

U.S. ORIGIN HEALTH CERTIFICATE FOR EXPORT OF PORCINE SEMEN TO JAPAN

I. CONSIGNOR

Name: _____ Address _____

Owner: _____

A.I. Center (Premises of Origin): _____

II. CONSIGNEE

Name: _____ Address: _____

III. IDENTIFICATION:

Registered Name	Collection Code	Registration Number	Breed	Date of Birth	Number of Units	Date of Collection

Note: Additional space can be added as needed.

IV. CERTIFICATION STATEMENTS

A. The United States has been free of foot-and-mouth disease, rinderpest, swine vesicular disease, hog cholera, African swine fever, Teschen disease, and vesicular exanthema for at least 6 months before collection of the semen for export.

B. The boar from which the semen for export was collected (hereinafter referred to as the "donor boar") had remained in the United States for at least 6 months before collection of the semen for export and had not been used for natural service.

C. There had been no clinical, microbiological, or serological evidence of vesicular stomatitis, Aujeszky's disease, rabies, transmissible gastroenteritis, swine influenza, atrophic rhinitis, brucellosis, tuberculosis, or leptospirosis on the premises of origin (including the artificial insemination center; hereinafter referred to as the "premises of origin") for at least 6 months immediately before commencement of the examinations below.

D. The donor boar and the other animals on the premises of origin were free of clinical evidence of any infectious disease at the time of collection of the semen for export.

E. Concerning porcine reproductive and respiratory syndrome (PRRS):

1. During the 6-month period prior to the time of collection of the semen for export on the premises of origin, there were no outbreaks of PRRS as a result of an examination of the breeding records and also no clinical or serological evidence of PRRS.

2. The donor boar on the premises of origin was subjected to a test with a negative result for PRRS (either an IPMA test or an IFA test) within 60 days prior to the time of collection of the semen for export. The donor boar remained isolated from all animals not of an equivalent tested health status until the time of collection of the semen for export under the supervision an accredited veterinarian of the USDA.

3. No pigs have been introduced to the premises of origin unless they have had a negative test for PRRS (either an IPMA test or an IFA test) within 30 days prior to entry and have been isolated from untested animals after a negative test until the time of introduction onto the premises of origin.

4. The farm from which pigs are originated and introduced to the premises of origin, has had no evidence of outbreaks of PRRS. As same as in item E(1).

F. The semen for export was collected and processed under the supervision of a USDA accredited veterinarian (or Federal veterinarian) at the facilities where sanitary conditions are secured.

G. The diluent used for processing the semen for export to Japan was free of animal infectious disease agents.

Disease

Test

- 3. PRRS:** Immunoperoxidase monolayer assay
OR* indirect fluorescent antibody test
at a 1:20 dilution

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*Line out the test that does not apply

Within **6 months** prior to collection of the semen for export (#4 – 6):

Disease

Test

- 4. Brucellosis:** Tube agglutination test (reaction less than 1:50 IU/ml)

Collection Code	Collection Date	Testing Date

