250 mg/l
		Desserts and similar products	
		— Water-based flavoured desserts, energy-reduced or with no added sugar	250 mg/kg
		— Milk- and milk-derivative-based preparations, energy-reduced or with no added sugar	250 mg/kg
		— Fruit- and vegetable-based desserts, energy-reduced or with no added sugar	250 mg/kg
		— Egg-based desserts, energy-reduced or with no added sugar	250 mg/kg
		— Cereal-based desserts, energy reduced or with no added sugar	250 mg/kg
		— Fat-based desserts, energy-reduced or with no added sugar	250 mg/kg

E No	Name	Foodstuffs	Maximum usable dose
		Confectionery	
		— Cocoa-, milk-, dried-fruit- or fat-based sandwich spreads, energy-reduced or with no added sugar	500 mg/kg
		— Canned or bottled fruit, energy reduced or with no added sugar	1 000 mg/kg
		— Energy-reduced jams, jellies and marmalades	1 000 mg/kg
		— Energy-reduced fruit and vegetable preparations	250 mg/kg
		— Fine bakery products for special nutritional uses	1 600 mg/kg
		— Foods intended for use in energy-restricted diets for weight reduction as referred to in L.N. 1/1999	400 mg/kg
		— Dietary foods for special medical purposes as defined in L.N. 309/2001	400 mg/kg
		- Food supplements as defined in L.N. 239/2003 supplied in liquid form	400 mg/l
		— Food supplements as defined in L.N. 239/2003 supplied in a solid form	500 mg/kg
		— Drinks consisting of a mixture of a non-alcoholic drink and beer, cider, perry, spirits or wine	250 mg/l
		— Food supplements as defined in L.N. 239/2003, based on vitamins and/or mineral elements and supplied in a syrup-type or chewable form	1 250 mg/kg
E 954	Saccharin and its Na, K and Ca salts	**Non-alcoholic drinks**	
		— Water-based flavoured drinks, energy-reduced or with no added sugar	80 mg/l
		— Milk- and milk-derivative-based or fruit-juice-based drinks, energy-reduced or with no added sugar	80 mg/l
		— '*Gaseosa*': non-alcoholic waterbased drink with added carbon dioxide, sweeteners and flavourings	100 mg/l

E No	Name	Foodstuffs	Maximum usable dose
		Desserts and similiar products	
		— Water-based flavoured desserts, energy-reduced or with no added sugar	100 mg/kg
		— Milk- and milk-derivative-based preparations, energy-reduced or with no added sugar	100 mg/kg
		— Fruit- and vegetable-based desserts, energy-reduced or with no added sugar	100 mg/kg
		— Egg-based desserts, energy-reduced or with no added sugar	100 mg/kg
		— Cereal-based desserts, energy reduced or with no added sugar	100 mg/kg
		— Fat-based desserts, energy-reduced or with no added sugar	100 mg/kg
		— 'snacks': certain flavours of ready to eat, prepacked, dry savoury starch products and coated nuts	100 mg/kg
		Confectionery	
		— Confectionery with no added sugar	500 mg/kg
		— Cocoa- or dried-fruit-based confectionery, energy-reduced or with no added sugar	500 mg/kg
		— Starch-based confectionery, energy-reduced or with no added sugar	300 mg/kg
		— Essoblaten	800 mg/kg

