



SEED CERTIFICATION INFORMATION



SEED CERT 05/22
December 2022

To: Licensed Seed Companies in England & Wales (by email only)

Cc: AIC, BSPB, NFU, NAAC, NIAB, PHSI, SASA, Scottish Government, Welsh Government and DAERA.

Price Increase of Official Seed Certification Labels

Unfortunately, due to increased production costs, the official supplier of Seed Certification labels will be applying an increase of 10.1% in the price they charge seed companies for official seed certification labels. This increase will apply from the 1st January 2023.

These labels are for use on varying sizes of packages, ranging from 2.5kg to 1 tonne tote bags of certified seed in England, Scotland, Northern Ireland and Wales.

Label orders/Customer Service

Orders may be placed with:-

Jane Padfield (APHA Contact)
Sales Office
Tel: 01761 409246
Email: apha@integrity-print.com

Methods of ordering are by email using the order form [Label order forms - GOV.UK](#) or order online at <https://onyx.integrity-print.com/apha/defra>.

The schedule of labels available and **revised prices that will apply from 1 January 2023** follow at the end of this letter.

Yours sincerely,

Plant Varieties and Seeds Team, APHA

Pricing per batch of 1000 labels (£) Category & Header Wording	Colour	Label Order Codes & Prices					
		UK Standard (UKS)		UK Double Length (UKDL)		OECD Standard (OECDST)	
		Self-Adhesive	Tear Resistant	Self-Adhesive	Tear Resistant	Self-Adhesive	Tear Resistant
PRE-BASIC SEED	White with Violet stripe	DEF 1011	DEF 1020			DEF 1040	DEF 1007
		£118.69	£147.20			£118.69	£206.17
BASIC SEED	White	DEF 1012	DEF 1031			DEF 1041	DEF 1008
		£219.58	£147.17			£118.69	£206.17
CERTIFIED SEED (CS)/1 ST GENERATION	Blue	DEF 1013	DEF 1048				
		£35.14	£77.95				
CERTIFIED SEED OF 1 ST GENERATION	Blue					DEF 1042	DEF 1001
						£118.69	£206.17
CERTIFIED SEED OF GENERATION	Red	DEF 1023	DEF 1004			DEF 1044	DEF 1002
		£75.02	£74.83			£118.69	£206.17
HERBAGE SEED MIXTURE	Green					DEF 1046	DEF 1010
						£118.69	£206.17
MIXTURE	Green	DEF 1014	DEF 1049	DEF 1015	DEF 1005		
		£35.15	£74.83	£116.87	£98.95		
VARIETAL ASSOCIATION	Blue with Green stripe	DEF 1062	DEF 1050				
		£118.69	£206.18				
COMMERCIAL SEED (NOT CERTIFIED AS TO VARIETY)	Brown	DEF 1063	DEF 1032				
		£118.69	£206.18				
NOT FINALLY CERTIFIED SEED	Grey	DEF 1016	DEF 1060			DEF 1045	DEF 1009
		£118.69	£74.83			£118.69	£206.17
VARIETY NOT YET OFFICIALLY LISTED TEST AND TRIAL ONLY	Orange	DEF 1054	DEF 1061				
		£118.69	£206.18				