

**Overview: Restrictions due to foot-and-mouth disease  
(FMD) - confirmed by THIRD COUNTRIES and actively  
communicated to the BMEL**

List subject to incomplete information from third countries and changes at short notice: In any case, it is recommended that the exporter enquires about the current conditions/restrictions via the importer at the veterinary authority responsible for the destination. The conditions can change very quickly!!!

**New information is highlighted in yellow.**

Name of the DL <sup>1</sup>	Authority of the DL	Product categories affected, exceptions where applicable	Block the following Region/s	Block from date
Argentina	SENASA	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Bovine semen</li> <li>Temporary suspension of imports of dairy products from cattle and buffalo</li> </ul>	DE	10.01.2025 14.01.2025
Great Britain	DEFRA, UK	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>live ungulates (ruminants and pigs, including wild and non-domestic) and their semen</li> <li>Fresh meat from ungulates</li> <li>Meat products from ungulates (including game) that have not undergone specific treatment D1 or higher.</li> <li>Milk, colostrum and products thereof, unless they undergo treatment in accordance with Article 4 of Regulation 2010/605</li> <li>Animal by-products, unless they have undergone effective treatment to minimise the risk of FMD (further restriction measures, including with regard to hay and straw, will follow)</li> </ul> <p><i>Note BMEL: Further information can be found on the pages from DEFRA at gov.uk.</i></p>	Entire federal territory	13.01.2025

<sup>1</sup> Blocks notified to BMEL by DL. It cannot be ruled out that there will be further blocks that not been communicated to BMEL.

Japan	MAFF	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Beef and beef by-products</li> <li>• Raw milk and dairy products</li> <li>• Bovine semen</li> <li>• Straw and feed for feeding</li> </ul> <p><i>(Note from the BMEL: Exemptions for heat-treated Dairy products are currently being harmonised).</i></p>	Entire federal territory	11.01.2025
Canada	CIFA	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Live animals and germplasm</li> <li>• Fresh meat</li> <li>• Unpasteurised dairy products</li> <li>• Raw hides, skins or hunting trophies</li> <li>• Blood</li> <li>• Other non-heated products or by-products from species susceptible to foot-and-mouth disease</li> <li>• Animal feed and equipment that has been in contact with affected animals</li> </ul>	Entire federal territory	10.01.2025
Korea	MAFRA	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Pork, by-products, meat products and non-edible pork products from Germany that are shipped after 10 January 2025 were</li> </ul>	Restriction to specified Product groups	10.01.2025
Mexico	SENASICA	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Untreated, fresh and salted hides and skins from cattle and sheep</li> <li>• Bovine semen</li> <li>• Food supplements with milk</li> <li>• Supplements with milk for additives and flavourings</li> <li>• Milk and dairy products for animal nutrition</li> <li>• Milk and dairy products for industrial and/or research purposes</li> <li>• Milk and dairy products</li> <li>• Blood and blood components for diagnosis and research</li> </ul>	Restriction to specified product groups	10.01.2025

Singapore	SFA	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Beef/beef products</li> <li>• Pork meat/products</li> <li>• liquid raw milk/raw milk for direct human consumption (<i>per import request for dairy products from FMD-affected export countries</i>)</li> </ul> <p>Exceptions:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• heat-treated products according to WOAH Code 8.8.34</li> <li>• Consignments with export date before 10 January 2025 and slaughter date before 27 December 2024</li> </ul>	DE	10.01.2025
Russia	ROS	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Large and small ruminants, pigs, reindeer, susceptible wild animals, camelids, susceptible zoo and circus animals,</li> <li>• Semen from bulls, rams, boars, breeding goats, embryos from cattle and small ruminants, embryos from pigs</li> <li>• Milk and dairy products from cattle and small ruminants</li> <li>• Meat, meat products and other raw materials obtained from the slaughter of susceptible animal species</li> <li>• Hunting trophies of susceptible animal species</li> <li>• Leather, horn and hooves, intestines, sheepskin and lambskin raw materials, wool, goat down, bristles from susceptible animal species</li> <li>• Feed and feed additives containing ingredients of animal origin derived from susceptible animal species (excluding feed additives and heat-treated prepared feed for cats, dogs, ferrets, crosses of domestic and wild ferrets, ferret-mink crosses, rodents, aquarium and terrarium animals, ornamental birds)</li> </ul>	Entire federal territory	15.01.2025

