

EU Exit Update – Legal Metrology

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EU Exit Legal Metrology Legislation

The Product Safety and Metrology etc. (Amendment etc.) (EU Exit) Regulations 2019 SI 696/2019

- Weights and Measures Act 1985
- Measuring Container Bottles (EEC Requirements) Regulations 1977
- Measuring Instruments (EEC Requirements) Regulations 1988
- Weights and Measures (Intoxicating Liquor) Order 1988
- Aerosol Dispensers Regulations 2009
- Weights and Measures (Packaged Goods) Regulations 2006
- Non-automatic Weighing Instruments Regulations 2016
- Measuring Instruments Regulations 2016

What guidance is available?

UK EU Exit Product Safety and Metrology Guidance – what's changed in GB from 1 January 2021

Placing manufactured goods on the market in GB

Using the UKCA marking

UKMCAB

Packaged Goods Regulations 2006

Measuring Instruments Regulations 2016 Guidance

Normative docs

Non-automatic Weighing Instruments 2016 Guidance

Designated Standard

UK EU Exit Product Safety and Metrology Guidance – what's changed in GB from 1 January 2021

https://assets.publishing.service.gov.uk/government/uploads/system/uploads/attachment_data/file/960158/Guide-to-whats-changed-product-safety-and-metrology-great-britain.pdf

Details the amendments made by The Product Safety and Metrology etc. (Amendment etc.) (EU Exit) Regulations 2019

Lists a 12 key facts

Itemises the changes to each Regulation

Placing manufactured goods on the market in Great Britain

https://www.gov.uk/guidance/placing-manufactured-goods-on-the-market-in-great-britain

Webpage aimed at traders with useful links

	Type of good (see list of product areas at the end of this guidance)	Accepted markings or combination of markings
Placing goods on the market in Great Britain	Manufactured goods being placed on the GB market until the end of 2021	UKCA or CE
	Manufactured goods placed on the GB market from 1 Jan 2022	UKCA
Placing qualifying Northern Ireland goods on the market in Great Britain (unfettered access)	Qualifying Northern Ireland goods being placed on the GB market under unfettered access	CE or CE and UKNI

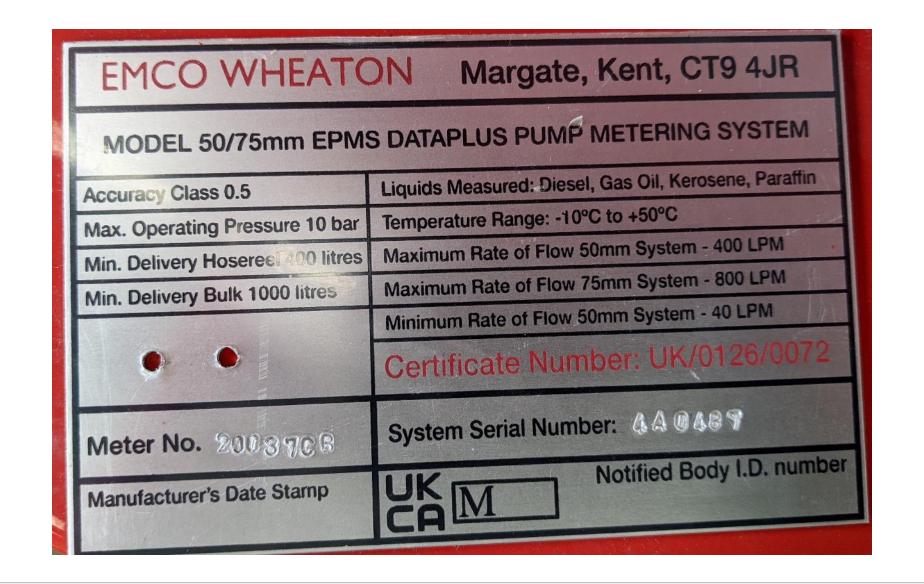
Using the UKCA marking

https://www.gov.uk/guidance/using-the-ukca-marking

- Whether the UKCA marking should be used
- When to use the UKCA marking
- How to use the UKCA marking



