



Specified pathogen-free eggs (SPF)  
from EU countries  
GBHC073E

II.a. Certificate reference no.	II.b.
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<b>I.18 Description of commodity</b>			
<b>I.19 Commodity code (HS code)</b> 04.07	<b>I.21</b> Not in use	<b>I.23 Identification of container / seal number</b>	
<b>I.20 Quantity</b>	<b>I.22 Number of packages</b>	<b>I.24</b> Not in use	
<b>I.25 Commodity certified for</b> <input type="checkbox"/> Technical Use			
<b>I.26</b> Not in use		<b>I.27</b> <input type="checkbox"/> For import or admission into Great Britain	
<b>I.28 Identification of the commodities</b>			
Species (Scientific name)	Identification system	Identification number	Quantity

## Part II. Certification

### II.1 Health attestation

I, the undersigned official veterinarian, hereby certify in accordance with Directive 2009/158/EC that the SPF eggs <sup>(1)</sup> described in this certificate:

**II.1.1** come from chicken flocks that:

- (a) are free from specified pathogens as described in the European Pharmacopoeia <sup>(2)</sup> and the results of all tests and clinical examinations required for this specific status have been favourable, including negative testing results for avian influenza and Newcastle disease carried out within the last 30 days preceding dispatch;
- (b) have been clinically examined at least once a week as described in the European Pharmacopoeia <sup>(2)</sup> and no clinical signs of or grounds for suspecting any disease were detected;
- (c) have been kept for at least six weeks immediately prior to import to Great Britain in the establishment(s) defined in Box I.11 of Part I, officially approved in accordance with requirements which are at least equivalent to those laid down in Annex II to Directive 2009/158/EC:
  - the approval of which has not been suspended or withdrawn;
  - which is (are) not subject to any animal health restriction;

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- (d) during the period mentioned in (c), have had no contact with poultry not meeting the requirements laid down in this certificate or with wild birds;
- II.1.2** have been marked as indicated in Box I.28 under 'Identification number' of the certificate using coloured ink;
- II.1.3** have been collected from ..... to ..... (*dates*);
- II.1.4** are transported in perfectly clean disposable boxes used for the first time and which:
- (a) contain only eggs coming from the same establishment;
- (b) are clearly marked with the following information:
- the name and ISO code of the country, territory, zone or compartment of origin,
  - 'SPF eggs for diagnostic, research or pharmaceutical use only',
  - the number of eggs,
  - the name, address and approval number of the production establishment,
  - the country of destination in Great Britain;
- (c) are closed in accordance with the instructions of the competent authority to avoid any possibility of substitution of the contents and are leak-proof;
- II.2** The containers and vehicles in which the boxes mentioned in point II.1.4 have been transported have been cleansed and disinfected before loading in accordance with the instructions of the competent authority.

## Notes

References to European Union legislation within this certificate are references to direct EU legislation which has been retained in Great Britain (retained EU law as defined in the European Union (Withdrawal) Act 2018) and can be viewed on the UK legislation website ([legislation.gov.uk](http://legislation.gov.uk)).

References to Great Britain in this certificate include Channel Islands and Isle of Man.

## Part I:

- Box reference I.8: Provide the code for the zone or name of the compartment of origin, if necessary, as defined under code in column 2 as set out in a document relating to 'poultry and poultry products' published on gov.uk, in accordance with Regulation (EC) No 798/2008.<sup>(3)</sup>
- Box reference I.11: Name, address and approval number of the breeding establishment.
- Box reference I.15: Indicate the registration number(s) of railway wagons and lorries, the names of ships and, if known, the flight numbers of aircraft. In the case of transport in containers or boxes, the total number of these and their registration and where there is a serial number of the seal it has to be indicated in box I.23.
- Box reference I.28: Identification number: provide egg marks including establishment number and ISO code of the country of origin.

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**Part II:**

- (1) Hatching eggs as defined in Regulation (EC) No 798/2008 which are derived from 'chicken flocks free from specified pathogens' as described in the European Pharmacopoeia and which are intended for diagnostic, research or pharmaceutical use only.
- (2) <http://www.edqm.eu> (the latest edition).
- (3) A document relating to 'poultry and poultry products' for EU and EFTA states published by the Secretary of State, with the consent of the Scottish and Welsh Ministers, may be found here:  
[EU and EFTA states approved to export animals and animal products to Great Britain - data.gov.uk](https://www.gov.uk/government/uploads/system/uploads/attachment_data/file/101222/EU_and_EFTA_states_approved_to_export_animals_and_animal_products_to_Great_Britain_-_data.gov.uk)

This certificate is valid for 15 days.

**Official Veterinarian**

Name (in capital letters):

Qualification and title:

Date:

Signature:

Stamp: