

EXPORTING OUTSIDE THE EU – RUSSIAN MARKET REQUIREMENTS

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GENERAL TRADE INFORMATION

Greek exports to Russian Federation

RUSSIAN FEDERATION OVERVIEW

- Total surface: 17 mil Km²
- Population: 138 mil
- Biggest cities: Moscow (12 mil), St. Petersburg (4,9 mil)
- GDP: 60,6 tril RUB (1,41 tril €)
- Trade languages: English, German or French (translation needed)
- Member of WTO since August 2012
- 2nd largest market for EU agricultural products



CUSTOMS ADMINISTRATION KEY FEATURES

Public Safety

- need to implement adequate controls to ensure public safety, regarding goods imported in the Russian Federation

Trade facilitation

- necessity to facilitate business enhancement by means of utmost simplification of customs formalities





EURASIAN ECONOMIC INTEGRATION

Milestones of the customs union

EURASIAN ECONOMIC INTEGRATION

2010

- Treaty on the Establishment of the Common Customs Territory and Formation of the Customs Union - Belarus, Kazakhstan, Russia



EURASIAN ECONOMIC INTEGRATION

2011

- Declaration on Eurasian Economic Integration
- Belarus,
- Kazakhstan,
- Russia



EURASIAN ECONOMIC INTEGRATION

2012

- Establishment of the Single Economic Space - Belarus Kazakhstan, Russia
- Eurasian Economic Commission starts operation



EURASIAN ECONOMIC INTEGRATION

2015

- Establishment of the Eurasian Economic Union
- The agreement on the Eurasian Economic Union

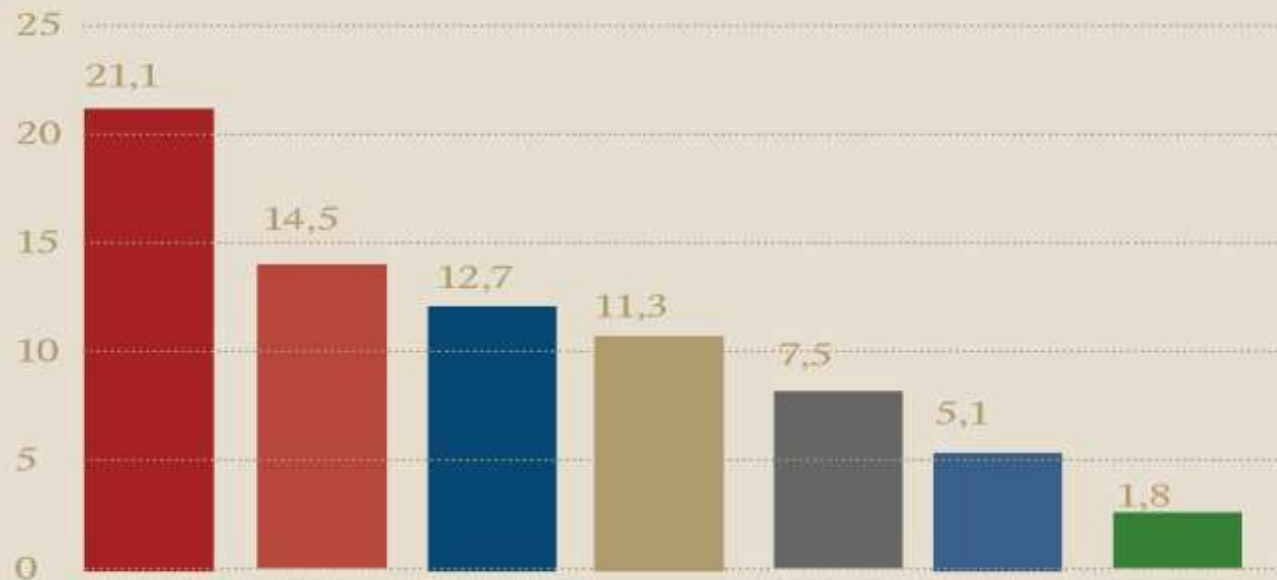


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Sunflower	Sugar beet	Potatoes	Wheat	Meat	Grain	Vegetables
# 1	#1	#2	#3	#3	#3	#4



Agricultural production (mln tons) (the CU and the SES share of global total)