E No	Name	Foodstuffs	Maximum usable dose
		— Cocoa-, milk-, dried-fruit- or fat-based sandwich spreads, energy-reduced or with no added sugar	200 mg/kg
		— Chewing gum with no added sugar	1 200 mg/kg
		— Cider and perry	80 mg/l
		— Alcohol-free beer or with an alcohol content not exceeding 1,2 % vol	80 mg/l
		— 'Bière de table/Tafelbier/Table beer' (original wort content less than 6 %) except 'Obergäriges Einfachbier'	80 mg/l
		— Beers with a minimum acidity of 30 milli-equivalents expressed as NaOH	80 mg/l
		— Brown beers of the 'oud bruin' type	80 mg/l
		— Edible ices, energy-reduced or with no added sugar	100 mg/kg
		— Canned or bottled fruit, energy-reduced or with no added sugar	200 mg/kg
		— Energy-reduced jams, jellies and marmalades	200 mg/kg
		— Energy-reduced fruit and vegetable preparations	200 mg/kg
		— Sweet-sour preserves of fruit and vegetables	160 mg/kg
		— Sweet-sour preserves and semipreserves of fish and marinades of fish, crustaceans and molluscs	160 mg/kg
		— Sauces	160 mg/kg
		— Mustard	320 mg/kg
		— Fine bakery products for special nutritional uses	170 mg/kg
		— Foods intended for use in energy-restricted diets for weight reduction as referred to in L.N. 1/1999	240 mg/kg
		— Dietary foods for special medical purposes as defined in L.N. 309/2001	200 mg/kg

E No	Name	Foodstuffs	Maximum usable dose
		— Food supplements as defined in L.N. 239/2003 supplied in liquid form	80 mg/l
		— Food supplements as defined in L.N. 239/2003 supplied in a solid form	500 mg/kg
		— Food supplements as defined in L.N. 239/2003, based on vitamins and/or mineral elements and supplied in a syrup-type or chewable form	1 200 mg/kg
		— Breakfast cereals with a fibre content of more than 15 %, and containing at least 20 % bran, energy-reduced or with no added sugar	100 mg/kg
		— Energy-reduced soups	110 mg/l
		— Breath-freshening micro-sweets, with no added sugar	3 000 mg/kg
		— Drinks consisting of a mixture of a non-alcoholic drink and beer, cider, perry, spirits or wine	80 mg/l
		— Spirit drinks containing less than 15 % alcohol by volume	80 mg/l
		— Cornets and wafers, for ice-cream, with no added sugar	800 mg/kg
		— *Feinkostsalat*	160 mg/kg
E 957	Thaumatin	**Confectionery**	
		— Confectionery with no added sugar	50 mg/kg
		— Cocoa- or dried-fruit-based confectionery, energy-reduced or with no added sugar	50 mg/kg
		— Chewing gum with no added sugar	50 mg/kg
		— Food supplements as defined in L.N. 239/2003, based on vitamins and/or mineral elements and supplied in a syrup-type or chewable form	400 mg/kg
		— Edible ices, energy-reduced or with no added sugar	50 mg/kg

E No	Name	Foodstuffs	Maximum usable dose
E 959	Neohesperidine DC	**Non-alcoholic drinks**	
		— Water-based flavoured drinks, energy-reduced or with no added sugar	30 mg/l
		— Milk- and milk-derivative-based drinks, energy-reduced or with no added sugar	50 mg/l
		— Fruit-juice-based drinks, energy reduced or with no added sugar	30 mg/l
		Desserts and similar products	
		— Water-based flavoured desserts, energy-reduced or with no added sugar	50 mg/kg
		— Milk- and milk-derivative-based preparations, energy-reduced or with no added sugar	50 mg/kg
		— Fruit- and vegetable-based desserts, energy-reduced or with no added sugar	50 mg/kg
		— Egg-based desserts, energy-reduced or with no added sugar	50 mg/kg
		— Cereal-based desserts, energy reduced or with no added sugar	50 mg/kg
		— Fat-based desserts, energy-reduced or with no added sugar	50 mg/kg
		Confectionery	
		— Confectionery with no added sugar	100 mg/kg
		— Cocoa- or dried-fruit-based confectionery, energy-reduced or with no added sugar	100 mg/kg
		— Starch-based confectionery, energy-reduced or with no added sugar	150 mg/kg
		— Cocoa-, milk-, dried-fruit- or fat-based sandwich spreads, energy-reduced or with no added sugar	50 mg/kg
		— Chewing gum with no added sugar	400 mg/kg

