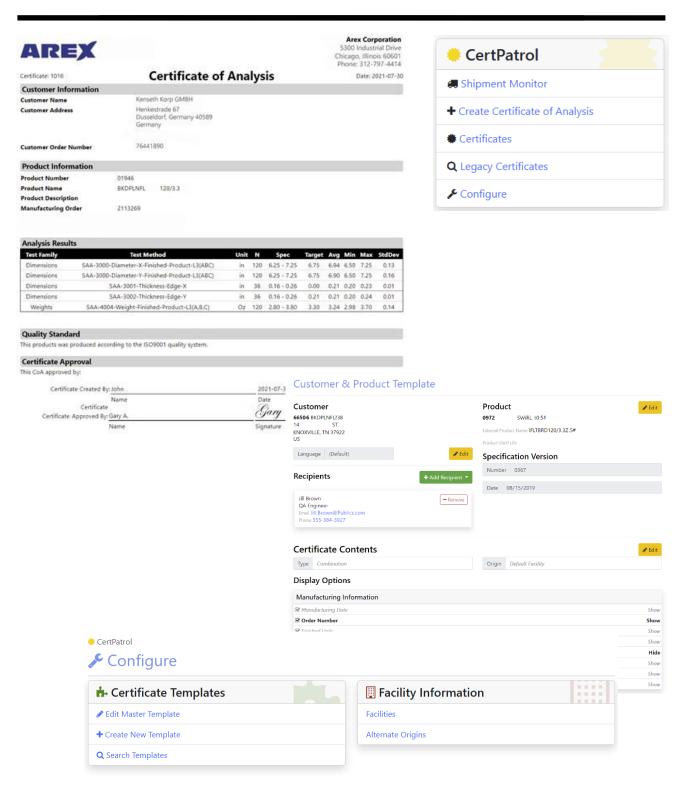
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### **Chapter 1: Introduction**

#### Introduction

CertPatrol™ is a PatrolSuite module that facilitates the semi-automated (and potentially fully automated given ERP/MES integration) creation of Certificates of Analysis (CoAs) that meet pre-defined customer requirements. CertPatrol is also multi-lingual and will automatically create CoAs in the appropriate language based on the facility, customer, and corporate language settings.

The CertPatrol CoA format is based on the following global standards:

- ASTM E1831-96 Standard Guide for Preparing Certificates...
- ISO Guide 31 Contents of Certificates...
   (the CRM components for the references above are ignored)
- IPEC Certificate of Analysis Guide International Pharmaceutical Excipients Council...

#### Certificate Format

CertPatrol creates and saves CoAs in HTML format, and each CoA reflects the test results and specs at the moment in time when the CoA was created. Therefore, if a CoA is created, and then tests are subsequently re-run, a new CoA must be created to capture the latest test results. However, both CoAs are retained, are retrievable, and are printable.

#### Saving CoAs Externally

CertPatrol stores CoAs in a database-directed location on the PatrolSuite server for retrieval via CertPatrol. This location is typically not exposed to CertPatrol users. MAP recommends creating a public network folder where users can save CoAs as .pdf documents (via "Print as PDF") for retrieval outside of CertPatrol.

#### Access

To access the PatrolSuite homepage, obtain the URL and login credentials from your IT department.

PatrolSuite module access is governed by both PatrolSuite and Active Directory security protocols. Therefore, users will see different homepage content and will have different access levels based on assigned roles. For assistance with security or permissions, contact your IT department.

#### **Browser**

PatrolSuite™ is accessed through a web browser. The platform and all its applications are certified for use



with Google Chrome, Microsoft Edge, and Safari. To ensure full functionality and the best user experience, MAP strongly recommends using one of these supported browsers.

#### **Definitions**

**Business Partner** – Customers and Suppliers.

**Certificate of Analysis** – A document issued and signed by an inspection authority that states that the (CoA) referenced material (typically identified by batch, lot, or unit number) has been analyzed in accordance with a specified standard or procedure, shows the results of those tests, and shows the applicable specifications such that the recipient can confirm that the material meets quality requirements.

**Certificate of Conformance** – A document issued by an inspection authority that states that the (CoC) referenced material was made in accordance with applicable quality requirements. The applicable quality requirements are not specified, nor are test results, nor are specifications. Due to the generic and low-value-added nature of CoCs, CertPatrol does not produce CoCs at this time.

**Disposition** – The remediation instructions assigned to a product with a rejected quality state. The goal of the remediation is to minimize the financial loss due to making product that does not meet quality requirements.

**Facility** – A physical location where raw materials are converted into finished or semi-finished products through various production processes, machinery, labor, and technology.

**Operation** – Location where a sample originates for which testing is performed.

Order – A set of data with a unique order number (typically originating from the MES or ERP) to identify a:

- Inbound Receiving order (often a "purchase order") for raw materials
- Manufacturing order and its related product and customer
- Outbound Shipping order for finished goods being shipped to customers.

**Product** – A tangible output or item that is created through a controlled process involving raw materials, labor, machinery, and other inputs, intended for use, sale, or further processing. Types of products include:

- Finished Goods: Ready for sale to end users (e.g. computers, bicycles, paper).
- Semi-Finished Goods: Used as components in other products (e.g. engine parts, circuit boards).
- Raw Materials: Basic inputs for production (e.g., glue, steel, plastic pellets, lumber).

**Product Group** – A collection of related products that share common characteristics, functions, markets, manufacturing processes, or branding, and are managed together for strategic, operational, or marketing purposes.

**Quality Assurance (QA)** – A proactive process that focuses on preventing defects by ensuring that the processes used to manage and create deliverables are effective and followed correctly.

- Focus: Process-oriented
- Goal: Prevent defects before they happen
- When: Throughout the product development and prior to the manufacturing process
- Methods: Process audits, training, standard operating procedures (SOPs), continuous improvement
- Responsibility: Business management, quality management, and process engineers

**Quality Control (QC)** – A reactive process that focuses on identifying defects in the finished product through inspection and testing.

Focus: Product-oriented

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- Goal: Detect and fix defects after they occur
- When: After production or at specific checkpoints during production
- Methods: Inspections, measurements, product testing, sampling, statistical process control (SPC)
- Responsibility: Laboratory technicians, quality inspectors, or testing personnel

**Quality Plan** – A formal set of electronic files or settings that define the specific quality practices, resources, standards, procedures, responsibilities, and inspection or testing methods to be applied to a particular product or process during manufacturing.

