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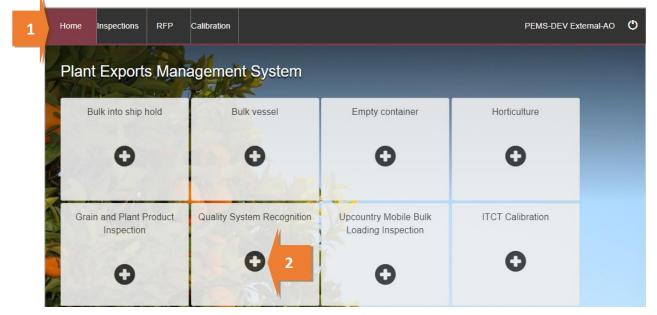
Purpose of this document

This reference outlines how to use PEMS to record a Quality System Recognition Inspection.

Note: An overview of PEMS and general functions can be found in the <u>Reference: Plant Exports</u> <u>Management System (PEMS) Authorised Officer User Guide – Overview and general functions</u>.

Initiating the Quality System Recognition (QSR) inspection

To initiate a QSR inspection, click on the **Home¹** PEMS menu tab and then click the **Quality System Recognition²** button.



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The Create Quality System Recognition Inspection window will display (below).

Enter the **RFP number**¹. The RFP number should be 7 digits long.

Enter the Establishment number^{2.} The establishment number should be 3 to 4 digits long.

Enter the **QSR number³** for the establishment.

Enter the prefix **QSR** and the 3 or 4 digit number.

Click Create⁴.

Where a change is made to the RFP in EXDOC, you can select the **Reload RFP from EXDOC**⁵ check box to update the relevant inspection record in PEMS.

For more information see <u>Section 4.1: Reload RFP from EXDOC</u> of <u>Reference: *PEMS AO user*</u> guide – Overview and General Functions.

Create Quality System Recognition Inspection	×
RFP number*	
EXDOC	
Reload RFP from EXDOC	
Establishment number 2	
QSR number*	
3	
	se Create

The Quality System Recognition Inspection record will open.

PEMS extracts RFP information from EXDOC to populate the inspection record automatically.

While the inspection record is active, the date provided on the inspection record is the date the inspection record was initiated.

The inspection record will remain **Active**¹ until the record is withdrawn, submitted or cancelled.

Home Inspections F	RFP Calibration			UAT11 Testing 🌩 😃
	n Recognition Inspe	ection Active 23/06/2022	2	Required fields denoted by *
Inspection ID - Q725084	Authorised Officers	③ Time Entry	Communications	🗹 Actions -
RFP details Open Ch	nange	Outcome d	letails Change	
Inspection reason Destination country Establishment number QSR number	2218498 UNITED ARAB EMIRATES 5462 QSR010 EXPORT COMPANY PTY LTD		scription	

Quality System Recognition Inspection record

The inspection record (below) displays the following sections:

- **RFP details**¹ populated based on RFP information extracted from EXDOC.
- **Outcome details**² allows you to confirm the trade description and track the inspection outcomes, including total quantity.
- **Results**³ prepopulated with the consignment information based on the RFP. The inspection results are recorded here.
- Comments⁴ general comments regarding the inspection can be recorded here (see <u>Section 3.6: Adding comments to an inspection record</u> of <u>Reference: *PEMS AO user guide* –</u> <u>Overview and General Functions</u>).

Step-by-step instructions on how to record or change data within the record is provided throughout this document.

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	Line	Commodity	End us	se Conta	iner	Package numb	er	Туре	Result	Authorised office	ers Act	ions	
	1	OATS	GC	KNFU	2849535	854		BAGS					
	Comm No comm	n ents Change nent.		4									_

Opening the Request for Permit (RFP) details

To open the RFP record, click the **Inspection**¹ tab and then click **Open**² under the RFP details section.

	n Recognition Inspe			Required fields denoted by
spection ID - Q725084				
Inspection	Authorised Officers	() Time Entry	Communications	C Actions -
FP details Open	2	Outcom	ne details Change	
RFP number	3	Is a trade	description re	
Inspection reason		Has a trad	e description	
Destination country	UNITED ARAB EMIRATES	Does the t	rade descripti	
Establishment number	5462		Total quantity 0	
QSR number	QSR010		Total passed 0	
Establishment name	EXPORT COMPANY PTY LTD		Total failed 0	
Exporter name	PEMS TEAM			
Import permit	Yes			
Additional declaration	No			

The Request For Permit (RFP) page will display (below).

