

European Union legislation on traceability in foodstuffs
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NOTE: All legal references mentioned refer only to the original basic legislation. The use of the CELEX number provided (ex. CELEX32005R0396) will allow access to the basic legislation, all amendments and the consolidated version of the legislation whenever available on EUR-Lex (European Union legislation database).

- Regulation (EC) No 178/2002 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 28 January 2002 laying down the general principles and requirements of food law, establishing the European Food Safety Authority and laying down procedures in matters of food safety ([OJ L-31 01/02/2002](#)) ([CELEX 32002R0178](#))

Specific legislation by-product

- Regulation (EC) No 1760/2000 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 17 July 2000 establishing a system for the identification and registration of bovine animals and regarding the labelling of beef and beef products and repealing Council Regulation (EC) No 820/97 ([OJ L-204 11/08/2000](#)) ([CELEX 32000R1760](#))
- Council Directive 2001/110/EC of 20 December 2001 relating to honey ([OJ L-10 12/01/2002](#)) ([CELEX 32001L0110](#))

Note: From 24 June 2015, new measures will be applicable on the marketing and labelling of honey according to Directive 2014/63/EU of the European Parliament and of the Council of 15 May 2014 amending Council Directive 2001/110/EC relating to honey ([OJ L-164 03/06/2014](#)) ([CELEX 32014L0063](#)). However, it should be possible for products placed on the market or labelled in accordance with Directive 2001/110/EC to continue to be marketed until the exhaustion of stocks.

- Commission Implementing Regulation (EU) No 29/2012 of 13 January 2012 on marketing standards for olive oil ([OJ L-12 14/01/2012](#)) ([CELEX 32012R0029](#))
- Council Regulation (EC) No 1224/2009 of 20 November 2009 establishing a Community control system for ensuring compliance with the rules of the common fisheries policy, amending Regulations (EC) No 847/96, (EC) No 2371/2002, (EC) No 811/2004, (EC) No 768/2005, (EC) No 2115/2005, (EC) No 2166/2005, (EC) No 388/2006, (EC) No 509/2007, (EC) No 676/2007, (EC) No 1098/2007, (EC) No 1300/2008, (EC) No 1342/2008 and repealing Regulations (EEC) No 2847/93, (EC) No 1627/94 and (EC) No 1966/2006 ([OJ L-343 22/12/2009](#)) ([CELEX 32009R1224](#))
- Commission Implementing Regulation (EU) No 208/2013 of 11 March 2013 on traceability requirements for sprouts and seeds intended for the production of sprouts ([OJ L-68 12/03/2013](#)) ([CELEX 32013R0208](#))
- Commission Regulation (EU) No 210/2013 of 11 March 2013 on the approval of establishments producing sprouts pursuant to Regulation (EC) No 852/2004 of the European Parliament and of the Council ([OJ L-68 12/03/2013](#)) ([CELEX 32013R0210](#))
- Commission Regulation (EU) No 211/2013 of 11 March 2013 on certification requirements for imports into the Union of sprouts and seeds intended for the production of sprouts ([OJ L-68 12/03/2013](#)) ([CELEX 32013R0211](#))

Note: From 1 July 2013, imports into the Union of sprouts or seeds intended for the production of sprouts shall be accompanied by a certificate attesting that they were produced under conditions

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which comply with the general hygiene provisions for primary production and associated operations set out by the EU legislation and particularly by Implementing Regulation (EU) No 208/2013 and Commission Regulation (EU) No 210/2013, above mentioned.