REGISTER OF EQUIPMENT & GEAR
This register includes a non-exhaustive list of the equipment and gear, approved by the Stewards of France Galop.

However, any equipment or gear, not listed in this document and which the trainer would like to equip his horse with for the race, must be subject of a written and reasoned request to the Stewards of France Galop, accompanied by descriptive photos of the device*

This request must be sent to the secretary of Stewards (secretcom@france-galop.com) at least 48h before declare to run.

*If the request has not been made and studied by the Stewards of France Galop, trainer will not be allowed to equip the horse with said device
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APPROVED EQUIPMENTS SUBJECT TO DECLARATION
BLINKERS & SHEEPSKIN CHEEK PIECES

Blinkers worn over a hood
The horse must wear sheepskin cheek pieces on both sides of the head to be allowed to run. Sheepskin cheek pieces must have the same size and be the same color. If that is not the case, they must be changed.
Bonnet anti-bruit noir ou marron et bonnet anti-bruit « pacifier »

Fringed noseband with the part of the ears covered by an anti-noise cap.

The hood must be black or brown in color and the fringes must be above the nostrils in order to avoid any dispute during a photo finish.
Tongue-tie
APPROVED EQUIPMENT
SUBJECT TO THE AUTHORIZATION
OF THE STEWARDS OF RACES
The trainer must provide the rug with dual straps that attach to the stall.

Hood with eyeshields.
Muserolle à franges. Ce dispositif doit être placé **au-dessus** des naseaux afin d'éviter toute contestation ou litige lors d’une photographie d’arrivée.
Bit lifter
Ear plugs or cotton may be allowed:

- or with the wearing of the red hood during the presentation of the horse to the public but must obligatorily be removed behind the starting gates.

- or with the black or brown hood to take part in the race (under no circumstances may the earplugs be removed).
APPROVED EQUIPMENTS NOT SUBMITTED TO DECLARATION
Models of bits
NOSEBANDS

“spider” Noseband
Sheepskin noseband
Cheekers

Bit Lifter

Noseband
Rubber Rings

Rubber and brush pricker

Lasso

Bell boots
Orthopaedic shoes are also authorized
Ferrures orthopédiques également autorisées

Une seule épaisseur de bande de résine (maréchalerie) collée au sabot
Sole apparente, talons non recouverts
Clous brochés au travers de la paroi du sabot
PROHIBITED EQUIPMENT
Nasal Strips

V Straps
Blinkers with one Cowl

Show jumping blinkers
Cornell Collar

Cooling collar

This device is not permitted during racing operation at the racecourse
Hackamore

Pessoa bit

Gag Bit
Gag bit and fixed martingale  
Straight bit with tongue passage
Bit chain

Bit lifter double bar
Pelham bit with a curb chain

(Lugging Bit)

Triple bit
tongue pallet bit
Bit Lifter

Kyneton
Horseshoes with outgoing sponge

German martingale / Market Harborough
Fixed martingale

Running martingale

Nasal protection covering all or part of the nostrils
Elbow boots

Wearing this type of gear is not authorized in the parade ring, nor during the race.
Not allowed an elastic affixed at the end of the horse's nose, acting as a twisted nose

Anti-UV eyecup glasses
Orthosis shoe
Several layers of resin band not glued to the hoof
Nails broached in the resin and not in the wall of the hoof and where the sole is covered entirely by resin
(Decision of the Stewards of France Galop, September 13th, 2021)