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#### PROPOSED DRAFT REVISION OF THE CLASSIFICATION OF FOOD AND FEED

#### AT STEP 4: SELECTED VEGETABLE COMMODITY GROUPS

(GROUP 011 FRUITING VEGETABLES, CUCURBITS AND GROUP 014 LEGUME VEGETABLES)

(Prepared by the Electronic Working Group led by the Netherlands  
and the United States of America)

Codex Members and Observers wishing to submit comments at **Step 3** on this document (**see Options 1, 2 and 3 related to Appendix I and Option 1 related to Appendix II**), including possible implications for their economic interests, should do so in conformity with the *Uniform Procedure for the Elaboration of Codex Standards and Related Texts* (Codex Alimentarius Commission Procedural Manual) before **31 March 2015**. Comments should be directed:

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## BACKGROUND

- Background on the discussion of the revision of the Classification of Food and Feed (CAC/MISC 4-1993) can be found in the reports of the 36<sup>th</sup> – 46<sup>th</sup> sessions of the Committee on Pesticide Residues (CCPR) including relevant sessions of the Codex Alimentarius (CAC) held between 2004 – 2014. Reports of Codex committee meetings are available at <http://www.codexalimentarius.org>.
- At the 46<sup>th</sup> Session of CCPR (May 2014), proposals for Fruiting vegetables, cucurbits (Group 011); Legume vegetables (Group 014); and Pulses (Group 015) were presented for consideration. However, the Committee could not come to agreement on the establishment of subgroups for Fruiting vegetables, cucurbits and Legume vegetables<sup>1</sup>.
- The Committee agreed to re-establish<sup>2</sup> the Electronic Working Group on the revision of the Classification (EWG) led by the Netherlands and the United States of America to prepare revised proposals for Group 011 Fruiting vegetables, cucurbits and Group 014 Legume vegetables on the basis of the following criteria: (i) commodity's similar potential for pesticide residues; (ii) similar commodity morphology; (iii) similar production practices, growth habits, etc.; (iv) edible portion; (v) similar GAP for pesticide uses; (vi) similar residue behaviour; and (vii) flexibility for setting (sub) group tolerances. The list of participants is contained in Appendix III.

<sup>1</sup> REP14/pr, paras 146-148, Appendix XI

<sup>2</sup> REP14/PR, paras 147, 148, 150

4. A Circular Letter (CL 2014/16-PR) requested comments from Codex members regarding criteria for crop grouping of Fruiting vegetables, cucurbits and Legume vegetables was distributed by the Codex Secretariat. One comment was received from the European Union expressing agreement with the 7 characteristics used for crop grouping, but considered criterion #2 (morphology) as the least important. Japan subsequently suggested that priority should be given to criteria #1 (commodity's similar potential for pesticide residues) and #5 (similar GAP for pesticide uses).
5. Comments were also requested from members of the EWG regarding sub-grouping of Fruiting vegetables, cucurbits and Legume vegetables. Comments were received from Canada, Japan, New Zealand, Thailand and the United States of America. In regards to Fruiting vegetables, cucurbits, Thailand and Japan supported the concept of 3 subgroups, while the United States of America and Canada supported the 2 subgroups established by the International Crop Grouping Consulting Committee. New Zealand supported 2 subgroups including Cucurbits with and without edible peels supported 2 subgroups, similar to the EU system.
6. In regard to Fruiting vegetables, cucurbits Group 011, there are basically three proposals including (1) Three subgroups including 11A, Cucumber and Summer Squash; 11B, Melons and 11C, Winter Squashes; (2) Two subgroups established by the International Crop Grouping Consulting Committee including 11A Melon subgroup and 11B Squash/Cucumber subgroup and (3) Two subgroups including 11A Cucurbits with edible peel and 11B Cucurbits with inedible peel.
7. In regard to Legume vegetables Group 014, there is general agreement for the establishment of 4 subgroups including 14A Beans with pods, 14B Peas with pods, 14C Succulent beans without pods and 14D Succulent peas without pods.
8. Based on the comments submitted, the EWG did not revise Group 011 Fruiting vegetables, cucurbits and Group 14 Legume vegetables but indicated all the preferred options as well as additions of new commodities under the selected option for consideration by CCPR. Groups 011 and 014 as extracted from REP14/PR-Appendix XI are reproduced in Appendices I and II of this document.
9. To facilitate discussion, the 3 proposals for Group 011 Fruiting vegetables, cucurbits are summarized as follows. New commodities are shaded.

