

Other Government Agency Query

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Other Government Agency Query

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Food and Drug Administration

The Food and Drug Administration (FDA) has created Product Code, Affirmation of Compliance, and Establishment Identifier files that can be queried electronically.

Product Code File

The Product Code File identifies merchandise that may require FDA review.

Input: Record Identifier FDNP-F1 is a mandatory FDA input record to query the Product Code File.

The application identifier on Record Identifier B is NP. For additional information on Record Identifier B, refer to the Application Control chapter of this document.

Output: Record Identifiers FDNT-F2 and FDNT-F3 are mandatory FDA output records that provide a description of the product code. Record Identifier FDNT-F9 is an optional output record that provides an error message.

The application identifier on Record Identifier B is NT. For additional information on Record Identifier B, refer to the Application Control chapter of this document.

Affirmation of Compliance File

The Affirmation of Compliance file allows the importer to identify the compliance status of FDA merchandise.

Input: Record Identifier FDOP-01 is a mandatory FDA input record to query the description of an Affirmation of Compliance Type code.

The application identifier on Record Identifier B is OP. For additional information on Record Identifier B, refer to the Application Control chapter of this document.

Output: Record Identifiers FDOT-F2 and FDOT-F3 are mandatory FDA output records that provide a description of the Affirmation of Compliance Type code queried. Record Identifier FDOT-F9 is an optional FDA output record that provides an error message.

The application identifier on Record Identifier B is OT. For additional information on Record Identifier B, refer to the Application Control chapter of this document.

Establishment Identifier File

The Establishment Identifier File contains the “Ship to” names and addresses of FDA consignees. The addresses must be in the United States. There are two files. The U.S. Customs and Border Protection (CBP) file can be “queried” only. It contains only the codes and checks the validity of the twelve-digit code queried by the filer. The FDA file contains names, addresses and codes. This file is the “Add To” file from which a filer receives a FDA FEI Code via ABI.

Input: Record Identifier FDPP-10 is a mandatory FDA Query input record used to query the validity of an FDA establishment identification code. This query stays within the USCS ABI system. Record Identifier FDPP-20 is a mandatory FDA input record that queries or adds the name and address of a FDA establishment. In reality, “Query” is treated as an “Add” in this record. If querying, use the FDPP-10 record. If requesting a FDA establishment number use the FDPP-20 and associated records.

The application identifier on Record Identifier B is PP. For additional information on Record Identifier B, refer to the Application Control chapter of this document.

Output: There are two different output scenarios depending on whether the FDA Establishment code is queried or whether a code (an “add”) is requested from FDA via ABI.

If a query only is requested using the FDPP-10 record, one output Record PT is returned. This record responds only to the query. It stays within the CBP ABI system.

If an add is requested using the FDPP-20 (and associated records) two PT records are returned. The first PT record is an acknowledgment that the query passed edit and was sent to the FDA system for assignment of the FDA Establishment code. The second PT record is returned a short time later and contains the FDA Establishment code. In this scenario the second PT record is returned with the original name and address information, as sent, and the FD30 Record that contains the FDA Establishment code. Position five in the FD30 record in this scenario contains different return codes in the FD30 record than in the “query only” scenario described in the preceding paragraph.

Product Code Builder Update File

The FDA Product Code Builder Update query allows the user to receive updates to their FDA-supplied Product Code Builder through ABE. The Product Code Builder runs on a personal computer and is independent of ABI. This query should not be confused with the product code query application “NP”. This is a voluntary application. CBP and FDA anticipate that there will be approximately one update per month.

An ABI administrative message will be issued every time FDA transmits a product code update to ACS. This administrative message will inform the ABI filers that an update has been issued and should be queried through ABI by the date listed on the administrative message. All FDA Product Code Updates will be queried by a date field.

It is important to keep track of the updates issued by FDA. If a number of updates have been missed, filers have the option of inputting a date field of "00000000" to retrieve all updates which have been issued.

The date field used in the "MJ" query will provide all FDA updates from the date selected, up to the present date.

These ABI queries will process on a deferred time schedule. This is normally done at night during off-peak hours. The results will be available after that time.

Update Instructions. ABI will store all changes, additions, and deletions made to FDA product codes since March 1994. ABI filers will use the "MJ" application query to receive these updates. Once the filer has queried an update by specific date, the update information will be provided in the "ML" output response. The update information is in 80-character format. The ABI filer should capture the data in a text file. If possible, the A-B-Y-Z records should be stripped. The text file should be named with the calendar year and date of the update that was queried along with the extension PCB. The file name will change with each update received.

It is recommended that the PC file be stored in the same directory as the FDA Product Code Update software was originally installed. If the PC file is not in that directory, then either move the file to the installation directory or identify the drive and directory along with the file name to the Product Code software.

To update the FDA Product Code files, go to the "Control" menu option, click on the "Update" option. There are two types of update options: (*) Update Only and () Complete Database Reload.

Filers will use the "Update Only" option for the updates from ABI. The "Complete Database Reload" option deletes the entire database then reloads it, similar to the original installation of the Product Code Builder. All the Product Code updates would then have to be queried again. Rarely, if ever, should the "Complete Database Reload" option be used.