GOVERNING BODIES OF THE CUSTOMS UNION AND THE SINGLE ECONOMIC SPACE



Eurasian Economic Commission
Board of the Commission

- Supreme Eurasian Economic Council

Deputy Prime minister of the Republic of Belarus –
Sergei Roumas

Deputy Prime minister of the Republic of
Kazakhstan – **Kairat Kelimbetov**

First Deputy Prime minister of Russian Federation
– **Igor Shuvalov**



THE CUSTOMS UNION DOCUMENTS IN THE VETERINARY SURVEILLANCE FIELD

Decision of the Customs Union Commission of 18 June 2010 №317

« On veterinary and sanitary measures implementation within the Customs Union »

and approved by this Decision:

- The List of common commodities, subjected to veterinary surveillance.
- The common veterinary (veterinary and sanitary) requirements lodged to the commodities, subjected to veterinary surveillance.
- Regulation laying down the common procedure of carrying out joint inspections of objects and commodity sample collection, subjected to veterinary surveillance.
- Regulation laying down the Common procedure of veterinary surveillance implementation at the customs boundary of the Customs Union and within the customs territory of the Customs Union.
- The Common forms of veterinary certificates



FOCAL POINTS OF VETERINARY SURVEILLANCE ORGANIZATION IN THE CUSTOMS UNION

- Movement of controllable commodities across the customs boundary of the CU is allowed at the border point, designed for such purposes or in other places equipped with means of veterinary surveillance and defined by the Sides legislation.
- The CU member states representatives, authorized in the veterinary surveillance field at the border points carry out veterinary surveillance when importing controllable commodities regardless of consignee in the Customs Union (the Russian Federation, the Republic of Belarus, the Republic of Kazakhstan).
- Controllable commodities import to the customs territory of the CU is carried out with a permit of the Member states competent authority of the Customs Union, accompanied with the veterinary documents that guarantee compliance of the Common veterinary (veterinary and sanitary) requirements.



FOCAL POINTS OF VETERINARY SURVEILLANCE ORGANIZATION IN THE CUSTOMS UNION

- Controllable commodity import to the customs territory of the Customs Union is allowed from premises or establishments of the third countries, listed in the List of establishments and individuals that produce, process and store controllable commodities, imported to the customs territory of the Customs Union.
- Movement of controllable commodities from the territory of one of the Sides to the territory of the other Side is allowed for establishments and individuals that produce, process, transport and store controllable commodities, included in the List of establishments and individuals that produce, process, transport and store controllable commodities, imported to the customs territory of the Customs Union



THE COMMON VETERINARY REQUIREMENTS

The common veterinary requirements are imposed to the commodities, subjected to veterinary surveillance.

- **The List of common commodities, subjected to veterinary surveillance, approved by the Commission of the Customs Union and included the main types of products:**
- Meat and other meat raw materials;
 - Finished meat products;
 - Fish and sea food;
 - Milk and dairy products;
 - Bee culture products;
 - Egg products;
 - Feed and feed additives of animal origin;
 - Technical raw materials of animal origin.



REGULATION

LAYING DOWN THE COMMON PROCEDURE OF CARRYING OUT OBJECTS JOINT INSPECTIONS

- The Regulation determines the procedure of carrying out joint checks (inspections) of establishments and individuals, that produce, process and store products, included in the List of common commodities, subjected to veterinary surveillance and imported to the customs territory of the CU, also transported from the territory of one Side to the territory of the other side.
- The competent authority of the Side, whereto controllable products from the third countries are intended to be imported, monitors the List of the third countries establishments in accordance with the procedure.
- Checks of controllable goods, situated on the third countries territory, are carried out on the basis of these countries competent authorities applications.



INSPECTORS, EXAMINE THE FOLLOWING POINTS OF CONTROL:

- Rearing and isolating animals
- Slaughtering of animals
- Processing of controllable animals
- Storing of controllable commodities
- Subcontractors & suppliers



REPORT ON THE INSPECTION RESULTS

is addressed to the competent authority of the third country (country of origin of the product to be exported to the CU Member State)

- In adverse determination, the competent authority of the third country provides the competent authority of the Side, initiated joint inspection, with the report on elimination of valuations. Based on the presented report, the competent authority of the Sid, by the agreement with the competent authorities of the other Sides, makes a decision on including or refusal of including the controllable object into the List of the third countries establishments.