**Quality State** – The assessment of a sample's conformance to quality requirements. For example, a sample for which all tests are completed, and all are in spec, might have a quality state of "Approved."

**Raw Material** – A basic, unprocessed, or minimally processed substance that is used as the starting input in the production or manufacturing of goods and products.

**Sample** – A QualityPatrol record reflecting a point in time at which product characteristics (i.e. test results) or process parameters (i.e. process conditions) are recorded. Samples are related to the Operation and Workcenter where they are being manufactured.

**Sample Status "Incomplete"** – A sample that has one or more data yet to be collected. For example, if a Sample requires 5 tests to be performed, but only 4 tests have been completed, then the sample is incomplete.

**Sample Status "Completed"** – A sample for which all tests are completed. Note that complete/incomplete has nothing to do with whether the results are in spec or out of spec.

Sample Location – A physical location on a single sample from which tests are performed for X-bar testing.

**Sample Type "Start Up"** – Identifies a sample of product that is not intended to be sold to a customer or used in further processing. Use Case: When a manufacturing line begins producing "Product 123," the first few samples are identified as Start Up and are used to determine when the product meets quality requirements. Once quality requirements are met, then the next sample is identified with the sample type "Production." Note: Start Up samples are typically omitted from statistical analysis (DataPatrol & DashPatrol).

**Sample Type "Production"** – Identifies a sample of product that is expected to meet quality requirements and be sold to a customer or used in further processing.

**Specification Limit** – The product measurements within which confirm the acceptability of a product, or the process conditions within which likely result in the production of acceptable product. Product specification limits are typically defined by the customer. Process specification limits are typically defined by the manufacturer.

**Specification Limit "Upper"** – The highest value that a test result can be and still be considered acceptable to the customer.

**Specification Limit "Lower"** – The lowest value that a test result can be and still be considered acceptable to the customer.

**Test Location** – A physical location within the Facility where tests are completed.

**Unit** – The smallest measurable or sellable quantity of a product. Units are typically used for production, inventory, pricing, sales, and distribution purposes.



**Unit of Measure** – A standard quantitative unit used to specify, track, and manage the amount of a product, material, or resource in the manufacturing, inventory, sales, or procurement processes.

**Warning Limit** – A numerical value that, when exceeded, raises a flag prompting a timely, proactive response to eliminate or minimize the possibility of the parameter from reaching an alarm limit such as a specification.

**Workcenter** – A sub-division of an Operation. An Operation can have one or more Workcenters. Often, a workcenter reflects a unique manufacturing machine or asset.

### **Symbol Key**

The following symbols are used in this user guide.

Typeface	Description
B	Indicates a "required" data entry field within a UI.
NEW	Indicates a new feature, or new information regarding existing functionality.
	Indicates rules regarding access security.
•	Click the help icon to view additional information.



### **Chapter 2: Security**

#### **NEW Introduction**

To grant a permission to a user, the user must be placed into a Role that has the permission activated. Roles are user defined. Permissions are not user-defined, they are part of the PatrolSuite software.

PatrolSuite security is integrated with Microsoft Active Directory. Each PatrolSuite Role must be associated with an Active Directory group.



In summary, the process of defining user security in PatrolSuite is as follows:

- I) Define the PatrolSuite Role.
- II) Activate the desired PatrolSuite permissions for the Role.
- III) Create the Active Directory group that corresponds to the PatrolSuite Role.
- IV) Place the desired people into the Active Directory group.
- V) Add the Active Directory group into the PatrolSuite Role.

#### Roles

Roles are located on Page: {PatrolSuite URL}/Security/Roles

1. To access the PatrolSuite Roles, click on the Roles hyperlink in the Admin card on the PatrolSuite homepage.



2. MAP recommends creating the following CertPatrol Roles:





See the "QualityPatrol – Configure" user guide for how to create the roles, associate them with an Active Directory group, and grant permissions.

#### Permissions

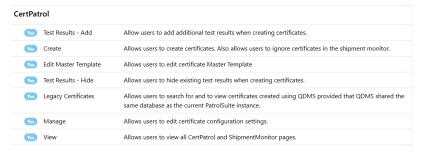
Permissions are located on Page: {PatrolSuite URL}/Security/Permissions

4. To grant permissions to a CertPatrol Role, click on the desired Role name.



a. Scroll down to the CertPatrol section and click on the 'No' button for the desired permission. This will change the button to read 'Yes' which means the permission has been granted to the Role, and therefore to all users in the Role.

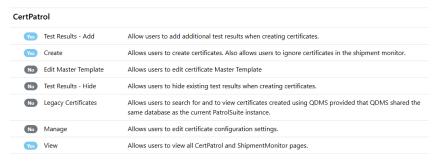
The CertPatrol Manager Role is typically granted the following permissions:



Note: The "Test Results - Hide" permission that enables a user to remove test results from a CoA.

Caution: The "Test Results - Add" and "Test Results - Hide" permissions give users the ability to remove existing or to add new test methods and corresponding results and specifications. These permissions are not typically granted to *anyone* if *all* testing is captured in QualityPatrol. The intent of this capability is to enable organizations who are migrating from a legacy quality system to QualityPatrol, where, for a short period of time, some test results are in the legacy system and some are in QualityPatrol, to create CoAs in CertPatrol that contain data from both systems. Additionally, ad hoc test results are stored only as part of the HTML CoA file; the data is not stored in the QualityPatrol database and therefore is not visible via DashPatrol, DataPatrol, or via any Reports.

The **CertPatrol User** Role is typically granted the following permissions:





#### The **CertPatrol Viewer** Role is typically granted the following permissions:

CertPat	rol	
No	Test Results - Add	Allow users to add additional test results when creating certificates.
No	Create	Allows users to create certificates. Also allows users to ignore certificates in the shipment monitor.
No	Edit Master Template	Allows users to edit certificate Master Template
No	Test Results - Hide	Allows users to hide existing test results when creating certificates.
No	Legacy Certificates	Allows users to search for and to view certificates created using QDMS provided that QDMS shared the same database as the current PatrolSuite instance.
No	Manage	Allows users to edit certificate configuration settings.
Yes	View	Allows users to view all CertPatrol and ShipmentMonitor pages.

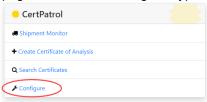


### **Chapter 3: Configure - Facilities**

Note: Typically, only users in the CertPatrol Manager role are granted access to CertPatrol Configure.

