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Export Animal Products to Canada

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[Important information regarding trade bans and other restrictions due to Aujeszky's Disease](#) (44.91 KB) - May 2026

Notice: Pet Supplements Exported to Canada

As of June 24, 2024, Thermally Processed pet supplements can be exported to Canada using the [Veterinary Export Certificate for Thermally Processed¹ Pet Food Products² Containing Animal-Origin Ingredients Exported from the United States of America to Canada](#) (249 KB).

The facility manufacturing the pet supplements must be under APHIS inspection, if the facility has a current APHIS facility number and has been inspected for thermally processed pet food products (pet food, pet treats, compound chews), no additional action is needed. If the facility producing the pet supplements is not currently under APHIS inspection for export to Canada, then the facility should contact their [VS Field Office](#) covering the area in which the product is manufactured to obtain pre-inspection documents verify they meet the requirements, and schedule an

inspection.

As of July 23, 2024, supplements manufactured in and exported from the United States, packaged for retail sale, that contain **fish oil** as the **only** animal origin ingredient [imported under Canadian tariff codes 15.04.10.8009, 15.04.20.8020.01, or 15.18.00.1421.07] are exempt from this requirement, and do not require a Canadian import permit or a U.S. export certificate.

[Required Language Prefacing Attestations on Export Certificates for Canada](#) - February 2010

[Animal Origin Materials for Manufacture of Pet Food - for Export to the Ukraine \(from Canada\)](#) - November 2013

[Aquaculture Commodities](#)

[Bovine Blood Meal/Spray-Dried Serum](#) (bulk shipments) - July 2019

[Bovine Liver Powder](#)

[Bovine Serum and BSA for Laboratory/Technical Use](#) - June 2019

By-Products

- [By-Products](#) for the Production of Pet Food for Eventual Export to Australia - September 2019
- [By-Products](#) for the Production of Pet Food for Eventual Export to the Russian Federation - December 2016
- [By-Products](#) for the Production of Materials for Eventual Export to the European Union under Regulation 1069/2009 and its Implementing Legislation - January 2020

[Dairy Materials](#) (for Human Consumption) Exported to Canada for Eventual Export to the European Union - November 2010

[Dairy products](#) - April 2003

[Diets for Laboratory or Zoo Animals](#) - December 2024

[Equine Stem Cells Collected for Therapeutic Purpose in the United States for Export to Canada](#) - September 2025

[Fetal Bovine Serum Collected in the United States and/or Canada](#) - August 2018

[Insect Meal for Pet and Ornamental Fish Food or Livestock Feed](#)

[Manure or Fertilizers Containing Manure](#) - August 2020

[Mink Feed](#) - January 2025

[Raw Glands Intended for Pharmaceutical Use](#) - January 2018

Raw Inedible Products

[For the Export of Raw Inedible Animal Products and By-Products to Canada](#) -
May 2026

[Health Certificate](#) (Fillable)

[Health Certificate](#) (Non-Fillable)

Rendered Products

[Trans-shipment \(Forwarding/Re-Export\) Requirements for Animal By-Products
Legally Imported into the U.S. from Third Country and Exported to Canada](#) - August
2025

[Unprocessed \(Raw\) or Minimally Heat-Treated Pet Food and Pet Treats](#) - Effective
April 2025

[Veterinary Export Certificate for Thermally Processed¹ Pet Food Products²
Containing Animal-Origin Ingredients Exported from the United States of America to
Canada](#) - April 2025

Need Help Exporting Animal Products?

Certificate Endorsement

Contact APHIS Veterinary Services' Product Certificate Team for animal product export certificate endorsement or questions.

Product Certificate Team

Email: vspsok@usda.gov

Facility Inspections or Packages

Contact APHIS Veterinary Services' Facility Packages Team for animal product export facility inspection requests, packages, or questions.

Facility Packages Team

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