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CERTIFICATE

Issued to:

ORGANIZATION

Pacific Tomato Growers Ltd.

503 10th Street West Palmetto, Florida 34221, United States

OPERATION

Pacific Tomato Growers Round Tomato Facility

573 10th Street West Palmetto, Florida 34221, United States

Operation type: PACKINGHOUSE

PRELIMINARY AUDIT SCORE:

92%

CERTIFICATE VALID FROM:

Feb 15, 2017 To Feb 14, 2018

FINAL AUDIT SCORE:

96%

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AUDIT SCOPE:

Pacific Tomato Growers Round Tomato Facility is a 143,308 ft.² packinghouse, located in Palmetto, Florida, that receives, packs and ships roma and round tomatoes. Field grown tomatoes are received in the facility in 1000 lb. plastic bins and dumped in a recirculating wash tank and moved to a second wash tank, both treated with chlorine (target 150 – 200 ppm chlorine and ORP of 650 – 900 mV) and citric acid (pH 6.5 – 7.5). The temperature of the wash tanks are 10°F higher than the pulp temperature. Tomatoes cross a chlorine dioxide spray rinse, cross two grading lines and pass through two optical sorters for sizing and color. Tomatoes are packaged using automatic box fillers. With 120 workers, the packing season runs from mid-October to the first of June. The facility consists of the Packing Area, the Palletizing Area, the Shipping Area, the box-making mezzanine and ripening rooms. They contract with Steritech for their pest control program. They have a HACCP program but their hazard analysis determined that CCP's are not required for their operation.

PRODUCTS:

PRODUCT(S) OBSERVED DURING AUDIT

Tomatoes