

List of trading partners approved to export consignments of raw milk, dairy products, colostrum (a) and colostrum-based products (a) and indicating the type of heat treatment required for such commodities to Great Britain

Recent Changes

Country	Description of Change	Date of Update
France	Imports from France of raw milk and raw dairy products derived from bovine animals have been temporarily suspended in response to an outbreak of Lumpy Skin Disease that was confirmed on 29 June 2025.	01/07/2025
Italy	Imports from Italy of raw milk and raw dairy products derived from bovine animals have been temporarily suspended in response to an outbreak of Lumpy Skin Disease that was confirmed on 21 June 2025.	25/06/2025
Austria	Defra has reviewed the actions taken by the Austrian Competent Authority in response to an outbreak of foot-and-mouth disease that was reported on the Hungary-Austria border on 26 March 2025. As a result, the suspension on imports of raw milk and raw dairy products (Column A) and heat-treated milk and dairy products (Column B) from Austria has been lifted.	24/06/2025
Germany	Defra has reviewed the actions taken by the German Competent Authority in response to an outbreak of foot-and-mouth disease (FMD) that was confirmed on 10 January 2025 and concluded that the containment zone (DE-1) can be recognised as free of FMD from 14/05/2025. As a result, the suspension on imports of raw milk and raw dairy products (Column A) and heat-treated milk and dairy products (Column B) from DE-1 has been lifted. Footnote 'e' has been added to DE-1, which stipulates that 'for certification purposes, this territory is considered to have been free of FMD from 14/05/2025'.	14/05/2025
Austria	Imports from Austria of raw milk and raw dairy products (Column A) and heat-treated milk and dairy products (Column B) have been temporarily suspended in response to an outbreak of foot-and-mouth disease that was reported on the Hungary-Austria border on 26 March 2025.	27/03/2025
Slovakia	Foot-and-mouth disease was confirmed in Slovakia on 21 March 2025. The restrictions outlined in the entry dated 07/03/2025 continue to apply.	27/03/2025
Germany	Following an assessment of the measures implemented by the German authorities in response to an outbreak of foot-and-mouth disease (FMD) confirmed on 10 January 2025, the UK has recognised regionalisation for this outbreak. Imports of raw milk and raw dairy products (Column A) and heat-treated milk and dairy products (Column B) from FMD-free zones in Germany (DE-0) are now permitted. Imports of raw milk and raw dairy products (Column A) and heat-treated milk and dairy products (Column B) from zones under restriction due to outbreaks of FMD in Germany (DE-1) are prohibited. Imports of milk and milk products under Column C are permitted from the whole territory of Germany.	24/03/2025
Slovakia	Imports from Slovakia of raw milk and raw dairy products (Column A) and heat-treated milk and dairy products (Column B) have been temporarily suspended in response to an outbreak of foot-and-mouth disease that was confirmed on the Hungary-Slovakia border on 6 March 2025.	07/03/2025
Hungary	Imports from Hungary of raw milk and raw dairy products (Column A) and heat-treated milk and dairy products (Column B) have been temporarily suspended in response to an outbreak of foot-and-mouth disease that was confirmed on 6 March 2025.	07/03/2025
Hungary	Imports from Hungary of raw milk and raw dairy products derived from ovine and caprine animals have been temporarily suspended in response to an outbreak of Peste des Petits Ruminants in a herd of domestic sheep that was confirmed on 24 January 2025.	29/01/2025
Germany	*SUPERSEDED* Imports from Germany of raw milk and raw dairy products (Column A) and heat-treated milk and dairy products (Column B) have been temporarily suspended in response to an outbreak of foot-and-mouth disease that was confirmed on 10 January 2025.	13/01/2025

Country	Description of Change	Date of Update
Bulgaria	Imports from Bulgaria of raw milk and raw dairy products derived from ovine and caprine animals have been temporarily suspended in response to an outbreak of Peste des Petits Ruminants in a herd of domestic sheep that was confirmed on 25 November 2024.	12/12/2024
Romania	Imports from Romania of raw milk and raw dairy products derived from ovine and caprine animals have been temporarily suspended in response to an outbreak of Peste des Petits Ruminants in a herd of domestic sheep that was confirmed on 19 July 2024.	24/07/2024
Greece	Imports from Greece of raw milk and raw dairy products derived from ovine and caprine animals have been temporarily suspended in response to an outbreak of Peste des Petits Ruminants in a mixed herd of sheep and goats that was confirmed on 11 July 2024.	19/07/2024

EU and EFTA Countries

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Column A lists those countries authorised for the importation of raw milk, dairy products, colostrum and colostrum-based products, in accordance with Article 2 of EUR 2010/605.