E No	Name	Foodstuffs	Maximum usable dose
		— Cider and perry	20 mg/l
		— Alcohol-free beer or with an alcohol content not exceeding 1,2 % vol	10 mg/l
		— ‘Bière de table/Tafelbier/Table beer’ (original wort content less than 6 %) except ‘Obergäriges Einfachbier’	10 mg/l
		— Beers with a minimum acidity of 30 milli-equivalents expressed as NaOH	10 mg/l
		— Brown beers of the ‘oud bruin’ type	10 mg/l

E No	Name	Foodstuffs	Maximum usable dose
		— Edible ices, energy-reduced or with no added sugar	50 mg/kg
		— Canned or bottled fruit, energy reduced or with no added sugar	50 mg/kg
		— Energy-reduced jams, jellies and marmalades	50 mg/kg
		— Sweet-sour preserves of fruit and vegetables	100 mg/kg
		— Energy-reduced fruit and vegetable preparations	50 mg/kg
		— Sweet-sour preserves and semipreserves of fish and marinades of fish, crustaceans and molluscs	30 mg/kg
		— Sauces	50 mg/kg
		— Mustard	50 mg/kg
		— Fine bakery products for special nutritional uses	150 mg/kg
		— Foods intended for use in energy-restricted diets for weight reduction as referred to in L.N. 1/1999	100 mg/kg
		— Food supplements as defined in L.N. 239/2003 supplied in liquid form	50 mg/l
		— Food supplements as defined in L.N. 239/2003 supplied in a solid form	100 mg/kg
		— Breakfast cereals with a fibre content of more than 15 %, and containing at least 20 % bran, energy-reduced or with no added sugar	50 mg/kg
		— Energy-reduced soups	50 mg/l
		— Breath-freshening micro-sweets, with no added sugar	400 mg/kg
		— Food supplements as defined in L.N. 239/2003, based on vitamins and/or mineral elements and supplied in a syrup-type or chewable form	400 mg/kg

E No	Name	Foodstuffs	Maximum usable dose
		— Drinks consisting of a mixture of a non-alcoholic drink and beer, cider, perry, spirits or wine	30 mg/l
		— Spirit drinks containing less than 15 % alcohol by volume	30 mg/kg
		— Cornets and wafers, for icecream, with no added sugar	50 mg/kg
		— *Feinkostsalat*	50 mg/kg
		— Energy reduced beer	10 mg/kg
		— Dietary foods for special medical purposes as defined in L.N. 309/2001	100 mg/kg
		— 'Snacks': certain flavours of ready to eat, prepacked, dry, savoury starch products and coated nuts	50 mg/kg
E 955	Sucralose	**Non-alcoholic drinks**	
		- Water-based flavoured drinks, energy-reduced or with no added sugar	300 mg/l
		- Milk- and milk-derivative-based or fruit-juice-based drinks, energy-reduced or with no added sugar	300 mg/l
		Desserts and similar products	
		- Water-based flavoured desserts, energy-reduced or with no added sugar	400 mg/kg
		- Milk- and milk-derivative-based preparations, energy-reduced or with no added sugar	400 mg/kg
		- Fruit- and vegetable-based desserts, energy-reduced or with no added sugar	400 mg/kg
		- Egg-based desserts, energy-reduced or with no added sugar	400 mg/kg
		- Cereal-based desserts, energy-reduced or with no added sugar	400 mg/kg
		- Fat-based desserts, energy-reduced or with no added sugar	400 mg/kg
		- "Snacks": certain flavours of ready to eat, pre-packed, dry, savoury starch products and coated nuts	200 mg/kg

