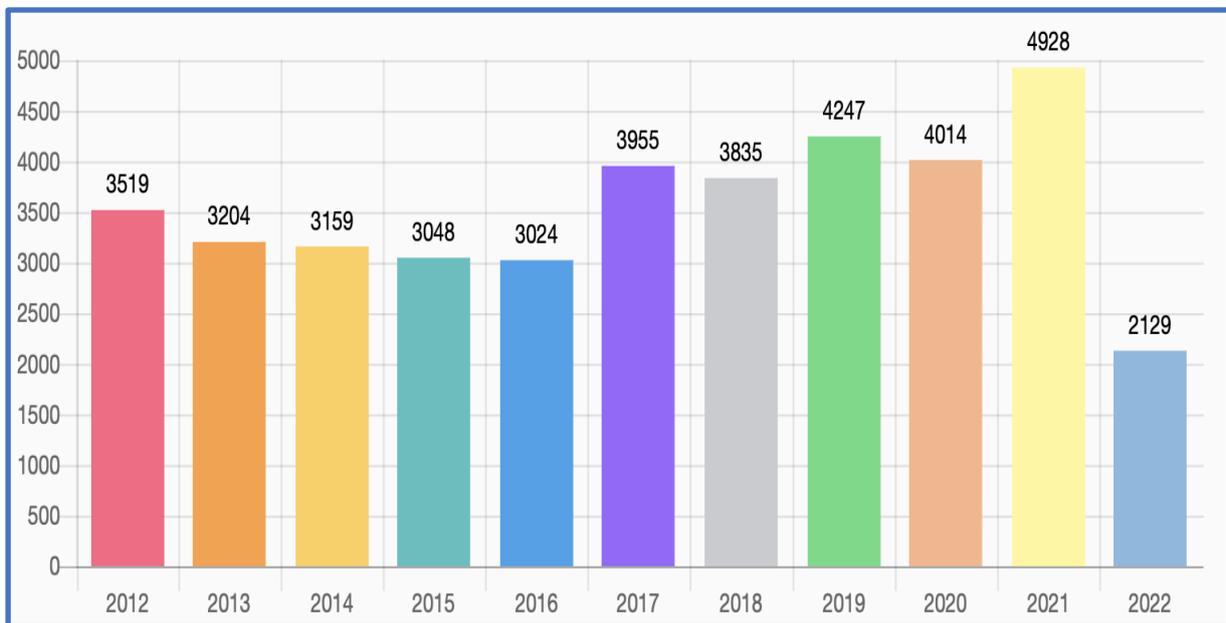
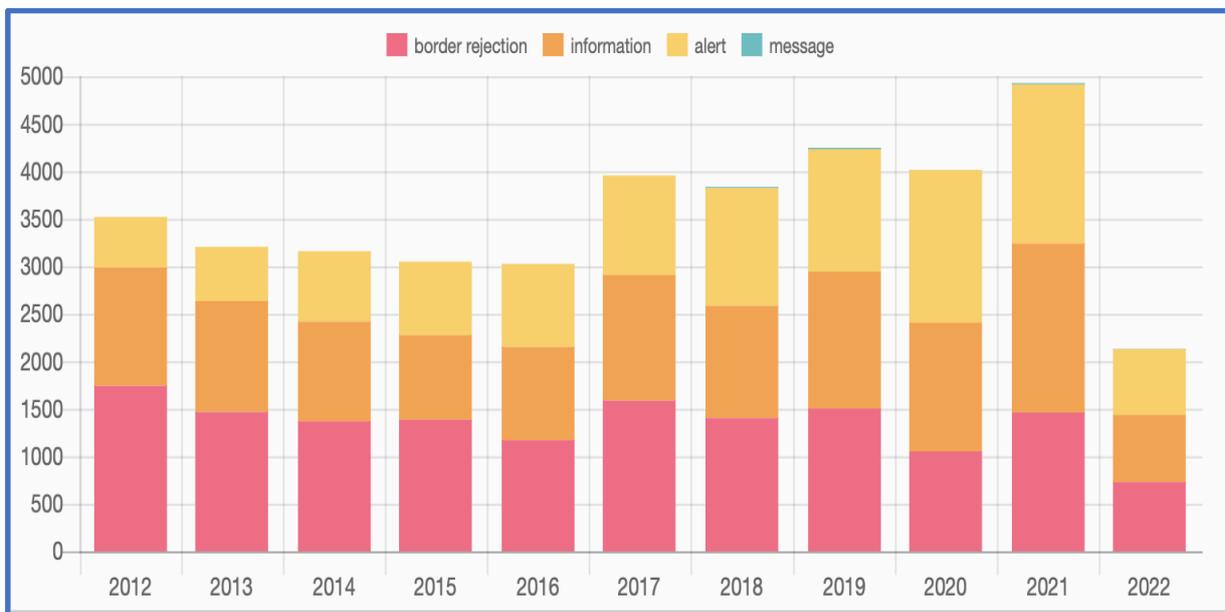


