



## Failing Food Report – June 2019

This report details food that was found to fail under the Imported Food Inspection Scheme during the month. For full data on activity and compliance under the Scheme refer to the annual [Imported Food Inspection Data](#) reports.

### Risk food tests (targeted monitoring of food for compliance to safety standards)

The Department of Agriculture (the department) targets and monitors food determined to pose a high or medium risk to public health. [Risk food](#) is targeted at the rate of 100 per cent until a history of food safety compliance is established.

The following table details where noncompliant food was detected.

The noncompliant food was not distributed for sale in Australia. It was destroyed by the importer or re-exported to the country of origin under department supervision. More information on risk food and the tests applied under the IFIS can be found on the [Tests applied to risk food](#) webpages.

### Microbiological / Allergen tests

Date of fail	Product description	Country of origin	Producer name	Reason for fail	Result/s	Units	Reference
5/06/2019	Kashmiri chilli powder	India	Anna Aluminium Co Pvt Ltd	<i>Salmonella</i>	Detected	/125g	<a href="#">SPI 06/2019</a>
11/06/2019	Frozen cooked prawns	Vietnam	Camau Seafood Processing & Service Jointstock Corp	Standard plate count	700 000, 10 000, 6 000, 110 000, 140 000	cfu/g	<a href="#">CRU 03/2019</a>
13/06/2019	Chocolate halawa	Saudi Arabia	Qoot Food	<i>Salmonella</i>	Detected	/125g	<a href="#">SES 05/2014</a>
17/06/2019	Frozen cooked vannamei prawns	Vietnam	Thalassa Seafoods (Vietnam)	Standard plate count	100 000, 110 000, 120 000, 340 000, 8 200	cfu/g	<a href="#">CRU 03/2019</a>
14/06/2019	Marinara mix	Malaysia	Labuan Food Industries Sdn Bhd	<i>Salmonella</i>	Detected	/125g	<a href="#">MSM 11/2018</a>
16/05/2019	Frozen cooked vannamei prawn meat	China	Zhejiang Ocean Family Co Ltd	Standard plate count	240 000, 360 000, 270 000, 240 000, 630 000	cfu/g	<a href="#">CRU 03/2019</a>



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27/06/2019	Tahini halawah	Syria	Al Asala Foodstuff Co	<i>Salmonella</i>	Detected	/125g	<a href="#">SES 05/2014</a>
25/06/2019	Kashmiri chilli powder	India	Patidar Exports Pvt Limited	<i>Salmonella</i>	Detected	/125g	<a href="#">SPI 06/2019</a>

### Chemical/Contaminant/Toxin test results

Date of fail	Product description	Country of origin	Producer name	Reason for fail	Result/s	Units	Reference
6/06/2019	Cassava chips	India	Economic Food Solutions Pvt Ltd	Hydrocyanic acid	11	mg/kg	<a href="#">CAS 09/2016</a>
13/06/2019	Dried fish keeramin	Sri Lanka	D&R Exports Pvt Ltd	Histamine	700	mg/kg	<a href="#">HIS 12/2016</a>
17/06/2019	Kelp knots	China	Fuzhou Hailin Foods Co., Ltd	Iodine	3 400	mg/kg	<a href="#">BSW 12/2016</a>
17/06/2019	Kelp sheets	China	Fuzhou Hailin Foods Co., Ltd	Iodine	4 600	mg/kg	<a href="#">BSW 12/2016</a>
24/06/2019	Tapioca chips	India	Kozhikodens	Hydrocyanic acid	11	mg/kg	<a href="#">CAS 09/2016</a>
24/06/2019	Nut crackers spicy coated fried peanuts	India	Haldiram Snacks Pvt Ltd	Aflatoxin	0.023	mg/kg	<a href="#">NUT 11/208</a>



**Random monitoring of food for compliance**

The department operates a five per cent random surveillance scheme to monitor a range of food imported into Australia for compliance to some standards in the Australia New Zealand Food Standards Code. These tests are applied as part of a rolling program of surveillance food and are therefore subject to change.

More information on surveillance food and the tests applied can be found on the [Tests applied to surveillance](#) food webpage.

The following table details where results were found to be noncompliant with food standards. Future consignments of this food are subject to an increased rate of testing until a history of compliance is achieved.