**OPTION 1 (3 subgroups, supporting comments from Thailand and Japan):**

<b>Subgroup 11A Cucumber and Summer Squash</b>
Balsam apple; Balsam pear (bitter melon); Bottle gourd; Chayote; Chieh qua; Cucumber; Cucumber, exploding; Cucumber, stuffing; Gherkin; Gherkin, West Indian; Gourd, bitter snake; Gourd, buffalo; Gourd, Malabar; Gourd, pointed; Gourd, round; Ivy gourd; Japanese snake gourd; Loofah, angled; Loofah, smooth; Snake gourd; Squash, summer; Tacaco
<b>Subgroup 11B. Melons</b>
Melons; Melon, Nara; Watermelon
<b>Subgroup 11C. Winter squashes</b>
Casabana; Chinese cucumber; Cucumber; African horned; Pumpkins; Wax gourd; Winter squash

**Note from the Chairs:** Winter squashes are generally defined as varieties of *Cucurbita* species that are harvested when the fruits are fully mature and the rinds are hard. Casabana, Chinese cucumber and African horned cucumber are not *Cucurbita* species. In addition Casabana and African horned cucumber are classified as melons. Also, Casabana is consumed in an immature stage as a vegetable or in soups or stews. Chinese cucumber is harvested as an immature fruit which are cooked and used as vegetables and in curries. The Chinese waxgourd is consumed fresh and cooked as both mature and immature fruit.

**OPTION 2 (2 subgroups, International Crop Grouping Consulting Committee, supporting comments from Canada and United States of America):**

<b>Subgroup 11A. Melon subgroup</b>
Casabana; Cucumber, African horned; Cucumber, Armenian; Melon, Citron; Melon, nara; Melon, white-seed; Monk fruit; Muskmelon (including cantaloupe, garden melon, Oriental pickling melon, snap melon, winter melon); Watermelon
<b>Subgroup 11B. Squash/Cucumber subgroup</b>
Chayote (fruit); Chinese waxgourd; Cucumber; Cucumber, brown-netted; Cucumber, exploding; Cucumber, stuffing; Gherkin, West Indian; Gourd, bittersnake; Gourd, buffalo; Gourd, club; Gourd, edible ( <i>Lagenaria</i> spp. including bottle gourd and <i>Luffa</i> spp., including angled loofah and smooth loofah); Gourd, fluted; Gourd, ivy; Gourd, Malabar; Gourd, pointed; Gourd, round; Gourd, snake; Gourd, Xishuangbanna; Lard fruit; Lard fruit, Chinese; <i>Momordia</i> spp. (including balsam apple, balsam pear, bitter melon and Chinese cucumber); Oysternut; Pumpkin; Squash, summer; Squash, winter; Tacaco

**Note from the Chairs:** The International Crop Grouping Consulting Committee also includes Monk Fruit, Cucurbitaceae, *Siraitia grosvenorii* (Swingle) A. M. Lu & Zhi Y. Zhang in the Melon subgroup.

**OPTION 3 (2 subgroups, supporting comments from New Zealand):**

<b>Subgroup 11A Cucurbits with edible peel</b>
Balsam apple; Balsam pear (bitter melon); Bottle gourd; Chayote; Chieh qua; Cucumber; Cucumber, exploding; Cucumber, stuffing; Gherkin; Gherkin, West Indian; Gourd, bitter snake; Gourd, buffalo; Gourd, Malabar; Gourd, pointed; Gourd, round; Ivy gourd; Japanese snake gourd; Loofah, angled; Loofah, smooth; Snake gourd; Squash, summer; Tacaco
<b>Subgroup 11B. Cucurbits with inedible peel</b>
Casabana; Chinese cucumber; Cucumber; African horned; Melons; Melon, Nara; Pumpkins; Wax gourd; Winter squash; Watermelon

**Note from the Chairs:** Casabana, Chinese cucumber and African horned cucumber are not *Cucurbita* species (winter squashes). In addition Casabana and African horned cucumber are classified as melons. In addition Casabana is consumed in an immature stage as a vegetable or in soups or stews. Chinese cucumber is harvested as an immature fruit which are cooked and used as vegetables and in curries. The Chinese waxgourd is consumed fresh and cooked as both mature and immature fruit.

10. The proposal for Group 014 Legume vegetables is shown below. New commodities are shaded.

**OPTION 1 (4 subgroups, supporting comments from Canada and United States of America and similar to both the International Crop Grouping Consulting Committee and the EU System):**

<b>Subgroup 14A. Beans with pods</b>
Black gram (Urd bean); Broad bean (green pods and immature seeds); Catjang (immature pods and green seed); Cluster bean (Guar); Common bean (pods and immature seeds); Cowpea (immature pods); Goa bean (immature pods); Hyacinth bean (young pods (Lablab bean (pods))); Jack bean (young pods); Mat bean (green pods) (moth bean (pods)); Mung bean (green pods); Rice bean; Scarlet runner bean (pods) Soya beans (young pods); Stink bean (pods and immature seeds); Sword bean; Winged pea; Yard-long bean;
<b>Subgroup 14B. Peas with pods</b>
Garden pea (young pods); Grass pea (young pods); Lentil (young pods); Pigeon pea (green pods); Podded pea (young pods)

