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Safety of the Food Chain Chemicals, contaminants, pesticides

5th report on import controls in the frame of Regulation (EU) 297/2011

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13 countries provided feed back: 11 Member States (CY, DE, UK, GR, CZ, FIN, IT, DK, NL, BG and ES) and Norway (NO) and Switzerland (CH)

NL reported also on previous periods.

5 countries reported to have no analytical results available. 8 countries reported analytical results, in total 49 samples (28 products originating from Japan, 21 from fish from Pacific region):

UK: 1 sample DE: 8 samples GR: 8 samples IT: 2 samples NL: 13 samples ES: 7 samples NO: 1 sample CH: 9 samples

In all cases no detectable levels of Iodine-131, Caesium-134 and Caesium-137 were found.

In the samples from Spain (ES) also analysis was performed on the following radionuclides: Cr-51, Mn-54, Co-58, Fe-59, Co-60, Zn-65, Nb-95, Ru-103, Ba-14, La-140 and Ce-144. All results were below the limit of detection

In the samples from Switzerland (CH) also analysis was performed on the following radionuclides: K-40, Te-132 and I-132. All results were below the limit of detection (2 Bq/kg)

Detailed results in annex.