Input the new text file name in the "Update File" field and press "Enter". Remember that you must include the drive and directory if the file is not stored in the same directory as the Product Code Builder software was installed.

Input: Record Identifier FDMJ-61 is a mandatory input query record.

Output: Record Identifier FDML is a mandatory output record.

Fish and Wildlife Service

The Fish and Wildlife Service (FWS) has created a file that allows species data to be queried.

Input: Record Identifiers FW101 and FW102 are mandatory FWS query records. One or the other

is transmitted but not both.

The application identifier on Record Identifier B is FN. For additional information on Record Identifier B, refer to the Application Control chapter of this document.

Output: Record Identifier FW201 is a mandatory FWS output record. Record Identifier FW301 and FW401 are conditional.

The application identifier on Record Identifier B is FS. For additional information on Record Identifier B, refer to the Application control chapter of this document.

Record Identifier FDNP-F1 (Input)

This is a mandatory Food and Drug Administration (FDA) Product Code query input record that provides data pertaining to the product code. The FDA Product Code Builder software program is available from FDA.

<i>Record Identifier FDNP-F1 (Input)</i>					
Data Element	Length/ Class	Position	Status	Description	Note
Control Identifier	2A	1-2	M	Must always equal FD.	
Reference File Code	2AN	3-4	M	Must always equal F1.	
Product Code	7X	5-11	M	<p>A code identifying the product by Industry Code, Class Code, Subclass Code, Process Indicator Code, or Product Code. The positions not in use are space filled.</p> <p>A query can be performed using only a part of the product code. For example, a query can be by only the first two characters of the product code or the first and last two characters of the product code.</p> <p>Caution: Certain queries may generate a large output response. We recommend that when querying only part of a product (that is, a more general query) that the query is done outside of normal business hours.</p>	
Filler	69AN	12-80	M	Space fill.	

Record Identifier FDNT-F2 (Output)

This is a mandatory Food and Drug Administration (FDA) Product Code query output record that provides data pertaining to the FDA product code.

Record Identifier FDNT-F2 (Output)					
Data Element	Length/ Class	Position	Status	Description	Note
Control Identifier	2A	1-2	M	Must always equal FD.	
Reference File Code	2AN	3-4	M	Must always equal F2.	
FDA Product Code	7X	5-11	M	A code identifying the product by Industry Code, Class Code, Subclass Code, Process Indicator Code, or Product Code.	
Filler	69AN	12-80	M	Space fill.	

Record Identifier FDNT-F3 (Output)

This is a mandatory Food and Drug Administration (FDA) Product Code query output record that provides data pertaining to the product description for the product code. This record is repeated as often as necessary. In some cases, this may result in several hundred or several thousand records depending on the industry queried.

Record Identifier FDNT-F3 (Output)					
Data Element	Length/ Class	Position	Status	Description	Note
Control Identifier	2A	1-2	M	Must always equal FD.	
Reference File Code	2AN	3-4	M	Must always equal F3.	
FDA Product Code	7X	5-11	M	A code identifying the product by Industry Code, Class Code, Subclass Code, Process Indicator Code, or Product Code.	
FDA Product Description	60X	12-71	M	A verbal description of the product coded.	
Filler	9AN	72-80	M	Space fill.	

Record Identifier FDNT-F9 (Output)

This is an optional Food and Drug Administration (FDA) Product Code query output record that provides an error message and error message number. This record is always returned after the FDNT-F2.

Record Identifier FDNT-F9 (Output)													
Data Element	Length/ Class	Position	Status	Description	Note								
Control Identifier	2A	1-2	M	Must always equal FD.									
Reference File Code	2AN	3-4	M	Must always equal F9.									
Error Message	30X	5-34	M	A narrative description of the error message.									
Error Message Number	3AN	35-37	M	A number identifying the error message. Valid error message numbers are: <table border="0"> <thead> <tr> <th>Number</th> <th>Description</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td>JAF</td> <td>No Data Found For Key</td> </tr> <tr> <td>IM5</td> <td>Invalid Data Entered</td> </tr> <tr> <td>AI8</td> <td>Input Fields Are Blank</td> </tr> </tbody> </table>	Number	Description	JAF	No Data Found For Key	IM5	Invalid Data Entered	AI8	Input Fields Are Blank	
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Filler	43AN	38-80	M	Space fill.									

Record Identifier FDOP-01 (Input)

This is a mandatory Food and Drug Administration (FDA) Affirmation of Compliance Types input record that provides data pertaining to the reference file code for the FDA Affirmation of Compliance Types file.

Record Identifier FDOP-01 (Input)					
Data Element	Length/ Class	Position	Status	Description	Note
Control Identifier	2A	1-2	M	Must always equal FD.	
Reference File Code	2AN	3-4	M	Must always equal F1.	
FDA Affirmation of Compliance Type Code	3AN	5-7	M	A code identifying the type of FDA Affirmation of Compliance. To review all Affirmation of Compliance Codes, input <i>ALL</i> .	
Filler	73AN	8-80	M	Space fill.	

