

Commission Directive 98/53/EC of 16 July 1998 laying down the sampling methods and the methods of analysis for the official control of the levels for certain contaminants in foodstuffs (Text with EEA relevance) (repealed)

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ANNEX I

Methods of sampling for official checking control  
of the levels of aflatoxins in certain foodstuffs

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  - 3.1. Personnel
  - 3.2. Material to be sampled
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  - 3.5. Preparation of the aggregate sample and the laboratory samples (subsamples)...
  - 3.6. Replicate samples
  - 3.7. Packaging and transmission of laboratory samples
  - 3.8. Sealing and labelling of laboratory samples
4. Explanatory provisions
  - 4.1. Different types of lots
  - 4.2. Weight of the incremental sample
  - 4.3. Number of incremental samples for lots of less than 15...
5. Specific provisions
  - 5.1. General survey of the sampling procedure for groundnuts, nuts, dried...
  - 5.2. Groundnuts, pistachios and Brazil nuts
    - 5.2.1. ....
    - 5.2.2. ....
  - 5.3. Nuts other than groundnuts, pistachios and Brazil nuts
    - 5.3.1. ....
    - 5.3.2. ....
  - 5.4. Milk
    - 5.4.1. ....
    - 5.4.2. ....
  - 5.5. Derived products and compound foods
    - 5.5.1. ....
      - 5.5.1.1. ....

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- 5.5.1.2. ....
- 5.5.2. ....
  - 5.5.2.1. ....
  - 5.5.2.2. ....
  - 5.5.2.3. ....
- 5.6. Other derived products with a relatively large particle size (heterogeneous...
- 5.7. Foods intended for infants and young children
  - 5.7.1. ....
  - 5.7.2. ....
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## ANNEX II

Sample preparation and criteria for methods of analysis used in official checking of the levels of aflatoxins in certain foodstuffs

1. Introduction
  - 1.1. Precautions
  - 1.2. Calculation of proportion of shell/kernel of whole nuts
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  - 4.1. Definitions
  - 4.2. General requirements
  - 4.3. Specific requirements
  - 4.4. Recovery calculation and reporting of results
  - 4.5. Laboratory quality standards