



THE OBJECTIVE OF THIS MANUAL IS TO PROVIDE STEP-BY-STEP INSTRUCTIONS TO EXPORTING TO BRAZIL, APPLIED TO SAMPLES FROM FOOD & FEED, ENVIRONMENTAL AND AGRO MATRICES, FOR ANALYSIS AT **EUROFINS LABORATORIES**.

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# GENERAL GUIDELINES

• Samples must be properly packaged to prevent leaks and damage. Samples that require storage in a Styrofoam box must be placed inside a cardboard box and properly sealed. Samples packed with dry ice must include the label shown below, and the weight of the dry ice must be declared on the air waybill.



- Avoid dark containers, glass containers or containers where the internal contents cannot be identified; inspectors may open the sample to verify it.
- The exporter is aware that he is not authorized to continue the process of exporting samples to Eurofins Brazil without the approval of the Foreign Trade department of the Eurofins Brazil unit. If the exporter chooses to proceed without the necessary authorizations and the shipment eventually presents customs problems, Eurofins is not responsible and will reject the shipment at the same time.



# Step 1

#### First Contact: One e-mail to International Logistic team

International Logistic team contact:

#### EdBR\_Intercompany@eurofinslatam.com

The exporter needs to provide the Quotation Forms – Samples Export to Brazil.

After the e-mail with the forms sent, wait for International Logistic team reply in a few 24 hours.

You will receive the standardized instructions, In some cases, you will receive additional questions.



## Step 2

#### **Documentation and Shipping Instructions step**

After conclude step 1, we will know exactly the type of importation to be followed. It can be informal (courier) or formal (BSO). The International Logistics team will provide you the shipping instructions in both case, please be attentive to follow exactly what is needed in terms of:

- Documents obligation very important for custom clearance.
- Type of shipment
- Freight forwarder/Transportation type and contact name

Important Note: All documents should be shared with

- Type of package
- Temperature conditions
- Labels instructions

International Logistic team before pick up, and you should wait for Green Light. It means, when you receive the green light, it's ready to export. Please don't send anything before Brazil's team authorization (green light).

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#### **GREEN LIGHT**

When you have shipment prepared with all documents ready according to the instructions received, please send to International Logistics team, and wait our green light wich will be provided in no later than 24 hours (working time).

After that, it's finished the exportation part, and don't worry, we will look after the custom clearance process when arriving in Brazil.



## **Export of Fishery Products to Brazil**

Exporting samples to Brazil always requires prior evaluation, as our legislation offers a wide range of possible applications, making it necessary to determine the most appropriate classification for each case.

Below are some of the main classifications to guide the international process. Any sample that does not fall under the classifications listed below must be consulted with the Eurofins Brazil international logistics team at the e-mail

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Note: In cases where a Shipping Authorization is required, it will be necessary to wait for the importer to obtain the authorization. On average, this process takes 20 days. Shipment can only be carried out after the importer's authorization.





**03.02** - Fresh or chilled fish containing bone and preserved cartilage, NOT in fillet form, and which may be whole, headed and gutted, or cut into steaks. The fish species should be classified as follows:

Code	Description
0302.1	- Salmonids, excluding edible fish by-products of subheadings 0302.91 to 0302.99:
0302.2	- Flatfish (Pleuronectidae, Bothidae, Cynoglossidae, Soleidae, Scophthalmidae and Citharidae), except edible fish by-products of subheadings 0302.91 to 0302.99:
0302.3	- Tuna (of the genus Thunnus), skipjack tuna (Katsuwonus pelamis), except edible fish by-products of subheadings 0302.91 to 0302.99:
0302.4	- Herring (Clupea harengus, Clupea pallasii), anchovies (Anchovies*) (Engraulis spp.), sardines (Sardina pilchardus, Sardinops spp., Sardinella spp.) (sardines (Sardina pilchardus) and sardinellas (Sardinops spp., Sardinella spp.)*), anchovies (sprat*) (Sprattus sprattus), mackerel (Scomber scombrus, Scomber australasicus, Scomber japonicus), Indian mackerel (Rastrelliger spp.), saws (Scomberomorus spp.), horse mackerel (Trachurus spp.), jacks (Caranx spp.), cobia (cobia*) (Rachycentron canadum), silver pompano (Pampus spp.), Japanese sailfish (Cololabis saira), redfish (Decapterus spp.), capelin (Mallotus villosus), swordfish (Xiphias gladius), oriental merma (Euthynnus affinis), bonito (Sarda spp.), marlin, sailfish (Istiophoridae), except edible fish by-products of subheadings 0302.91 to 0302.99:
0302.5	- Fish of the families Bregmacerotidae, Euclichthyidae, Gadidae, Macrouridae, Melanonidae, Merlucciidae, Moridae and Muraenolepididae, except edible fish by-products of subheadings 0302.91 to 0302.99:
0302.7	· Tilapia (Oreochromis spp.), catfish (Pangasius spp., Silurus spp., Clarias spp., Ictalurus spp.), carp (Cyprinus spp., Carassius spp., Ctenopharyngodon idellus, Hypophthalmichthys spp., Cirrhinus spp., Mylopharyngodon piceus, Catla catla, Labeo spp., Osteochilus hasselti, Leptobarbus hoeveni, Megalobrama spp.), eels (Anguilla spp.), Nile perch (Lates niloticus) and snakehead fish (Channa spp.), except edible fish by-products of subheadings 0302.91 to 0302.99:
0302.8	- Other fish, except edible fish by-products of subheadings 0302.91 to 0302.99:
0302.9	Livers, roe, male gonads, fins, heads, tails, swim bladders and other edible by-products of fish:

