



Electronic Working Group Invitation (EWG Invitation)

This message is sent on behalf of the United States of America.

Title:	Revision of the Classification of Food and Feed
Committee	Codex Committee on Pesticide Residues (CCPR)
Session	53 rd
Chair of EWG	The United States of America
Co-Chair	The Netherlands
Working Language	English
Description of work	<p>The EWG should:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">(i) continue working on Classes B Primary food commodities of animal origin and E Processed food commodities of animal origin of the <i>Classification of Food and Feed</i> (CXA 4-1989) and prepare tables of representative commodities;(ii) consider the proposals on the portion of the commodity to which maximum residue limits apply, and which is analyzed for Group 006 Assorted tropical and sub-tropical fruits - inedible peel and Group 023 Oilseeds; and(iii) review the <i>Guidelines on portion of commodities to which MRLs apply and which is analyzed</i> (CXG 41-1993) with a comparison to the <i>Classification of Food and Feed</i> (CXA 4-1989) to consider revocation of CXG41 to avoid coexistence of the two documents addressing the same provisions. The EWG should consider any provisions from CXG41 that could still be integrated into the revised Classification and make a proposal for consideration by CCPR54.
Timetable for work	The conclusions and recommendations of the EWG should be submitted to the Codex Secretariat for distribution and consideration by CCPR54 by not later than 25 March 2023
Email for registration	uscodex@usda.gov with a copy to info@codexalimentarius.nl
Registration deadline	15 September 2022
EWG online platform	Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>

Codex Members and Observers are invited to register their experts for this EWG.

When there is more than one expert, each country or observer organization shall designate **one** as the official representative to participate in the EWG.

Applications should be sent through the Codex Contact Point (CCP) of the member or recognized observer organization in an email detailing:

- participant's name
- official title or position
- country or organization
- email address

The EWG platform

Link: <http://forum.codex-alimentarius.net/index.php>

User-Group name: **CCPR-Classification (2022)**

The platform will require members to login.

New participants to the platform should first register ([online guide](#), [video tutorial](#))

Those participants who have previously registered on the platform can request to join the user-group directly.

The EWG Chair will give participants access to the group online once they have verified their credentials so please ensure that you follow the procedure for applications and email the chair through your CCP even if you are already registered on the platform.

Programme and timeline

The work programme and timelines will be circulated to members of the EWG soon after its establishment.

We look forward to your participation.

EWG Chair and Co-Chair (USA and Netherlands)

Codex Contact Points of USA and Netherlands