The *RFP* page will display a **Summary**¹ of the RFP, as well as the **Request for Permit lines**². For more information on the RFP **tabs**³ see <u>Section 4: RFP functions in PEMS</u> of <u>Reference: *PEMS AO user guide*</u> <u>– Overview and General Functions</u>.

Click **Open⁴** beside any RFP line to view the details of that line.

Where relevant, the **Import Permits⁵** are shown, click **open⁶** to add comments regarding the import permit.

For departmental AOs only: you can click Change beside **Comments⁷** to record comments at the RFP level.

S RFP		nspections	dibration	() Time Entry	% Communication	s 💆 Service Request	🗹 Actions 👻
Summary							
Destina Com La	nent number tion country imodity type ist refreshed	5462 UNITED ARAB EN Grains 08/12/2021 10:05	IIRATES	Est	ablishment name Exporter name	EXPORT COMPANY PTY LTD CASINO NSW 2346 PEMS TEAM	18 MAKER PLACE
De	parting place parting date Freight type	28/02/2021 00:00 Sea					
Request fo	or permit l	ines (1) View a	I containers				
Line Co	mmodity	End use	No. of packages	Package type	Net weight	Unit	Actions
1 OA	TS.	GC	854	BAGS	21.5	METRIC TONNE	Open 4
Import per	mits (1)						
Maria		Issued		Comments		Actions	_
Number							

When you click **Open⁴** (above) beside any RFP line, the *RFP Line* window will open (below) and display the details of the line as they were provided on the RFP in EXDOC.

If more than one line, click **Previous** and **Next¹** to navigate between the RFP line details window.

Click **Close²** to exit the RFP line window at any time and return to the RFP page.

Line 1 - WHEAT - Grair	is and Seeds for Consumption	×
Net weight	500	
Unit	KILOGRAM	
Package type	BAGS	
No. of packages	30	
Package amount	10	
Package unit	KILOGRAM	
Declaration	1041 - The endorsement for forwarding certificate test 1	
1		2
Previous Next		Close

Returning to the inspection record from the RFP page

To return to the inspection record, click the **Inspections**¹ tab.

The full list of inspections relating to the RFP will display. For more information see <u>Section 4.3:</u> <u>Inspections</u> of <u>Reference: *PEMS AO user guide – Overview and General Functions*</u>. Click **Open²** beside the Active inspection to view the record.

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Request F	or Permit 2	2211839	(v2) Open			R	Required fields denoted by
ø 1	Inspections	🏭 Calib	oration	C Time Entry	% Communications	A Service Request	🖸 Actions 👻
Related inspec	ctions (2)						
Related inspec	ctions (2) Status	RFP version	Inspection version	Start date	Location	Authorised officers	Actions

Recording additional declarations

If there is additional declaration information for the consignment, it must be verified and recorded in PEMS.

To record additional declaration information, click the **Inspection¹** tab and then click **Change²** under the RFP details section.

Quality Syster	Required fields denoted by			
Inspection ID - Q725084	li li			
Inspection	Authorised Officers	O Time Entry	Communications	C Actions -
RFP details Open C	change 2	Outcom	e details Change	
RFP number	221849	Is a trade d	lescription re	
Inspection reason		Has a trade	e description	
Destination country	UNITED ARAB EMIRATES	Does the tr	rade descripti	
Establishment number	5462		Total quantity 0	
QSR number	QSR010		Total passed 0	
Establishment name	EXPORT COMPANY PTY LTD		Total failed 0	
Exporter name	PEMS TEAM			
Import permit	Yes			
Additional declaration	No			

The Change Details window will display (below).