Record Identifier FDOT-F2 (Output)

This is a mandatory Food and Drug Administration Affirmation of Compliance Types output record that displays the FDA Affirmation of Compliance Type Code. This record is followed by the FDOT-F3 record or the FDOT-F9 error record.

<i>Record Identifier FDOT-F2 (Output)</i>					
Data Element	Length/ Class	Position	Status	Description	Note
Control Identifier	2A	1-2	M	Must always equal FD.	
Reference File Code	2AN	3-4	M	Must always equal F2.	
FDA Affirmation of Compliance Type Code	3AN	5-7	M	The FDA Affirmation of Compliance Type Code as input on the FDOP-F1 record.	
Filler	73AN	8-80	M	Space fill.	

Record Identifier FDOT-F3 (Output)

This is a mandatory Food and Drug Administration Affirmation of Compliance Types output record that provides the FDA affirmation type code, FDA affirmation of compliance type description, and qualifier indicator.

Record Identifier FDOT-F3 (Output)					
Data Element	Length/ Class	Position	Status	Description	Note
Control Identifier	2A	1-2	M	Must always equal FD.	
Reference File Code	2AN	3-4	M	Must always equal F3.	
FDA Affirmation of Compliance Type Code	3AN	5-7	M	A code indicating the reason for the compliance.	
FDA Affirmation of Compliance Type Description	45X	8-52	M	A description of the Affirmation of Compliance Type code.	
Qualifier Indicator	1AN	53	M	A code of Y (yes) indicates the qualifier must be transmitted with the entry certified for cargo release; otherwise, space fill.	
Filler	27AN	54-80	M	Space fill.	

Record Identifier FDOT-F9 (Output)

This is an optional Food and Drug Administration Affirmation of Compliance Types output record that provides an error message and error message number.

Record Identifier FDOT-F9 (Output)					
Data Element	Length/ Class	Position	Status	Description	Note
Control Identifier	2A	1-2	M	Must always equal FD.	
Reference File Code	2AN	3-4	M	Must always equal F9.	
Error Message	30AN	5-34	M	A narrative explanation of the error message.	1
Filler	1AN	35	M	Space fill.	
Error Message Number	3AN	36-38	M	A number identifying the error message.	1
Filler	42AN	39-80	M	Space fill.	

Note 1

Valid Error Message Numbers and their descriptions are:

Number	Description
JAF	No Data Found for Key
IM5	Invalid Data Entered
AI8	Input Fields Are Blank

Record Identifier FDPP-10 (Input)

This is a mandatory Query Food and Drug Administration (FDA) Establishment Identifier input record that provides data pertaining to the action code and FDA establishment identifier. This record is used if the establishment identifier is on file.

<i>Record Identifier FDPP-10 (Input)</i>					
Data Element	Length/ Class	Position	Status	Description	Note
Control Identifier	2A	1-2	M	Must always equal FD.	
Reference File Code	2N	3-4	M	Must always equal 10.	
Action Code	1A	5	M	Must always equal Q.	
FDA Establishment Identifier	12N	6-17	M	A code identifying the address of the FDA Establishment Identifier resident in ACS. The output record, FDPT-30, indicates that the Establishment Identifier is or is not on file.	
Filler	63A	18-80	M	Space fill.	

Record Identifier FDPP-20 (Input)

This is a mandatory Query Food and Drug Administration (FDA) Establishment Identifier input record that provides data pertaining to the action code and lines one and two of the FDA establishment identifier name. This record is used if the Establishment Identifier is not on file.

Record Identifier FDPP-20 (Input)					
Data Element	Length/ Class	Position	Status	Description	Note
Control Identifier	2A	1-2	M	Must always equal FD.	
Reference File Code	2AN	3-4	M	Must always equal 20.	
Action	1A	5	M	A code of Q (query) or A (add). Currently, a code of Q (query) is treated as an A (add).	
Line One FDA Establishment Identifier Name	37X	6-42	M	The name of the FDA Establishment Identifier.	1
Line One FDA Establishment Identifier Address	37X	43-79	M	The first line of the FDA Establishment Identifier address.	1
Filler	1A	80	M	Space fill.	

Note 1

The Establishment Identifier Name and Address are forwarded to FDA. FDA adds the Establishment Identifier Name and Address to the database and returns the code in the FD30 Record.

Record Identifier FDPP-21 (Input)

This is a mandatory Query Food and Drug Administration (FDA) Establishment Identifier input record that provides data pertaining to the city, state, and ZIP code.

Record Identifier FDPP-21 (Input)					
Data Element	Length/ Class	Position	Status	Description	Note
Control Identifier	2A	1-2	M	Must always equal FD.	
Reference File Code	2AN	3-4	M	Must always equal 21.	
City	21A	5-25	M	The city where the FDA Establishment Identifier is located.	
State	2A	26-27	M	The state where the FDA Establishment Identifier is located.	
ZIP Code	9AN	28-36	M	The ZIP code where the FDA Establishment Identifier is located.	
Filler	44AN	37-80	M	Space fill.	