#### **Navigation to CertPatrol Configure**

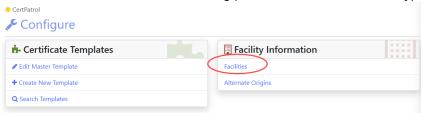
5. To access the CertPatrol configure page, click on the Configure hyperlink within the CertPatrol frame.



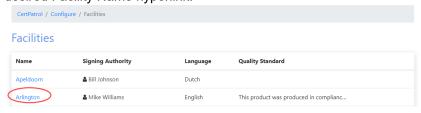
### **Facility Information - Facilities**

The Facilities page displays the organization's facilities (as defined and managed within the PatrolSuite/Ecosystem/Facilities page).

6. To the define the CoA information for a manufacturing plant, click on the Facilities hyperlink.

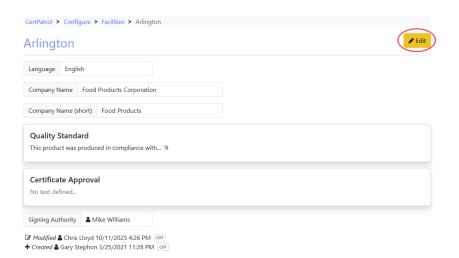


a. Click on the desired Facility Name hyperlink.



b. The CoA Facilities page allows management of the following information which will appear on *all* COAs created by the applicable facility. Click on the Edit button to add/change the information.





<u>Language</u>. This is the default language for the facility. When a CoA is created, CertPatrol will produce a version of the CoA in up to three languages: (i) The language of the Facility (as defined herein); (ii) the language of the Customer (as defined in the customer or customer/product CoA template); and (iii) the language of the corporate headquarters (as defined in the PatrolSuite/Admin/Configuration/Localization page).

<u>Company Name</u>. This is the "formal" company name which appears in the upper right-hand corner of the CoA above the address info.



**Company Name (short)**. This is the "informal" name which appears in the Product Information frame of the CoA:



**Quality Standard text**. This is the text that appears below the "Quality Standard" section.



<u>Certificate Approval text</u>. This is the text that appears below the "Certificate Approval" section. Typically, MAP customers do not add text here because the person who created the certificate and the certificate approval authority are clearly identified on the certificate.



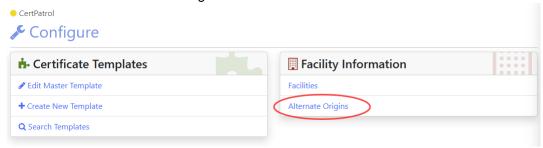


<u>Signing Authority</u>. This is the name of the person at the manufacturing facility who is responsible for all certificates produced at the facility (typically the quality manager). This is not the person who creates each certificate. The person who creates each certificate is separately identified on the certificate.



#### Facility Information – Alternate Origins

Alternate Origins allow CoAs to be created that indicate that the product originated from a different company or manufacturing facility. This feature is "off" by default to avoid potential regulatory violations. Contact MAP if there is a need to enable the Alternate Origins feature.





### **Chapter 4: Template Overview**

#### **Certificate Template Levels**

The Certificate Templates pages facilitate the creation and management of CoA "templates." A template is where the specific requirements for a CoA are defined. Templates can be defined at the following levels, and at each level, one can choose to inherit settings or content from the preceding level, or to ignore the settings or content from the previous level and replace them with new settings or content.



- Level #6: Master Template. This is the highest, or most generic, level of CoA templates. The Master Template defines the default CoA type, display options, and verbiage that appears on all CoAs produced across the enterprise (i.e. at all facilities) in the absence of an applicable lower-level template shown below (customer, product group, product, customer/product group, or customer/product template).
- ➤ <u>Level #5: Customer Template</u>. The Customer Template defines the default CoA type, display options, and verbiage that appears on all CoAs produced for a certain customer in the absence of an applicable lower-level template shown below (product group, product, customer/product group, or customer/product template).
- ▶ <u>Level #4: Product Group Template</u>. The Product Group Template defines the default CoA type, display options, and verbiage that appears on all CoAs produced for a certain product group in the absence of an applicable lower-level template shown below (product, customer/product group, or customer/product template).
- ➤ <u>Level #3: Product Template</u>. The Product Template defines the default CoA type, display options, and verbiage that appears on all CoAs produced for a certain product in the absence of an applicable lower-level customer/product group or customer/product template.
- ➤ <u>Level #2: Customer/Product Group Template</u>. The Customer/Product Group Template defines the default CoA type, display options, and verbiage that appears on all CoAs produced for a certain customer/product group in the absence of an applicable lower-level customer/product template shown below.
  - Level #1: Customer/Product Template. This is the lowest, or most specific, level of CoA templates.
     The Customer/Product Template defines the default CoA type, display options, and verbiage that appears on all CoAs produced for a certain customer/product combination.



#### **Certificate Template Logic**

When a CoA is created:

- 1) CertPatrol first looks to see if there is a matching template at level #1. If so, it creates the CoA based on the requirements defined at level #1. If no matching template is found at level #1, then:
- 2) CertPatrol looks to see if there is a matching template at level #2. If so, it creates the CoA based on the requirements defined at level #2. If no matching template is found at level #2, then:
- 3) CertPatrol looks to see if there is a matching template at level #3. If so, it creates the CoA based on the requirements defined at level #3. If no matching template is found at level #3, then:
- 4) CertPatrol looks to see if there is a matching template at level #4. If so, it creates the CoA based on the requirements defined at level #4. If no matching template is found at level #4, then:
- 5) CertPatrol looks to see if there is a matching template at level #5. If so, it creates the CoA based on the requirements defined at level #5. If no matching template is found at level #5, then:
- 6) CertPatrol creates the CoA based on the requirements defined in the Master Template (level #6).

Note: Accordingly, lower-level templates need to be created only if the requirements defined in the Master Template do not meet the needs for an outgoing CoA.

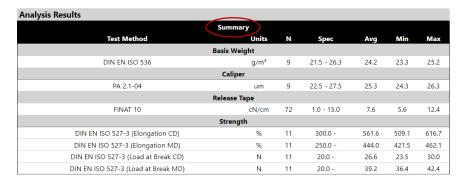
### **CoA Types**

When creating a template, CertPatrol allows the user to choose between four different certificate "types" which result in differences in how the data in the Analysis Results section is displayed.