Where applicable, you must **View**¹ the *Link to Micor*. This will open another window and link you to the Micor case for the commodity and country. Select the **Additional declaration Verified**² checkbox in the *Change Details* window. You will not be able to click the checkbox if you have not verified the Micor case.

Change Details	×
Additional declarations	
Additional declaration	Link to MICOR
1041 - The endorsement for forwarding certificate test 1	View 1
Additional declaration Verified * 2 Additional Declaration has to be verified.	
Import Permit	
43543654	
	li.
	Close Save

The inspection record will display the updated **Additional declaration**¹ information.

Home Inspections	RFP Calibration			UAT11 Testing 🌣 ୯
Quality Syster	m Recognition Insp	ection Active 23/06/20	022	Required fields denoted by $*$
Inspection ID - Q725084				
Inspection	Authorised Officers	() Time Entry	Communications	🗹 Actions -
RFP details Open C	Change	Outcom	e details Change	
RFP number Inspection reason Destination country Establishment number QSR number Establishment name Exporter name Import permit Additional declaration	EXPORT COMPANY PTY LTD PEMS TEAM	Has a trade	escription re description ade descripti Total quantity 0 Total passed 0 Total failed 0	

Inspection results grid will be enabled only when the additional declaration is set either to *No* or *Verified*.

Verifying import permit details

Import permit details must be verified for the consignment.

To verify import permit details, click the **Inspection**¹ tab.

Click **Change²** under the RFP details section.



The Change Details window will display.

You must verify that the **import permit¹** details relevant to the consignment in PEMS, match the details on the import permit provided by the client.

Click Save².

Change Details	×
Additional declarations	
Additional declaration	Link to MICOR
1041 - The endorsement for forwarding certificate test 1	View
Additional declaration Verified *	
Import Permit	
43543654	
	li.
	Close Save

Edit Exporter name (if applicable)

There is a field length limitation of 35 characters when the exporter name is extracted into PEMS from EXDOC (system constraint). This means that in some instances the entire exporter name will not appear in PEMS. This change can no longer be made by the AO.

You must check that the exporter name that appears in the inspection record in PEMS matches the exporter name on the RFP.

If the exporter name is not correct, you need to contact <u>PEMS@agriculture.gov.au</u> to have the name corrected in the PEMS reference table. Once this is corrected you will not need to request the change again for future inspections/calibrations, as PEMS will save the corrected version of the exporter name for all future records.

If the exporter name is different due to another reason (for example, legal change of entity name) then these changes must be made in EXDOC through the appropriate process.

Recording reinspection of a consignment (if required)

For more information see <u>Section 4.4 Creating inspection records where a record already exists for</u> an RFP of <u>Reference</u>: *PEMS AO user guide – Overview and General Functions*.

Changing outcome details

To change the Outcome details, click the **Inspection**¹ tab and then click **Change**² under the Outcome details section.

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1 Inspection R ⁷ P details Open C	L Authorised	,	Communications	ن Actions -
RFP number Inspection reason Destination country Establishment number QSR number Establishment name Exporter name Import permit Additional declaration	2218498 UNITED ARAB EMIRATE 5462 QSR010 EXPORT COMPANY PTY PEMS TEAM Yes No	Has a tr S Does th	e description re ade description e trade descripti Total quantity 0 Total passed 0 Total failed 0	

The Outcome Details window will display.

Some **Trade description**¹ declarations need to be made. Where 'Yes' is selected, this will prompt the system to generate further declarations until all required declarations are complete.

The **Total Quantity**² is extracted from EXDOC and can be amended in PEMS if required.

Click Save³.

Outcome Details				×
Is a trade description required to be physically applied for Yes No Has a trade description been physically applied to the go Yes No	-	1		
Total Quantity *	Pack type *			
0 2	BAGS			~
			Close	Save 3

The Outcome details section will display the updated **Trade description**¹ and will reflect the **Total quantity and unit (type)**² selected.

