

Upcoming Change (Organic JAS Labeling)



Type Of Product		Examples of Products	JAS logo
Organic Plants		Grain, Vegetable, Fruit, Green coffee	Mandatory
Organic Processed Foods	Plant origin (Organic plants $\geq 95\%$)	Pasta, Juice, Dried fruit, Bitter chocolate	Mandatory
	Plant and Animal origin (Organic plants + Organic livestock products $\geq 95\%$)	Milk chocolate, Cookies	Voluntary
	Animal origin (Organic livestock products $\geq 95\%$)	Milk, Cheese, Ham, Sausage	Voluntary
Organic Livestock and Organic Livestock Product		Eggs, Beef, Chicken, Cattle	Voluntary
Organic Livestock Feed		Grass, Hay, Grains Multi-ingredient feed	Voluntary

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Mandatory

Voluntary labeling requires ingredients to be identified as “organic”.

Importing of organic products to Japan (From 2020.7.16)



Overseas country

Export under
JAS certification

JAS certified operators



Export under
organic equivalency

Certified operator by
each country

Scope

- plants
- processed foods
- livestock and livestock products
- feeds

IMPORT

No certificate
required

Certificate
required

IMPORT

Scope

- plants
- processed foods
(not limited plant origin)
- livestock and livestock products

Japan

Import under
JAS certification

W/O certification,
importers can import
products to Japan and
distribute them.



Import under
organic equivalency

Certified importers attach
Organic JAS logos.

