



FOODSUP – WWW Module

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The WWW-Module of FOODSUP allows the public to consult the notified products. It is possible to search on the name of the responsible company and/or the name of the product or parts of these. A part from that, searches can also be done based on the notification number of the product. The notification number of the product may be mentioned in the labelling of the product but that is not a legal obligation.

Searching on the name of the company and/or the name of the product

The screenshot shows the search interface of the FOODSUP WWW module. The search criteria are: Enterprise name: phar, Product name: vit, Product type: All, and Notification number: (empty). The search results table shows 1 product found. The table has columns for Number, Product type, Enterprise name, and Product name. The search results table is empty, showing "No record found".

Number	Product type	Enterprise name	Product name
No record found			

This search will return all products from a company with “phar” in its name and “vit” in the name of the product. It is possible to leave one of this fields open and search only on the name of the company or on the name of the product.

The two screenshots show the search interface with different search criteria. The left screenshot shows Enterprise name: phar, Product name: (empty), Product type: All, and Notification number: (empty). The right screenshot shows Enterprise name: (empty), Product name: vit, Product type: All, and Notification number: (empty).



Searching on the notification number

Search

Enterprise name

Product name

Product type ▼

Notification number /

This search will return the product with notification number 1/1. It is also possible to search all products of that company.

Search



Enterprise name

Product name


Product type ▼

Notification number /

In the database it is possible to find four types of results for files studied after mid-October 2023:

- Products with a notification number and without a logo = products which no major non-conformity has been detected in the submitted file;
- Products with a notification number and with this logo  = files which a complementary assessment is ongoing;
- Products with a notification number and with this logo  = files which at least one non-conformity has been detected in the submitted file. These products cannot be marketed until they have been brought into conformity. When the product is brought into conformity, the orange triangle logo is removed after a positive re-evaluation of the file.

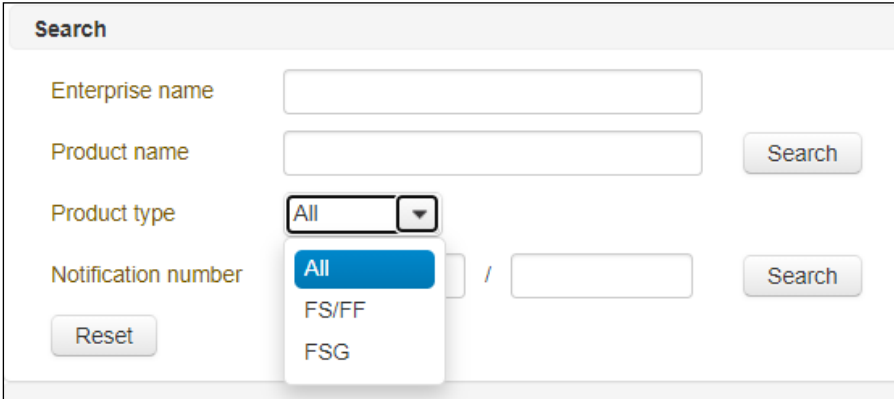


- Products with a notification number and with this logo  = files that don't fall under the legislation of food supplements or fortified foods. Those products cannot be marketed under those statuses.

Searching by product type

Several types of products are referenced in the FoodSup database. It is possible to filter the results by selecting from the drop-down menu :

- Either FS/FF, for food supplements and fortified foodstuffs
- Or FSG, for foodstuffs intended for specific groups (infant formulae, food for special medical purposes, etc.).



The screenshot shows a search interface with the following elements:

- Search** header
- Enterprise name**: text input field
- Product name**: text input field with a **Search** button to its right
- Product type**: dropdown menu with 'All' selected and a list of options: 'All', 'FS/FF', and 'FSG'
- Notification number**: text input field with a slash and another text input field, followed by a **Search** button
- Reset** button

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