Home	Inspections	RFP	Calibration					UAT1	1 Testing	¢ ()
Qua	lity Syste	em Re	cognition In	spection Acti	ive 23/06/20)22		Require	ed fields denote	ed by *
The c	outcome details	s have bee	en updated.							
Inspectio	n ID - Q725084									
	Inspection		Authorised Officer	s 🕓 Time E	Entry	C.	Communications		Z Actions -	
RFP d	letails Open	Change			Outcom	e details	Change			
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	Exporter nam Import perm itional declaratio ts (1) Check C	it Yes n No	EAM							
Line	Commodity	End use	Container	Package number	Туре	Result	Authorised officers	Actions		
1	OATS	GC	KNFU2849535	854	BAGS			Open	Split line	
				-	2					

Splitting lines on the inspection record

For Quality System Recognition Inspection records, you can split lines of the inspection record where key information regarding the inspected consignment is not provided on the RFP in EXDOC, or does not transfer from the RFP into PEMS, but is important for traceability of the goods.

RFP lines should be split on inspection records to identify, where applicable:

- each container that is being loaded (including any additional containers that must be added to the inspection record)
- each individual commodity source, such as by the silo, bin, stack or lot number associated with the packages.

To split lines on the inspection record, click **Split line**¹ beside the appropriate commodity line. Any line presented for inspection can be split any number of times.

.ine	Commodity	End use	Container	Package number	Туре	Result	Authorised officers	Actions	
1	WHEAT	GC	PEMS123456	1	BAGS			Open	Split line
2	WHEAT	GC	TEST123456	1	CONTAINER			Open	Split line

The inspection Results window for the new line will display (see the second screenshot in the **'Recording results for Quality System Recognition'** section below and continue to record the results for each line).

Recording results for Quality System Recognition

To enter or change inspection results, click **Open¹** beside the appropriate line presented for inspection.

Line	Commodity	End use	Container	Package number	Туре	Result	Authorised officers	Actions	
1	WHEAT	GC	PEMS123456	1	BAGS			Open	1
2	WHEAT	GC	TEST123456	1	CONTAINER			Open	split line

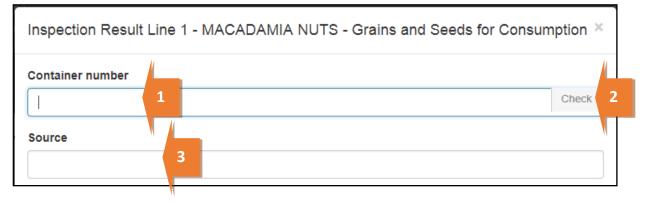
The Inspection Result window for the specific line will display.

Inspection Result Line 1 - MACADAMIA NUTS - Grains and Seeds for Consumption $^{ imes}$

Container number		
KNFU2849535	Che	Check
Source		_
Package		
Number*	Type *	
854	BAGS	~
Weight*	Unit*	
25.18	KILOGRAM	~
Sub Package Type *		
Bulk bags 🗸		
Sub-Totals		
Line weight*	Unit*	
21503.72	KILOGRAM	~
Packaging is secure intact and has not been damager	d	
Passed		~
Remarks		
Goods presented do not match documentation	Packaging is no longer secure or > 1000 litres	
Authorised officers*		
Authorised Officer		
	Clos	e

For each inspection result window:

- Enter the **Container number**¹ (must be 4 letters followed by 6 or 7 digits, for example, ABCD1234567).
- Check the container number you have entered is correct by clicking on Check².
- Enter the **Source³** of the commodity being inspected (for example, silo, bin, stack, or lot number) and brand or commercial names of products.



Check² performs a two-step validation process via a check digit algorithm and by checking if the container number recorded is available in the *BIC Global Container Database*. This database captures approximately 70% of all containers globally. If the container you have inspected is not captured in the database a warning message is generated encouraging, you to double check the details on the container. You will still be able to submit the inspection.