Summary by Unit. This CoA calculates the test results and displays them in "summary" format with one line item for each applicable test method where "N" is the number of tests performed and the average result is displayed. The Summary by Unit type uses test results from only those units that are being shipped. Accordingly, if product testing is not performed on each unit, it is possible that a shipment might contain no units that were tested for a certain test method, and therefore the corresponding CoA might not contain a result for a required test.





Summary by Order. This CoA calculates the test results and displays them in "summary" format with one line item for each applicable test method where "N" is the number of tests performed and the average result is displayed (identical to the Summary by Unit CoA shown above). The Summary by Order type uses all test results from the applicable manufacturing order(s), regardless of which units are being shipped. Accordingly, if product testing is conducted at least once per manufacturing order, then this CoA type will contain results for each test method appearing on the CoA.

Analysis Results			_					
		Sumn	nary					
Test Metho	od		Units	N	Spec	Avg	Min	Max
		Basis W	/eight					
DIN EN ISO	536		g/m²	1	21.5 - 26.3	24.7	24.7	24.7
		Calip	per					
PA 2.1-04	1		um	1	22.5 - 27.5	25.4	25.4	25.4
		Stren	•					
DIN EN ISO 527-3 (Ele			%	1	300.0 -	539.0	539.0	539.0
DIN EN ISO 527-3 (Eld			96	1	250.0 -	414.8	414.8	414.8
DIN EN ISO 527-3 (Loa			N	1	20.0 -	26.4	26.4	26.4
DIN EN ISO 527-3 (Loan			N	1	20.0 -	42.7	42.7	42.7
DIN EN ISO 527-3 (Tens	J ,		N/mm2	1	25.0 -	42.2	42.2	42.2
DIN EN ISO 527-3 (Tensi	le strength MD)		N/mm2	1	25.0 -	68.3	68.3	68.3
		Deta						
Unit Number	Units	N '- W-'-l-A D	Spec		Value	N	lin	Max
000016FF08		is Weight D	IN EN ISO 536		247			
000016EE08	g/m²	Caliper P	21.5 - 26	0.5	24.7			
000016EE08	um	1	22.5 - 27	7 5	25.4			
0000102208			i27-3 (Elongati					
000016EE08	%	1	300.0 -		539.0			
0000102200			27-3 (Elongation					
000016EE08	%	1	250.0		414.8			
	Strength DI	N EN ISO 52	7-3 (Load at B					
000016EE08	N	1	20.0 -		26.4			
	Strength DII	N EN ISO 52	7-3 (Load at Br	eak M	D)			
000016EE08	N	1	20.0 -		42.7			
	Strength DIN	I EN ISO 527	'-3 (Tensile stre	ength (	CD)			
000016EE08	N/mm2	1	25.0 -		42.2			
	Strength DIN	EN ISO 527	-3 (Tensile stre	ngth N	ИD)			
000016EE08	N/mm2	1	25.0 -		68.3			

▶ <u>Detailed</u>. This CoA calculates the test results and displays them in "detail" format with one line item for each actual test performed on each unit included in the CoA. This CoA type can result in multi-page CoAs if a large number of tested units are included in the CoA.



<u>Combination</u>. This CoA is a combination of the Summary by Order and the Detailed CoA. This CoA type provides the recipient with the summary statistics as well as the test result breakdown by unit shipped.



### **Chapter 5: Search Templates**

#### **NEW Introduction**

The search templates page displays the CoA templates that have been "created." A CoA template is "created" when a user clicks on the 'New Template' button *and* any of the following apply:

- a. A customer language is chosen.
- b. One or more CoA recipients are defined.
- c. Specification Version data is defined.
- d. A certificate type is chosen.
- e. An alternate origin is chosen.
- f. One or more display options are *not* set to "Inherit."
- g. Verbiage text is appended or replaced.

Certificate templates are located on Page: {PatrolSuite URL}/Certificate/SearchTemplates

Users with the following permission can view and edit the CertPatrol Configure pages.



### Search Existing CoA Templates

7. To view the existing CoA templates, click on the CertPatrol Configure option in the menu or click on the Search Templates hyperlink in the Certificate Templates card.



a. Enter a customer or product name or number and click on the 'Search' button.

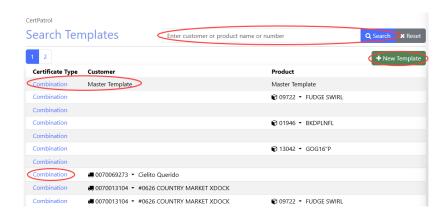
Note: The Master Template is shown at the top of the list.

Note: Click on the "Customer" or "Product" column header to sort the data grid.

Note: Click on the Certificate Type hyperlink to open the applicable Edit Template page

Note: A new template can be created by clicking on the 'New Template' button.





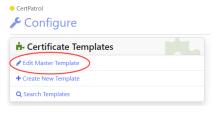


### **Chapter 6: Master Template**

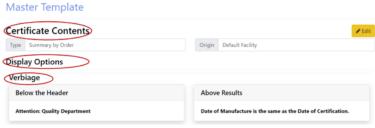
The Master Template is used if a user creates a certificate for which no temple exists for the applicable product and customer. Theoretically, if all certificates created by the organization were identical (i.e. no unique customer or product information or data requirements are on the CoA), then the organization would only have to define a Master Template; no other templates would be needed.

#### **Edit Master Template**

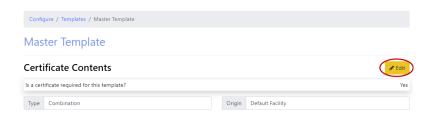
8. To edit the master template, on the CertPatrol Configure page, click on the Edit Master Template hyperlink.



Note: The CoA templates (including the Master Template) are organized into three areas of content: (i) Certificate Contents; (ii) Display Options; and (iii) Verbiage.



a. Click on the Edit button.



b. Choose whether a certificate is required for this template.

Note: The default Master Template selection for 'Is a certificate required' is "No."



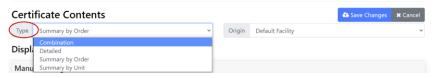
Note: If a manufacturing or outbound shipping order is created for which there is no product/customer template, and the 'Is a certificate required' for the Master Template' is "No," then CertPatrol Shipment Monitor will conclude that no certificate is needed. However, this will not prevent a user from manually creating a CoA using the Master Template.