<b>Subgroup 14C. Succulent beans without pods</b>
Bambara groundnut; Broad beans, shelled; Catjang (succulent seeds); Common bean (succulent seeds); Cowpea (succulent seeds); Goa bean (succulent seeds); Hyacinth bean (immature seeds) (lablab bean (succulent seeds)); Jack bean (immature seeds); Lima bean (succulent seeds); Lupin; Mat bean (mature fresh seeds) (moth bean) (fresh seeds)); Soya bean (succulent seeds); Stink bean (succulent seeds); Velvet bean
<b>Subgroup 14D. Succulent peas without pods</b>
Chickpea (succulent seed); Garden pea (succulent seeds); Lentil (succulent seeds); Pigeon pea (young green seeds)

## RECOMMENDATIONS

11. For Group 011 Fruiting vegetables, cucurbits, Codex members and observers are invited to indicate their preference for Options 1, 2 or 3 as well as new commodities for addition according to the option selected. The rationale for selecting one of the 3 options should be provided based on the parameters that constitute the basis for grouping commodities in the Classification of Food and Feed namely: (i) commodity's similar potential for pesticide residues; (ii) similar commodity morphology; (iii) similar production practices, growth habits, etc.; (iv) edible portion; (v) similar GAP for pesticide uses; (vi) similar residue behaviour; and (vii) flexibility for setting (sub) group tolerances.
12. For Group 014 Legume vegetables, Codex members and observers are invited to indicate their support for Option 1 including new commodities for addition into this option. If other sub-grouping is proposed, the rationale for such grouping should be provided based on the parameters that constitute the basis for grouping commodities in the Classification of Food and Feed (see paragraph 11).
13. The Committee is invited to agree on the sub-grouping and new commodities for Groups 011 and 014 with a view to submitting these Groups to the 38<sup>th</sup> Session of the Commission for adoption at Step 5.

**APPENDIX I<sup>3</sup>**

**PROPOSED DRAFT REVISION OF THE CLASSIFICATION OF FOOD AND FEED**  
**(At Step 3)**

**FRUITING VEGETABLES, CUCURBITS****Class A**

<b>Type 2</b>	<b>Vegetables</b>	<b>Group 011</b>	<b>Group Letter Code VC</b>
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Group 011 Fruiting vegetables, Cucurbits are derived from the immature or mature fruits of various plants, belonging to the botanical family Cucurbitaceae: usually these are annual vines or bushes.

These vegetables are fully exposed to pesticides during the period of fruit development.

The edible portion of those fruits of which the inedible peel is discarded before consumption is protected from most pesticides, by the skin or peel, except from pesticides with a systemic action.

The entire fruiting vegetable or the edible portion after discarding the inedible peel may be consumed in the fresh form or after processing. The entire immature fruit of some of the fruiting vegetables species may be consumed, whereas only the edible portion of the mature fruit of the same species, after discarding the then inedible peel, is consumed.

The group Fruiting vegetables, Cucurbits is divided in 3 subgroups:

11A Fruiting vegetables, Cucurbits – Cucumbers and Summer squashes

11B Fruiting vegetables, Cucurbits – Melons

11C Fruiting vegetables, Cucurbits – Winter squashes

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

**Group 011      *Fruiting vegetables, Cucurbits***

<b>Code No.</b>	<b>Commodity</b>
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VC 0045      **Fruiting vegetables, Cucurbits**

Subgroup 011A Fruiting vegetables, Cucurbits – Cucumbers and Summer squashes

<b>Code No.</b>	<b>Commodity</b>
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VC 2039      Fruiting vegetables, Cucurbits - Cucumbers and Summer squashes  
                   (includes all commodities in this subgroup)

VC 0420      **Balsam apple**

*Momordica balsamina L.*

VC 0421      **Bitter melon**

*Momordica charantia L.*

-      **Bitter cucumber**, see Bitter melon, VC 0421

-      **Bitter gourd**, see Bitter melon, VC 0421

-      **Balsam pear**, see Bitter melon, VC 0421

VC 0422      **Bottle gourd**

*Lagenaria siceraria* (Molina) Standl.;

syn: *L. vulgaris* Ser.; *L. leucantha* (Duch.) Rusby

VC 0423      **Chayote**

*Sechium edule* (Jacq.) Schwartz;

syn: *Chayota edulis* Jacq.

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<sup>3</sup> As extracted from REP14/PR-Appendix XI.

