

List of validated health certificates and additional health certificates

for the export of animals and animal products to third countries

Note: the information given here concerning third countries and health certificates is consistent with the current knowledge of the FSVO. **Conditions may change without our knowledge.** It is therefore in the interest of the export company to contact the trading partner in the third country and make sure that import regulations have not changed in the meantime.

Health certificates	Particular conditions
Afghanistan	
Bovine semen	
Algeria	
Dairy products	
Argentina	
Bovine semen	
Dairy products (of bovine origin)	Swiss establishments must be registered to export these products. For more information, please contact your cantonal service.
Australia	Countries approved for the export of live animals to Australia are listed under this link .
Bovine semen	The "Schmallenberg additional certificate for the export of bovine semen to Australia" must accompany the health certificate for the export of bovine embryos.
Cheese, butter (of bovine origin)	The health certificate covers only products containing heat-treated milk.
Raw wool, raw fur and feathers	
Brazil	
Dairy products	Swiss establishments must be registered to export these products. For more information, please contact your cantonal service.
Canada	
Bovine embryos	The "Schmallenberg additional certificate for the export of bovine embryo to Canada" must accompany the health certificate for the export of bovine embryos.
Bovine semen	This health certificate is valid only for bovine semen and not for semen from water buffalo and bison. The "Schmallenberg additional certificate for the export of bovine semen to Canada" must accompany the health certificate for the export of bovine embryos.
Chile	
Dairy products	Swiss establishments must be registered to export these products. For more information, please contact your cantonal service.
China	
Dairy products	Swiss establishments must be registered to export these products. For more information, please contact your cantonal service.
Fishery products	Swiss establishments must be registered to export these products. For more information, please contact your cantonal service.
Pig meat	Certificates to export products to China must be made on secure paper. For more information, contact your cantonal service. Swiss establishments must be registered to export these products. For more information, please contact your cantonal service.

Rodent tissue for research purposes	
China - Hong Kong (special administrative region)	
Dairy products	
Pig meat (frozen and chilled) and pig meat products	Swiss establishments must be registered to export these products. For more information, please contact your cantonal service.
Colombia	
Bovine semen	
Dairy products	Swiss establishments must be registered to export these products. For more information, please contact your cantonal service.
Cyprus	
Dairy products	
Dominican Republic	
Milk and milk products	
Ecuador	
Bovine semen	Swiss establishments must be registered to export these products. For more information, please contact your cantonal service
Eurasian Economic Union	Swiss establishments must be registered to export these products. For more information, please contact your cantonal service. Certificates to export products to the Eurasian Economic Union UEEA must be made on secure paper. For more information, contact your cantonal service.
Animal feed, animal origin	
Animal feed, plant origin	
Breeding and production pigs	
Canned meat, sausages and other processed meat products	
Cattle embryos	
Gelatin, collagen and animal glue	
Milk and milk products	
Pig embryos	
Pork meat and pork products	
Sperm of boars	
Sperm of bulls	
Zoo and circus animals	
Georgia	
Casings	
Dairy products	
India	
Dairy products	
Pet food	
Israel	
Dairy products for animal feed	
Dairy products	
Laboratory rodents	
Japan	
Birds	
Blood products	
Horses	
Laboratory reagents of animal origin	
Lagomorphs and rodents	An additional document is required for the export of rodents: please contact your cantonal service.
Lagomorph and rodents carcasses	

Mammals	
Meat and meat products	Only valid for pork products such as ham, bacon, sausages.
Meat: fresh beef meat	Swiss establishments must be registered to export these products. For more information, please contact your cantonal service.
Milk and dairy products	
Jordan	
Dairy products	
Kosovo	
Bovine semen	
Poultry meat (fresh)	
Kuwait	
Processed food	
Lebanon	
Milk and dairy products	The certificate must always be accompanied by an attestation of non-radioactivity. Please contact the FOPH: str@bag.admin.ch
Maldives	
Dairy products	
Morocco	
Milk and dairy products	The health certificate covers only products containing heat-treated milk.
Macedonia	
Pork meat	
Bovine semen	
Mexico	
Bovine semen	
Dairy products	
Horses	
Moldova	
Composite products	
Fishery products	
Milk and dairy products	
Poultry meat	
Montenegro	
Pork meat	
New Zealand	
Bovine semen	
Bovine embryos	
Milk and dairy products	
Pakistan	
Dairy products	
Peru	
Bovine semen	Swiss establishments must be registered to export these products. For more information, please contact your cantonal service.
Gelatine	
Dairy products	
Laboratory rodents	
Qatar	
Fishery products	
Serbia	
Bovine semen	
Collagen	
Milk and dairy products	
Living birds	For penguins

Singapore	
Dairy products	
Egg products (processed)	
Meat and meat products	
Milk-based products	
South Africa	
Dairy products (bovine origin)	The health certificate is required for all products containing bovine milk. Every consignment has to be prenotified to South Africa through collaboration with the importer. The Import Permit Number assigned has to be entered into the certificate (Point I.2.b). For products containing only a small percentage of milk (< 5%), the importer may submit an application for an exemption of the use of this certificate to South Africa.
Beef meat	Swiss establishments must be registered to export these products. For more information, please contact your cantonal service.
South Korea	
Egg products	Swiss establishments must be registered to export these products. For more information, please contact your cantonal service.
Milk-based products	Swiss establishments must be registered to export these products. For more information, please contact your cantonal service.
	For Emmental cheese: Use the complementary certificate
Pork	Swiss establishments must be registered to export these products. For more information, please contact your cantonal service.
Taiwan	For export of fishery products, eggs and milk products to Taiwan, the general certification for foodstuffs must be used.
Rabbit serum	
Thailand	
Dairy products	
Tunisia	
Bovine semen	
Dairy products for cosmetics	
Turkey	COVID: During the health crisis: Turkey changed its import modalities during this period. We therefore advise exporting establishments to contact their importer before sending goods in order to find out about these potential changes. The International Relations team remains available if you need support. Requests should be sent to eucontact@blv.admin.ch
Bovine semen	The additional certificate must be supplied as well.
Collagen	
Dairy products	
Fishery products	
Gelatine	
Ukraine	
Bovine semen	
Carnivore	
Milk and dairy products	
United Arab Emirates	Health certificates for the export of horses must be requested from the competent authorities in the United Arab Emirates.
Bovine semen	
Dairy products	
Fishery products	
Uruguay	
Dairy products (of bovine origin)	

USA – United States of America	
Bovine embryos (in vivo)	Only semen and embryos from bovines that have tested seronegative for Schmallenberg virus may be exported to the USA.
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Dairy products	
Equine semen	
Horses	
Sheep and goat semen	In view of the situation regarding Schmallenberg virus, only semen obtained before 1 June 2011 may be exported to the USA.
Uzbekistan	
Starter cultures	
Vietnam	
Dairy products	
Zimbabwe	
Dairy products	The health certificate covers only products containing heat-treated milk.