



## Compulsory Poultry Registration Form - Keeper of 50 or More Birds

Use this form to register flocks of **50 or more birds**. You must do this within one month of keeping 50 or more birds at your site. You can choose to register flocks with fewer than 50 birds by completing the Voluntary Poultry Registration Form - Keeper of Fewer Than 50 Birds (IRA82).

The law applies to:

- 50 or more birds you keep captive for any period of time
- flocks made up of different species, such as chickens, ducks or geese
- birds kept for:
  - the consumption of meat and eggs
  - other commercial purposes
  - restocking game birds, or
  - breeding for the three purposes above

You will need a County Parish Holding (CPH) number to complete this form. Refer to [CPH numbers](#) for guidance on how to get a CPH number.

You must complete this form if you are in charge of the day-to-day care of the poultry (**the keeper**). You must complete all fields marked with an \* or add 'N/A' as appropriate. Contact the free Poultry Registration Helpline on **0800 634 1112** for help with completing the form.

### Section 1: Keeper Details

*Title (tick):	Mr <input type="checkbox"/>	Mrs <input type="checkbox"/>	Miss <input type="checkbox"/>	Ms <input type="checkbox"/>	Other (specify) <input type="text"/>
*Surname:	<input type="text"/>		*Forename:	<input type="text"/>	
*Address:	<input type="text"/>				
	*Postcode: <input type="text"/>				
*Telephone No.:	<input type="text"/>		*Mobile No.:	<input type="text"/>	
*Email address:	<input type="text"/>				

### Section 2: Occupier

Give details of the person/company that rents or owns the site(s) where you keep poultry (if different to Section 1)

\*Business activity:

Farmer  Hobbyist/Pet owner  Poultry company

Trading name (if applicable):

\*Title (tick): Mr  Mrs  Miss  Ms  Other (specify)

\*Surname:  \*Forename:

\*Address:  
(If different to Section 1)

\*Postcode:

\*Telephone No.:  \*Mobile No.:

\*Email address:

### Section 3: Location of where you Keep Poultry

If you use more locations, duplicate this page (print twice)

<p><b>*Name and address of each site where you keep poultry</b> If this differs from Sections 1 or 2</p>	<p><b>*CPH Number</b></p>	<p><b>*Map reference</b> You can get a grid reference from a hard copy OS map. You can also use free commercial websites, such as <a href="#">UK Grid Reference Finder</a>. There are other online map reference finders you can use.</p>	<p><b>*Name and address of the owner of the site</b> If this differs from Sections 1 or 2</p>	<p><b>*Name and address of the poultry owner</b> If this differs from Sections 1 or 2</p>	<p><b>Veterinary practice contact details</b></p>
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## Section 4: Details of the Birds Kept

List every species separately

*Species (such as chickens, partridges, ducks)	*Number of birds you usually keep	*Production details State what the birds are kept for. Refer to the choices below this table	*Husbandry System Refer to the choices below this table	*Farm management system Refer to the choices below this table	*Do your stocking arrangements change during the year? If yes, complete Section 5	*Are the birds within 500 metres of water which attracts wild birds?	*Do the birds have access to the open air?	*Name of the site(s) where you keep each species

Production Details	
Egg Laying	Reared for meat
Breeding for egg laying	Releasing for shooting
Growing pullets up to point of lay	Breeding for shooting
Breeding for Meat	Rearing for shooting
	Hobby/Pet
Poults	Showing

Husbandry System
1. Indoors only - Floor
2. Indoors only - Caged
3. Both Indoors and Outdoors
4. Outdoors only - Penned/Paddock
5. Outdoors only - Caged

Farm Management System	Definition
1. Intensive	Your birds are generally indoors with no outside access. You keep birds at a higher stocking density than 25kg/m <sup>2</sup>
2. Extensive	Your birds are indoors with no outside access. The birds per metre of floor space doesn't exceed 25kg/m <sup>2</sup> (15kg/m <sup>2</sup> for geese)
3. Free Range	Refer to the legal definitions for <a href="#">egg marketing</a> and <a href="#">meat marketing</a>
4. Organic	You're registered with a UK approved organic control body. Refer to <a href="#">GOV.UK</a> for guidance.

## Section 5: Stocking Arrangements

Complete this if you change your stocking arrangements during the year e.g. game birds

Record how you usually change your stocking arrangements														
Site Name:														
	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec		
Stocking month	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Total
Approximate stocking numbers														
Production details														
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Farm Management														
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## Section 6: Other Relevant Information

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Egg Marketing Inspectorate/Defra ID Production Number (if you have one)

If you supply or grow poultry for another business, provide its business name, address and contact details:

Do you own or operate a hatchery?

Yes

No

List other livestock you keep (cattle or other bovines, sheep, goats, pigs and deer including livestock kept as pets)

## Section 7: Declaration

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I **confirm** that the information given in this registration form is correct:

\*Signature

\*Name in  
BLOCK LETTERS

\*Date

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### DATA PROTECTION

For information on how we handle personal data please go to [www.gov.uk](http://www.gov.uk) and search Animal and Plant Health Agency Personal Information Charter.

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### Keep your details up to date

You must contact APHA within **one month** if:

- you no longer keep or own poultry
- the contact information you gave changes
- the size of your flock changes by 20%
- you change the species you keep

### Submit your completed form

You have the following options:

Email a scanned copy to

Post the form to:

Animal and Plant Health Agency (APHA)  
Cardiff Customer Service Centre  
Cromlin West  
Cardiff Edge Business Park  
Longwood Drive  
Whitchurch  
Cardiff  
CF14 7YU

APHA is an Executive Agency of the Department for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs and also works on behalf of the Scottish Government, Welsh Government and Food Standards Agency to safeguard animal and plant health for the benefit of people, the environment and the economy.

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