

The Netherlands phytosanitary system

Level 1	Ministry of Agriculture, Nature and Food Quality	overall responsibility for phytosanitary policy
Level 2	Netherlands Food and Consumer Product Safety Authority Ministry of Agriculture, Nature and Food Quality	 Implementing agency under IPPC Import and export inspections Monitoring and surveys Risk analysis/risk assessment (Export) certification Diagnostics and identification (NIVIP) Knowledge development (Policy) advise to Ministry, research centres, trade and industry Support of international phytosanitary market access
Level 3	Agricultural Control Agencies:	 Execute delegated tasks: Field, import and export inspections First-line diagnostics for selected Q-organisms Delegated bodies for RNQPs