VC 2650	<b>Chieh qua</b> (young Chinese waxgourd) <i>Benincasa hispida</i> (Thunb.) Cogn. var. <i>chieh-quas</i> How
VC 2651	<b>Chinese cucumber</b> <i>Trichosanthes kirilowii</i> Maxim.
-	<b>Christophine</b> , see Chayote, VC 0423
-	<b>Courgette</b> , see Squash, Summer, VC 0431
VC 0424	<b>Cucumber</b> <i>Cucumis sativus</i> L.; English and forcing cucumber cultivars
-	<b>Cucumber, brown-netted</b> , see Cucumber, VC 0424 <i>Cucumis sativus</i> L. var. <i>sikkimensis</i>
VC 2652	<b>Cucumber, exploding</b> <i>Cyclanthera brachystachya</i> (Ser.) Cogn.
VC 2653	<b>Cucumber, stuffing</b> <i>Cyclanthera pedata</i> (L.) Schrad.
-	<b>Cucuzzi</b> , see Bottle gourd, VC 0421
VC 2654	<b>Gac</b> <i>Momordica cochinchinensis</i> (Lour.) Spreng.
VC 0425	<b>Gherkin</b> <i>Cucumis sativus</i> L.; pickling cucumber cultivars
VC 0426	<b>Gherkin, West Indian</b> <i>Cucumis anguria</i> L.
VC 2655	<b>Gourd, bitter snake</b> <i>Trichosanthes tricuspidata</i> Lour.
VC 2656	<b>Gourd, buffalo</b> <i>Cucurbita foetidissima</i> Kunth
-	<b>Gourd, club</b> , see Snake gourd, VC 0430
VC 2657	<b>Gourd, Malabar</b> <i>Cucurbita ficifolia</i> Bouché
VC 2658	<b>Gourd, pointed</b> <i>Trichosanthes dioica</i> Roxb.
VC 2659	<b>Gourd, round</b> <i>Benincasa fistulosa</i> (Stocks) H. schaef. & S.S. Renner
-	<b>Gourd, Xishuangbanna</b> , see Cucumber, VC 0424 <i>Cucumis sativus</i> L. var. <i>xishuangbannensis</i> ined.
VC 2660	<b>Ivy gourd</b> <i>Coccinia grandis</i> (L.) Voigt
VC 2661	<b>Japanese snake gourd</b> <i>Trichosanthes ovigera</i> Blume
VC 0427	<b>Loofah, Angled</b> <i>Luffa acutangula</i> (L.) Roxb.

VC 0428	<b>Loofah, Smooth</b>
	<i>L. aegyptiaca</i> Mill.
	syn: <i>Luffa cylindrica</i> (L.) M. J. Roem;
-	<b>Marrow</b> , see Squash, Summer, VC 0431
	<i>Cucurbita pepo</i> L., several cultivars
-	<b>Patisson</b> , see Squash, Summer, VC 0431
-	<b>Sinkwa or Sinkwa towel gourd</b> , see Loofah, Angled, VC 0427
VC 0430	<b>Snake gourd</b>
	<i>Trichosanthes cucumerina</i> L.;
	syn: <i>T. anguina</i> L.
-	<b>Spiny bitter gourd</b> , see Gac, VR 2654
-	<b>Sponge gourd</b> , see Loofah, Smooth, VC 0428
VC 0431	<b>Squash, Summer</b>
	<i>Cucurbita pepo</i> L.; <i>Cucurbita pepo</i> L. subsp. <i>pepo</i> ; <i>Cucurbita pepo</i> L. subsp. <i>Ovifera</i> (L.) Harz; several cultivars, immature
-	<b>Squash, White Bush</b> , see Squash, Summer, VC 0431
-	<b>Sweet gourd</b> , see Gac, VR 2654
VC 2662	<b>Tacaco</b>
	<i>Sechium tacaco</i> (Pittier) C. Jeffrey
-	<b>Vegetable sponge</b> , see Loofah, Smooth, VC 0428
-	<b>Wax gourd (immature fruit)</b> , see Chieh qua, VC 2650
-	<b>West Indian gherkin</b> , see Gherkin, West Indian, VC 0426
-	<b>Zucchetti</b> , see Squash, Summer, VC 0431
-	<b>Zucchini</b> , see Squash, Summer, VC 0431

Subgroup 011B Fruiting vegetables, Cucurbits - Melons

<u>Code No.</u>	<u>Commodity</u>
VC 2040	Fruiting vegetables, Cucurbits - Melons (includes all commodities in this subgroup)
VC 2670	<b>African horned melon</b> <i>Cucumis metuliferus</i> E. Meyer ex Naudin
	<b>Cantaloupe</b> , see Melons, except Watermelon, VC 0046 <i>Cucumis melo</i> L., subsp. <i>melo</i> var. <i>cantaloupo</i> Ser.
VC 2671	<b>Casabanana</b> <i>Sicana odorifera</i> (Vell.) Naudin
	<b>Casaba or Casaba melon</b> , see Melons, except Watermelon, VC 0046 <i>Cucumis melo</i> L., var. <i>inodorus</i> H. Jacq.
	<b>Citron melon</b> , see Watermelon, VC 0432 <i>Citrullus lanatus</i> (Thunb.) Mansf., var. <i>edulis</i> ; syn: <i>Citrullus edulis</i> Pang.
	<b>Kiwano</b> , see African horned melon, VC 2670
VC 2672	<b>Korean Melon</b> Hybrid cultivars of <i>Cucumis melo</i> L. Subsp. <i>agrestis</i> (Naudin) Pangalo