Record Identifier FDPP-22 (Input)

This is a conditional Query Food and Drug Administration (FDA) Establishment Identifier input record that provides data pertaining to the second line of the FDA name and address.

<i>Record Identifier FDPP-22 (Input)</i>					
Data Element	Length/ Class	Position	Status	Description	Note
Control Identifier	2A	1-2	M	Must always equal FD.	
Reference File Code	2N	3-4	M	Must always equal 22.	
Line Two FDA Establishment Identifier Name	37X	5-41	M	The second line of the FDA Establishment Identifier Name.	
Line Two FDA Establishment Identifier Address	37X	42-78	M	The second line of the FDA Establishment Identifier Address.	
Filler	2AN	79-80	M	Space fill.	

Record Identifier FDPT-30 (Output) (FDPP-10 Record Query)

This is a Query Food and Drug Administration (FDA) Establishment Identifier output record that provides a positive message indicating if the FEI number queried in the FDPP-10 Record is on file in ACS. If the FEI is not found on ACS or if there is an error in format, an FDER record rather than an FDPT-30, record is returned.

Record Identifier FDPT-30 (Output) (FDPP-10 Record Query)					
Data Element	Length/Class	Position	Status	Description	Note
Control Identifier	2A	1-2	M	Must always equal FD.	
Reference File Code	2N	3-4	M	Must always equal 30.	
Action Code	1A	5	M	Must always equal Q.	
FDA Establishment Identifier Number	12N	6-17	M	The FDA Establishment Identifier Number as queried.	
Response Code	3A	18-20	M	The response code identifying the response message.	1
Response Message	33AN	21-53	M	The narrative response message.	1
Filler	27AN	54-80	M	Space fill.	

Note 1

Valid response code messages are:

Code	Message
VGY	FEI Found on ACS

Record Identifier FDPT-30 (Output) (Interim Response)

This is a Query Food and Drug Administration (FDA) Establishment Identifier output record that provides data pertaining to the action code, first 12 characters of the name field of the firm for whom the FEI is requested, response code, and response message. This record is an interim response record indicating that the add request was in proper form and that the request is being sent to FDA for assignment of the FEI number. A separate PT response record will be returned with an FEI number.

Record Identifier FDPT-30 (Output) (Interim Response)					
Data Element	Length/ Class	Position	Status	Description	Note
Control Identifier	2A	1-2	M	Must always equal FD.	
Reference File Code	2N	3-4	M	Must always equal 30.	
Action Code	1A	5	M	The same as that on Record 20.	
Line One FEI Name	12AN	6-17	M	The first 12 characters of the line 1 FEI name.	
Response Code	3AN	18-20	C	The response code identifying the response message.	1
Response Message	33AN	21-53	C	The narrative response message.	1
Filler	27AN	54-80	M	Space fill.	

Note 1

Valid response code messages are:

Code	Message
VG1	Request sent to FDA, Proc Pending

Record Identifier FDPT-30 (Output) (FEI Returned from FDA)

This is a Query Food and Drug Administration (FDA) Establishment Identifier output record that provides data pertaining to the FDA ISIS return code and FDA Establishment Identifier number. This record is returned after the first (interim) PT transaction that notified the filer that their request was being sent to FDA. FDA has now assigned an FEI number.

Record Identifier FDPT-30 (Output) (FEI Returned from FDA)					
Data Element	Length/ Class	Position	Status	Description	Note
Control Identifier	2A	1-2	M	Must always equal FD.	
Reference File Code	2N	3-4	M	Must always equal 30.	
FDA Return Code	1N	5	M	Return Code. Valid FDA response code messages are: Code Message 1 Add FEI to ACS; return FEI to broker 2 Returned FEI is already resident in ACS; return FEI to broker 3 Invalid broker request; return error message to broker 4 Add request denied; return error to broker 5 Add FEI to ACS; NO broker notification needed 6 Delete FEI from ACS	
FDA Establishment Identifier Number	12AN	6-17	C	The FDA Establishment Identification Number.	
Filler	63AN	18-80	M	Space fill.	

Record Identifier ER (Output)

This is an optional Food and Drug Administration Query output record that provides an error message.

Record Identifier ER (Output)					
Data Element	Length/ Class	Position	Status	Description	Note
Control Identifier	2A	1-2	M	Must always equal FD.	
Record Type	2N	3-4	M	Must always equal ER.	
Filler	13AN	5-17	M	Space fill.	
Error Message Identifier	3AN	18-20	M	A code identifying the error message.	1
Narrative Message	40A	21-60	M	A narrative description of the error.	1
Filler	20AN	61-80	M	Space fill.	

Note 1

Valid error code messages are:

Code	Message
VGX	Invalid Format
VGZ	FEI Not Found on ACS
VG5	Invalid Add Request
VG6	Invalid Action Code
VG7	FEI Number Invalid - Numerics REQ
VG8	FEI Number Invalid - Leading 0's REQ
008	Invalid Zip Code
8FD	Invalid State Abbreviation
8FE	Zip Code Not Within Range For State

Record Identifier FDMJ-61 (Input)

This is a mandatory Food and Drug Administration (FDA) Product Code Builder Update query input record that provides the date from which the user wants all product code updates.