**03.03** - Frozen fish containing bone and preserved cartilage, NOT in fillet form, and which may be whole, headed and gutted, or cut into steaks. The fish species should be classified as follows:

Code	Description
0303.1	- Salmonids, except edible fish by-products of subheadings 0303.91 to 0303.99:
0303.2	- Tilapia (Oreochromis spp.), catfish (Pangasius spp., Silurus spp., Clarias spp., Ictalurus spp.), carp (Cyprinus spp., Carassius spp., Ctenopharyngodon idellus, Hypophthalmichthys spp., Cirrhinus spp., Mylopharyngodon piceus, Catla catla, Labeo spp., Osteochilus hasselti, Leptobarbus hoeveni, Megalobrama spp.), eels (Anguilla spp.), Nile perch (Lates niloticus) and snakehead fish (Channa spp.), except edible fish by-products of subheadings 0303.91 to 0303.99:
0303.3	- Flatfish (Pleuronectidae, Bothidae, Cynoglossidae, Soleidae, Scophthalmidae and Citharidae), except edible fish by-products of subheadings 0303.91 to 0303.99:
0303.4	- Tuna (of the genus Thunnus), skipjack tuna (Katsuwonus pelamis), except edible fish by-products of subheadings 0303.91 to 0303.99:
0303.5	- Herring (Clupea harengus, Clupea pallasii), anchovies (Anchovies*) (Engraulis spp.), sardines (Sardina pilchardus, Sardinops spp., Sardinella spp.) (sardines (Sardina pilchardus) and sardinellas (Sardinops spp., Sardinella spp.)*), anchovies (sprat*) (Sprattus sprattus), mackerel (Scomber scombrus, Scomber australasicus, Scomber japonicus), Indian mackerel (Rastrelliger spp.), saws (Scomberomorus spp.), horse mackerel (Trachurus spp.), jacks (Caranx spp.), cobia (cobia*) (Rachycentron canadum), silver pompano (Pampus spp.), Japanese sailfish (Cololabis saira), redfish (Decapterus spp.), capelin (Mallotus villosus), swordfish (Xiphias gladius), oriental merma (Euthynnus affinis), bonito (Sarda spp.), marlin, sailfish (Istiophoridae), except edible by-products of fish of subheadings 0303.91 to 0303.99:
0303.6	· Fish of the families Bregmacerotidae, Euclichthyidae, Gadidae, Macrouridae, Melanonidae, Merlucciidae, Moridae and Muraenolepididae, except edible fish by-products of subheadings 0303.91 to 0303.99:
0303.8	- Other fish, except edible fish by-products of subheadings 0303.91 to 0303.99:
0303.9	Livers, roe, male gonads, fins, heads, tails, swim bladders and other edible by-products of fish:



**03.04** - Fish fillets, even if chopped, whether fresh, chilled, or frozen, provided they are **NOT** cooked, breaded, or coated in batter/paste.

Code	Description
0304.3	- Fillets of tilapia (Oreochromis spp.), catfish (Pangasius spp., Silurus spp., Clarias spp., Ictalurus spp.), carp (Cyprinus spp., Carassius spp., Ctenopharyngodon idellus, Hypophthalmichthys spp., Cirrhinus spp., Mylopharyngodon piceus, Catla catla, Labeo spp., Osteochilus hasselti, Leptobarbus hoeveni, Megalobrama spp.), eels (Anguilla spp.), Nile perch (Lates niloticus) and snakehead fish (Channa spp.), fresh or chilled:
0304.4	- Fillets of other fish, fresh or chilled:
0304.5	Other, fresh or refrigerated:
0304.6	- Frozen fillets of tilapia (Oreochromis spp.), catfish (Pangasius spp., Silurus spp., Clarias spp., Ictalurus spp.), carp (Cyprinus spp., Carassius spp., Ctenopharyngodon idellus, Hypophthalmichthys spp., Cirrhinus spp., Mylopharyngodon piceus, Catla catla, Labeo spp., Osteochilus hasselti, Leptobarbus hoeveni, Megalobrama spp.), eels (Anguilla spp.), Nile perch (Lates niloticus) and snakehead fish (Channa spp.):
0304.7	- Fillets of fish from the families Bregmacerotidae, Euclichthyidae, Gadidae, Macrouridae, Melanonidae, Merlucciidae, Moridae and Muraenolepididae, frozen:
0304.8	- Frozen fillets of other fish:
0304.9	- Others, frozen:

### **03.09** - Fish meal and pellets, intended for human consumption

Code	Description
0309.10.00	- Of fish
0309.90.00	-Others

Any classification that does not fall within the list above must be sent to **EdBR\_Intercompany@eurofinslatam.com** 

So that the international logistics team can review the legislation and provide the customer (exporter) with the necessary guidance and documentation.



# **Required Documentation from the Exporter:**

Eurofins, or the client in possession of the sample, must prepare the documents listed below in advance and wait for authorization from the Eurofins Brazil international logistics team:

- EOL (Analysis request it is necessary to contact the Eurofins Brazil commercial sales team)
- Air Waybill (AWB) for Formal shipment
- Commercial Invoice
- Packing List
- Health Certificate (the sample producer must obtain this from the veterinary authority in their country)

## **Mandatory Documents from the Importer:**

After receiving the documents listed above from the exporter, Eurofins Brazil will issue, together with the customs broker, the documents below so that the samples can be cleared upon arrival in Brazil:

• Import License