- enter the Number⁴ of packages presented if the information is not prepopulated (where lines have been split, you may need to amend the number of units specified in the parent RFP line)
- the packaging Type⁵ of the goods will be prepopulated from EXDOC (for example, container, bales, bags, bulk etc.)
- enter the package **Weight**⁶ of the unit(s)
- select appropriate package **Unit**⁷ of measurement, provided on RFP (the unit of measurement must be the same for all lines).
- Select appropriate **Sub Package Type**⁸, as per inspection.



Package

PEMS will populate sub-total **Line weight**⁸ from the information provided on the RFP in EXDOC. If the package weight is provided in EXDOC, PEMS will calculate the sub-total line weight as the product of the package number and package weight (Number of packages x package weight).

Sub-total **line weight unit**⁹ and the package weight unit must be the same. Package weight unit can be amended and PEMS will default the subtotal line weight unit to the package weight unit.

For each inspection result window, you should also:

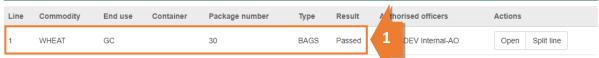
- Select the check box if the packaging is secure intact and has not been damaged¹⁰
- Select a **Result¹¹** of pass or fail for the line
- Select one or more **Remarks**¹² check boxes, if applicable (mandatory if the line fails the inspection)
- When a remark is selected the **Tolerance Level**¹³ drop down will appear, select the appropriate tolerance 'above' or 'below'
- Comment¹⁴ becomes mandatory about the tolerance level
- Select the check box of all Authorised officers¹⁵ who performed the inspection (see <u>Section 3.1</u>: <u>Assigning Authorised Officers</u> of <u>Reference: PEMS AO user guide – Overview and General</u> <u>Functions</u>).

Click **Save**¹⁶ to save the inspection result and exit the window.

Line weight*	Unit*	
625	8 KILOGRAM	~
Packaging is secure intact and has	not been damaged	
Result*		
		~
A result is required.		
Remarks		
Goods presented do not match doct	umentation Z Packaging is no longer secure	or > 1000 litres
Tolerance Level *		
		~
Comments *		
1		
A comment is required.		/
Authorised officers		
PEMS-DEV External-AO		

The inspection record will display the inspection result¹.

Results (1)



Once the inspection result is saved, the Result page will display. Any **new split line(s)**¹ will appear in the Results table. You can **Remove**² the split line(s) up until the inspection is submitted, withdrawn, or cancelled.

Where split lines are entered on the inspection record you must manually amend the number of units or line weight specified in the parent RFP line to ensure the inspection record is consistent with the RFP in EXDOC.

Line	Commodity	End use	Net Metr 1 Weight	Unit	Container	Package number	Туре	Result	Authorised officers	Actions
1	CHICKPEAS	GC	1000	KILOGRAM	CUDJ123456	1	CONTAINERS	Passed	Rajesh Iyer	Open Split line
1	CHICKPEAS	GC			EDCF2587465	1	CONTAINERS	Passed	Rajesh Iyer	Open Remove

Navigating between line inspection windows

You can navigate between line inspection result windows by clicking **Previous** or **Next¹** at the bottom of the inspection result window. Each line inspection result will automatically save when you navigate between the windows in this manner.

Remarks				
Goods	presented do no	t match documentation	Packaging is no longer se	cure or > 1000 litres
Authorise	d officers*			
PEMS-	DEV Internal-AC)		
Previou	s Next	1		Close Save

Checking container approvals in PEMS

You can use the PEMS database to confirm whether containers selected for loading on the inspection record have the appropriate approvals recorded in PEMS. PEMS may not include records of all current container approvals.

PEMS will not prevent you from submitting the grain and plant product inspection record where current inspection validity is not recorded for all containers on the inspection record. However, AOs must operate consistent with the approved work instructions for their appointed job functions when undertaking and submitting grain and plant product inspection records.