- VC 0046      **Melons, except Watermelon**
- Several var. and cultivars of *Cucumis melo* L.
  - **Melon, Crenshaw**, see Melons, except Watermelon, VC 0046
    - Cultivar of *Cucumis melo* L. subsp. *melo* var. *inodorus* H. Jacq.
  - **Melon, Dudaim**, see Melons, except Watermelon, VC 0046
    - *Cucumis melo* L., var. *dudaim* (L.) Naudin.
  - **Melon, Garden**, see Melon, Mango
  - **Melon, Honey Ball**, see Melons, except Watermelon, VC 0046
    - Cultivar of *Cucumis melo* L., subsp. *melo* var. *cantaloupo* Ser.
  - **Melon, Honeydew**, see Melons, except Watermelon, VC 0046
    - Cultivar of *Cucumis melo* L., var. *inodorus* Naud.
  - **Melon, Mango**, see Vine peach
- VC 2673      **Melon, nara**
- *Acanthosicyos horridus* Welw. ex Benth. & Hook. f.
  - **Melon, Oriental Pickling**
    - *Cucumis melo* L. subsp. *agrestis* (Naudin) Pangalo var. *conomon* (Thunb.) Makino
  - **Melon, Persian**, see Melons, except Watermelon, VC 0046
    - Cultivar of *Cucumis melo* L., subsp. *melo* var. *cantaloupo* Ser.
  - **Melon, Pomegranate**, see Melon, Dudaim
  - **Melon, Serpent**, see Melons, except Watermelon, VC 0046
    - *Cucumis melo* L., var. *flexuosus* (L.) Naudin.
  - **Melon, Snake**, see Melons, except Watermelon, VC 0046
    - synonym of Melon, Serpent
  - **Melon, Snap**, see Melons, except Watermelon, VC 0046
    - *Acanthosicyos horridus* Welw. Ex Benth. & Hook. f.
  - **Melon, White-skinned**, see Melons, except Watermelon, VC 0046
    - Cultivars of *Cucumis melo* L. subsp. *melo* var. *inodorus* H. Jacq.
  - **Melon, Winter**, see Melons, except Watermelon, VC 0046
    - synonym of Melons, White-skinned, see **there**
  - **Muskmelon**, see Melons, except Watermelon, VC 0046
    - Cultivar of *Cucumis melo* L.; *C. melo* L. var. *melo*
  - **Oriental melon**, see Korean melon, see VC 2672
  - **Vine peach**, see Melons, except Watermelon, VC 0046
    - *Cucumis melo* L. subsp. *agrestis* (Naudin) Pangalo var. *chito* (*C. Morren*) Naudin
- VC 0432      **Watermelon**
- *Citrullus lanatus* (Thunb.) Matsum. & Nakai var. *lanatus*
    - syn: *C. vulgaris* Schrad.; *Colocynthis citrullus* (L.) O. Ktze.

## Subgroup 011C Fruiting vegetables, Cucurbits - Winter squashes

<u>Code No.</u>	<u>Commodity</u>
VC 2041	Fruiting vegetables, Cucurbits – Winter squashes (includes all commodities in this subgroup)
-	<b>Acorn squash</b> , see Winter squash, VC 0433 <i>Cucurbita pepo</i> var. <i>ovifera</i> (L.) Harz
-	<b>Butternut squash</b> , see Winter squash, VC 0433 <i>Cucurbita moschata</i> Duchesne
-	<b>Calabaza</b> , see Winter squash, VC 0433 <i>Cucurbita pepo</i> L.
-	<b>Cheese pumpkin</b> , see Pumpkins, VC 0429 <i>Cucurbita moschata</i> Duchesne
-	<b>Chinese wax gourd</b> , see Wax gourd, VC 0434
-	<b>Cucumber, Armenian</b> , see Melon, Serpent
-	<b>Cushaws</b> , see Pumpkins, VC 0429 Mature cultivars of <i>Cucurbita argyrosperma</i> C. Huber
-	<b>Giant pumpkin</b> , see Pumpkins, VC 0429 <i>Cucurbita moschata</i> Duchesne
-	<b>Hubbard squash</b> , see Winter squash, VC 0433 <i>Cucurbita maxima</i> Duchesne
VC 2680	<b>Indian round gourd</b> <i>Praecitrullus fistulosus</i> (Stocks) Pangalo
-	<b>Marrow</b> (late variety), see Pumpkins, VC 0429
-	<b>Pumpkin</b> , see Pumpkins, VC 0429 <i>Cucurbita pepo</i> L.; <i>C. pepo</i> L. subsp. <i>pepo</i>
VC 0429	<b>Pumpkins</b> Mature cultivars of <i>Cucurbita maxima</i> Duchesne; <i>Cucurbita argyrosperma</i> C. Huber; <i>C. moschata</i> Duchesne; <i>C. pepo</i> L. and <i>C. pepo</i> L. subsp. <i>pepo</i>
-	<b>Silver Seed gourd</b> , see Pumpkins, VC 0429 <i>Cucurbita argyrosperma</i> C. Huber
-	<b>Spaghetti squash</b> , see Winter squash, VC 0433 <i>Cucurbita pepo</i> subsp. <i>pepo</i>
VC 0434	<b>Wax gourd</b> <i>Benincasa hispida</i> (Thunb.) Cogn.; syn: <i>B. cerifera</i> Savi
VC 0433	<b>Winter squash</b> , see also Pumpkins VC 0429 Mature cultivars of <i>Cucurbita maxima</i> Duchesne; <i>C. maxima</i> subsp. <i>maxima</i> ; <i>C. moschata</i> Duchesne; <i>C. pepo</i> (L.); <i>Cucurbita pepo</i> subsp. <i>pepo</i> and <i>Cucurbita pepo</i> var. <i>ovifera</i> (L.) Harz