Note: If a manufacturing or outbound shipping order is created for which there is no product/customer template, and the 'Is a certificate required' for the Master Template' is "Yes," then CertPatrol Shipment Monitor will conclude that a certificate needs to be created (based on the Master Template). This could cause an administrative headache as now lower-level templates would need to be created to define the product/customer templates that do not require CoAs ('Is a certificate required' = No) so that Shipment Monitor does not get filled up with prompts to create unnecessary certificates.



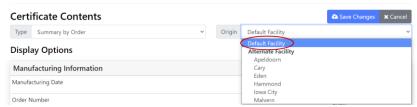
c. Choose the certificate Type (options discussed in the previous chapter). "Summary by Order" is the most common selection for the Master Template across MAP's customer base, but your manufacturing and customer requirements may dictate a different choice.

#### **Master Template**



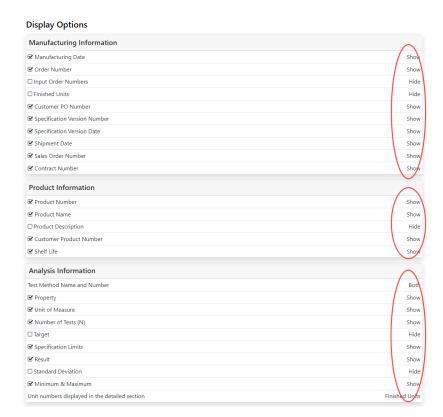
d. Choose the Origin. MAP recommends choosing "Default Facility" for the Master Template. This means that the company name and address displayed in the header of the CoA will be that of the applicable facility where the product was produced. However, an Alternate Facility can be chosen. If an alternate facility is chosen, then the company name and address displayed in the header of the CoA will be that of the chosen alternate facility regardless of where the product was produced.

**Master Template** 

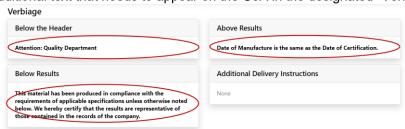


e. Choose the desired Display Options. The Display Options are organized into the three corresponding areas of information on the CoA: Manufacturing Information, Product Information, and Analysis Information. The information is each section can be displayed on the CoA (choose "Show"), or not displayed (choose "Hide").





f. Enter any additional text that needs to appear on the CoA in the designated "Verbiage" areas.



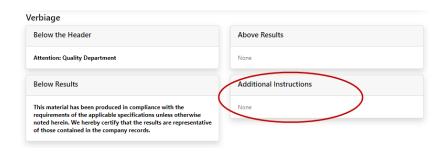
Note: The below image shows where the additional verbiage text will appear on the CoA.



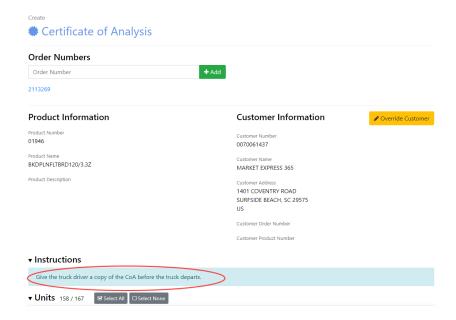
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g. Define any "Additional Instructions." This text does not appear on the CoA. This text provides the user creating the CoA with any special instructions (beyond who to send it to and the email/fax for those persons as this information is documented at lower template levels) for delivery of the CoA to the customer. An example of additional delivery instructions might be "The CoA must be included in the bill of lading packet given to the driver before the driver leaves the plant." However, the Master Template does *not* typically contain any additional delivery instructions. If applicable, additional delivery instructions are usually documented at the customer, customer/product family, or customer/product template level.





Note: When creating a CoA, the image below shows where the user will see the additional instructions:



h. Click the Save button to save the template.



### **Chapter 7: Create New Template**

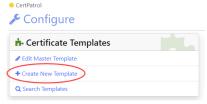
#### **NEW Introduction**

As previously outlined, CertPatrol allows CoA templates to be created at the following levels below the Level #6 Master Template:

- a) Level #5: Customer Template
- b) Level #4: Product Group Template
- c) Level #3: Product Template
- d) Level #2: Customer/Product Group Template
- e) Level #1: Customer/Product Template

### **Create New Customer Template**

9. To create a new customer template, click on the Create New Template hyperlink on the CertPatrol Configure page.



a. Enter the desired customer number and click 'View Template' button.



b. The customer template page will appear. To define the customer's default language (i.e. the language in which CertPatrol will create CoAs for delivery to the customer), click on the 'Edit" button, choose the desired language from the drop-down, and click on Save Changes.

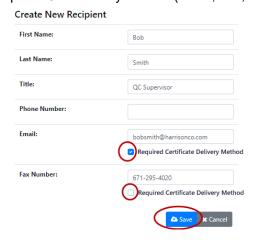




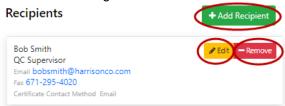
c. To add the customer contacts to whom CoAs need to be sent, click on the 'Add Recipient' button.



i. Enter the CoA recipient's contact information. Check the applicable checkbox to identify the required CoA delivery method (Email, Fax, or Both). Click on the 'Save' button.



 Repeat the preceding two steps to add another CoA recipient, or click on the 'Edit' or 'Remove' button to edit or remove an existing contact.



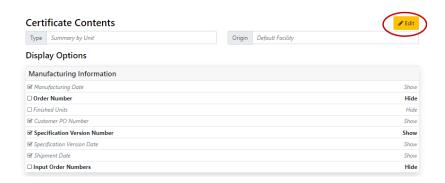
d. Click on the 'Edit' button to define the certificate contents including the Type, Origin, Display Options, and Verbiage.

Note: The Certificate Contents information is formatted as follows:

Checkbox checked = The information is included in the CoA ("Show").

**Bold Font** = This information differs from the preceding CoA template (i.e. it is not set to "Inherit").



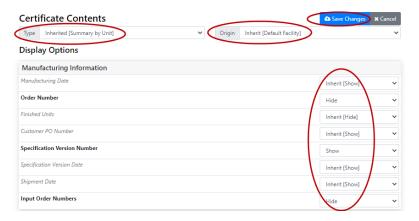


e. Choose the desired CoA Type, Origin, and display state.

<u>Inherit</u> = The show/hide setting is inherited from the previous template (which is the Master Template in the case of a customer-level CoA).

