

# Update: Waitrose recalls Waitrose Frozen Cooked & Peeled Jumbo King Prawns and Essential Frozen Cooked King Prawns because of possible presence of uncooked prawns

Waitrose is recalling Waitrose Frozen Cooked & Peeled Jumbo King Prawns and Essential Frozen Cooked King Prawns because they may contain raw, uncooked prawns. The possible presence of raw, uncooked prawns makes this product unsafe to eat.

## Product details

Waitrose Frozen Cooked & Peeled Jumbo King Prawns	
Pack size	200g
Batch code	VN394
Best before	end: All date codes up to and including June 2023

Essential Frozen Cooked King Prawns	
Pack size	250g
Batch code	VN394
Best before	end: All date codes up to and including February 2024

## Risk statement

The possible presence of raw, uncooked prawns in the products listed above.

## Action taken by the company

Waitrose is recalling the above products. Point of sale notices will be displayed in all retail stores that are selling these products. These notices explain to customers why the products are being recalled and tell them what to do if they have bought the products. Please see the attached notice.

PDF

[View Customer notice: Waitrose Frozen Cooked King Prawns as pdf\(Open in a new window\)](#)  
(191.26 KB)

## Our advice to consumers

If you have bought any of the above products do not eat them. Instead, return them to the store from where they were bought for a full refund.

## Related alerts

- [FSA-PRIN-41-2022: Waitrose recalls Waitrose Frozen Cooked & Peeled Jumbo King Prawns and Essential Frozen Cooked King Prawns because of the possible presence of uncooked prawns](#)

## About product recalls and withdrawals

If there is a problem with a food product that means it should not be sold, then it might be 'withdrawn' (taken off the shelves) or 'recalled' (when customers are asked to return the product). The FSA issues Product Withdrawal Information Notices and Product Recall Information Notices to let consumers and local authorities know about problems associated with food. In some cases, a 'Food Alert for Action' is issued. This provides local authorities with details of specific action to be taken on behalf of consumers.

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