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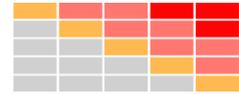
Newsletter



RASFF notifications and notifications from the Monthly Food Fraud Summary Reports (EU)



Notifications according to the type of notification (from the dashboard on www.safefood.online.de)



Dear Safefood-Online users,

We are pleased that the new module "Trend Analysis", which we recently launched, was very well received. In this newsletter you will find, as usual, the evaluation of the notifications from May 2022 together with interesting links on the topics of food safety and food fraud.

Last but not least:

Can dogs live vegan? A new [study](#) has shown that a vegan diet may be more beneficial for dogs than a meat-based diet.

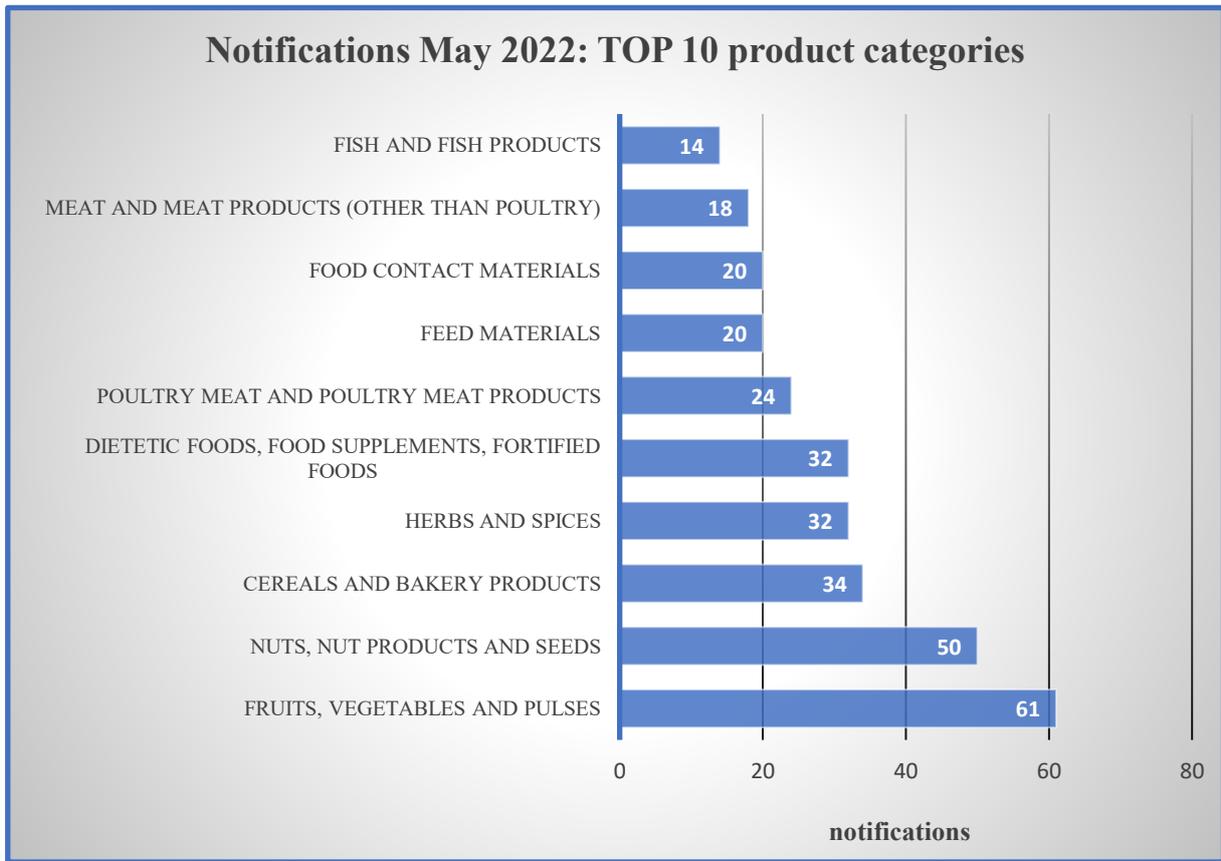
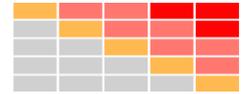
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1 Notifications in Safefood Online: May 2022