**Show** = The information will be included on the CoA regardless of the previous template's setting.

<u>Hide</u> = The information will be not included on the CoA regardless of the previous template's setting.

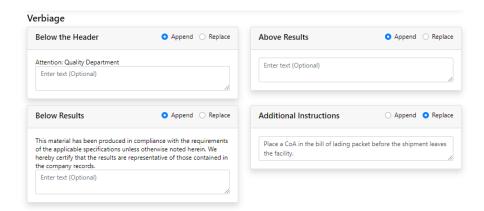


f. Choose the verbiage settings (Append or Replace) and, if necessary, enter the new verbiage. By default, the verbiage is inherited from the previous template, and if there is text to inherit, the text is displayed above the "Enter text (Optional)" text box.

**Append** adds any additional text typed into the "Enter text (Optional)" text box to the end of the inherited text.

**Replace** disregards the inherited text and replaces it in its entirety with the text typed into the "Enter text (Optional)" text box.

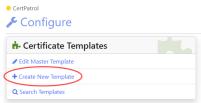




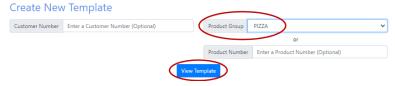
g. Click on the 'Save Changes' button to save.

#### **Create New Product Group Template**

10. To create a new product group template, click on the Create New Template hyperlink on the CertPatrol Configure page.



a. Select the desired product group and click the 'View Template' button.



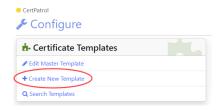
Note: The product group template page will appear. This template is identical to the customer template, with the exception that CoA Recipients do not apply at this level.

b. See the previous "Create New Customer Template" section for instructions to define the remainder of the product group template.

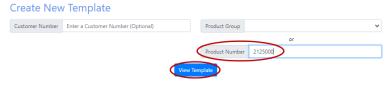
#### **Create New Product Template**

11. To create a new product template, click on the Create New Template hyperlink on the CertPatrol Configure page.





a. Enter the desired product number and click the 'View Template' button.



Note: The product template page will appear. This template is identical to the product group template, with the following exceptions:

- i. NEW If an external product name has been defined, then it is displayed in this UI and the external product name will be used on the CoA instead of the product name.
- ii. NEW If the product shelf life has been defined, then it is displayed in this UI. However, the shelf life is displayed on the CoA only if "Shelf Life" is chosen as "Display" in the display options.
- b. The product template introduces the ability to define an applicable Specification Version number and date. To define the product's Specification Version number and date, click on the 'Edit' button, enter the applicable information, and click on the 'Save' button.

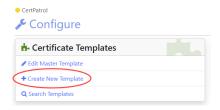


c. See the previous "Create New Customer Template" section for instructions to define the remainder of the product template.

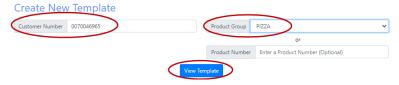
#### **Create New Customer/Product Group Template**

12. To create a new customer/product group template, click on the Create New Template hyperlink on the CertPatrol Configure page.





a. Enter the desired customer number, select the desired product group, and click 'View Template' button.

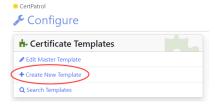


Note: The customer/product group template page will appear. This template is identical to the customer template, with the exception that the applicable product group information is displayed in the UI.

b. See the previous "Create New Customer Template" section for instructions to define the remainder of the customer/product group template.

### **Create New Customer/Product Template**

13. To create a customer/product-level template, To create a new customer/product group template, click on the Create New Template hyperlink on the CertPatrol Configure page.



a. Enter the desired customer number, enter the desired product number, and click 'View Template' button.



Note: The customer/product template page will appear. This template is a combination of the customer template and the product template.



b. See the previous "Create New Customer Template" section for instructions to define the remainder of the customer/product template.

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### **Chapter 8: Search Certificates**

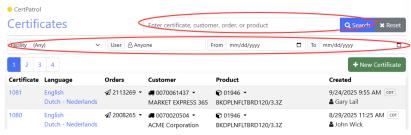
#### Search for a CoA

14. To view the certificates that have been created, click on the Certificates hyperlink on the PatrolSuite homepage.

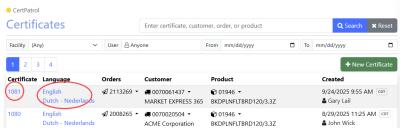


The Search Certificates page will open. This page contains hyperlinks to all saved certificates.

15. To find an existing certificate, enter the certificate number, or customer number, order number, or product number into the search cell and click on the 'Search' button. Alternatively, use the Facility, User, or date range filters and click on the 'Search' button.



- 16. To open a certificate's information page, click on the certificate number in the Certificate column.
- 17. To open a certificate, click on the desired language in the Language column.

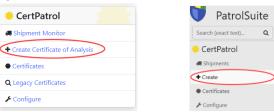




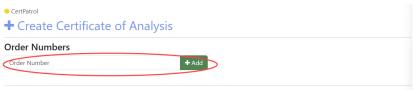
### **Chapter 9: Create a CoA**

#### Create a New CoA

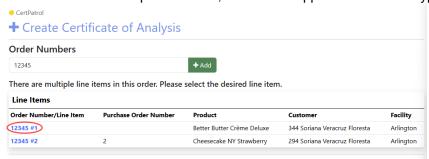
18. To create a new CoA, click on the "Create Certificate of Analysis" hyperlink on the PatrolSuite homepage. Or click on "+ Create" in the CertPatrol menu.



19. Enter the applicable order number (the manufacturing order or the outbound shipping order) and click the 'Add' button.



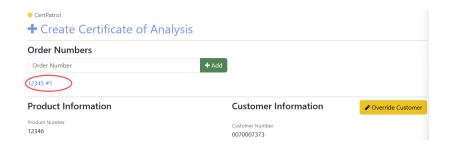
Note: If an order contains multiple line items, click on the applicable line item hyperlink.



The Create Certificate page will appear and the product and customer information are displayed.

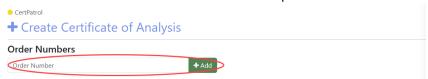
a. NEW To delete a line item, click on the line item number hyperlink.



