

Draft Animals in Vegetable Production Areas at Harvest

Risk Assessment and Mitigation

Specific Area of Concern	Action Taken to Reduce Potential Hazard
Droppings in the production area may contaminate produce	<input type="checkbox"/> Draft animals are restricted to drive lanes or areas where harvest is complete. <input type="checkbox"/> Droppings on the drive lane are scraped to the center of the drive lane to prevent spreading contamination on the equipment wheels. <input type="checkbox"/> Draft animals wear diapers or bun bags during harvest. <input type="checkbox"/> Droppings are immediately cleaned up and carried out of the field and buried. <input type="checkbox"/> Droppings in the field are clearly marked with flags, and produce within 3 feet is not harvested. <input type="checkbox"/> Drive row area is harvested and placed to the side before entering with draft animals <input type="checkbox"/> Other (Specify)
Draft animals may spread contamination from their hoofs	<input type="checkbox"/> Hoofs are cleaned before entering production areas. <input type="checkbox"/> Draft animal pens are well bedded. <input type="checkbox"/> Other (Specify)
Draft animal handlers may spread contamination on footwear	<input type="checkbox"/> Footwear is changed after entering animal pens and before entering harvest and packing areas <input type="checkbox"/> Draft animal pens are well bedded. <input type="checkbox"/> Other (Specify)
Draft animal handlers may spread contamination on their hands. (except when driving)	<input type="checkbox"/> Draft animal handlers wash their hands with soap and water before handling produce, equipment, or packaging. <input type="checkbox"/> Other (Specify)
Other (Specify)	

Signature _____ Date _____

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