<i>Record Identifier FDMJ-61 (Input)</i>					
Data Element	Length/ Class	Position	Status	Description	Note
Control Identifier	2A	1-2	M	Must always equal FD.	
Record Type	2N	3-4	M	Must always equal 61.	
Query Date	8N	5-12	M	<p>Input Date - Query will return all updates from the input date to the present date in YYYYMMDD format. To retrieve all updates use "00000000".</p> <p>The narrative message of "No records for query date" will be generated when the query date is:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Greater than the current date. • The current date. • A date in the past but one where there has been no update between that date and the present date. 	
Filler	68AN	13-80	M	Space fill.	

Record Identifier FDML (Output)

This is a mandatory Food and Drug Administration (FDA) Product Code Builder Update output record that provides the Record Type and Product Code Update information.

<i>Record Identifier FDML (Output)</i>					
Data Element	Length/ Class	Position	Status	Description	Note
Record Type	2AN	1-2	M	FDA record update type. There are ten possible types.	1
Product Code	78X	3-80	M	FDA product code update information; received from FDA in current format. Filers will use the "Update Only" option for the updates from ABI. Input the new text file name into the "Update File" field and press "Enter".	1

Note 1

Output data does not contain a control identifier in positions 1-2. Record type (position 1-2) can be one of ten possible types that are part of the data used to update the product code builder. Valid records types are:

C1	D1
E1	F1
G1	G2
M1	N1
S1	T1

Record Identifier FW101 (Input)

This is a mandatory Other Government Agency Fish and Wildlife Service (FWS) reference input record that allows the Species file to be queried by species code, common name (general and specific). The entire Species Code File is transmitted if this record is blank; however, there are time restrictions.

Record Identifier FW101 (Input)					
Data Element	Length/ Class	Position	Status	Description	Note
Control Identifier	2A	1-2	M	Must always equal FW.	
Record Type	1N	3	M	Must always equal 1.	
Reference File Code	2N	4-5	M	Must always equal 01.	
Species Code	4X	6-9	C	A code assigned by the Fish and Wildlife Service identifying the scientific classification of the species. If the query is by species code, space fill all other data fields.	
Common Name (Specific)	18X	10-27	C	The specific portion of the common name of the species being imported.	
Common Name (General)	18X	28-45	C	The general portion of the common name of the species being imported.	
Filler	35AN	46-80	M	Space fill.	

Record Identifier FW102 (Input)

This is a mandatory input Other Government Agency Fish and Wildlife Service (FWS) reference record that allows the FWS species file to be queried by genus and species.

Record Identifier FW102 (Input)					
Data Element	Length/ Class	Position	Status	Description	Note
Control Identifier	2A	1-2	M	Must always equal FW.	
Record Type	1N	3	M	Must always equal 1.	
Reference File Code	2N	4-5	M	Must always equal 02.	
Filler	4AN	6-9	M	Space fill.	
Genus	18X	10-27	M	The main scientific classification of the species.	
Species	18X	28-45	C	The second scientific classification in the binomial.	
Filler	35AN	46-80	M	Space fill.	

Record Identifier FW201 (Output)

This is a mandatory Other Government Agency Fish and Wildlife Service (FWS) reference output record that provides data pertaining to the species code, common name (general and specific), message code and narrative message.

Record Identifier FW201 (Output)					
Data Element	Length/ Class	Position	Status	Description	Note
Control Identifier	2A	1-2	M	Must always equal FW.	
Record Type	1N	3	M	Must always equal 2.	
Reference File Code	2N	4-5	M	Must always equal 01 if queried by 101, 02 if queried by 102.	
Species Code	4X	6-9	C	A code assigned by the FWS identifying the species.	
Common Name (Specific)	18X	10-27	C	The specific portion of the common name of the species being imported.	
Common Name (General)	18X	28-45	C	The general portion of the common name of the species being imported.	
Message Code	3X	46-48	C	A code identifying the narrative message.	
Narrative Message	30X	49-78	C	The FWS narrative message.	
Filler	2AN	79-80	M	Space fill.	

Record Identifier FW301 (Output)

This is a conditional Other Government Agency Fish and Wildlife Service (FWS) output record that provides data pertaining to the species code, genus, species, and subspecies.

<i>Record Identifier FW301 (Output)</i>					
Data Element	Length/ Class	Position	Status	Description	Note
Control Identifier	2A	1-2	M	Must always equal FW.	
Record Type	1N	3	M	Must always equal 3.	
Reference File Code	2N	4-5	M	Must always equal 01.	
Species Code	4X	6-9	M	A code assigned by the FWS identifying the species.	
Genus	18X	10-27	M	The main scientific classification of the species.	
Species	18X	28-45	M	The second scientific classification in the binomial.	
Subspecies	18X	46-63	C	The third scientific classification in the trinomial.	
Filler	17AN	64-80	M	Space fill.	