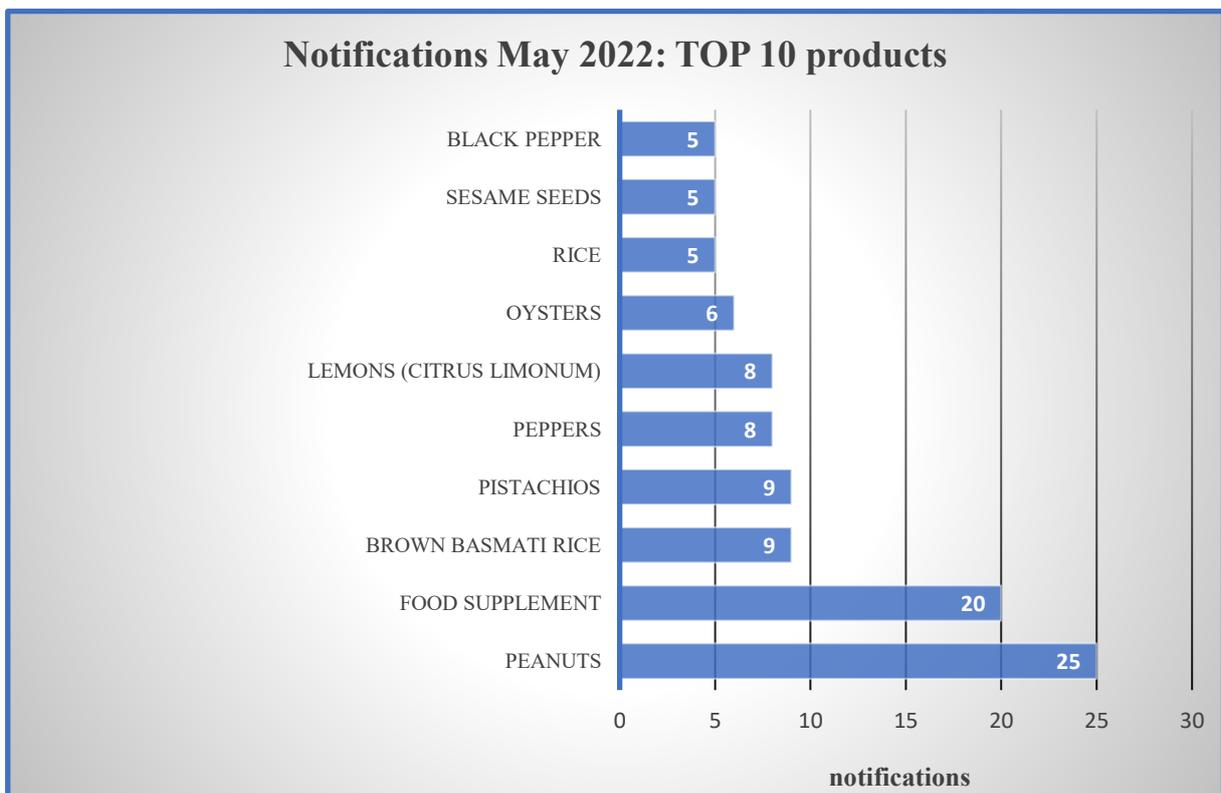
In May, there were 382 new notifications in Safefood Online (compared to 381 notifications in the previous month).

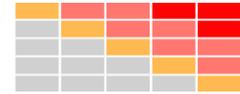
Note: The comparison only takes into account the RASFF notifications, as the notifications from the EU Monthly Food Fraud Summary Report are not available before the middle of the following month.