SANITARY MEASURES IN THE CUSTOM UNION

Decision #299 adopted by Custom Union Commission approved the following documents for sanitary and epidemiological control:

- **Unified List of Commodities Subject to Sanitary-Epidemiological Surveillance (Control) at the Custom Border and in the Custom Union Territory**
- Section I of this document specifies groups of commodities that are subject to sanitary-epidemiological control. All food products (in raw or processed form), including those derived from genetically modified organisms, from specific custom codes are subject to control.



SANITARY MEASURES IN THE CUSTOM UNION

Documents under Decision #299 (cont)

- Section II of the List names commodities which are subject to the state registration as well.

Among these commodities are mineral water, bottled water, soft drinks, specialized products, baby-food, biologically active additives, raw materials for biologically active additives, organic products, food additives, food derived from genetically modified organisms, genetically modified microorganisms, food additives, cosmetic products, and some other industrial products.

- Products imported to the CU territory for the first time are subject to sanitary-epidemiological control and also need state registration. These products are specified in a separate custom's code table.
- Section III of the document enumerates products that do not need state registration. Such products include sanitary-epidemiological research samples, some spare parts, souvenirs, etc.



SANITARY MEASURES IN THE CUSTOM UNION

Documents under Decision #299 (cont)

- Unified Sanitary-Epidemiological Requirements for Products Subject to Sanitary –Epidemiological Surveillance

This document stipulates sanitary requirements for 21 groups of products, including Section 1, food products (Requirements for safety and nutritional value of food products); Section 9, bottled drinking water (Requirements for bottled drinking water); Section 15, pesticides and agro-chemicals (Requirements for pesticides and agrochemicals); and Section 21, mineral water (Requirements for mineral water).

- Section 1 (Requirements for safety and nutritional value of food products)

(consist of general information, that determines scope of requirements, terms and definitions, general provisions, food labeling requirements, safety and nutritional value requirements, and storage-transportation requirements)



SANITARY MEASURES IN THE CUSTOM UNION

Documents under Decision #299 (cont) Section 1 (cont)

- general information, that determines scope of requirements, terms and definitions, general provisions, food labeling requirements, safety and nutritional value requirements, and storage-transportation requirements.
- separate requirements for groups of food products, such as meat and meat products (part 1), milk and dairy products (2), fish and seafood and their products (3), cereals and products of milling and bakery industry (4), sugar and confectionary products (5), fruit and vegetable products (6), oils and fats and their products (7), beverages (part 8), other products (part 9), biologically active food additives (10), special products (11), baby-food and food for children (parts 12, 13, 14), sublimated products (15); - information on the microbiological indexes for baby-food dairy products (17), requirements for raw materials for baby food (18), - attachment on the hygiene requirements for safety of canned food, and attachment on the parasitological indexes in fish and seafood products.



SANITARY MEASURES IN THE CUSTOM UNION

Documents under Decision #299 (cont)

- Section 15 (Requirements for pesticides and agrochemicals)

Requirements for pesticides and agrochemicals are separated. For both groups of products the requirements outline the scope of application, terminology, general provisions, safety assessment criteria, toxicology assessment, packaging and labeling requirements.

The second portion of these requirements includes MRL's for the presence of chemicals and pesticides in the environment, including agricultural crops and food products.

- All pesticides and chemicals imported to/applied in the Custom Union region shall be registered.

So far the registration for these chemical and pesticide either import to or produced in Russia is handled by the Russian Federal Service for Veterinary and Phytosanitary Surveillance.



