



CERTIFICATE

Issued to:

ORGANIZATION

Patterson Farm, Inc.

3060 Millbridge Rd. China Grove, North Carolina 28023, United States

OPERATION

Patterson Farms

3060 Millbridge Rd. China Grove, North Carolina 28023, United States

Operation type: PACKINGHOUSE

PRELIMINARY AUDIT SCORE:

99%

CERTIFICATE VALID FROM:

Aug 04, 2023 To Aug 03, 2024

FINAL AUDIT SCORE:

100%

WQS, LLC. certifies that this operation has complied with the applicable requirements of PrimusGFS Version 3.2

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Aug 04, 2023 To Aug 03, 2024

AUDIT TYPE:

Unannounced Audit

AUDIT EXECUTIVE SUMMARY:

Inspection of a facility packing and cooling tomatoes and squashes. Repack was also observed-into cartons and trays that are plastic wrapped. Tomatoes are dumped into a tank with recirculated water whose concentration of Free Chlorine, temperature of water vs. pulp temperature, and pH are closely monitored every hour. The tomato line is dedicated to all types of tomatoes. A second similar line is used for bell peppers and cucumbers, however, the temperature is not monitored in the dump tank. The third line is a repack line (observed).

Addendum(s) included in the audit:

Not Applicable

Product information for each product			
Product Group/Product Name	Observed Product	Seasonality	Country of destination for product
Tomatoes (Raw)	Observed on the day of audit	From: June To: October	United States
Bell Peppers (Raw)	Not observed but of a similar risk type to what was observed*	From: June To: October	United States



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Product information for each product

Product Group/Product Name	Observed Product	Seasonality	Country of destination for product
Cucumbers (Raw)	Not observed but of a similar risk type to what was observed*	From: June To: October	United States
Squashes	Observed on the day of audit	From: June To: October	United States
Eggplant/Aubergine	Not observed but of a similar risk type to what was observed*	From: June To: October	United States