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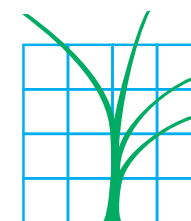
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FRENCH FRUIT TREE CERTIFICATION



FRUIT CERTIFICATION BY FILIATIONS

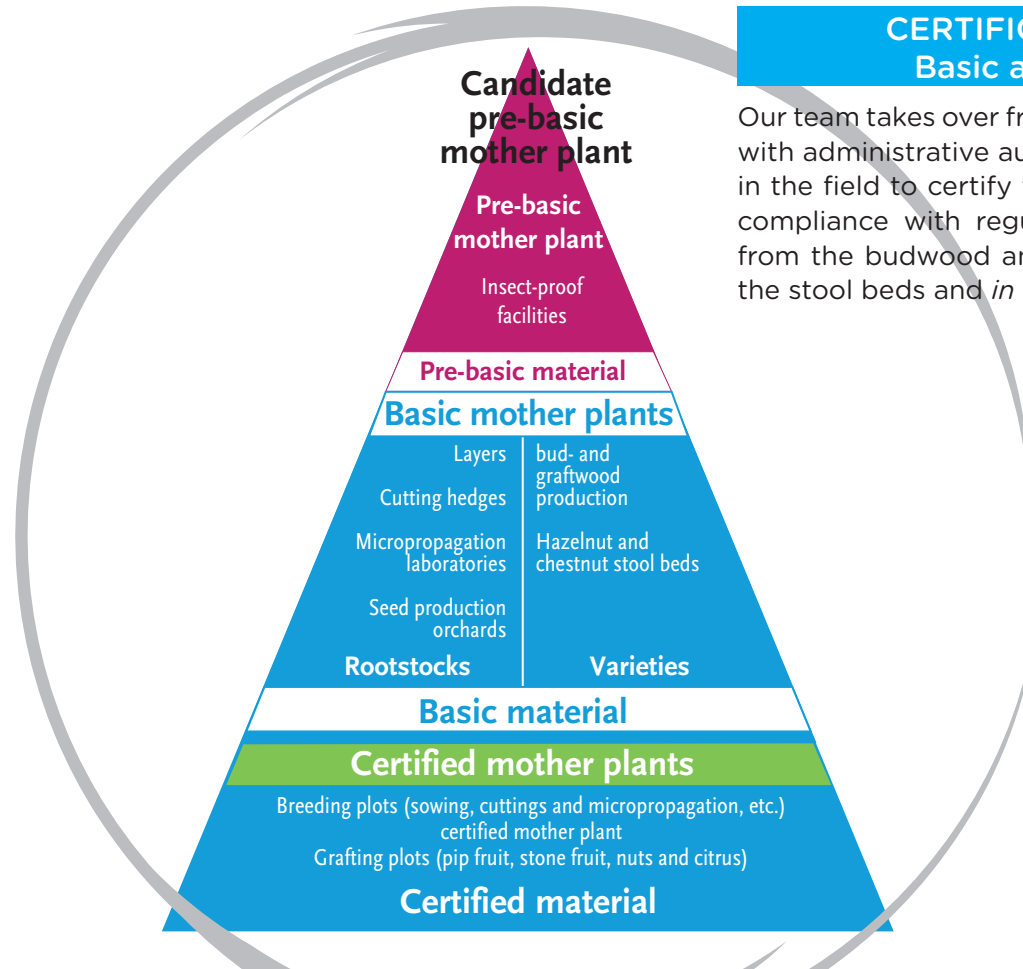
MAINTENANCE Pre-basic material

Plant material comes from a cultivar of a single tree bred for its varietal and sanitary qualities. Our team is responsible for recognizing, conserving and distributing the cultivar. Regular sanitary inspections, a distribution process based on filiation and our appropriate infrastructures (insect-proof greenhouses) allow us to guarantee the health status and the genetic authenticity of the propagated plant material. On request, *in vitro* shootlets of rootstocks may be supplied. We offer licenses and plant breeders, whether French or foreign, a service whereby the experimental fruit plant material can be exported outside of the EU (United States, Chile, Australia...).



CERTIFICATION - INSPECTION Basic and certified material

Our team takes over from Maintenance. In close collaboration with administrative authorities, we carry out the inspections in the field to certify the health status, the authenticity and compliance with regulations of each step of the process from the budwood and seed orchards, the cutting hedges, the stool beds and *in vitro* laboratories to the nursery.



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Our team is responsible for sanitary and varietal authenticity checks of all the plant material in the pyramid (see diagram). Sanitary analyses are carried out using biological, serological and molecular diagnostic techniques. For authenticity, molecular markers are used. The protocols used are based on national and international standards. Our laboratory is constantly looking for improvement of certification tools.