



# Ammonium Nitrate fertiliser No photo ID means no sale

Updated controls for the supply of explosives precursors come into force on 1 October 2023



It is mandatory to provide a photo ID when ordering Ammonium Nitrate fertiliser - without it, your sale will be declined



The Government has introduced new controls on the sale and supply of AN fertilisers and other chemicals\* - most AN blends will be in scope



All purchasers of AN fertilisers with a nitrogen content above 16% need to verify their identity with a photo ID - vendors must keep a record for police inspection



Where blends contain AN (e.g. 20.10.10 or 10.10.10), it is the actual nitrogen content of the base AN used that is pertinent, not the overall N content of the blend



Blends containing "straight" AN with a base concentration of 34.5% nitrogen are over the threshold even if the resultant blend is declared at less than 16% N

Visit [agindustries.org.uk/explosives-precursors](https://agindustries.org.uk/explosives-precursors) or [GOV.UK](https://gov.uk) for more details

\*some plant protection products; biocides; and acids



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