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Under the authority of the Pest Control Products Act, Health Canada's Pest Management Regulatory Agency (PMRA) has added new uses on a number of leafy vegetable commodities to the product label of Pristine WG Fungicide, containing technical grade boscalid. The specific uses approved in Canada are detailed on the label of Pristine WG Fungicide, *Pest Control Products Act* Registration Number 27985.

Corresponding maximum residue limits (MRLs) were proposed in the consultation document published on 25 June 2010, *Proposed Maximum Residue Limit PMRL2010-37, Boscalid*. The PMRA received no comments in response to this consultation.

To comply with Canada's international trade obligations, consultation on the proposed MRLs was also conducted internationally by notifying the World Trade Organization, as coordinated by the Standards Council of Canada. No comments were received as a result of the World Trade Organization consultation.

The following MRLs take legal effect as of the publication date of this document and replace the previously established 1.0 ppm MRL for the listed leafy vegetables. However, note that the established 1.0 ppm MRL remains in effect for all leafy vegetable commodities (Crop Group 4) not listed below.

Established Maximum Residue Limits for Boscalid

Common Name	Residue Definition	MRL (ppm)	Food Commodity
Boscalid	2-chloro- <i>N</i> -(4'-chloro[1,1'-biphenyl]-2-yl)-3-pyridinecarboxamide	60	New Zealand spinach, spinach, vine spinach
		45	Cardoon, celery, celtuce, Chinese celery, fresh Florence fennel leaves and stalks, rhubarb, Swiss chard

A complete list of all pesticide MRLs established in Canada can be found on the Maximum Residue Limits for Pesticides webpage in the Pesticides and Pest Management section of Health Canada's website.