PESTICIDE RESIDUES (MRL) EXAMPLE

	Name of food product in which an MPL of an active substance of a pesticide has been fixed in accordance with GN 1.2.1323-03	MPLs of active substances of pesticides in food products in accordance with GN 1.2.1323-03.	<u>Types of products[1] in which MPLs of active substances of pesticides are fixed for food products included in the same group of food products in accordance with GN 1.2.1323-03, item 1.7.</u>	<u>MPL</u>
Active substance of pesticide		mg/kg		mg/kg
Deltamethrin	Sunflower (seeds)	0.1*	Fruits - other fruits of tropical and subtropical croppers, that are not pomes and drupes (bananas)	0.05
	Muskmelons	0.1*	Fruits - pomes croppers including tropical and subtropical (apples, pears)	0.01
	Tobacco	0.1*	Vegetables (cabbage, tomatoes, cucumbers)	0.01
	Cotton (oil)	0.05*	Cucurbits crops (muskmelons)	0.1
	Sunflower (oil)	0.05*		
	Peaches	0.05*		
	Bananas	0.05*		
	Cucumbers	0.01		
	Apples	0.01		
	Pears	0.01		
	Cabbage	0.01		
	Maize	0.01		
	Maize (oil)	0.02		
	Lettuce	0.01		
	Rice	0.01		
	Citrus (pulp)	0.01		
	Grape	0.01		
	Potatoes	0.01		
	Sugar beet	0.01		
	Tomatoes	0.01		
Carrots	NA			



CUSTOM UNION'S PHYTOSANITARY MEASURES AND QUARANTINE CONTROL

Decision on phytosanitary and quarantine control at the border of the Custom Union and in the Custom Union territories #318

This Decision approved the following documents issued for phytosanitary and quarantine control:

- List of quarantine products (cargoes, materials, goods) subject to quarantine-phytosanitary control at the border of the Custom Union, and in the Custom Union territory. Products are enumerated in accordance with custom codes of the Custom Union;
- Provisions for quarantine-phytosanitary control at the custom border of the Custom Union. This document determines the scale of phytosanitary control, terminology, procedure of control, sampling and examination of samples, disinfection procedures, transitional provisions, and temporary peculiarities of quarantine control at the Russian/Kazakhstani
- Provisions for quarantine-phytosanitary control in the territory of the Custom Union.





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Surveillance**

**Federal Service on Customers' Rights Protection
and Human Well-being Surveillance**

GREECE OVERVIEW

Greece

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Cumulative information

Country code : 300

Full name: Hellenic Republic

Member of the European Community since 1981

Previously introduced restrictions aimed at prevention of animal infectious disease introduction into the territory of the Russian Federation:

2000 – FMD

2004 – BSE

2005 – Newcastle disease (Central Macedonia)


Cumulative data on enterprises licensed for export to the Russian Federation

- [Food: finished mutton products](#) 
- [Food: finished beef products](#) 
- [Food: finished horse meat products](#) 
- [Food: finished poultry meat products](#) 
- [Food: finished pork products](#) 
- [Food: finished food products](#) 
- [Food: milk and milk products](#) 
- [Fish](#) 
- [Fish: frozen fish](#) 
- [Fish: fresh or chilled fish](#) 

Last licensed enterprises

 Enterprises № 19.S.107
MARICOM (NIREUS AQUACULTURE S.A)
Import is approved
from 17.10.2012
Fish
Direction [№ ΦC-EH-7/9200](#)
from [17.07.2012](#)

 Enterprises № 3.S.45
NIREUS AQUACULTURES CHIOS S.A., (NIREUS AQUACULTURE S.A).
Import is approved
from 17.07.2012
Fish
Direction [№ ΦC-EH-7/9200](#)
from [17.07.2012](#)

 Enterprises № 04.S.42
NEPTUNUS THALASIES
KALIERGIES S.A. (CORPORATION
DIAS AQUACULTURES S.A.)



LIST OF ENTERPRISES

Food: finished food products

In case erroneous information about enterprises is detected, send the corresponding reports to support@fsygs.ru . Our experts will immediately correct it.

