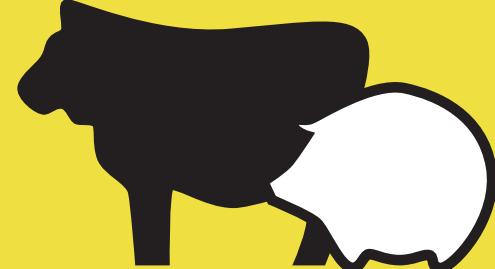


# Taking Meat Products Out of Japan



Under Japanese laws and regulations, some items **must be inspected by the Animal Quarantine Service** before being taken out of Japan, and some items are **prohibited from being taken to overseas destinations such as China and Korea.**



## Examples of items requiring animal quarantine

### Beef, pork, chicken, eggs

Items for which export conditions have been agreed with the importing country, or for which an Animal Quarantine Certificate is required



### Food products and livestock products derived from wild animals



### Livestock semen and fertilized eggs (embryos)



### Live livestock and pets (dogs and cats)



※ In addition to the above, other items may also require animal quarantine.

Exporting items without inspection by the Animal Quarantine Service is subject to legal penalties (up to 3 years' imprisonment or a fine of up to 3 million yen).



If you plan to export live animals or meat products, please contact the office below.

Ministry of Agriculture, Forestry and Fisheries  
Animal Quarantine Service  
<http://www.maff.go.jp/aqs/index.html>

For more information, please visit our website

