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Responsible Jewellery Council

# Hilderbrand & Cie SA

CHAIN-OF-CUSTODY CERTIFICATION

## IS CHAIN-OF-CUSTODY (VERSION 2012) CERTIFIED BY THE Responsible Jewellery Council

**CERTIFICATION NUMBER: C0000 0073 CERTIFIED UNTIL: 03 JANUARY 2021** TYPES OF MATERIAL IN SCOPE: GOLD, PLATINUM, PALLADIUM AND/OR RHODIUM ELIGIBLE MATERIAL DECLARATIONS IN SCOPE: NONE

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# RJC CERTIFICATION INFORMATION CHAIN-OF-CUSTODY (2012 VERSION) Summary



CoC certified entity	Hilderbrand & Cie SA
Certification number	C0000 0073
Certification period	03 January 2018 – 03 January 2021
Audit date	14 September 2017
Audit type	First Certification
Surveillance audit completed	10 October 2018
Accredited auditor	Mazars SA Lead Auditor: Franck Paucod
Entity certification scope	Hilderbrand & Cie SA, Thônex, Switzerland - Manufacturing facility; Atomet SA, Chaux-de-Fonds, Switzerland - Manufacturing facility.
Types of material in scope	Gold,Platinum,Palladium and/or Rhodium
Eligible material declarations in scope	None

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Changes during the certification period	Not applicable.
Applicable provisions	CoC management: 1-3 Systems to confirm eligibility of material: Not applicable Issuing CoC documentation: 7-9, except 7 Conflict-sensitive sourcing: 10, except 10.4
Auditor statement of conformance	Based on the scope and findings of the audit, the sites visited and the available information provided by the member: The member has demonstrated a conformance level consistent with a 3 year certification period.
Confirmation	The auditors confirm that:   Image: Construct the information provided by the member is true and accurate to the best knowledge of the auditor(s) preparing this report.   Image: Construct the information provided by the member is true and accurate to the best knowledge of the auditor(s) preparing this report.   Image: Construct the information provided by the member is true and accurate to the best knowledge of the auditor(s) preparing this report.   Image: Construct the indings are based on verified objective evidence relevant to the time period for the assessment, traceable and unambiguous.   Image: Construct the indings are indicative of the stabilish confidence that the findings are indicative of the performance of the Member's defined certification scope.   Image: Construct the indice of the indice of the indice of the member's defined certification scope.   Image: Construct the indice of the member's defined certification scope.   Image: Construct the indice of the ind
Auditor signature	On file
RJC member which controls entity:	Hilderbrand & Cie SA

### Chain-of-Custody Certification

This certification is issued in accordance with RJC's Assessment Manual (2013 version). The standard, supporting documentation, and assessment manual, can be downloaded at: <u>www.responsiblejewellery.com/chain-of-custody-certification-2012/</u>

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