

How are the panels shipped?



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Panels are packed at the EDQM and transported under validated conditions via carrier. The preferred method of shipment is **door-to-door**, so it is important that participants provide the EDQM with their **opening hours**.

It is the responsibility of the participating BE to check with the relevant authorities if an **import permit** is needed for the shipment.

Once the parcel has been sent, participants will receive a **dispatch note** with the tracking details and a link to track the progress of their order.

Note: Airport consignment to the airport nearest to the BE can be considered in exceptional circumstances.