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**Report Highlights:**

On February, 2027, Japan's Ministry of Health, Labour and Welfare announced revisions to Japan's maximum residue levels for eight agricultural chemicals (Carbosulfan, Carbofuran, Benfuracarb, Cyclaniliprole, Diquat, Tebuconazole, Broflanilide, and Benzpyrimozan). Interested U.S. parties are encouraged to submit their comments to [PlantDivision@usda.gov](mailto:PlantDivision@usda.gov) by March 9, 2020. Japan will subsequently notify these revisions to the World Trade Organization, which will provide another opportunity to comment.

The attached document contains changes to the maximum residue levels of agricultural chemicals proposed by Japan's Ministry of Health, Labour, and Welfare at the 231<sup>st</sup> Food Safety Group meeting.

**Attachments:**

[FSG231 \(English\).pdf](#)