

Veterinary certificate to EU

Part I : Details of consignment presented

I.1. Consignor Name Address Postal code / Region Country	I.2. Certificate reference number	I.2.a. TRACES reference number :
	I.3. Central Competent Authority	
	I.4. Local Competent Authority	
	I.6 Person responsible for load in EU	
I.5. Consignee Name Address Postal code / Region Country		
I.7. Country of origin, ISO code	I.8. Region of origin, Code	I.9. Country of destination ISO code
I.10. Region of destination Code		I.12. Place of destination
I.11. Place of origin Holding <input type="checkbox"/> Semen centre <input type="checkbox"/> Establishment <input type="checkbox"/> Name Approval number Address Name Approval number Address Name Approval number Address		
I.13 Place of loading Address Approval number		I.14 Date of departure
I.15. Means of transport Aeroplane <input type="checkbox"/> Ship <input type="checkbox"/> Railway wagon <input type="checkbox"/> Road vehicle <input type="checkbox"/> Other <input type="checkbox"/> Identification:: Document:		
I.16. Entry BIP in EU Name BIP unit no.:		I.17. No.(s) of CITES
I.18. Description of commodity		I.19. Commodity code (HS code)
I.21 Temperature of products Ambient <input type="checkbox"/> Chilled <input type="checkbox"/> Frozen <input type="checkbox"/>		I.20. Total Gross weight
I.22. Number of packages		I.24. Type of packaging
I.23. Identification of container/Seal number		I.25. Commodity certified as: Breeding <input type="checkbox"/> Fattening <input type="checkbox"/> Slaughter <input type="checkbox"/> Approved bodies <input type="checkbox"/> Artificial reproduction <input type="checkbox"/> Quarantine <input type="checkbox"/> Game restocking <input type="checkbox"/> Registered horses <input type="checkbox"/> Pets <input type="checkbox"/> Circus <input type="checkbox"/> Relaying <input type="checkbox"/> Other <input type="checkbox"/> Humane consumption <input type="checkbox"/> Animal feedingstuff <input type="checkbox"/> Further process <input type="checkbox"/> Pharmaceutical use <input type="checkbox"/> Technical use <input type="checkbox"/>
I.26. For transit to 3rd Country by EU		I.27. For import or admission into EU Definitive import <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> Horses Re-entry <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> Temporary admission horses <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>
I.28. Identification of the commodity Species (scientific name) Treatment type Slaughterhouse Cutting/manufacturing plant Cold store Number of packages Type of packaging Batch number Nature of commodities Net weight		

II. Health information

II.a. Certificat reference number

II.b. TRACES reference number

1. Health attestation

I, the undersigned, certify that the consignment of collagen described above,

1.1. was wrapped, packaged, stored and transported in compliance with the relevant United States public health standards requirements of the Code of Federal Regulations which have been recognised for this purpose as equivalent to the European Community standards as prescribed in Council Decision 98/258/EC(2) as last amended by Decision 2003/833/EC (3);

1.2. comes from an establishment subject to periodic inspection by FDA that has been shown by such inspections

- (a) to comply with the relevant US public health standards requirements of the Code of Federal Regulations which have been recognised for this purpose as equivalent to the European Community standards as prescribed in Council Decision 98/258/EC; and
- (b) to maintain records that are subject to review by FDA, during an inspection or otherwise, that substantiate and verify the information contained in the manufacturer's legally binding declaration to FDA specific to this consignment (copy attached).

1.3. This declaration has been verified by periodic, on-site inspections by State regulatory officials and confirms, subject to criminal penalties for falsification, that the collagen has been: produced exclusively from bovine hides and/or pigskins

- (a) derived from animals which have been slaughtered in a slaughterhouse and whose carcasses have been found fit for human consumption following ante and post mortem inspection, and, for ruminants, which have not been slaughtered after stunning by means of gas injected into the cranial cavity or killed by the same method or slaughtered by laceration after stunning of central nervous tissue by means of an elongated rod-shaped instrument introduced into the cranial cavity, and;
- (b) transported directly from the slaughterhouses or cutting plants to the collagen establishments in compliance with the relevant US public health standards requirements of the Code of Federal Regulations, which have been recognised for this purpose as equivalent to the European Community standards as prescribed in Council Decision 98/258/EC, or
- (c) transported from a tannery subject to periodic inspection by FDA that has been shown by such inspections to comply with the relevant US public health standards requirements of the Code of Federal Regulations, which have been recognised for this purpose as equivalent to the European Community standards as prescribed in Council Decision 98/258/EC,
- (c) which do not contain and are not derived from specified risk material as defined in Annex XI, section A, to Regulation (EC) No 999/2001 of the European Parliament and of the Council (4) or mechanically recovered meat obtained from bones of bovine, ovine or caprine animals.

