



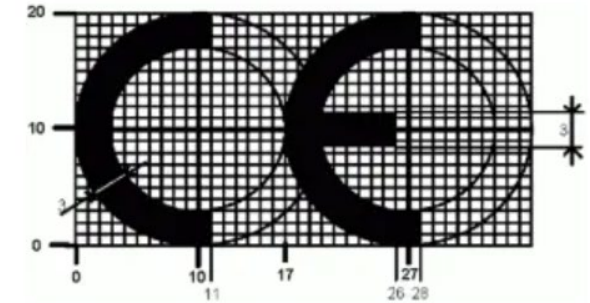
# Regulation (EU)2019/1009 and the use of animal by-products in EU fertilising products

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# FPR and CE-marking



## New Legislative Framework (\*)

Harmonised rules set on making available of **EU fertilising products** on the market

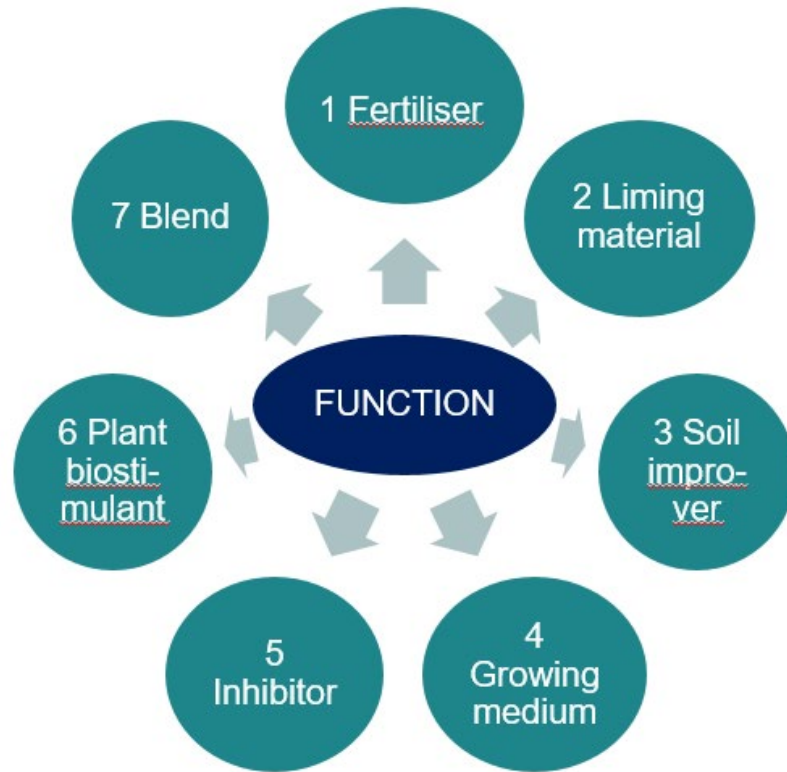
CE-marking → Free movement in the EU market

## Optional harmonisation

a product regulation; does not regulate use of products or mode of application

The Fertilising Products Regulation is fully applicable as of 16 July 2022  
(amended already by 7 Commission delegated Regulations)

# Which may be the function of a product?



Definition for every product function  
*(Plant biostimulant function is defined and not covered by PPP rules)*

EU fertilising products must comply with requirements of one **Product Function Category** (Annex I)

Manufacturers may claim one or more functions **supported by relevant conformity assessment(s)**

# Which materials are allowed as components?

Animal by-products may be processed  
into other recovered materials



CMC 1: Virgin material substances and mixtures

CMC 2: Plants, plant parts or plant extracts

CMC 3: Compost

CMC 4: Fresh crop digestate



CMC 5: Digestate other than fresh crop digestate

CMC 6: Food industry by-products

CMC 7: Micro-organisms

CMC 8: Nutrient polymers

CMC 9: Polymers other than nutrient polymers

**CMC 10: Derived products from Animal By-Products**



CMC 11: By-products within the meaning of Directive 2008/98/EC



CMC 12: Precipitated phosphate salts and derivatives



CMC 13: Thermal oxidation materials and derivatives



CMC 14: Pyrolysis and gasification material

CMC 15: High purity materials

- All component materials have to be covered by provisions of one category and comply with relevant requirements
- Materials covered by more than one category may be present

# Derived products from ABPs in EU fertilising products

derived products from ABPs\* may be incorporated in an EU fertilising product as long as:

- the end point in the manufacturing chain has been determined\*\* and
- that end point has been reached

Commission delegated Regulation for the determination of end-points in the manufacturing chain



Commission delegated Regulation for the inclusion of ABPs in FPR (CMC 10)



\* in accordance with the conditions set out in Article 32(1) and (2) and in the measures referred to in Article 32(3) of Regulation (EC) No 1069/2009

\*\* in accordance with the third subparagraph of Article 5(2) of Regulation (EC) No 1069/2009

**Wool** may NOT be used as a component in EU fertilising products

Prerequisite missing

Determination of end-point in the manufacturing chain in accordance with ABP rules

# Available resources

DG GROW [website](#)

[CE-marking of EU fertilising products](#) (DG GROW)

Info session organised by DG GROW - How to CE mark your fertilising product ; 23 May 2022; recording available [here](#)

Guidance Document on the labelling of EU Fertilising Products; available [here](#)

FAQs document on Fertilising Products Regulation; available [here](#)

Commission Expert Group on fertilising products (documents available [here](#))

Member States competent authorities [list](#)

Market Surveillance authorities responsible for controls of products [list](#)



Do you have questions?

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