Record Identifier FW401 (Output)

This is a conditional Other Government Agency Fish and Wildlife Service (FWS) output record that provides data pertaining to the species code, alternate common name (general and specific), Convention of International Trade of Endangered Species (CITES) Appendix, Migratory Bird Treaty Act (MBTA) indicator, endangered/threatened indicator, and marine mammal indicator.

Record Identifier FW401 (Output)					
Data Element	Length/Class	Position	Status	Description	Note
Control Identifier	2A	1-2	M	Must always equal FW.	
Record Type	1N	3	M	Must always equal 4.	
Reference File Code	2N	4-5	M	Must always equal 01.	
Species Code	4X	6-9	M	A code assigned by the FWS identifying the species.	
Alternate Common Name (Specific)	18X	10-27	C	The specific portion of the common name of the species being imported.	
Alternate Common Name (General)	18X	28-45	C	The general portion of the common name of the species being imported.	
CITES Appendix	1N	46	C	A code indicating the CITES (Convention of International Trade of Endangered Species) appendix that applies. Valid CITES codes are: 1 = CITES Appendix one applies. 2 = CITES Appendix two applies. 3 = CITES Appendix three applies. Space fill = CITES does not apply.	
MBTA Indicator	1A	47	C	A code of Y (yes) indicates the MBTA (Migratory Bird Treaty Act) applies; otherwise, space fill.	
Endangered/Threatened	1A	48	C	A code indicating if the species is endangered or threatened. Valid codes are: E = Endangered T = Threatened Space Fill = Not Endangered or Threatened under the U.S. Endangered Species Act.	
Marine Mammal	1A	49	C	A code of M indicates the species is a marine mammal; otherwise, space fill.	
Other	2A	50-51	C	Reserved for future use.	
Other	2A	52-53	C	Reserved for future use.	
Filler	27AN	54-80	M	Space fill.	

Record Identifier SC (Input)

This is a mandatory query input record that allows the filer to query a health inspection certificate transmitted through SANCRT.

Record Identifier SC (Input)					
Data Element	Length/ Class	Position	Status	Description	Note
Control Identifier	2A	1-2	M	Must always equal SC.	
Country of Origin	2AN	3-4	O	The ISO country code of origin.	
Country of Destination	2AN	5-6	M	The ISO country code of destination.	
Inspection Year	2N	7-8	M	The year of actual inspection.	
Certificate Type	3AN	9-11	M	The certificate type: 846 = Fresh meat & meat by products 847 = Processed meat products 848 = Poultry	
Phytosanitary Certificate Number	16AN	12-27	O	Enter exactly as received from the foreign country.	
Filler	53AN	28-80	M	Space fill.	

Record Identifier SC00 (Output)

This is a conditional query output record that contains controlling data relative to the message. Only one SANCRT record can be queried per request.

Record Identifier SC00 (Output)					
Data Element	Length/ Class	Position	Status	Description	Note
Control Identifier	2A	1-2	M	Must always equal SC.	
Record Type	2N	3-4	M	Must always equal 00.	
District Port	4AN	5-8	O	Must be port code 9900.	
Foreign Country Code	3AN	9-11	O	Code assigned to the country responsible for inspection as it appears on the health certificate.	
Message Reference	14AN	12-25	O	The unique message reference number.	
Message Type	6AN	26-31	O	Must always be "SANCRT".	
Message Version	3AN	32-34	O	The UN EDIFACT assigned message number.	
Message Release	3AN	35-37	O	The UN EDIFACT directory release number.	
Message Control Agency	2AN	38-39	O	The controlling agency for this version of the message.	
Message Association Code	6AN	40-45	O	The unique control number assigned by controlling agency.	
Original Certificate Number	16AN	46-61	O	This number must be provided if a replacement was done.	
Filler	19AN	62-80	M	Space fill.	

Record Identifier SC01 (Output)

This is a conditional query output record containing the Phytosanitary Certificate Number, type, country and date information. Only one SANCRT record can be queried per request.

Record Identifier SC01 (Output)					
Data Element	Length/ Class	Position	Status	Description	Note
Control Identifier	2A	1-2	M	Must always equal SC.	
Record Type	2N	3-4	M	Must always equal 01.	
Country of Origin	2AN	5-6	O	The ISO country of origin code.	
Country of Destination	2AN	7-8	O	The ISO country of destination code.	
Authentication	2AN	9-10	O	The calendar year the certificate was signed by the health inspection official.	
Certification Type	3AN	11-13	O	The certification type: 846 = Fresh meat and meat by-products 847 = Processed meat products 848 = Poultry	
Certificate Number	16AN	14-29	M	The foreign health certificate number as transmitted.	
Message Function	3AN	30-32	O	The function of the message: 1 = Cancellation 5 = Replacement 9 = Original	
Authentication Date	6N	33-38	O	The date the phytosanitary certificate was signed by the foreign health inspection official, in MMDDYY format.	
Authentication Party	35AN	39-73	O	The name of the authentication party.	
Filler	7AN	74-80	M	Space fill.	