1.4. This declaration also confirms, subject to criminal penalties for falsification, that the collagen has been:

manufactured by a process which ensures that the raw material is subjected to treatment involving washing, pH adjustment using acid or alkali, followed by one or more rinses, filtration and extrusion. During this process no preservatives have been used, other than those authorised for such use by both the European Communities and the United States;

shown by periodic, representative analyses of finished collagen products conducted by an accredited, private laboratory and coordinated and reviewed by State regulatory officials not to exceed the following criteria:

- Total aerobic bacteria - 103/g
- Coliforms (30oC) - 0/g
- Coliforms (44.5oC) - 0/10g
- Anaerobic sulphite-reducing bacteria (no gas production) - 10/g
- Clostridium perfringens - 0/g
- Staphylococcus aureus - 0/g
- Salmonella - 0/25g
- As - 1 ppm
- Pb - 5 ppm
- Cd - 0.5 ppm
- Hg - 0.15 ppm
- Cr - 10 ppm
- Cu - 30 ppm
- Zn - 50 ppm
- SO2 - 50 ppm
- H2O2 - 10 ppm

2. Declaration

I, the undersigned, declare that I have a written declaration from the responsible of the establishment (name of the person) declaring that the consignment of collagen described above,

The product has been made exclusively from bovine hides and/or pigskins which have been derived from animals which have been slaughtered in a slaughterhouse and whose carcasses have been found fit for human consumption following an ante and post mortem inspection.

The bovine hides and/or pigskins have been either: (1) transported directly from the slaughterhouse or cutting plants to the collagen establishments in compliance with the relevant US public health standards requirements of the Code of Federal Regulations, which have been recognised for this purpose as equivalent to the European Community standards as prescribed in Council Decision 98/258/EC; or (2) transported from a tannery subject to periodic inspection by FDA that has been shown by such inspections to comply with the relevant US public health standards requirements of the Code of Federal Regulations which have been recognised for this purpose as equivalent to the European Community standards as prescribed in Council Decision 98/258/EC.

This product does not contain and is not derived from specified risk material as defined in Annex XI, section A, to Regulation (EC) N° 999/2001 or mechanically recovered meat obtained from bones of bovine, ovine or caprine animals. The bovine animals, from which this product is derived (excluding that derived from porcine animals), have not been slaughtered after stunning by means of gas injected into the cranial cavity or killed by the same method or slaughtered by laceration after stunning of central nervous tissue by means of an elongated rod shaped instrument introduced into the cranial cavity.

This product has been manufactured by a process which ensures that the raw material is subject to treatment involving washing, pH adjustment using acid or alkali, followed by one or more rinses, filtration and extrusion. During this process no preservatives have been used other than those authorised by both the European Community and the United States.

The collagen satisfies the following specifications as determined by analysis:

- Total aerobic bacteria - 103/g
- Coliforms (30oC) - 0/g
- Coliforms (44.5oC) - 0/10g
- Anaerobic sulphite-reducing bacteria (no gas production) - 10/g
- Clostridium perfringens - 0/g
- Staphylococcus aureus - 0/g
- Salmonella - 0/25g
- As - 1 ppm

Part II: Certification

II. Health information Pb - 5 ppm Cd - 0.5 ppm Hg - 0.15 ppm Cr - 10 ppm Cu - 30 ppm Zn - 50 ppm SO2 - 50 ppm H2O2 - 10 ppm	II.a. Certificat reference number	II.b. TRACES reference number
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- (1) Indicate the name or registration number (railway wagons and lorries), the flight number (aircraft) or the name (ship). This information is to be updated in the case of unloading and reloading.
- (2) OJ L 118, 21.4.1998, p. 1.
- (3) OJ L 316, 29.11.2003, p. 20.
- (4) OJ L 147, 31.5.2001, p. 1.
- (5) The signature and stamp must be in a colour different to that of the printing.

Official veterinarian or official inspector	
Name (in Capital): Local Veterinary Unit: Date: Stamp	Qualification and title: LVU N°: Signature: