

## WHO ARE WE ?

A single common approach across 3 professions: dispatching/export, import and wholesale of fresh fruit and vegetables, and reserved to the members of **ANEEFEL**, **CSIF** and **UNCGFL**.

**ANEEFEL** governs 110 fruit and vegetable packing, dispatching and export companies. This profession, which can be found throughout French production areas, represents 35 % of marketed volumes, 50% of the exports and accounts for 6 500 jobs.

**CSIF** governs 40 large-scale import companies (importers and related professions), and 70 % of volumes from outside the Community. It accounts for 1 500 direct jobs. These companies are based in France, with sites throughout Europe.

**UNCGFL** governs 256 fruit and vegetable wholesale trade companies throughout France. The profession distributes more than 40 % of fresh fruit and vegetables in France. It employs 19 000 people.

**ANEEFEL**

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**ANEEFEL** - National Association of Fruit & Vegetable Packers & Exporters

**UNCGFL** - National Union of Wholesale Trade of Fruit & Vegetable

**CSIF** - French Fruit & Vegetables Importers Association

# FeL PARTENARIAT®



## The 1<sup>st</sup> Quality Scheme

For French BtoB Fruit and Vegetables Trade



## QUALITY, FOOD SAFETY AND HYGIENE OF FRESH FRUIT & VEGETABLES

FeL PARTENARIAT® is a specific collective scheme dedicated to fresh fruit and vegetables quality self-inspection. It is a voluntary approach relying on the determination of managers to apply within their companies procedures validated by the public authorities in terms of hygiene, food safety and traceability. Tailored to the trade professions, the FeL PARTENARIAT® quality scheme, besides compliance with legal obligations, contributes to ensuring efficient produce inspection for the downstream segment of the industry (customers, consumers).

Find all the contact details of professionals committed to the approach on our website

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# THE FeL PARTENARIAT® QUALITY SCHEME

## FOUR SPECIFIC SELF-INSPECTION PROCEDURES

- Traceability and management of non-compliant batches
- Compliance check with marketing and marking standards
- Implementation of good hygiene practices and HACCP principles
- Residue monitoring covering plant protection products, contaminants and additives



## RECOGNISED BY THE PUBLIC AUTHORITIES

Three-year agreement signed with the DGCCRF [French Food Authority].



## AUDITS CONDUCTED BY INDEPENDENT SERVICE PROVIDERS

- An audit conducted at the end of the first year in operation, followed by every 2 years.
- 62 checkpoints relating to all 4 aspects of the FeL PARTENARIAT® protocol.
- 4 external audit firms.

## SELECTED AND ACCREDITED LABORATORIES

- Independent laboratories, with COFRAC accreditation or equivalent (ILAC / ISO 17 025).
- Wide screening (400 active substances on average), and targeted analyses in case of a specific alert.
- 6 partner laboratories.

## OBLIGATORY TRAINING FOR INSPECTORS

- Designed specifically for FeL PARTENARIAT® by CTIFL [French F&V Technical Center]
- 3 types of training: initial, refresher and hygiene.

## FeL PARTENARIAT® COMPANIES RECEIVE FROM THE FEDERATIONS

- Dedicated technical and regulatory newsletter monitoring service
- Community alerts.
- Quarterly summaries of analyses by product, origin and molecule detected.



## KEY FIGURES

- 78 companies across 124 sites
- 1.7 million tons of fruit and vegetables sold
- 2 700 samples analysed per year

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