




Fertilizer registration for
placing on the market in
France

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- Creation in 2015
- Consulting, expertise, study for professionals in the field of fertilisers, biostimulants, organic wastes and bioplastics/biodegradable plastics
 - Support for market launch
 - Monitoring of regulatory/standard developments
 - Monitoring and scientific expertise in relation to environmental effects
 - Training services



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Reference document : Code rural et de la pêche maritime

=> import, holding for sale, sale, free distribution, use

authorized if the product has or complies with:

Autorisation de Mise sur le Marché (AMM) => marketing authorisation

Normes NFU => French standards – as for mineral fertilisers, organic fertilisers, organo-mineral fertilisers, soil improvers, growing media, etc..

Cahier des charges => technical specifications – only for some digestates (biogas plant) and for some parts of plant with biostimulant effect (very specific, no claims authorized)

EU regulation => REU 2003/2003 – 2019/1009

Application for registration to be made to ANSES

no pre-market approval required from French authorities






ANSES : French Agency for Food, Environmental and Occupational Health & Safety

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<p>« standard » demand</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • National application form • French market label • Supply certificates for each raw material • Manufacturing quality : process, quality system, composition of the product • Efficiency demonstration/claims • Innocuousness demonstration (workers, users, environment) 	<p>2 main texts: Order of the 1st of April 2020 CERFA 52317 (guidelines)</p> <p><i>The RUE 2019/215 declaration could be considered</i></p> <p>Content of the dossier</p>	<p>MR demand</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • National application form • Proof of the compliance of the product with the national regulation on fertilisers (in the “original” Member State) • MSDS of the product, of each raw materials • Description of the manufacturing process, list of raw materials and proportions, ... • Labels (French and “original” Member State) • Provide and comply with French innocuousness criteria: Heavy metals, PHA, pathogens Antibiogram
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Written dossier
+ annexes (analytical reports, trial reports, etc..)

Compilation of documents






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« standard » demand	Process duration	MR demand
Approx. 1,5 years		Approx. 4 months
Scientific assessments available to anyone => register https://www.anses.fr/fr/evaluations		Short Scientific assessment (only on innocuousness criteria) - NOT available
Information about marketing authorisation decisions https://ephy.anses.fr		
10 000 € or 20 000 €	ANSES fee	2 000 €

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Thank you for your attention

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