

Advice 29-2009 of the Scientific Committee of the FASFC on endocrine disruptors.

This advice concerns a self-tasking case study on endocrine disruptors in the food chain aimed at presenting a synthesis of current knowledge on the subject and to make recommendations for the control program of the Federal Agency for the Safety of the Food Chain (FASFC) and for scientific research. Phytoestrogens (natural), chemical contaminants (persistent organic pollutants such as organochlorine pesticides and their metabolites), industrial products (such as bisphenol A) and pharmaceuticals are considered.

The Scientific Committee particularly recommends to control the presence of phytoestrogens in novel food and food supplements.

The full text is available on this website in dutch and in french, respectively under the section "Wetenschappelijk Comité/Adviezen" and "Comité scientifique/Avis".