

Red Tractor Licensing Eligibility Criteria

Every step in each sector assurance chain must be a current member of the required third-party accreditation scheme/s

Red Tractor Assured Dairy and Dairy Products

STAKEHOLDER	SUPPLY ROUTES	Does the site need a Red Tractor Licence?	Third-party accreditation requirements	Other requirements
Farm	Member of the RT Dairy Farm Scheme (cow's milk) or recognised Goat Farmers' Dairy Scheme (UK)	No	o Cow's Milk - Red Tractor Farm Assurance for Dairy o Goat Milk – Red Tractor Farm Assurance for Dairy Goats Scheme	N/A
Transport	Liquid milk haulier	No	Dairy Transport Assurance Scheme (DTAS)	N/A
Registered First Purchaser Milk Procurement	Office manages the sourcing of Assured Milk from Certified Dairy Farms	No	N/A	Registered Member of the RT Dairy First Purchaser Scheme
Processor (Liquid Milk)	Takes delivery of raw milk that it processes, packs and labels in the form of milk or milk related products	Yes	BRCGS Food Safety Standard or	Registered Member of the RT Dairy First Purchaser Scheme



			SALSA Food Standard or FSSC 22000 or IFS Food	Milk hauled by DTAS certified haulier
Processor (Dairy Products)	Products such as butter and cheese produced/packed/labelled on site for sale to retailers/foodservice	Yes	BRCGS Food Safety Standard or SALSA Food Standard (where cheese is made from raw milk and sold with a RT claim, SALSA plus Cheese Standard is required) or FSSC 22000 or IFS Food	Milk sourced from First Purchaser or RT Licensed Processor
Dairy Packer	Factories that bring in bulk product, break it down for packing and labelling	Yes	BRCGS Food Safety Standard or SALSA Food Standard or FSSC 22000 or IFS Food	All Red Tractor products sourced and sold with a Red Tractor Claim have been supplied by a Red Tractor Licensed company



Wholesaler	Takes delivery and distributes the product. Product arrives and leaves in the same state (no splitting of packs or repacking)	Yes	N/A	All Red Tractor products sourced and sold with a Red Tractor Claim have been supplied by a Red Tractor Licensed company
Trader	Does not take physical ownership/handle the product/s, arranges distribution and storage	Yes	N/A	All Red Tractor products sourced and sold with a Red Tractor Claim have been supplied by a Red Tractor Licensed company
Food Service	Purchases and promotes RT dairy product/s using the RT Logo or Claim on menus, websites, magazines etc. The RT Claim must be specific to the Red Tractor product being promoted and not misleading to the consumer in any way	Yes	N/A	All Red Tractor products sourced and sold with a Red Tractor Claim have been supplied by a Red Tractor Licensed company