Record Identifier SC02 (Output)

This is a conditional query output record that contains information on the destination city and port of discharge. Only one SANCRT record can be queried per request.

Record Identifier SC02 (Output)					
Data Element	Length/ Class	Position	Status	Description	Note
Control Identifier	2A	1-2	M	Must always equal SC.	
Record Type	2N	3-4	M	Must always equal 02.	
Destination City	25AN	5-29	O	The destination city may not be the actual port of discharge.	
Port of Discharge	25AN	30-54	O	Port where the merchandise is discharged.	
Filler	26AN	55-80	M	Space fill.	

Record Identifier SC03 (Output)

This is a conditional query output record that contains information on the foreign slaughtering and processing establishments. Only one SANCRT record can be queried per request.

Record Identifier SC03 (Output)					
Data Element	Length/ Class	Position	Status	Description	Note
Control Identifier	2A	1-2	M	Must always equal SC.	
Record Type	2N	3-4	M	Must always equal 03.	
Processing Establishment	25AN	5-29	O	The processing establishment number as shown by the exporting country.	
Slaughtering Establishment	25AN	30-54	O	The slaughtering establishment number as shown by the exporting country.	
Export Establishment	25AN	55-79	O	The export establishment number as shown by the exporting country.	
Filler	1AN	80	M	Space fill.	

Record Identifier SC04 (Output)

This is a conditional query output record containing information on the signature city. Only one SANCRT record can be queried per request.

<i>Record Identifier SC04 (Output)</i>					
Data Element	Length/ Class	Position	Status	Description	Note
Control Identifier	2A	1-2	M	Must always equal SC.	
Record Type	2N	3-4	M	Must always equal 04.	
City Where Signed	25AN	5-29	M	The city where the health inspection certificate was signed.	
Filler	51AN	30-80	M	Space fill.	

Record Identifier SC07 (Output)

This is a conditional query output record containing information on the consignor name and address. A consignor is the foreign shipper or exporter. Only one SANCRT record can be queried per request.

<i>Record Identifier SC07 (Output)</i>					
Data Element	Length/ Class	Position	Status	Description	Note
Control Identifier	2A	1-2	M	Must always equal SC.	
Record Type	2N	3-4	M	Must always equal 07.	
Consignor Name	35AN	5-39	O	The consignor name.	
Consignor First Address	35AN	40-74	O	The first line of the address.	
Filler	6AN	75-80	M	Space fill.	

Record Identifier SC08 (Output)

This is a conditional query output record containing information on the consignor address. Only one SANCRT record can be queried per request.

<i>Record Identifier SC08 (Output)</i>					
Data Element	Length/ Class	Position	Status	Description	Note
Control Identifier	2A	1-2	M	Must always equal SC.	
Record Type	2N	3-4	M	Must always equal 08.	
Consignor 2nd Address	35AN	5-39	O	The second line of the address.	
Consignor 3rd Address	35AN	40-74	O	The third line of the address.	
Filler	6AN	75-80	M	Space fill.	

Record Identifier SC09 (Output)

This is a conditional query output record containing further information on the consignors city and country. Only one SANCRT record can be queried per request.

Record Identifier SC09 (Output)					
Data Element	Length/ Class	Position	Status	Description	Note
Control Identifier	2A	1-2	M	Must always equal SC.	
Record Type	2N	3-4	M	Must always equal 09.	
Consignor City	35AN	5-39	O	The consignor city name.	
Consignor Sub-Entity	9AN	40-48	O	The political sub-entity such as the country or province.	
Consignor Postal Code	9AN	49-57	O	The postal code of the consignor.	
Consignor Country	3AN	58-60	O	The consignor country as it appears on the health certificate.	
Filler	20AN	61-80	M	Space fill.	

Record Identifier SC10 (Output)

This is a conditional query output record containing information on the consignee name and address. Only one SANCRT record can be queried per request.

<i>Record Identifier SC10 (Output)</i>					
Data Element	Length/ Class	Position	Status	Description	Note
Control Identifier	2A	1-2	M	Must always equal SC.	
Record Type	2N	3-4	M	Must always equal 10.	
Consignee Name	35AN	5-39	O	The consignee name.	
Consignee First Address	35AN	40-74	O	The first line of the address.	
Filler	6AN	75-80	M	Space fill.	

Record Identifier SC11 (Output)

This is a conditional query output record containing further information on the consignee address (2nd and 3rd line). Only one SANCRT record can be queried per request.

<i>Record Identifier SC11 (Output)</i>					
Data Element	Length/ Class	Position	Status	Description	Note
Control Identifier	2A	1-2	M	Must always equal SC.	
Record Type	2N	3-4	M	Must always equal 11.	
Consignee 2nd Address	35AN	5-39	O	The second line of the consignee's address.	
Consignee 3rd Address	35AN	40-74	O	The third line of the consignee's address.	
Filler	6AN	75-80	M	Space fill.	

Record Identifier SC12 (Output)

This is a conditional query output record containing information on the consignee, city and country. Only one SANCRT record can be queried per request.

