



SHIPPING OPTIONS

Dear Producer,

We encourage you to take part in the Cincho International Cheese Awards 2026 and would like to inform you of the registration deadlines and the different methods available for shipping cheese samples from European Union countries.

1. Direct shipment of samples to Spain

Samples sent directly to Spain must comply:

- Registration deadline: 24 May 2026
- Sample shipment deadline: 29 May 2026

Shipping costs to Spain will be entirely covered by the manufacturer.

Shipping address:

Att. Cincho International Cheese Awards
Estación Tecnológica de la Leche – ITACyL
Ctra. Autilla s/n (Finca Viñalta)
Postcode 34071 – Palencia – Spain

2. Shipment of samples via collection points in Italy or Germany

Alternative option to ship the cheese via a collection point instead of directly to Spain. Shipping costs to the collection point will be covered by the manufacturer. The Competition Organisation will cover the transport of the samples from the collection points to the competition venue in Spain. **It is mandatory to contact the Organisation in order to use this option.**

This option is only applicable to samples with sufficient shelf life. Very fresh samples must be shipped directly to Spain. Samples may be sent via the designated collection points in Germany and Italy, in accordance with the following deadlines:

- **Registration deadline: 8 May 2026**
- **Reception at the collection point: 11-20 May 2026**

IMPORTANT: To ship the samples via a collection point, when completing the registration in the website www.premioscincho.com, it is mandatory to indicate the selected collection point in the “**OBSERVATIONS**” section of the registration application, explicitly stating one of the following options:

- “**CP ITALY**”
- “**CP GERMANY**”

Once registration has been completed, in order to benefit from this option, it is **mandatory to contact the Organisation** by submitting a formal request via email to: cincho@premioscincho.com. Once the request has been sent, the Organisation will respond confirming whether this option is possible and reiterating the applicable conditions and shipping deadlines. Cheeses may not be sent without receiving such confirmation.

Collection point addresses (please select as appropriate):

- **CP ITALY**
Att. "CHEESE FOR CINCHO AWARDS 2026"
Luigi Guffanti
Via Milano, 140, 28041 Arona NO, Italia

Once the shipment has been completed, the dispatch of the samples must be notified by sending a PDF copy of the delivery documents by email, including the estimated delivery date, to: davide@guffantiformaggi.com and laura@guffantiformaggi.com

- **CP GERMANY**
Att. "CHEESE FOR CINCHO AWARDS 2026"
Weidner Käse GmbH
Josef-Wassermann-Straße 50, 86316 Friedberg, Deutschland

Once the shipment has been completed, the dispatch of the samples must be notified by sending a PDF copy of the delivery documents by email, including the estimated delivery date, to: Peter.Engelmann@weidner.de and Alfred.strassner@web.de

Samples that are not received at the collection points within the established deadlines will be excluded from the Competition. If the samples were to be received at the collection point after 15 May, the Organiser would not assume any responsibility whatsoever and would not, under any circumstances, cover the costs or undertake the arrangements for their transport to the competition venue in Spain.

For any further information, please contact the Competition Organisation at cincho@premioscincho.com or consult the information available on our website www.premioscincho.com