UKCA



Markings

Marking	Route	Market	
CE + M Relates to goods from EU countries until 21 January 2022 and qualifying goods placed on the NI market using and EU NB	EU Regulations + EU Notified Body	EU and UK	CEM21 0122
CE + M + UK(NI) NI weighing and measuring equipment that requires 3 rd party conformity assessment and a UK Approved Body is used.	EU Regulations + UK Approved Body	UK	CEM21 NK 0126
UKCA + M Using a UK Approved Body	UK Regulations + UK Approved Body	Great Britain	UK M21 0126
Crown Stamp	UK Regulations (Beer meters, SMIs, NAWMs)	UK	

UK Market Conformity Assessment Bodies (UKMCAB)

https://www.gov.uk/uk-market-conformity-assessment-bodies

North of Scotland

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From: Department for Business, Energy & Industrial Strategy

Body number: 0602

Last updated: 31 October 2019

Body type: Approved body, Notified body (NI)
Registered office location: United Kingdom
Testing locations: United Kingdom

Website: www.aberdeencity.gov.uk

Email: tradingstandards@aberdeencity.gov.uk

Phone: +44 (0)3000 200 292

Legislative area: Measuring instruments, Non-automatic weighing instruments

Measuring Instruments Regulations 2016

Product	Procedure
Measuring Instruments for Liquids Other than Water (Annex VIIMI-005)	Module F: Conformity to type based on instrument verification

Weights and Measures (Packaged Goods) Regulations 2006

https://assets.publishing.service.gov.uk/government/uploads/system/uploads/attachment_data/file/9 50415/Guide-to-packaging-regulations-2006-tp.pdf

Importer Details

E marking

Measuring Instruments Regulations 2016

https://assets.publishing.service.gov.uk/government/uploads/system/uploads/attachment_data/file/950408/Guide-to-measuring-instruments-regulations-2016-tp.pdf

Placing on the market and making available now means on the GB market

UKCA + M

Authorised Representative must be based in UK

Approved Bodies

Normative Documents

• https://www.gov.uk/guidance/normative-documents-measuring-instruments-regulations-2016

Importers

Non-automatic Weighing Instruments Regulations 2016

https://assets.publishing.service.gov.uk/government/uploads/system/uploads/attachment_data/file/950412/Guide-to-nawi-regulations-2016-tp.pdf

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 https://assets.publishing.service.gov.uk/government/uploads/system/uploads/attachment_data/f ile/942120/ds-0012-21-nawi-notice.pdf

Importers

Transition Enquiries: <u>euexitenquiries@tsi.org.uk</u>

We will need:

- a. a short brief/background to the enquiry raised
- b. confirmation as to whether this will form advice that you intend to provide as primary authority advice

Check the published Government guidance first to see if your query can be answered from that

Check the content published on the Regulators' Companion to make sure that a similar enquiry will not provide you with an answer (https://www.regulatorscompanion.info/eu-exit-technical-queries)

Outline your initial thoughts on the potential answer and your rationale.

Supply an email and telephone contact number in case we need follow up information.

Query received:

We have received an enquiry from the UK representative of a company based in Germany who manufactures, verifies and supplies stamped capacity measures (1/2-pint, 1-pint glasses) for use in pubs and restaurants in the UK and Northern Ireland.

The enquiry is:

- · Can the German manufacturer continue to CE mark the capacity measures until 31 12.2021?
- · Are they required to mark the capacity measures with the UKCA mark /UKNI mark?
- · Are they authorised to apply the UKCA/UKNI mark if they are based in Germany or is the verification to be carried out in the UK?
- · If they are able to verify the capacity measures in Germany with the new UKCA mark what documentation are they required to keep?

Advice given:

- 1 CE Mark
- 2 Market
- 3 UKCA Mark
- 4 UKNI Mark
- 5 Technical Documentation
- 6 Importer Details
- 7 Exemption

Regulators Companion

https://www.regulatorscompanion.info/

Scenario 1

A NAWI was submitted for a Module F conformity assessment to a GB notified body. it was marked with CE and the UKCA mark was on a document that has since been discarded or lost. This then means the instrument is in use with a CE mark and a four-digit GB notified body number on it. How can anyone tell if the rules have been applied correctly, especially in terms of enforcement?

Any questions?



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