



FAIR TRADE CERTIFICATION



FEES

New operator	Basic fee 800 € + 480 € for inspection visit/audit + 0.5% on annual turnover
Already controlled operator	Basic fee 500 € + 250 € for further inspection visit/ audit
Brand holders	Basic fee 500 € + 0.5% annual turnover

PROCEDURE

The traders , importers and processors which uses OperAequa (OA) certified products , if wish to claim tat and use the certificate/logo , should :

- Apply to OpreAequa (OA)certification ;
- Maintain the record of operAequa input / output ;
- Give the recipes with the percentage of OA certified ingredients ;
- Have a Traceability System in place ;
- Make an internal Audit report of traceability and mass balance first and then receive an external Audit by a CB (Certification Body) to assess the conformity .

The external audit and the conformity report can be done by any ISO 65 accredited certifier , subcontracted by Bioagricert.

To prove the conformity of an input / output of OA ingredients, the following documents should be used:

- Transaction certificates of OA Ingredients;
- Labels on the bags of OA Ingredients;
- Product certificate plus transaction documents (such as fiscal documents) with “oparAequa certified” claim by the supplier.

At least the dates, the single quantities of each transaction, the supplier name and the traceability code assigned should be indicated in the record of operAequa input / output and in the audit report.

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All transactions must be covered by the documents indicated above.

During the audit, the presence of the documents indicated above must be controlled.

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