Fruits vegetables and pulses are at the top of the notifications by product group with 61 notifications. In this product group, the number of notifications on chlorpyrifos (with chlorpyrifos-ethyl and chlorpyrifos-methyl) decreased again: in May there were 19 notifications compared to 32 notifications in April and 63 notifications in March. The product groups nuts, nut products and seeds (50 notifications) and cereals and bakery products (34 notifications) ranked second and third. Here, 13 notifications concerned aflatoxins, especially in rice with 11 notifications:



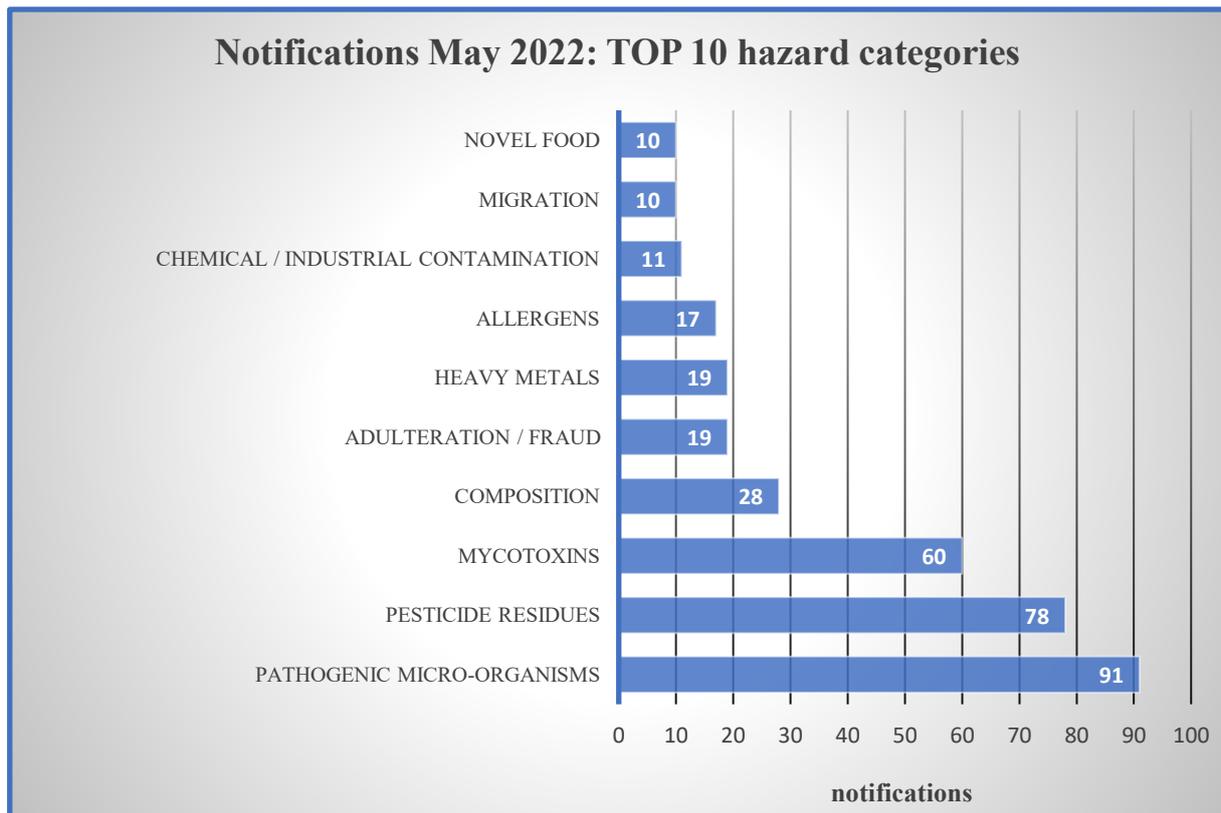
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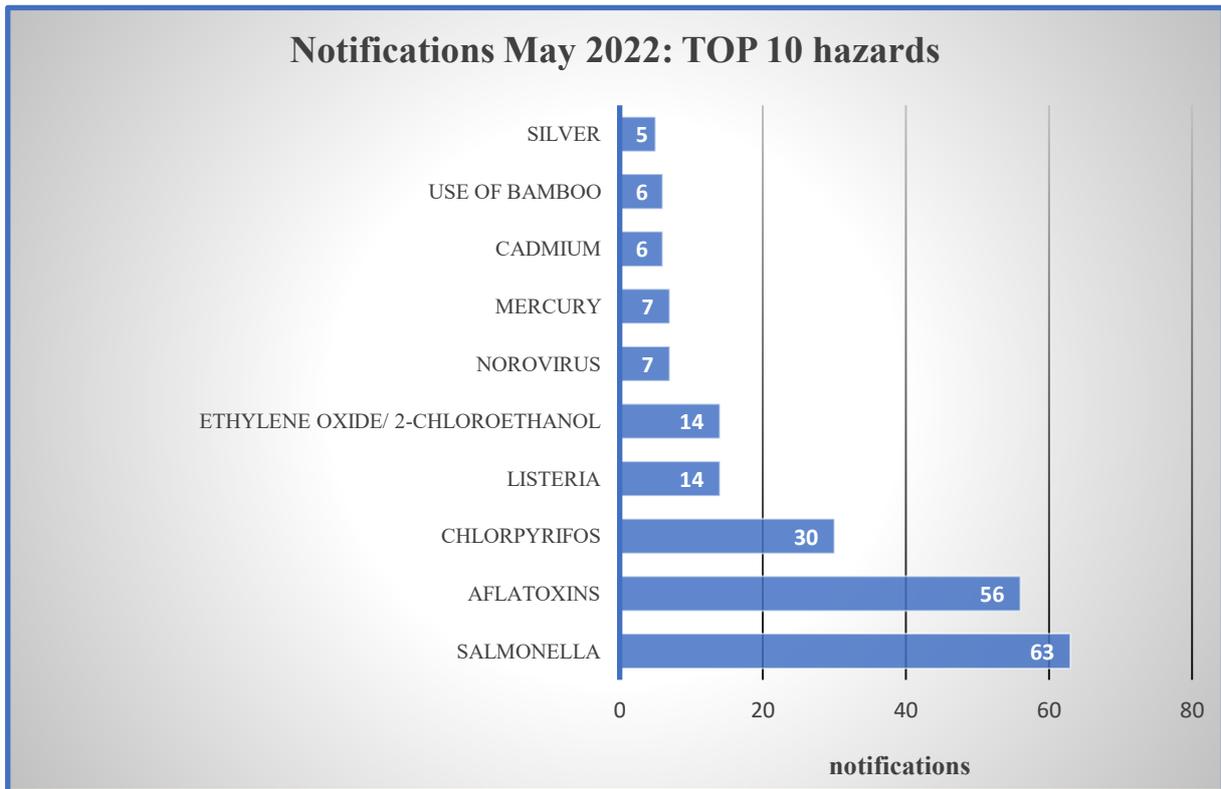
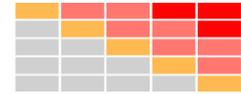


