

RIBES PHPS 14

Key conditions for field grown ribes certified/approved at: Super Elite (SE), Elite (E), A, and *Approved-Health* (A-H) grades

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Note: All Inspections are Visual

1. Inspections

All grades have been inspected twice for health and vigour and, with the exception of micropropagated material, for trueness to variety. *Approved-Health* stocks inspected for health and vigour only.

2. Quarantine diseases

Stocks have been grown on land that has not been infected by the following soil-borne diseases: Rhizomania, strawberry red core or verticillium wilt disease of hops or which is under notice for potato wart disease or potato cyst nematode.

3. Rotation

Stocks have been grown on a site that has not been used to grow Ribes crops in the previous 2 years.

4. Soil sampling (Super Elite and Elite only):

Stocks have been grown on land which has been sampled and found free from the soil living virus vector nematodes *Xiphinema diversicaudatum* (dagger nematode); or samples have been tested and found free of the viruses relevant to the crop; or the field has been treated with an approved soil fumigant prior to the planting and entry of material for certification.

5. Isolation

Stocks have been grown at the minimum isolation distances (metres) shown below:

	Entry Grade	SE	E	A	A-H
Other Grades					
SE		2			
E		2	2		
A		50	2	2	
A-H		50	50	2	2
Fruiting Crop		1500*#	400#	400#	400#

gooseberries/jostaberries 100 metres from all other Ribes

6. Standards met

A summary of tolerances (%) for pests and diseases is as follows:

	Super Elite	Elite	A	A-H
Rogues	Nil	Nil	0.5	0.5
Big bud/gall mite (<i>Ceridophyopsis tribis</i>)	Nil	Nil	Nil	Nil
Reversion Virus	Nil	Nil	Nil	Nil
Other virus diseases	Nil	0.05	0.5	0.5
Leaf and bud eelworm (<i>Aphelenchoides ritzemabos</i>)	Nil	0.05	0.5	0.5
Other pests and diseases, including mildew, leaf spot, aphids, leaf midge, sawfly and two spotted (red spider) mite	Substantial Freedom			