<i>Record Identifier SC12 (Output)</i>					
Data Element	Length/ Class	Position	Status	Description	Note
Control Identifier	2A	1-2	M	Must always equal SC.	
Record Type	2N	3-4	M	Must always equal 12.	
Consignee City	35AN	5-39	O	The name of the consignee's city.	
Consignee Sub-entity	9AN	40-48	O	The political sub-entity such as the country or province.	
Consignee Postal Code	9AN	49-57	O	The consignee's postal code.	
Consignee Country	3AN	58-60	O	The name of the consignee's country.	
Filler	20AN	61-80	M	Space fill.	

Record Identifier SC20 (Output)

This is a conditional query output record containing information on the voyage number and vessel name. Only one SANCRT record can be queried per request.

<i>Record Identifier SC20 (Output)</i>					
Data Element	Length/ Class	Position	Status	Description	Note
Control Identifier	2A	1-2	M	Must always equal SC.	
Record Type	2N	3-4	M	Must always equal 20.	
Voyage Number	17AN	5-21	O	The voyage number assigned by the carrier.	
Vessel Name	35AN	22-56	O	The vessel name of the vessel carrying the merchandise.	
Filler	24AN	57-80	M	Space fill.	

Record Identifier SC21 (Output)

This is a conditional query output record containing additional voyage information. Only one SANCRT record can be queried per request.

<i>Record Identifier SC21 (Output)</i>					
Data Element	Length/ Class	Position	Status	Description	Note
Control Identifier	2A	1-2	M	Must always equal SC.	
Record Type	2N	3-4	M	Must always equal 21.	
Estimated Departure	6AN	5-10	O	The estimated departure date.	
Port of Lading	25AN	11-35	O	The name of the location of port of lading.	
Filler	45AN	36-80	M	Space fill.	

Record Identifier SC25 (Output)

This is a conditional FSIS query output record containing the container number. This record may be repeated up to 99 time per health certificate.

<i>Record Identifier SC25 (Output)</i>					
Data Element	Length/ Class	Position	Status	Description	Note
Control Identifier	2A	1-2	M	Must always equal SC.	
Record Type	2N	3-4	M	Must always equal 25.	
Container Number	17AN	5-21	O	The number on the container.	
Seal Number	10AN	22-31	O	The number on the seal.	
Filler	49AN	32-80	M	Space fill.	

Record Identifier SC40 (Output)

This is a conditional query output record containing information on the shipping weight of the imported meats per line number. Only one SANCRT record can be queried per request.

Record Identifier SC40 (Output)					
Data Element	Length/ Class	Position	Status	Description	Note
Control Identifier	2A	1-2	M	Must always equal SC.	
Record Type	2N	3-4	M	Must always equal 40.	
Line Number	6AN	5-10	O	The line number of the health certificate.	
Net Pounds	18AN	11-28	O	The net weight per the line item.	
Net Kilograms	18AN	29-46	O	The net kilograms per the line item.	
Label Approval Number	10AN	47-56	O	The label approval number.	
Filler	24AN	57-80	M	Space fill.	

Record Identifier SC41 (Output)

This is a conditional query output record containing information on the type of meat product being imported. This record may be repeated up to nine times per line item.

Record Identifier SC41 (Output)					
Data Element	Length/ Class	Position	Status	Description	Note
Control Identifier	2A	1-2	M	Must always equal SC.	
Record Type	2N	3-4	M	Must always equal 41.	
Product Name	35AN	5-39	O	Product name as indicated on form FSIS 9540-1.	
Continued Product Name	35AN	40-74	O	An additional thirty-five position input field is provided for product name, if needed.	
Filler	6AN	75-80	M	Space fill.	

Record Identifier SC42 (Output)

This is a conditional query output record containing information on the species being imported. Only one SANCRT record can be queried per request.

<i>Record Identifier SC42 (Output)</i>					
Data Element	Length/ Class	Position	Status	Description	Note
Control Identifier	2A	1-2	M	Must always equal SC.	
Record Type	2N	3-4	M	Must always equal 42.	
Species	35AN	5-39	O	The name of the species such as beef, pork, poultry, etc.	
Filler	41AN	40-80	M	Space fill.	

Record Identifier SC45 (Output)

This is a conditional query output record containing information on the shipping marks, packaging, number of cans and carcass size.

Record Identifier SC45 (Output)					
Data Element	Length/ Class	Position	Status	Description	Note
Control Identifier	2A	1-2	M	Must always equal SC.	
Record Type	2N	3-4	M	Must always equal 45.	
Shipping Marks	35AN	5-39	O	The shipping marks.	
Number of Packages	8N	40-47	O	The total number of packages.	
Number of Cans	8N	48-55	O	The total number of cans.	
Number of Carcass Sides	8N	56-63	O	The total number of carcass sides.	
Number of Carcass Full	8N	64-71	O	The total number of full carcasses.	
Number of Carcass Quarters	8N	72-79	O	The total number of carcass quarters.	
Filler	1AN	80	M	Space fill.	