

To: LEPL National Food Agency
 Ministry of Environment and Agriculture of Georgia

Danone is aware of the recalls Nestle has issued due to the possible presence of cereulide in its baby formulas. Cereulide can be produced by the micro-organism of Bacillus Cereus in case of failure in GMP (Good Manufacturing Practices).

At Danone, the health of babies is our top priority. All Danone baby formulas meet our high safety and quality standards, are manufactured in line with GMP (Good Manufacturing Practices) and HACCP standards and are systematically checked before they leave our factory. Our quality controls and release data have confirmed no irregularities or deviations in relation to Bacillus Cereus have been found and confirmed all products are safe and compliant with EU regulations.

Nevertheless, we take this alert about a potential upstream issue with cereulide in ARA oil extremely seriously. As a precaution, our global team has conducted a thorough traceability analysis of batches of ingredients (being those produced closest in time to Nestle’s impacted products) and testing of base powder and finished goods.

On 2nd February 2026, the European Food Safety Authority (EFSA) published a guidance notice [[EFSA provides rapid risk assessment on cereulide in infant formula | EFSA \(europa.eu\)](#)] which has been translated into the following suggested action levels for cereulide in the relevant product (“Guidance”). This Guidance has been shared by the European Commission’s DG SANTE with EU Member States.

Action Thresholds & Applicability

Product / Scope	Target Age / Population	High Consumption Assumption	Action Threshold – Liquid	Action Threshold – Powder
Infant formula And Food for Special Medical Purposes (FSMP)	Infants (incl. <16 weeks)	260 ml/kg bw/day	0.054 µg/L	0.43 µg/kg
Follow-on formula Food for Special Medical Purposes (FSMP)	Infants 4-12 months	140 ml/kg bw/day	0.10 µg/L	0.8 µg/kg

NB: EFSA referenced powder to liquid reconstitution factors x8.

As a result of the further traceability testing exercise, and applying the thresholds contained in this new Guidance, we have decided as a precautionary measure to withdraw and recall the following additional specific infant formula products in your market.

SKU Code	Product	Batch code
164058	NUTRILON AR PRM, RAUT 24X400G	20261201
172967	NUTRILON PREMIUM 1 400G RUS-UZB-TAJ	20260808
		20261119
172971	NUTRILON PREMIUM 2 400G RUS-UZB-TAJ	20260812
		20261014
		20261125
		20261222
		20270212
173345	NUTRILON PREMIUM 1 BIB 600G RUS-UZB-TAJ	20260807

		20260912
		20261112
		20261210
173346	NUTRILON PREMIUM 2 BIB 600G RUS-UZB-TAJ	20260808
		20261009
		20261210
		20261230
185963	MALYUTKA 1 GOLD AZ+GE+TJ+UZ 10X600G	20260808
		20261210
		20261230
198276	MALYUTKA 1 GOLD AZ+GE+TJ+UZ 7X300G	20261203
		20270107

We have also updated our internal Risk Assessment document in light of this evolving regulatory guidance and have introduced cereulide testing in all our factories in accordance with the Guidance.

As you are aware, regulatory guidance on cereulide levels has been evolving, and we welcome the clarity provided at EU level on the new thresholds. We trust that this precautionary recall will address any remaining concerns, and we remain committed to responding to any further questions you may have.

Yours sincerely,