

# Wooden Cutlery

**Certificate of Conformity** · Issued in respect of natural birch wooden cutlery products supplied by Yolli Ltd, confirming conformity with the applicable food-contact legislation and standards.

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## 1 Product Identification

<b>Product</b>	<b>Wooden cutlery</b> — forks, knives, tea spoons, chip forks and mixed cutlery sets
<b>Material</b>	Natural food-grade birch wood; uncoated, untreated. As a natural material, colour and grain may vary slightly between batches.
<b>Formats</b>	Full-size forks and knives; tea spoons; chip forks (spade head); mixed 24-piece cutlery sets
<b>Size range</b>	Forks & knives 165 mm; tea spoons 110 mm; chip forks 94 mm; the 24-piece set comprises 160 mm forks, 165 mm knives and 110 mm tea spoons
<b>SKU families</b>	Forks <b>WC003 / WC010</b> · knives <b>WC001 / WC011</b> · tea spoons <b>WC004 / wc008</b> · chip forks <b>RCHF001 / WCF001</b> · 24-piece set <b>RPP001</b>
<b>Intended use</b>	Catering, events, takeaway and street food, desserts, food presentation and general food-service use

## 2 Declaration of Conformity

Yolli Ltd declares, under its sole responsibility, that the **wooden cutlery products** identified above are made from natural birch wood and are suitable for direct contact with food when used as intended. The product conforms to the legislation and standards listed overleaf.

### 3 Applicable Legislation & Standards

- **Regulation (EC) No 1935/2004** — framework regulation on materials and articles intended to come into contact with food.
- **Regulation (EC) No 2023/2006** — good manufacturing practice (GMP) for food-contact materials and articles.
- **The Materials and Articles in Contact with Food (England) Regulations 2012** — and equivalent retained-EU UK law giving effect to the framework in Great Britain.
- **German LFGB & BfR recommendations** — national requirements for wood food-contact materials, against which the product has been tested.
- **U.S. FDA 21 CFR 178.3800** — pentachlorophenol (PCP) limits for treated wood.
- **FSC® Chain of Custody (FSC-STD-40-004)** — responsible-sourcing standard for the product's FSC claims.

### 4 Specific Provisions

Provision	Status
Food-contact suitability	Suitable for direct contact with food when used as intended.
Food-contact safety testing	<b>Pass.</b> Independent accredited-laboratory testing covering sensory (odour & taste), pentachlorophenol (PCP) to U.S. FDA 21 CFR 178.3800, and — under Regulation (EC) No 1935/2004 and German LFGB — arsenic and the specific migration of formaldehyde and phthalates.
Composition & treatment	Natural birch wood, with <b>no sensitising coatings, surface treatments or additives.</b>
Allergens	<b>None of the 14 declarable allergens present.</b> Confirmed free from common allergens and sensitisers including nuts, pollen and latex; an allergen declaration is held on file.
Responsible sourcing	Covered by <b>FSC® Chain of Custody</b> certification; product is supplied as FSC-certified where the FSC declaration is stated on the sales or delivery documents.
Phytosanitary	Consignments are officially certified free from quarantine pests on entry to the UK.
Quality & food-safety management	Yolli operates an <b>ISO 9001</b> quality management system (UKAS-accredited; British Assessment Bureau, UKAS Management Systems no. 8289). The cutlery is produced by a manufacturer certificated to the <b>BRCGS Global Standard for Packaging Materials</b> (Issue 7, Grade A) for disposable wooden tableware and ice cream items.

## 5 Basis of Conformity

- **ISO 9001 certificate (Yolli Ltd)** — UKAS-accredited quality management certification (British Assessment Bureau, UKAS Management Systems no. 8289).
- **BRCGS Global Standard for Packaging Materials certificate (manufacturer)** — Issue 7, Grade A, for the manufacture of disposable wooden tableware and ice cream items.
- **Food-contact safety test report** — independent accredited-laboratory testing (sensory, PCP, arsenic, and formaldehyde & phthalate migration), all within limits.
- **FSC® Chain of Custody certificate** — covering applicable wood product groups including wooden tableware and cutlery.
- **Phytosanitary certificate** — certifying imported consignments free from quarantine pests on UK entry.
- **Allergen declaration; and the Yolli wooden cutlery product specification.**

## 6 Conditions & Validity

- Conformity applies to the product **as supplied and used as intended** for food-contact and food-service use.
- As a natural material, wood may vary slightly in shade, grain and finish and may occasionally present a splinter; the user remains responsible for any consumer-safety labelling required on the finished product.
- FSC claims apply only to consignments where the FSC declaration is stated on the sales or delivery documents.
- This certificate remains valid while the product specification and supporting certificates are unchanged, and is superseded on reissue.

SIGNED Richard Loynds

NAME Richard Loynds

POSITION Managing Director, for and on behalf of Yolli Ltd

**Note:** Issued by Yolli Ltd as supplier and brand owner of the product — a declaration based on the documentation held on file from the manufacturer.