Column B lists those countries authorised for the importation of dairy products derived from raw milk of cows, ewes, goats or buffaloes not at risk from foot-and-mouth disease, provided that such dairy products have undergone, or been produced from raw milk which has undergone, an appropriate heat treatment, in accordance with Article 3 of EUR 2010/605.

Column C lists those countries authorised for the importation of dairy products derived from raw milk of cows, ewes, goats or buffaloes, or, where specifically authorised, from camels of the species *Camelus dromedarius* at risk of foot-and-mouth disease provided that the dairy products have undergone, or been produced from raw milk which has undergone, an appropriate heat treatment, in accordance with Article 4 of EUR 2010/605 (c).

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ISO Code	Country	Territory Description	Column A	Column B	Column C
AT (d)	Austria	Whole country	+	+	+
BE	Belgium	Whole country	+	+	+
BG	Bulgaria	Whole country	+ (b)	+	+
CH	Switzerland	Whole country	+	+	+
CY	Cyprus	Whole country	+	+	+
CZ	Czech Republic	Whole country	+	+	+
DE-0 (d)	Germany	Whole country, excluding the area DE-1	+	+	+
DE-1 (e)	Germany	Those areas of Germany listed in a document published here .	+	+	+

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ISO Code	Country	Territory Description	Column A	Column B	Column C
DK	Denmark	Whole country	+	+	+
EE	Estonia	Whole country	+	+	+
EL	Greece	Whole country	+ (b)	+	+
ES	Spain	Whole country	+	+	+
FI	Finland	Whole country	+	+	+
FR	France	Whole country	+ (f)	+	+
HR	Croatia	Whole country	+	+	+
HU	Hungary	Whole country	0	0	+
IE	Ireland	Whole country	+	+	+
IS	Iceland	Whole country	+	+	+
IT	Italy	Whole country	+ (f)	+	+
LI	Liechtenstein	Whole country	+	+	+
LT	Lithuania	Whole country	+	+	+
LU	Luxembourg	Whole country	+	+	+
LV	Latvia	Whole country	+	+	+
MT	Malta	Whole country	+	+	+
NL	Netherlands	Whole country	+	+	+
NO	Norway	Whole country	+	+	+
PL	Poland	Whole country	+	+	+
PT	Portugal	Whole country	+	+	+
RO	Romania	Whole country	+ (b)	+	+
SE	Sweden	Whole country	+	+	+
SI	Slovenia	Whole country	+	+	+
SK	Slovakia	Whole country	0	0	+

Footnotes

- a The colostrum and colostrum-based products can only be introduced into Great Britain from countries authorised in column A.
- b Ovine and caprine products are suspended.
- c The product must undergo one of the following treatments:
 - a) a sterilisation process, to achieve an Fo value equal to or greater than three; or
 - b) an ultra-high temperature (UHT) treatment at not less than 135°C in combination with a suitable holding time; or
 - c) (i) a high temperature short time pasteurisation treatment (HTST) at 72°C for 15 seconds applied twice to milk with a pH equal to or greater than 7.0 achieving, where applicable, a negative reaction to a alkaline phosphatase test, applied immediately after the heat treatment; or
 - (ii) a treatment with an equivalent pasteurisation effect to point (i) achieving, where applicable, a negative reaction to an alkaline phosphatase test, applied immediately after the heat treatment;
 - d) a HTST treatment of milk with a pH below 7.0; or
 - e) a HTST treatment combined with another physical treatment by either:
 - (i) lowering the pH below 6 for one hour, or
 - (ii) additional heating equal to or greater than 72°C, combined with desiccation.
- d For certification purposes, this territory is considered to have been free of FMD for more than 24 months.
- e For certification purposes, this territory is considered to have been free of FMD from 14/05/2025.
- f Raw bovine products are suspended. Bovine milk and dairy products that have undergone a lower heat treatment than pasteurisation continue to be permitted under General Authorisation IMP/GEN/2024/01.

Information Keys

Milk Codes

- + Third country is authorised.
- 0 Third country is not authorised.