**APPENDIX II<sup>4</sup>****LEGUME VEGETABLES****Class A**

Type 2	Vegetables	Group 014	Group Letter Code VP
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Group 014. Legume vegetables are derived from the succulent seed and immature pods of leguminous plants commonly known as beans and peas.

Pods are fully exposed to pesticides during the growing season, whereas the succulent seed is protected within the pod from most pesticides, except pesticides with systemic action.

The succulent forms may be consumed as whole pods or as the shelled product. Immature soya bean is usually marketed and served with pods, but pods are not edible and only succulent seeds are eaten.

This group contains 4 subgroups based on the morphology and growing practise:

14A Beans with pods

14B Peas with pods

14C Succulent beans without pods

14D Succulent peas without pods

Portion of the commodity to which the MRL applies (and which is analysed): Whole commodity, unless otherwise specified.

<b>Group 014</b> <b>Code No.</b>	<b>Legume vegetables</b> <b>Commodity</b>
VP 0060	<b>Legume vegetables</b>
<b>Subgroup 14A</b> <b>Code No.</b>	<b>Beans with pods</b> <b>Commodity</b>
VP 2060	<b>Beans with pods</b> (includes all commodities in this subgroup)
VP 0061	<b>Beans (<i>Phaseolus</i> spp.)</b> (green pods and immature seeds)
VP 2840	<b>Beans with pods (<i>Vigna</i> spp.)</b> (green pods and immature seeds)
-	<b>Asparagus bean</b> (pods), see Yard-long bean, VP 0544
-	<b>Asparagus pea</b> (pods), see Goa bean, VP 0530
-	<b>Black gram</b> (green pods), see Urd bean, VP 0521
-	<b>Bonavist bean</b> (young pods and immature seeds), see Lablab bean, VP 0531
VP 0522	<b>Broad bean</b> (green pods and immature seeds) <i>Vicia faba</i> L. subsp. <i>faba</i> , var. <i>faba</i>
VP 2841	<b>Catjang</b> (immature pods and green seeds) <i>Vigna unguiculata</i> (L.) Walp. subsp <i>cylindrical</i> (L.) Verdc. syn: <i>Dolichos catjang</i> Burm.
-	<b>Chinese longbean</b> , see Yard-long bean, VP 0544
-	<b>Cluster bean</b> (young pods), see Guar, VP 0525
VP 0526	<b>Common bean</b> (pods and immature seeds) <i>Phaseolus vulgaris</i> L., several cultivars

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<sup>4</sup> As extracted from REP14/PR-Appendix XI.

VP 0527	<b>Cowpea</b> (immature pods) <i>Vigna unguiculata</i> (L.) Walp. subsp. <i>unguiculata</i>
-	<b>Four-angled bean</b> (immature pods), see Goa bean, VP 0530
-	<b>French bean</b> (immature pods and seeds), see Common bean (pods and immature seeds), VP 0526
-	<b>Garden bean</b> , see see Common bean, VP 0526
VP 0530	<b>Goa bean</b> (immature pods) <i>Psophocarpus tetragonolobus</i> (L.) DC.
-	<b>Green bean</b> (green pods and immature seeds), see Common bean (pods and immature seeds), VP 0526
-	<b>Green gram</b> (green pods), see Mung bean, VP 0536
-	<b>Green soya bean</b> , see Soya bean (succulent seeds in pods), VP 0546
VP 0525	<b>Guar</b> (young pods) <i>Cyamopsis tetragonoloba</i> (L.) Taub; syn: <i>C. psoraloides</i> (lam.) DC.
-	<b>Haricot bean</b> (green pods, and immature seeds), see Common bean (pods and immature seeds), VP 0526
-	<b>Hyacinth bean</b> (young pods, and immature seeds), see Lablab bean (pods and immature seeds), VP 0531
VP 0532	<b>Jack bean</b> (young pods and immature seeds) <i>Canavalia ensiformis</i> (L.) DC.
-	<b>Kidney bean</b> (pods), see Common bean (pods and immature seeds), VP 0526
VP 0531	<b>Lablab bean</b> (pods and immature seeds) <i>Lablab purpureus</i> (L.) Sweet spp. <i>purpureus</i> syn: <i>Dolichos lablab</i> L.; <i>Lablab niger</i> Medik; <i>L. vulgaris</i> Savi
-	<b>Manila bean</b> (immature pods), see Goa bean (immature pods), VP 0530
-	<b>Mat bean</b> (green pods), see Moth bean (green pods), VP 0535
VP 0535	<b>Moth bean</b> (green pods) <i>Vigna aconitifolius</i> (Jacq.) Verde. syn: <i>Phaseolus aconitifolius</i> Jacq.; <i>Ph. trilobus</i> Ait;
VP 0536	<b>Mung bean</b> (green pods) <i>Vigna radiata</i> (L.) Wilczek, var. <i>radiata</i> ; syn: <i>Phaseolus aureus</i> Roxb;
VP 0539	<b>Rice bean</b> (young pods) <i>Vigna umbellata</i> (Thunb.) Ohwi eg Ohashi; syn: <i>V. calcarata</i> (Roxb.) Kurz; <i>Phaseolus calcaratus</i> Roxb.
-	<b>Runner bean</b> , see see Common bean, VP 0526
VP 0540	<b>Scarlet runner bean</b> (pods and seeds) <i>Phaseolus coccineus</i> L.
-	<b>Slicing bean</b> , see Common bean (pods and immature seeds), VP 0526
-	<b>Snap bean</b> (young pods), see Common bean, VP 0526
VP 0546	<b>Soya bean</b> (succulent seeds in pods) <i>Glycine max</i> (L.) Merr.;

VP 2842	<b>Stink bean</b> (pods and immature seeds) <i>Parkia speciosa</i> Hassk.
VP 0542	<b>Sword bean</b> (young pods and bean) <i>Canavalia gladiata</i> (Jacq.) DC.
VP 0521	<b>Urd bean</b> (green pods) <i>Vigna mungo</i> (L.) Hepper var. <i>mungo</i> syn: <i>Phaseolus mungo</i> L.;
-	<b>Vegetables soybean (edamame)</b> , see Soya bean (succulent seeds in pods), VP 0546
-	<b>Wax bean</b> , see Common bean, VP 0526
-	<b>Winged bean</b> (immature pods), see Goa bean, VP 0530
VP 0543	<b>Winged pea</b> (young pods) <i>Lotus tetragonolobus</i> L. syn: <i>Tetragonolobus purpureus</i> Moench
VP 0544	<b>Yard-long bean</b> (pods) <i>Vigna unguiculata</i> subsp. <i>sesquipedalis</i> (L.) Verdc.
<b>Subgroup 14B</b>	<b>Peas with pods</b>
<b>Code No.</b>	<b>Commodity</b>
VP 2061	<b>Peas with pods</b> (includes all commodities in this subgroup)
VP 0063	<b>Peas</b> (pods and succulent = immature seeds) <i>Pisum</i> spp.
-	<b>Dwarf pea</b> , see Podded pea (young pods), VP 0537
VP 0528	<b>Garden pea</b> (young pods) <i>Pisum sativum</i> L. var. <i>sativum</i>
VP 2850	<b>Grass pea</b> (young pods) <i>Lathyrus sativus</i> L.
VP 0533	<b>Lentil</b> (young pods) <i>L. culinaris</i> Medik subsp. <i>culinaris</i> syn: <i>Lens esculenta</i> Moench.; <i>Ervum lens</i> L.
-	<b>Mangetout or Mangetout pea</b> , see Podded pea
VP 0537	<b>Pigeon pea</b> (green pods and young green seeds) <i>Cajanus cajan</i> (L.) Millsp. syn: <i>C. indicus</i> Spreng.
VP 0538	<b>Podded pea</b> (young pods) <i>Pisum sativum</i> L., subsp. <i>sativum</i> var. <i>macrocarpon</i> Ser.; <i>P. sativum</i> L., spp. <i>sativum</i> , var. <i>sacharatum</i> <b>Red gram</b> (green pods and young green seeds), see Pigeon pea, VP 0537 <b>Snow pea</b> , see Podded pea (young pods), VP 0537 <b>Sugar pea</b> (young pods), see Podded pea, VP 0538 <i>Pisum sativum</i> L., spp. <i>sativum</i> , var. <i>sacharatum</i>