		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Feed of plant origin (excluding ready-made feed for cats, dogs, ferrets, crosses of domestic and wild ferrets, ferret-mink crosses, rodents, aquarium and terrarium animals, ornamental birds)</li> <li>• Earthworms and their cocoons from worm breeding, worm breeding and natural substrate for their breeding (soil, peat, compost, biohumus, fertiliser, plant parts)</li> <li>• Used equipment for rearing, slaughtering and processing susceptible animals</li> </ul>		
Russia	ROS	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Finished products and compound foods from raw materials from animals susceptible to FMD.</li> </ul>	EU	15.01.2025
USA	APHIS	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Live ruminants, camelids, pigs, hedgehogs, tenrecs and their germplasm</li> <li>• Additional import conditions apply to dogs and horses</li> <li>• Unprocessed products, by-products (including milk) from pigs, ruminants, camelids, hedgehogs and tenrecs                             <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• In some cases, eligible unprocessed swine, ruminant and camelid products and by-products may be imported if they are transported directly from the port of arrival to an eligible USDA-approved establishment. There are no USDA-approved facilities for milk/dairy products.</li> </ul> </li> <li>• Processed products, by-products (including milk) from pigs, ruminants, camelids, hedgehogs and tenrecs must be accompanied by an import licence and/or certificate.                              be accompanied by a certificate confirming that the products or</li> </ul>	Entire federal territory	13.01.2024

		by-products have been treated in accordance with APHIS requirements.		
Ukraine	SSUFSCP	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Animals susceptible to the foot-and-mouth disease virus, their genetic material, raw materials and products derived therefrom</li></ul>	Entire federal territory	13.01.2025

**Restrictions due to foot and mouth disease he (FMD), not  
actively communicated by THIRD COUNTRIES**

Name of the DL <sup>2</sup>		Information on	Block from date
Australia		<a href="https://www.agriculture.gov.au/biosecurity-trade/import/industry-advice/2025/06-2025">https://www.agriculture.gov.au/biosecurity-trade/import/industry-advice/2025/06-2025</a>	13.01.2025
Great Britain		<a href="https://www.gov.uk/guidance/imports-and-exports-of-animals-and-animal-products-topical-issues#foot-and-mouth-disease-fmd-in-germany:~:text=in%20the%20UK,-.Foot%20and%20mouth%20disease%20(FMD)%20in%20Germany,FMD%2C%20will%20be%20published%20in%20due%20course%20on%20this%20page,-.Peste%20des%20petits">https://www.gov.uk/guidance/imports-and-exports-of-animals-and-animal-products-topical-issues#foot-and-mouth-disease-fmd-in-germany:~:text=in%20the%20UK,-.Foot%20and%20mouth%20disease%20(FMD)%20in%20Germany,FMD%2C%20will%20be%20published%20in%20due%20course%20on%20this%20page,-.Peste%20des%20petits</a>	14.01.2025
USA		<a href="https://content.govdelivery.com/accounts/USDAAPHIS/bulletins/3cc5a64">https://content.govdelivery.com/accounts/USDAAPHIS/bulletins/3cc5a64</a> <a href="#">Animal Product Imports</a> <a href="#">Bringing Live Animals and Germplasm into the United States From Another Country (Import)</a>	13.01.2025
Turkey		Live cattle from Brandenburg (info about Bulgarian representative in the EU): <a href="http://yasakli.gkgm.gov.tr/">http://yasakli.gkgm.gov.tr/</a>	13.01.2025
Belarus		Livestock products: <a href="https://tass.ru/ekonomika/22868871">https://tass.ru/ekonomika/22868871</a>	15.01.2025

<sup>2</sup> Blocks that were not actively communicated to BMEL by DL