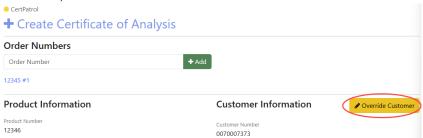


b. To add additional orders, enter the order number and click the 'Add' button.

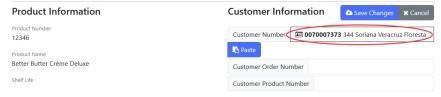
Note: The additional order numbers must be for the same product as the first order.



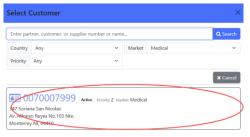
c. For a make-to-stock (MTS) manufacturing process where the actual customer is not known at the time of manufacture, the customer information might not be correct at the time the CoA is created. To change the customer, click on the 'Override Customer' button.



i. Click on the existing customer in the "Customer Number" field.

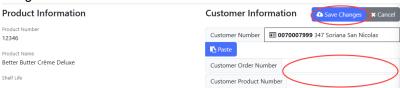


ii. Use the filters to locate the new customer and click on the customer card.





iii. Enter the Customer Order Number or Customer Product Number if applicable and click the 'Save Changes' button.



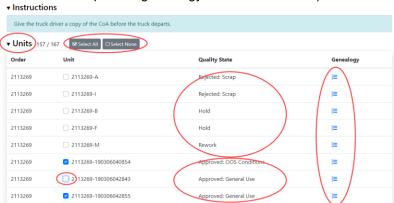
20. Click on the "Instructions" section label to view any additional instructions regarding creating the CoA and take action as appropriate. .



- 21. Click on the "Units" section label to view to view the units related to the order(s). Click the Unit checkboxes as desired to select/deselect units. The test results for checked units will be used to create the CoA. The test results for un-checked units will not be used to create the CoA.
  - Note: If the order number is an outbound shipping order and the ERP or MES is integrated with PatrolSuite to provide the units in the shipping order (i.e. the units that are being loaded onto the truck), then those units will be automatically selected.
  - Note: If there is not outbound shipping order integration, then the units in the applicable order(s) with an "Approved" quality state type are "selected" by default.

Note: Units that are **not in an approved quality state** type *can* be selected and placed onto a CoA.

Note: Click on the genealogy icon to see the genealogy of a desired unit (assumes that PatrolSuite is integrated with the ERP or MES to provide genealogy data to PatrolSuite).



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22. Click on the "Ad Hoc Verbiage" section label to expand the contents and to add text content onto the CoA.

Note: Ad hoc verbiage can be added to the CoA in two locations: Below the header or above the analysis results.

Note: If the CoA needs to be produced in multiple languages, then multiple sections will appear for the ad hoc verbiage. The user creating the CoA is responsible for translating any ad hoc text into non-native languages. MAP recommends using Google Translate for this task.



23. Click on the 'Preview Certificate' button to preview the CoA prior to creation.



Note: The certificate number is not assigned until the certificate is saved.

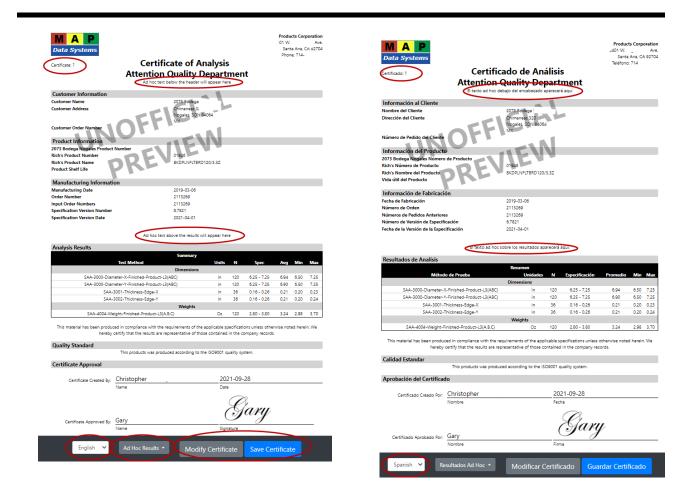
Note: The location of the ad hoc text which is shown in the image below.

Note: To preview the certificate in the required languages, click on the language dropdown in the menu bar at the bottom of the page and click on the desired language.

Note: To make additional changes to the certificate, click on the 'Modify Certificate' button.

a. To save the certificate, click on the 'Save Certificate' button





#### **Add Test Results**

Users in a PatrolSuite Role with the following permission can insert test methods, specifications, and corresponding results into a CoA.

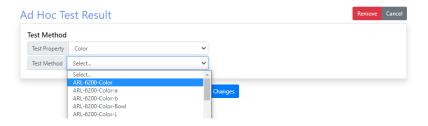


24. To add test results to the CoA, click on the 'Ad Hoc Results' button, then click on the 'New Result' button.

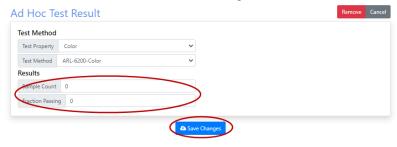


a. Select the Test Property, then select the desired Test Method.

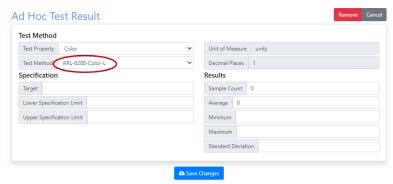




b. Enter the applicable results and click the 'Save Changes' button.



Note: The applicable results will change depending on the CoA Type and the data type of the chosen test method:



- 25. To cancel ad hoc results that have not yet been saved, click the 'Cancel' button.
- 26. To remove ad hoc results that have been previously saved, click the 'Remove' button.
- 27. To save the ad hoc results, click the 'Save Changes' button. The test results will appear in the CoA.
- 28. To edit the ad hoc test result, click on the 'Ad Hoc Results' button and then click on the desired ad hoc test method.





#### **MEW Hide Test Results**

Users in a PatrolSuite Role with the following permission can hide existing test methods, specifications, and corresponding results from appearing on a CoA.



29. To hide results that that are on a CoA that has not yet been saved, click the 'Hide Test Methods' button in the CoA preview footer.



a. Check the desired test method(s) and click the 'Save Changes' button.



Note: This affects the chosen CoA only. It does not change any settings in the applicable CoA template.

