

MANAGEMENT SYSTEM

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Rules for Emirates Organic Food Labelling / Mark

1. Labelling Rules

In addition to the mandatory labelling requirements as per GSO standard, labelling must include the following information in both Arabic and English language

- The name of product, producer's number and its place, production date and expiry date
- The name and address of producing, exporting, and importing company
- The input(s) name, name of product and organic production processes
- The name, number and logo of the control body which has issued the certificate of the organic product
- In case of organic inputs, it should be stated that this input is organic, and it is allowed to use in organic agriculture
- Percentage of input contents and organic product contents; the products with 95% organic ingredients can be labelled as organic products while products with organic ingredients 70 95% required to be mention the percentage on product label
- The ingredients, should appear in descending order (mass/mass) in the list of ingredients
- Products of farms in transition to organic production methods may only be labelled as
 "transition to organic" after 12 months of production using organic methods providing
 that indication referring to transition/conversion don't mislead the purchaser of
 product regarding its difference from products obtained from farms which have fully
 completed the conversion period; foods composed of a single ingredient may be
 labelled as "transition to organic" on the principal display panel

It is advised to develop/print the label only after the approval from certification body

2. Emirates Organic Food Mark

- The mark shall be according to annex 1
- The mark should not be used in a misleading way / or for non-certified products
- The mark shall be reproduced exactly the same color and shape with annex 1
- The mark shall be used with identification code for the certified product as mentioned in annex 1
- The mark must be un-removeable and clear. If there is no adequate space at the product / or there is no chance it at the product directly, the license can print / engrave / glue the mark to the packaging or any other way approved by the Certification body
- It is not allowed to use the mark in case of expiration of certification
- The organization has the right to use the mark in advertising a product of various advertising media during validity of the certificate

It is advisable that organization request certification body to provide Emirates Organic Food Mark for use in different places



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Annex 1

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