E No	Name	Foodstuffs	Maximum usable dose
		Confectionery	
		- Confectionery with no added sugar	1000 mg/kg
		- Cocoa- or dried-fruit-based confectionery, energy-reduced or with no added sugar	800 mg/kg
		- Starch-based confectionery, energy-reduced or with no added sugar	1000 mg/kg
		- Cornets and wafers, for ice cream, with no added sugar	800 mg/kg
		- *Essoblaten*	800 mg/kg
		- Cocoa-, milk-, dried-fruit- or fat-based sandwich spreads, energy-reduced or with no added sugar	400 mg/kg
		- Breakfast cereals with a fibre content of more than 15 %, and containing at least 20 % bran, energy-reduced or with no added sugar	400 mg/kg
		- Breath-freshening micro-sweets with no added sugar	2400 mg/kg
		- Strongly flavoured freshening throat pastilles with no added sugar	1000 mg/kg
		- Chewing gum with no added sugar	3000 mg/kg
		- Energy-reduced tablet form confectionery	200 mg/kg
		- Cider and Perry	50 mg/l
		- Drinks consisting of a mixture of a non-alcoholic drink and beer, cider, perry, spirits or wine	250 mg/l
		- Spirit drinks containing less than 15 % alcohol by volume	250 mg/l
		- Alcohol-free beer or with an alcohol content not exceeding 1.2 % vol	250 mg/l
		- 'Bière de table/Tafelbier/Table beer' (original wort content less than 6 %) except for 'Obergäriges Einfachbier'	250 mg/l
		- Beers with a minimum acidity of 30 milliequivalents expressed as NaOH	250 mg/l

E No	Name	Foodstuffs	Maximum usable dose
		- Brown beers of the '*oud bruin*' type	250 mg/l
		- Energy-reduced beer	10 mg/l
		- Edible ices, energy-reduced or with no added sugar	320 mg/kg
		- Canned or bottled fruit, energy-reduced or with no added sugar	400 mg/kg
		- Energy-reduced jams, jellies and marmalades	400 mg/kg
		- Energy-reduced fruit and vegetable preparations	400 mg/kg
		- Sweet-sour preserves of fruit and vegetables	180 mg/kg
		- *Feinkostsalat*	140 mg/kg
		- Sweet-sour preserves and semi-preserves of fish and marinades of fish, crustaceans and molluscs	120 mg/kg
		- Energy-reduced soups	45 mg/l
		- Sauces	450 mg/kg
		- Mustard	140 mg/kg
		- Fine bakery products for special nutritional uses	700 mg/kg
		- Food intended for use in energy-restricted diets for weight reduction as referred to in L.N. 1/1999	320 mg/kg
		- Dietary foods for special medical purposes as defined in L.N. 309/2001	400 mg/kg
		- Food supplements as defined in L.N. 239/2003 supplied in a liquid form	240 mg/l
		- Food supplements as defined in L.N. 239/2003 supplied in a solid form	800 mg/kg
		- Food supplements as defined in L.N. 239/2003, based on vitamins and/or mineral elements and supplied in a syrup-type or chewable form	2400 mg/kg

E No	Name	Foodstuffs	Maximum usable dose
E 962	Salt of aspartame-acesulfame ([3])	**Non-alcoholic drinks**	
		- Water-based flavoured drinks, energy-reduced or with no added sugar	350 mg/l (a)
		- Milk- and milk-derivative-based or fruit-juice-based drinks, energy-reduced or with no added sugar	350 mg/l (a)
		Desserts and similar products	
		- Water-based flavoured desserts, energy-reduced or with no added sugar	350 mg/kg (a)
		- Milk- and milk-derivative-based preparations, energy-reduced or with no added sugar	350 mg/kg (a)
		- Fruit- and vegetable-based desserts, energy-reduced or with no added sugar	350 mg/kg (a)
		- Egg-based desserts, energy-reduced or with no added sugar	350 mg/kg (a)
		- Cereal-based desserts, energy-reduced or with no added sugar	350 mg/kg (a)
		- Fat-based desserts, energy-reduced or with no added sugar	350 mg/kg (a)
		- "Snacks": certain flavours of ready to eat, pre-packed, dry, savoury starch products and coated nuts	500 mg/kg (b)
		Confectionery	
		- Confectionery with no added sugar	500 mg/kg (a)
		- Cocoa- or dried-fruit-based confectionery, energy-reduced or with no added sugar	500 mg/kg (a)
		- Starch-based confectionery, energy-reduced or with no added sugar	1000mg/kg (a)
		- *Essoblaten*	1000mg/kg (b)

