

The following table sets out the main responsibilities of distributors and wholesalers under the TPD traceability system. Please note, however, that this is not exhaustive and the [Implementing Regulation \(EU\) 2018/574 \(IR\)](#) and its accompanying annexes should be consulted for further details.

Distributors' and wholesalers' responsibilities
<u>Identifier codes</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none">- Request an economic operator identifier code (Art. 14 IR)- Request a facility identifier code (Art. 16 IR)
<u>Type of aggregated level Unique Identifier (if applicable)</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none">- Decision to request aggregated level UIs from ID issuer or self-generate in accordance with relevant ISO standards (Art. 10 IR)- If requesting from ID issuer: introduce request (Art. 13 IR).- If generating directly: generate UIs in accordance with relevant ISO standards (Art. 10 IR)
<u>Apply aggregated level Unique Identifier to bundles of packs (if applicable)</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none">- Marking of aggregated bundles or master cases of packets with UIs (Art. 10 IR); for UIs issued by ID issuers: adding a timestamp (Art. 11.3 IR)
Data carriers (if applicable) <ul style="list-style-type: none">- Encoding of aggregated level UIs (Art. 21 IR)- Ensure quality of optical barcodes (Art. 22 IR)- Inclusion of human-readable code into each data carrier (Art. 23 IR)
Acquire and install equipment <ul style="list-style-type: none">- Source and install the equipment needed to read and transmit recorded data to the repositories system
Recording and transmitting of information <ul style="list-style-type: none">- Scanning, recording and transmission of information on product movements to the router (Art. 32 IR) within the permitted time frames (Art. 34 IR)- Recording and transmission of transactional information to the router (Art. 33 IR) within the permitted time frames (Art. 34 IR)