According to products, peanuts are in first place in May with 25 notifications. Except for one notification, they were caused by aflatoxins. The second and third places are taken by food supplements with 20 notifications and pistachios with 9 notifications.

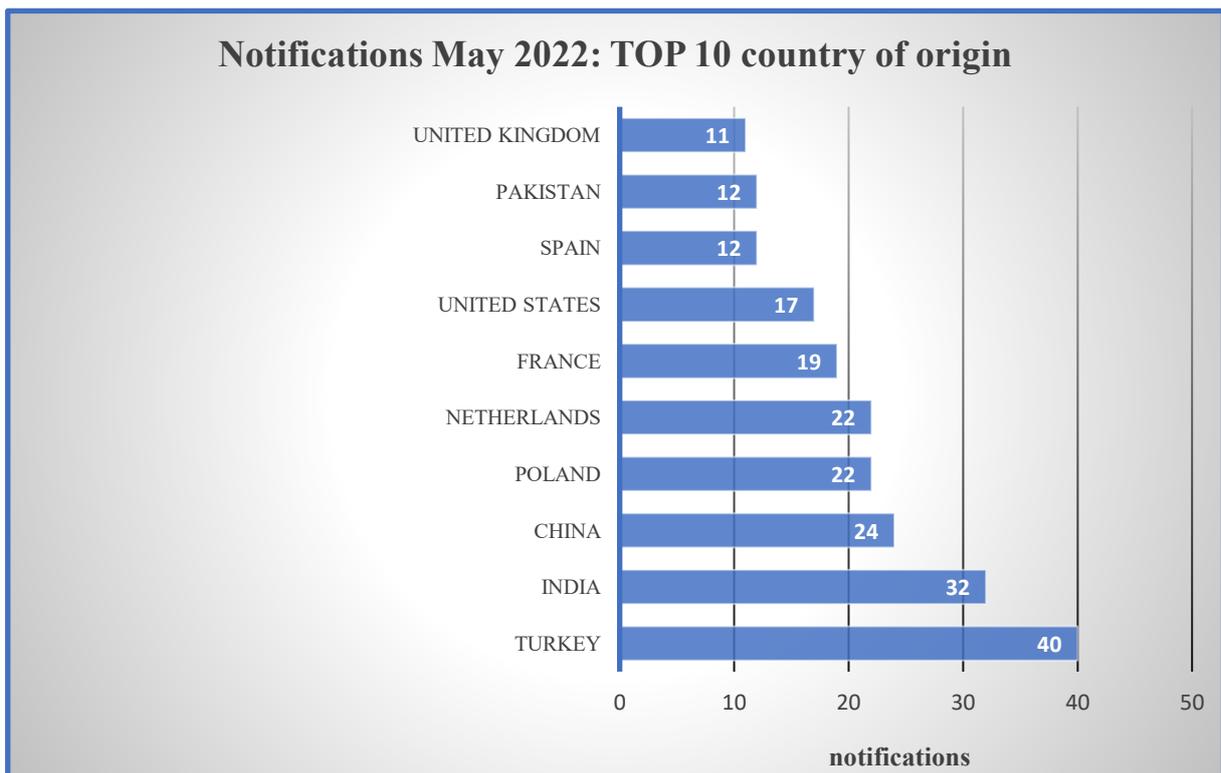
In the evaluation of notifications according to hazard categories, notifications on pathogenic micro-organisms were in first place in May (91 notifications), followed by pesticides with 78 notifications and mycotoxins with 60 notifications.

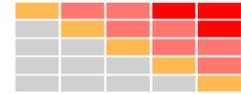


The most notifications in the past month were for salmonella (63 notifications) and aflatoxins (56 notifications). While notifications in total on chlorpyrifos remained at the level of the previous month, notifications on ethylene oxide/ 2-chloroethanol decreased (14 notifications compared to 31 notifications in April):



The evaluation of the notifications by country of origin gives the following ranking (see graph “: Notification May 2022: TOP 10 country of origin”). 48 products originated from Turkey, mainly notifications (20) on peppers, followed by India (41 notifications, including 14 notifications on peanuts and 13 notifications on food supplements) and Poland (24 notifications, including 17 notifications on poultry).

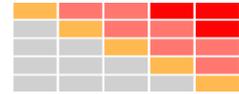




In May, Turkey had the largest number of notifications (40), especially for lemons, peppers, grapefruits and dried figs, followed by India (peanuts, cumin and rice) with 32 notifications and China with 24 notifications.

