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(e) Synthetic petroleum wax is used or intended for use as follows:

Use	Limitations
In chewing gum base, as a masticatory substance.	In accordance with § 172.615 in an amount not to exceed good manufacturing prac- tice.
On cheese and raw fruits and vegetables as a protective coating. As a defoamer in food	In an amount not to exceed good manufacturing prac- tice. In accordance with § 173.340 of this chapter.

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## §172.890 Rice bran wax.

Rice bran wax may be safely used in food in accordance with the following conditions:

(a) It is the refined wax obtained from rice bran and meets the following specifications:

Melting point 75  $^{\circ}\mathrm{C}$  to 80  $^{\circ}\mathrm{C}.$ Free fatty acids, maximum 10 percent. Iodine number, maximum 20. Saponification number 75 to 120.

(b) It is used or intended for use as follows:

Food	Limitation in food	Use
Candy Fresh fruits and fresh vegetables.	50 p.p.m do	Coating. Do.
Chewing gum	21/2 pct	Plasticizing material.

## §172.892 Food starch-modified.

Food starch-modified as described in this section may be safely used in food. The quantity of any substance employed to effect such modification shall not exceed the amount reasonably required to accomplish the intended physical or technical effect, nor exceed any limitation prescribed. To insure safe use of the food starch-modified, the label of the food additive container shall bear the name of the additive "food starch-modified" in addition to other information required by the Act. Food starch may be modified by treatment prescribed as follows:

(a) Food starch may be acid-modified by treatment with hydrochloric acid or sulfuric acid or both.

(b) Food starch may be bleached by treatment with one or more of the following:

## §172.892

	Limitations
Active oxygen obtained from hy- drogen peroxide and/or per- acetic acid, not to exceed 0.45 percent of active oxygen. Ammonium persulfate, not to ex- ceed 0.075 percent and sulfur dioxide, not to exceed 0.05 per- cent.	
Chlorine, as calcium hypochlorite, not to exceed 0.036 percent of dry starch.	The finished food starch- modified is limited to use only as a compo- nent of batter for com- mercially processed foods.
Chlorine, as sodium hypochlorite, not to exceed 0.0082 pound of chlorine per pound of dry starch.	
Potassium permanganate, not to exceed 0.2 percent.	Residual manganese (calculated as Mn), not to exceed 50 parts per million in food starch- modified.
Sodium chlorite, not to exceed 0.5 percent.	

(c) Food starch may be oxidized by treatment with chlorine, as sodium hypochlorite, not to exceed 0.055 pound of chlorine per pound of dry starch.

(d) Food starch may be esterified by treatment with one of the following:

	Limitations
Acetic anhydride	Acetyl groups in food starch-modified not to exceed 2.5 percent.
0.12 percent, and acetic anhy- dride.	Do.
Monosodium orthophosphate	Residual phosphate in food starch-modified not to exceed 0.4 per- cent calculated as phosphorus.
1-Octenyl succinic anhydride, not to exceed 3 percent.	
1-Octenyl succinic anhydride, not to exceed 2 percent, and alu- minum sulfate, not to exceed 2 percent.	
<ol> <li>Octenyl succinic anhydride, not to exceed 3 percent, followed by treatment with a <i>beta</i>-amy- lase enzyme that is either an approved food additive of is generally recognized as safe.</li> <li>Phosphorus oxychloride, not to</li> </ol>	Limited to use as a sta- bilizer or emulsifier in beverages and bev- erage bases as de- fined in § 170.3(n)(3) of this chapter.
exceed 0.1 percent. Phosphorus oxychloride, not to exceed 0.1 percent, followed by either acetic anhydride, not to exceed 8 percent, or vinyl ace- tate, not to exceed 7.5 percent.	Acetyl groups in food starch-modified not to exceed 2.5 percent.
Sodium trimetaphosphate	Residual phosphate in food starch-modified not to exceed 0.04 percent, calculated as phosphorus.