Date of fail	Product description	Country of origin	Producer name	Test applied	Reason for fail	Result/s	Units	Reference
5/06/2019	Mung dhal	Myanmar	Ays Mfg Co Ltd	<a href="#">Fruit and vegetable residue screen</a>	Chlorpyrifos	0.03	mg/kg	<a href="#">FSC 1.4.2</a>
5/06/2019	Mung chilka split	Myanmar	Ays Mfg Co Ltd	<a href="#">Fruit and vegetable residue screen</a>	Chlorpyrifos	0.19	mg/kg	<a href="#">FSC 1.4.2</a>
7/06/2019	Frozen seasoned flying fish roe	Japan	Daiei Foods Co Ltd (Japan)	<a href="#">Composition</a>	Additive E127 (erythrosine)	Not permitted in this food		<a href="#">FSC 1.3.1</a>
6/06/2019	Confectionery	France	Geprococor	<a href="#">Composition</a>	Patented blue v (E131)	Not permitted in this food		<a href="#">FSC 1.3.1</a>
3/06/2019	Dried seedless red dates	China	Zhongshan Best Honest Trading Co Ltd	<a href="#">Fruit and vegetable residue screen</a>	Propargite	0.07	mg/kg	<a href="#">FSC 1.4.2</a>
11/06/2019	Fresh lychee	China	Zhangzhou Xinmingxing Trading Co Ltd	<a href="#">Fruit and vegetable residue screen</a>	Azoxystrobin Difenoconazole Dimethomorph Indoxacarb	0.55 0.73 0.96 0.12	mg/kg	<a href="#">FSC 1.4.2</a>



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4/06/2019	Frozen dried longan	Thailand	Tanaya International Co Ltd	<a href="#">Fruit and vegetable residue screen</a>	Carbendazim	0.053	mg/kg	<a href="#">FSC 1.4.2</a>
12/06/2019	Tea biscuits	Serbia	Koncern Bambi A.D	<a href="#">Composition</a>	Vitamin C, Phosphorus	Not permitted in this food		<a href="#">FSC 1.3.2</a>
11/06/2019	Fresh lychee	China	Zhangzhou Xinmingxing Trading Co Ltd	<a href="#">Fruit and vegetable residue screen</a>	Azoxystrobin Chlorphrifos Cypermethrin Difenoconazole Dimethomorph Indoxacarb	1.2 0.33 0.43 0.84 0.73 0.068	mg/kg	<a href="#">FSC 1.4.2</a>
13/06/2019	Green chilli	Vietnam	Thai Thuan Binh Co.Ltd	<a href="#">Fruit and vegetable residue screen</a>	Chlorpyrifos Difenoconazole Propiconazole Tebuconazole	0.2 0.23 0.16 0.095	mg/kg	<a href="#">FSC 1.4.2</a>
13/06/2019	Red chilli	Vietnam	Thai Thuan Binh Co.Ltd	<a href="#">Fruit and vegetable residue screen</a>	Chlorpyrifos Difenoconazole Propiconazole Tebuconazole Metalaxyl	0.1 0.22 0.17 0.15 0.14	mg/kg	<a href="#">FSC 1.4.2</a>
17/06/2019	Masala curry powder	South Africa	Packo (Verulam South Africa)	<a href="#">Composition</a>	Irradiated chilli, Irradiated mustard	Not a permitted treatment for this food		<a href="#">FSC 1.5.3</a>
19/06/2019	Fresh chilli	India	Vadilal Industries Limited	<a href="#">Fruit and vegetable residue screen</a>	Tebuconazole	0.07	mg/kg	<a href="#">FSC 1.4.2</a>
25/06/2019	Frozen cowpeas	Fiji	Labasa Farm Fresh	<a href="#">Fruit and vegetable residue screen</a>	Acephate Methamidophos	0.31 0.098	mg/kg	<a href="#">FSC 1.4.2</a>



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12/06/2019	Indian flat beans	India	Innovative Cuisine	<a href="#">Fruit and vegetable residue screen</a>	Carbendazim	0.05	mg/kg	<a href="#">FSC 1.4.2</a>
26/06/2019	Wheaten flour	Taiwan	Yi-Feng Food Co., Ltd.	<a href="#">Composition</a>	Vitamin C	Not permitted in this food		<a href="#">FSC 1.3.1</a>
28/06/2019	Cut hyacinth beans	India	Vadilal Industries Limited	<a href="#">Fruit and vegetable residue screen</a>	Profenofos	0.09	mg/kg	<a href="#">FSC 1.4.2</a>
31/05/2019	Pilchards in hot chilli sauce	South Africa	Lucky Star	<a href="#">Composition</a>	Irradiated cayenne pepper	Not a permitted treatment for this food		<a href="#">FSC 1.5.3</a>