E No	Name	Foodstuffs	Maximum usable dose
		- Cocoa-, milk-, dried-fruit- or fat-based sandwich spreads, energy-reduced or with no added sugar	1000mg/kg (b)
		- Breakfast cereals with a fibre content of more than 15 %, and containing at least 20 % bran, energy-reduced or with no added sugar	1000mg/kg (b)
		- Breath-freshening micro-sweets with no added sugar	2500mg/kg (a)
		- Chewing gum with no added sugar	2000mg/kg (a)
		- Cider and Perry	350 mg/l (a)
		- Drinks consisting of a mixture of a non-alcoholic drink and beer, cider, perry, spirits or wine	350 mg/l (a)
		- Spirit drinks containing less than 15 % alcohol by volume	350 mg/l (a)
		- Alcohol-free beer or with an alcohol content not exceeding 1.2 % vol	350 mg/l (a)
		- 'Bière de table/Tafelbier/Table beer' (original wort content less than 6 %) except for 'Obergäriges Einfachbier'	350 mg/l (a)
		- Beers with a minimum acidity of 30 milliequivalents expressed as NaOH	350 mg/l (a)
		- Brown beers of the '*oud bruin*' type	350 mg/l (a)
		- Energy-reduced beer	25 mg/l (b)
		- Edible ices, energy-reduced or with no added sugar	800 mg/kg (b)
		- Canned or bottled fruit, energy-reduced or with no added sugar	350 mg/kg (a)
		- Energy-reduced jams, jellies and marmalades	1000mg/kg (b)
		- Energy-reduced fruit and vegetable preparations	350 mg/kg (a)
		- Sweet-sour preserves of fruit and vegetables	200 mg/kg (a)

E No	Name	Foodstuffs	Maximum usable dose
		- *Feinkostsalat*	350 mg/kg (b)
		- Sweet-sour preserves and semi-preserves of fish and marinades of fish, crustaceans and molluscs	200 mg/kg (a)
		- Energy-reduced soups	110 mg/l (b)
		- Sauces	350 mg/kg (b)
		- Mustard	350 mg/kg (b)
		- Fine bakery products for special nutritional uses	1000mg/kg (a)
		- Food intended for use in energy-restricted diets for weight reduction as referred to in L.N. 1/1999	450 mg/kg (a)
		- Dietary foods for special medical purposes as defined in L.N. 309/2001	450 mg/kg (a)
		- Food supplements as defined in L.N. 239/2003 supplied in a liquid form	350 mg/l (a)
		- Food supplements as defined in L.N. 239/2003 supplied in a solid form	500 mg/kg (a)
		- Food supplements as defined in L.N. 239/2003, based on vitamins and/or mineral elements and supplied in a syrup-type or chewable form	2000mg/kg (a)

Note:

1. For the substance E 952, cyclamic acid and its Na and Ca salts, maximum usable doses are expressed in free acid.

1.1 For the substance E 954, saccharin and its Na, K and Ca salts, maximum usable doses are expressed in free imide.

2.1 Maximum usable doses for the salt of aspartame-acesulfame are derived from the maximum usable doses for its constituent parts, aspartame (E951) and acesulfame-K (E950). The maximum usable doses for both aspartame (E951) and acesulfame-K (E950) are not to be exceeded by use of the salt of aspartame-acesulfame, either alone or in combination with E950 or E951. Limits in this column are expressed either as (a) acesulfame-K equivalent or (b) aspartame equivalents.