№	Enterprise Number	Enterprise	Address	Region (oblast, province, land, state, voivodship, aimak, county)	Licensed type of activity	Status (Date)
1.	IMP 47	AFIM, MIMIKOU S.A.	GEORGIOS GENNIMATAS AVENUE , 19018 MAGOULA		Finished meat products	Food / finished food products Import is approved from 26.03.2010 Direction № 2-04/471 from 30.03.2010
2.	IMR153	CRETA FARM AVEE	KRYONER, EAST ATTIKI		Finished meat products	Food / finished food products Import is approved from 26.03.2010 Direction № 2-04/471 from 30.03.2010
3.	IMP27	CRETA FARM AVEE	LATZIMA, RETHIMNO		Finished meat products	Food / finished food products Import is approved from 26.03.2010 Direction № 2-04/471 from 30.03.2010
4.	IMP 102	D. POLYCHRONOPOULOS S.A.	FYSSES ; 311 00 LEFKADA		Finished meat products	Food / finished food products Import is approved from 26.03.2010 Direction № 2-04/471 from 30.03.2010
5.	IMP 132	DELIMARIS A.E. ; KATOPODI BROS S.A. ; IMPORTS – EXPORTS	FYSSES ; 31100 LEFKADA		Finished meat products	Food / finished food products Import is approved from 26.03.2010 Direction № 2-04/471 from 30.03.2010
6.	IMP 52	DIANIK S.A.	A MOURATIS ; NEO FALIRO 18547,		Finished meat products	Food / finished food products Import is approved from 26.03.2010 Direction № 2-04/471 from 30.03.2010
7.	IMP 204	FARMA KAPLANIDI A.E. ; ANONIMI EMPORIKI ETAIRIA TROFIMON KAI KREATON	CHORISTI DRAMA		Finished meat products	Food / finished food products Import is approved from 26.03.2010 Direction № 2-04/471 from 30.03.2010
8.	IMP 58	FOOD MASTER AVEE	AMFITHEA ARTAS		Finished meat products	Food / finished food products Import is approved from 26.03.2010 Direction № 2-04/471 from 30.03.2010
9.	IMP 313	KERKIRAIKI ETAIRIA KREATON A.E	TRIKLINO; KERKIRA		Finished meat products	Food / finished food products Import is approved from 26.03.2010 Direction № 2-04/471 from 30.03.2010



ENTERPRISE PROFILE (IDLE)

Enterprise

Enterprise: DELIMARIS A.E.;KATOPODI BROS S.A. ;IMPORTS – EXPORTS

Enterprise Number: IMP 132

Address: FYSSES ;31100 LEFKADA

Region (oblast, province, land, state, voivodship, aimak, county):

Licensed type of activity: Finished meat products

Enterprise status

Enters into force	Status	Products	Indication
26.03.2010	Import is approved	Food : pork semi-finished products	№ 2-04/471 from 30.03.2010
26.03.2010	Import is approved	Food : poultry meat semi-finished products	№ 2-04/471 from 30.03.2010
26.03.2010	Import is approved	Food : horsemeat semi-finished products	№ 2-04/471 from 30.03.2010
26.03.2010	Import is approved	Food : beef semi-finished products	№ 2-04/471 from 30.03.2010
26.03.2010	Import is approved	Food : mutton semi-finished products	№ 2-04/471 from 30.03.2010
26.03.2010	Import is approved	Food : meat preparations	№ 2-04/471 from 30.03.2010
26.03.2010	Import is approved	Food : finished pork products	№ 2-04/471 from 30.03.2010
26.03.2010	Import is approved	Food : finished poultry meat products	№ 2-04/471 from 30.03.2010
26.03.2010	Import is approved	Food : finished horse meat products	№ 2-04/471 from 30.03.2010
26.03.2010	Import is approved	Food : finished beef products	№ 2-04/471 from 30.03.2010
26.03.2010	Import is approved	Food : finished mutton products	№ 2-04/471 from 30.03.2010
26.03.2010	Import is approved	Food : finished food products	№ 2-04/471 from 30.03.2010

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Enters into force	Status	Products	Indication
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ENTERPRISE PROFILE (ACTIVE)

Enterprise

Enterprise: Selonda Aquacultures S.A

Enterprise Number: GR 04.KN.152 EU

Address: Apidia, N. Epidayru Argolida

Region (oblast, province, land, state, voivodship, aimak, county):

Licensed type of activity: Chilled and frozen fish and fish products

Enterprise status

Enters into force	Status	Products	Indication
24.03.2010	Import is approved	Fish	№ ΦC-HB-4/2650 from 24.03.2010
01.09.2009	Import is approved	Fish : frozen fish	№ ΦC-HB-4/7704 from 22.07.2009
01.09.2009	Import is approved	Fish : fresh or chilled fish	№ ΦC-HB-4/7704 from 22.07.2009

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№	Enterprise	Address	Licensed type of activity	Indication
1.	GR 04.KN.152 EU Fish Fillet S.A. (Selonda Aquaculture SA)	Greece Apidia, N. Epidayru Argolida	Chilled and frozen fish and fish products	№ ΦC-EH-7/491 from 21.01.2013

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Enters into force	Status	Products	Indication
01.09.2009	Import is approved	Fish	№ ΦC-HB-4/7704 from 22.07.2009



ENTERPRISE PROFILE (CONTROLLED)

Enterprise

Enterprise: MARICOM (NIRELUS AQUACULTURE S.A.)

