

## Tolerance limits for energy and nutrients declarations on nutrition labels

	U.S.A.	Canada	Thailand <sup>1</sup>	Taiwan	Korea	Japan	Singapore	The Mainland (proposed)
<b>Energy</b>	≤ 120%	≤ 120%	± 20%	± 20%	≤ 120%	± 20%	≤ 120%	± 20%
<b>Protein</b>	Added: ≥ 100% Other cases: ≥ 80%	≥ 80%	± 20%	± 20%	≥ 80%	± 20%	Added: ≥ 100% Natural: ≥ 80%	± 20%
<b>Carbohydrate</b>	≥ 80% (total and other carbohydrate)	≥ 80% (total carbohydrate and starch)	± 20%	± 20%	≥ 80%	± 20%	≤ 120%	± 20%
<b>Total Fat</b>	≤ 120%	≤ 120%	± 20%	± 20%	≤ 120%	± 20%	≤ 120%	± 20%
<b>Saturated Fat</b>	≤ 120%	≤ 120% (sat fat, transfat)	± 20%	± 20% <sup>2</sup>	≤ 120%	± 20%	≤ 120% <sup>2</sup>	± 20%
<b>Other Fatty Acids (except transfat)</b>	≥ 80% (Monounsaturat, Polyunsaturat fatty acids)	≥ 80% (Monounsaturat, Polyunsaturat, omega-3, omega-6 fatty acids)	---	---	---	---	---	---
<b>Sodium</b>	≤ 120%	≤ 120%	± 20% (?)	± 20%	≤ 120%	± 20%	≤ 120%	≤ 120%

<sup>1</sup> Thai FDA does not specify the tolerance limits. Values presented are for internal reference only.

<sup>2</sup> Assuming tolerance limits for saturated fat and sugars are the same as total fat and carbohydrate, respectively.

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<b>Cholesterol</b>	≤ 120%	≤ 120%	± 20%	---	≤ 120%	± 20%	≤ 120%	± 20%
<b>Sugars</b>	≤ 120%	≤ 120% (sugars, sugar alcohol)	± 20%	---	≤ 120%	± 20%	≤ 120% <sup>2</sup>	± 20%
<b>Dietary Fibre</b>	Added: ≥ 100% Other cases: ≥ 80%	≥ 80% (total, soluble and insoluble fibers)	± 20%	---	≥ 80%	± 20%	Natural: ≥ 80%	± 20%
<b>Vitamins</b>	Added: ≥ 100% Other cases: ≥ 80%	Added: ≥ 100% Other cases: ≥ 80%	Added: ≥ 100% Natural: -20% to ≤ 80% RDA per serving	---	≥ 80%	Vitamins A, D, E : -20% to +50% Vitamins B1, B2, B6, B12, C, niacin, pantothenic acid, biotin, folic acid : -20% to +80%	Added: ≥ 100% Natural: ≥ 80%	Vitamins A, D : -20% to +80% Other vitamins : -20% to +250% (or no upper limit)
<b>Minerals</b>	Added: ≥ 100% Other cases: ≥ 80%	Added: ≥ 100% Other cases: ≥ 80%	Added: ≥ 100% Natural: -20% to ≤ 80% RDA per serving	---	≥ 80%	Ca, Zn, Fe, Cu, Mg : -20% to 50%	Added: ≥ 100% Natural: ≥ 80%	-25% to +25% (or no upper limit)