



# Requirements for InS Registration

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*This outlines the information required for InS Registration*

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## H1 Registration

### *What is the Standard for incidental food contact?*

The standard is **H1**, recognised internationally as the measure of a product's suitability for incidental food contact.

Until 1998 this was administered by the USDA. In July 2008, InS introduced a paperless web-based registration system based on the same pre-1998 standards.

### REQUIREMENTS for InS REGISTRATION

- All companies submitting an application must first be registered with InS. This can be done at the same time as first product registration.
- All product submissions must include full formulation details (our confidentiality agreement can be downloaded from our website).
- Only ingredients listed in 21 CFR 178.3570 or other approved standards will be acceptable.
- Range submissions must contain the same ingredients as the primary product but in varying proportions and within allowable limits.
- Any formulation change will invalidate the product approval.
- Any additional ingredients constitute a new product.

### FORMULATION SUBMISSION

Formulation submissions must contain the following:

- The chemical name of each ingredient.
- The name of the manufacturer of each ingredient.
- The manufacturer's Trade Name.
- CAS (Chemical Abstract Service registry) number or EINECS (European Inventory of Existing Commercial Chemical Substances) number of each ingredient.
- The reference standard by which the ingredient has been approved (eg 21 CFR 178.3570, GRAS).
- The amount of each ingredient must be expressed in percent by weight. All formulas must total 100%.

Support evidence may be required to show that all ingredients meet 21 CFR Section 178.3570 or other referenced sections. Other approval bodies may also be considered.

If you are unsure about any of the information, such as CAS number, it is likely that we can find this for you from our extensive database.

### DATA ENTRY

We believe that you will find our new website even easier to use than before, but if you prefer us to enter all the data on your behalf we will be happy to do so. Just email us the information and we will complete the registration for you at no extra cost.

### CONFIDENTIALITY

Should you wish to use it we have a legally binding confidentiality agreement available for download from our website. Alternatively, please send us yours for signature.

### REGISTRATION MARK

A uniquely numbered registration mark will be made available for each registered product. This may be used on labels and for promotional literature.

### LISTING OF REGISTERED PRODUCTS – The InS Register

Registered products will be listed online at [www.insservices.eu](http://www.insservices.eu), where copies of registration certificates are available for download.

## Other Registration Categories

As well as H1, we register a wide range of non-food compounds to a variety of other categories. Most of these can be processed via our website, or send us the details and we will do it for you.

We are not able to certify to Halal or Kosher requirements but we can assist you in obtaining these and will list the results against your company for prospective customers to see.

***InS registration requires: no contractual commitment - no sample testing - no label submission***