To check PEMS for a record of a container approval, click the **Actions¹** tab and then click **Check containers²**. Alternatively, you can select **Check Containers³**.

spection ID - Q725084						
Inspection	Authorised Officers	() Time Entry	% Communications	1	C Actions -	
RFP details Open Chang	je	Outcom	e details Change	<u> </u>	Download Report	
Inspection reason	18498	Has a trad	lescription re Yes e description Yes	"	Cancel Withdraw	
Establishment number 54	IITED ARAB EMIRATES 62 5R010	Does the t	rade descripti Yes Total quantity 100 Total passed 0		Submit	
Establishment name EX	PORT COMPANY PTY LTD		Total failed 0		Check Containers	
Import permit Yes Additional declaration No					Checkout Refresh from EXDOC	

The Containers window will display the list of containers provided on the inspection record.

To search for a specific container, you can **Filter containers**¹ by entering all or part of a container number into the field. Select **Clear**² to display the full list of containers on the inspection record.

If there is an issue with a particular listed container it will be highlighted in bold and red. This will be viewable under the **Errors³** heading.

If a container has been allocated as used on a different RFP with a completed inspection in PEMS, the **Used**⁴ flag status would display as *Yes*. If the container is available, then it should be reinspected again to allow the status of the **Used**⁴ flag to be reset to *No*.

	Containers - RFP 2	2197058						×	
1	Filter containers				4	/		Clear	2
	Number	Level	Result	Remarks	Used	Authorised officer	Expiry	Errors	
	SWED1161154	Consumable	Pass		No	Rajesh Iyer	15/08/2019	None	ľ
								3 Close	

Revoking container approval status

If the condition of an empty container has changed from when it was originally passed, and it no longer complies with the department's requirements, the approval status of the container can be changed from Pass to Revoked. This action can be performed by any authorised officer that has the quality system recognition inspection job function.

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									0.00
Number	Level	Result	Remarks	Used	Authorised officer	Expiry	Errors	Reason for Revocation	Actions
TEST7777777	Consumable	<u>Revoked</u>	Structural Damage	Yes	PEMS-DEV External- AO		Show	Show reason	
TEST6666666	Consumable	Pass		Yes	PEMS-DEV External- AO	05/10/2020	Show		Revoke
TEST2222222	Consumable	Revoked		Yes	PEMS-DEV External- AO		Show	Show reason	
TEST000001	Consumable	Revoked	Infestible Residue, Structural Damage	No	PEMS-DEV Internal- AO		Show	Show reason	
CONT1234567	Consumable	<u>Revoked</u>	Live Insects, Structural Damage	No	PEMS-DEV External- AO		Show	Show reason	
TEST3333333	Consumable	Pass		Yes	PEMS-DEV External- AO	05/10/2020	Show		Revoke
TEST123456	Consumable	Revoked	Structural Damage	No	PEMS-DEV External- AO		Show	Show reason	
TEST123457	Consumable	Revoked	Structural Damage	No	PEMS-DEV External- AO		Show	Show reason	
TEST4444444	Consumable	Revoked	Live Rodents	Yes	PEMS-DEV External- AO		Show	Show reason	
TEST8888888	Consumable	Pass		Yes	PEMS-DEV External- AO	05/10/2020	Show		Revoke
TTTT1111111	Consumable	Pass		Yes	PEMS-DEV External- AO	05/10/2020	Show		Revoke

Select the container/s that need to be to have the approval status revoked and click **Revoke¹**.

The *Revoke Details will appear at the top of the* window.

Select the appropriate **Remarks**¹.

Enter the **Reason for Revocation**². This reason will appear in the body of the email and can be up to 500 characters.

Enter the **Email Address**³ of the client to notify them that the container approval has been revoked. Multiple email addresses can be added to the email address field and each address should be separated by a comma and a space.