#### Save the Certificate

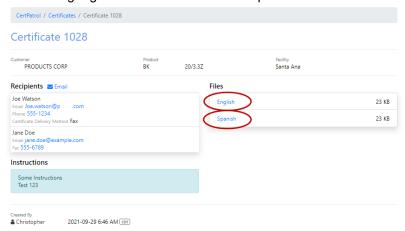
30. To save the certificate, click on the 'Save Certificate' button. The certificate will be saved as an HTML file within CertPatrol.



a. The certificate information page will be opened. This page displays the certificate number, the customer, product, facility, the CoA recipients and their contact information, any additional instructions, and the user who created the certificate.

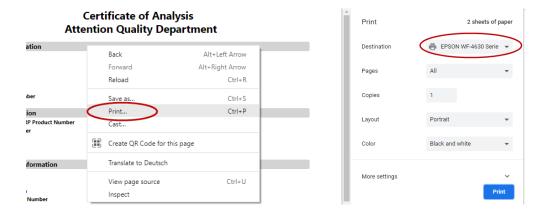


Note: The Files frame will contain a hyperlink to the certificate(s) created in the required language(s). Click on the desired language link in the File Frame to open the certificate.



#### **Print a Certificate**

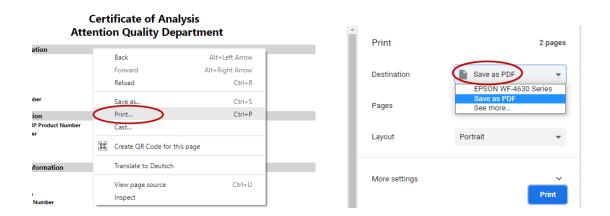
31. To print a certificate, open the desired certificate, right click on the certificate and select "Print...," select the desired printer, and click on the 'Print' button.



#### Save a Certificate as PDF

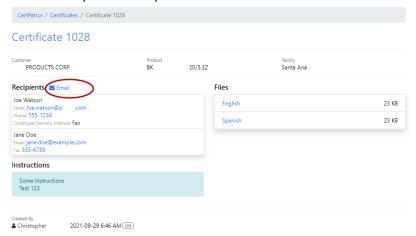
32. To save the certificate as a .pdf file, open the desired certificate, right click on the certificate and select "Print...," select Destination "Save as PDF," click on the 'Print' button, and choose the folder in which to save the PDF file.





#### **Email a Certificate**

- 33. To Email the saved PDF certificate to all of the Recipients, open the desired certificate's information page, and click on the 'Email' hyperlink on the Certificate Info page.
  - a. The user's email client will be opened with the recipient(s) pre-populated in the 'To' address. Attach the PDF file saved in the previous step and send the email.





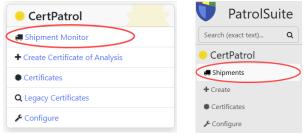
### **Chapter 10: Shipment Monitor**

#### **NEW** Integration

If PatrolSuite is integrated with the local ERP or MES to obtain outbound shipping order data, Shipment Monitor will list shopping orders that require a CoA and the orders for which a CoA has already been created. Contact MAP to obtain a quote for integration with the ERP or MES to obtain outbound shipping order data and activate Shipment Monitor.

### **Shipments without Certificates**

34. To open Shipment Monitor, click on the Shipment Monitor hyperlink on the CertPatrol card on the PatrolSuite homepage, or click "Shipments" on the CertPatrol navigation menu.



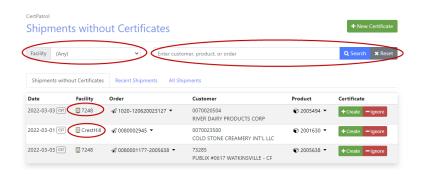
The **Shipments without Certificates** page will open. This page displays outbound shipments that require a certificate, but no certificate has been created.

a. Select a desired facility, and/or enter a desired customer, product, or order number and click on the 'Search' button to filter the list.

Note: The date of the most recent shipment appears at the top of the list. This date can be weeks or months into the future if the shipment is scheduled to be shipped in the future.

Note: That the facility name will be displayed if the facility has a PatrolSuite license and is accordingly defined within PatrolSuite. If a facility does not have a PatrolSuite license and is not defined within PatrolSuite, the then facility number (as passed to PatrolSuite via the integration with the ERP or MES) will be displayed (see the first and third line items with facility 7248 in the image below).

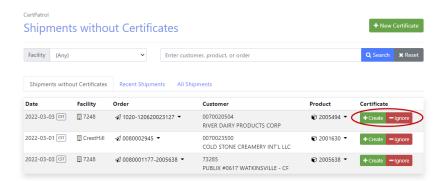




- 35. To create a certificate from Shipment Monitor, click the Create button.
- 36. If a certificate is not required, then click the Ignore button. Enter an explanation why the certificate is not required in the Comment field.

Note: Certificates are typically ignored for two reasons:

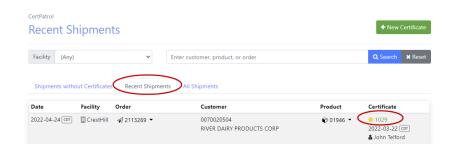
- i. The certificate was created outside of CertPatrol and was already sent to the customer.
- ii. The customer does not require a certificate for the applicable product. If a certificate is not required for this reason, then create a CoA template for the product/customer and set the "Is a certificate required for this template?" setting to 'No.' Otherwise, users will continue to be prompted to create certificates that are not required.



### **Recent Shipments**

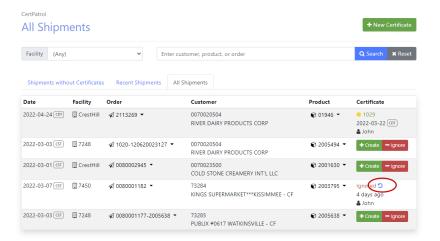
- 37. To view shipments that have created within the last 24 hours (or as otherwise defined by the system administrator), click on the Recent Shipments tab.
  - a. Click on the certificate number to view the corresponding certificate.





### **All Shipments**

- 38. To view all shipments, click on the All Shipments tab. The purpose of this page is to enable a user to locate a shipment more than 24 hours ago that was incorrectly ignored.
  - a. Click on the un-ignore icon to enable a certificate to be created.





### **Chapter 11: Legacy Certificates**

### Integration

The Legacy Certificates feature enables customers who created CoAs using QDMS (the predecessor to PatrolSuite) to access those certificates. Contact MAP if you would like a quote to access legacy certificates from PatrolSuite.