Enterprise Number: 19.S.107

Address: нет сведений

Region (oblast, province, land, state, voivodship, aimak, county):

Licensed type of activity: Chilled and frozen fish, fish products and seafood

Enterprise status

Enters into force	Status	Products	Indication
17.10.2012	Import is approved	Fish	№ ФС-ЕН-7/9200 from 17.07.2012
01.09.2009	Import is approved	Fish : frozen fish	№ ФС-НВ-4/9340 from 31.08.2009
01.09.2009	Import is approved	Fish : fresh or chilled fish	№ ФС-НВ-4/9340 from 31.08.2009

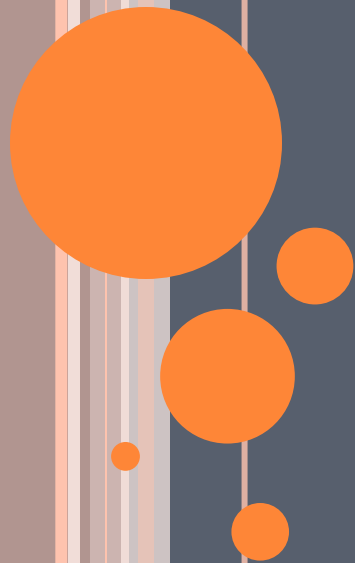
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Enters into force	Status	Products	Indication
17.07.2012	Enhanced control	Fish	№ ФС-ЕН-7/9200 from 17.07.2012
31.08.2009	Import is approved	Fish	№ ФС-НВ-4/9340 from 31.08.2009





LABELING REQUIREMENTS

PACKAGED FOOD PRODUCTS (I)

Labeling of packaged food products shall include the following information:

1. Name of food products;
2. Ingredients of food products, except in specific cases pointed out by the Technical Regulations of the Customs Union for particular types of food products;
3. Quantity of food products;
4. Manufacture date of food products;
5. Shelf life of food products;
6. Storage conditions of food products set forth by the manufacturer or stipulated in the Technical Regulations of the Customs Union for particular types of food products.
7. Storage conditions after opening a package shall be indicated for food products, the quality and safety of which change after opening the package protecting the products from spoiling;



PACKAGED FOOD PRODUCTS (II)

8. Name and location of the food products manufacturer, and in certain cases, name and location of the manufacturer's authorized representative, or the entrepreneur importer;
9. Recommendations and (or) restrictions on use, including those on cooking of food products in case the use thereof without such recommendations or restrictions is difficult, or may harm the consumers' health or property, lead to reduction or loss of taste characteristics of food products;
10. Nutrition value indicators of food products;
11. Information on the presence of food product ingredients obtained with the use of genetically modified organisms (GMO);
12. The uniform mark of products circulation on the market of the Customs Union Member States.






TRANSPORT PACKAGING LABELS

Labeling of a transport package containing food products shall include the following information:

1. Name of food products;
2. Quantity of food products;
3. Manufacture date of food products;
4. Shelf life of food products;
5. Storage conditions of food products;
6. Information which permits identification of the batch of the food product (for example, the batch number);
7. Name and location of the food product manufacturer, or surname, name, patronymic and location of the individual entrepreneur manufacturer of the food product.



UNIFORM MARK OF PRODUCTS CIRCULATION ON THE MARKET OF THE CUSTOMS UNION

Mark	Symbol	Definition
GOST R Mark of Conformity		The product is compliant with GOST R standards
TR Mark of Conformity		The product is compliant with Russian Technical Regulations (TR)
CU TR Mark of Conformity		The product is compliant with Customs Union (CU) Technical Regulations (TR)





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