

FSSAI Licence Guide (Food Retail)

Retail & E-Commerce

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This guide explains what the tool produces, how to use the output, and what to watch for. The actual output (draft/report) is generated on the tool page.

Background

Get the right FSSAI food licence for your store — the correct category (Basic Registration, State or Central Licence) with reasoning, documents, the FoSCoS process and fees, and display and compliance duties. Fill in your details below.

Purpose of this tool & output

Get the right food licence for your store

How the output is used

Use the guide to get the right FSSAI registration/licence tier for food retail before you sell food items.

Who receives it

Food Safety and Standards Authority of India (FSSAI), via the FoSCoS portal.

How to submit / file it

Apply on FoSCoS for the right tier (Registration / State / Central) with KYC, layout and product details; inspection may follow.

Fees & charges

Government fee varies by tier and years; typically modest for registration, higher for State/Central licences.

Who should vet it

A food-safety consultant for the correct tier and Schedule-4 hygiene compliance.

Important cautions

AI-generated guide; confirm current thresholds on the FoSCoS portal.

Companion documents

- Retail Licence Finder
- Shops & Establishment Registration Guide
- E-Commerce GST & TCS Guide
- Legal Metrology Compliance Guide
- Consumer Protection E-Commerce Rules Guide
- Product Labelling Compliance Checker

This is AI-assisted guidance. Verify with a qualified professional before any binding decision. Fees, authorities and processes vary by state and change over time — confirm with your state authority.