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		Ju	vc	

(Containers - F	RFP 44294								×
F	ilter containers									
										Clear
F	Revocation	Details								
1	Remarks									
÷.,	Infestible Re	esidue				Live Insects				
	Live Rodent					Non-infestible M	aterial			
	Structural D	amage				U Water				
2	Reason for Re	vocation*								
/										
										10
	Email Address	s*								
3										
7/										4 Save
									Reason for	
	Number	Level	Result	Remarks	Used	Authorised officer	Expiry	Errors	Revocation	Actions
	TEST7777777	Consumable	Revoked	Structural Damage	Yes	PEMS-DEV External- AO		Show	Show reason	
	TEST6666666	Consumable	Pass		Yes	PEMS-DEV External- AO	<u>05/10/2020</u>	Show		Revoke
	TEST2222222	Consumable	Revoked		Yes	PEMS-DEV External- AO		Show	Show reason	

The containers that have been revoked will have the Result changed to **Revoked**¹.

This revocation cannot be removed until a new empty container inspection is completed.

Containers - F	RFP 44294								×
Filter containers	5	1							Clear
Number	Level	Result	Remarks	Used	Authorised officer	Expiry	Errors	Reason for Revocation	Actions
TEST7777777	Consumable	Revoked	Structural Damage	<u>Yes</u>	PEMS-DEV External- AO		Show	Show reason	
TEST6666666	Consumable	Pass		<u>Yes</u>	PEMS-DEV External- AO	<u>05/10/2020</u>	Show		Revoke

Completing and submitting the inspection record

The inspection can only be submitted after:

- all inspection results and data are recorded appropriately Notes:
 - Please ensure that the consolidated net metric weight is recorded in the *comments* section as the system does not capture this information. The system only captures the number of containers that have passed/failed
 - If the number of packages presented during inspection are different to the number of packages provided on the RFP, you would need to mention the original RFP extracted quantity in the comments section
- a **Time Entry**¹ is provided for all AOs who recorded inspection results
- attachments and correspondence relating to the inspection are recorded under the Communications² tab (if applicable)

Details on the Time Entry and Communications tabs can be found in <u>Section 3: General PEMS</u> inspection functions of <u>Reference: *PEMS AO user guide – Overview and General Functions*</u>.

When you are ready to submit the inspection record, click the Actions³ tab and then click Submit⁴.

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A message will appear requiring confirmation, select the **appropriate box**¹.

You will need to confirm that you want to submit this inspection².

It will ask if you want to **email the exporter/EDI user on the submission of the inspection**³. When selecting this option, the Inspection submit confirmation box will expand.

Enter the **email address**⁴, this can be multiple email addresses each separated by a comma.

Enter in any **Comments⁵** that are to be included in the email.

Click Save⁶.

	Inspection submit confirmation ×	
2	Has the client been informed that the rejected goods must be segregated and clearly distiguished from goods that have passed? N/A · Yes Are you sure you want to submit this inspection? I want to email the exporter/EDI user on the submission of the inspection. 3 Email Address	
	Exporters.email@gl.com	
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The date(s) specified on the completed inspection record will be the start date and end date for the inspection. The inspection record date corresponds with the earliest and latest time entry across all AOs for the inspection.

Quality Syster	n Recognition Inspe	ection Completed 23	3/06/2022 1	Required fields denoted by ³
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Import permit Additional declaration	Yes No			
Inspection validity	History			
Expiry date	21/08/2022			

Expiration date for Quality System Recognition inspection

Following the submission of the Quality System Recognition inspection record, an expiry date will be allocated to all goods which have passed assessment. The expiry date is automatically calculated from the first date of the first-time entry, and the length varies depending on the QSR parameters set for the commodity/packaging combination.

To view the expiration date, click **Expiry date**¹ under the inspection validity section.

If the expiry date is extended, you can view the reason for the expiry date extension by clicking **History**² under the inspection validity section.



If you click history, the Expiry History window will display.

Click **Close¹** to exit the window.

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Location details	5			

Related material

The following related material is available on the website:

- Manual of Importing Country Requirements (Micor)
- Protocols and Work Plans
- Plant Export Operations Manual
 - Reference: PEMS AO user guide Overview and General Functions

The following related material is available on Learnhub:

• Plant Export Management System (PEMS) video tutorials.

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