<b>Subgroup 14C</b>	<b>Succulent beans without pods</b>
<b>Code No.</b>	<b>Commodity</b>
VP 2062	<b>Succulent beans without pods</b> (includes all commodities in this subgroup)
VP 0062	<b>Beans without pods (<i>Phaseolus</i> spp.)</b> (succulent seeds)
VP 2860	<b>Beans without pods (<i>Vigna</i> spp.)</b> (succulent seeds)
VP 0520	<b>Bambara groundnut</b> (immature seeds) <i>Voandzeia subterranea</i> (L.) Thou.
-	<b>Blackeyed peas</b> (succulent seeds), see Cowpea (succulent seeds), VP 2863
-	<b>Bonavist bean</b> (immature seeds), see Lablab bean, VP 2864
VP 0523	<b>Broad bean, shelled</b> (succulent) (immature seeds) <i>Vicia faba</i> L. subsp. <i>faba</i> , var. <i>faba</i>
VP 2861	<b>Catjang</b> (succulent seeds) <i>Vigna unguiculata</i> (L.) Walp. subsp <i>cylindrical</i> (L.) Verdc. syn: <i>Dolichos catjang</i> Burm.
VP 2862	<b>Common bean</b> (succulent seeds) <i>Phaseolus vulgaris</i> L., several cultivars
VP 2863	<b>Cowpea</b> (succulent seeds) <i>Vigna unguiculata</i> (L.) Walp. subsp. <i>unguiculata</i>
-	<b>Fava bean</b> (immature beans), see Broad bean, shelled, VP 0523
-	<b>Flageolet</b> (fresh beans), see Common bean (succulent seeds), VP 2862
VP 0530	<b>Goa bean</b> (succulent seeds) <i>Psophocarpus tetragonolobus</i> (L.) DC.
-	<b>Hyacinth bean</b> (immature seeds), see Lablab bean (succulent seeds), VP 2864
VP 2864	<b>Jack bean</b> (immature seeds) <i>Canavalia ensiformis</i> (L.) DC.
VP 2865	<b>Lablab bean</b> (succulent seeds) <i>Lablab purpureus</i> (L.) Sweet spp. <i>purpureus</i> syn: <i>Dolichos lablab</i> L.; <i>Lablab niger</i> Medik; <i>L. vulgaris</i> Savi
VP 0534	<b>Lima bean</b> (succulent seeds) <i>Phaseolus lunatus</i> L.; syn: <i>Ph. limensis</i> Macf.; <i>Ph. inamoenus</i> L.
VP 0545	<b>Lupin</b> <i>Lupinus</i> spp, sweet spp., varieties and cultivars with a low alkaloid content
-	<b>Mat bean</b> (fresh seeds), see Moth bean (fresh seeds), VP 2866
VP 2866	<b>Moth bean</b> (fresh seeds) <i>Vigna aconitifolius</i> (Jacq.) Verde. syn: <i>Phaseolus aconitifolius</i> Jacq.; <i>Ph. trilobus</i> Ait;

VP 0540	<b>Scarlet runner bean</b> (succulent seeds) <i>Phaseolus coccineus</i> L.
-	<b>Sieva bean</b> (green fresh beans), see Lima bean, VP 0534
-	<b>Southern pea</b> , see Cowpea (succulent seeds), VP 2863
VP 0541	<b>Soya bean</b> (succulent seeds) <i>Glycine max</i> (L.) Merr.;
-	<b>Soybean</b> , see Soya bean (succulent seeds), VP 0541
VP 2867	<b>Stink bean</b> (succulent seeds) <i>Parkia speciosa</i> Hassk.
VP 2868	<b>Velvet bean</b> <i>Mucuna Pruriens</i> (L.) DC.
<b>Subgroup 14D</b>	<b>Succulent peas without pods</b>
<b>Code No.</b>	<b>Commodity</b>
VP 2063	<b>Succulent peas without pods</b> (includes all commodities in this subgroup)
VP 0064	<b>Peas without pods</b> (succulent seeds) <i>Pisum</i> spp.
VP 0524	<b>Chick-pea</b> (succulent seeds) <i>Cicer arietinum</i> L.
-	<b>Garbanzos</b> , see Chick-pea (succulent seeds), VP0524
VP 0529	<b>Garden pea</b> , (succulent seeds) <i>Pisum sativum</i> L. var. <i>sativum</i>
-	<b>Green pea</b> , see Garden pea (succulent seeds, VP 0529)
VP 2881	<b>Lentil</b> (succulent seeds) <i>L. culinaris</i> Medik subsp. <i>culinaris</i> syn: <i>Lens esculenta</i> Moench.; <i>Ervum lens</i> L.
VP 2882	<b>Pigeon pea</b> (young green seeds) <i>Cajanus cajan</i> (L.) Millsp.; syn: <i>C. indicus</i> Spreng.
-	<b>Red gram</b> (young green seeds), see Pigeon pea (young green seeds), VP 2882

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