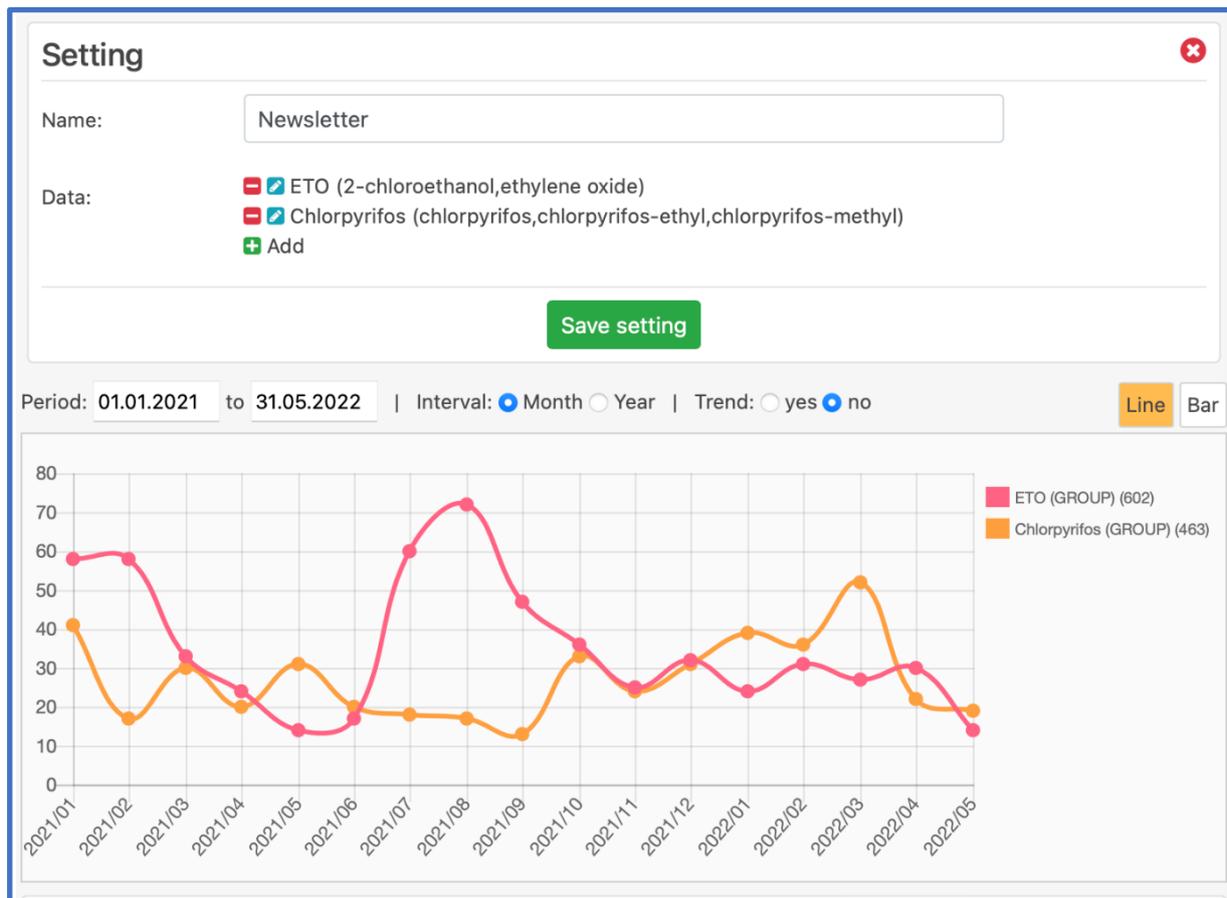
2 NEWS

product/ issue	content
Food Safety	New Zealand: Food recall guidance for businesses
Food Safety	UK: again delays for full checks on EU food imports
Food Safety	Canada: More poppy seeds recalled in Canada over Salmonella concerns
Food Fraud	Italy: authorities are seizing 2,3 million of mislabeled olive oil
Food Safety	EU: Bericht über die amtliche Kontrolle in den Mitgliedsstaaten der Jahre 2019 und 2020
Food Fraud	India: Fake salt packing factory busted
Food Fraud	Canada: Food Fraud Annual Report 2020 to 2021
Food Safety	US: Measures to mitigate aflatoxin infections in maize
Food Safety	"PARC": EU research partnership on chemical risk assessment launches
Food Safety	salmonella peanut butter outbreaks: what have we learned since 2008?
Food Fraud	A new tool to verify the geographical origins of virgin olive oil
Food Safety	UK: Genetic editing spliced into UK law
Food Fraud	Honey fraud in the Philippines
Food Safety	Codex Alimentarius plans news guidance on food fraud
Food Safety	US: Chocolate Company recalls chocolate products made with Jif peanut butter
Food Safety	Canada:peanut butter recalled in Canada because of Salmonella outbreak in U.S.
Food Safety	US: FDA-Overview about Recalls of Food Products Associated with Peanut Butter
Food Safety	Canada, US: Fresh organic strawberries likely spread hepatitis A
Food Fraud	Meat and eggs among items seized by authorities in Portugal



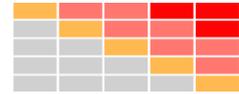
3 Questions and answers regarding the database Safefood Online

In the April newsletter, we presented the new features of the Dashboard and the new trend analysis module in detail. Now we would like to show you a practical application: a quick overview of the development of notifications for the hazards chlorpyrifos and ethylene oxide/2-chloroethanol. For this purpose, we have selected the option "Trend analysis hazard source" in the Trend analysis module and grouped ethylene oxide, 2 chloroethanol and chlorpyrifos, chlorpyrifos-ethyl and chlorpyrifos-methyl. We selected 01.01.2021 to 31.05.2022 as the query period, as well as a monthly presentation:



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