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EGG SHELL AUDIT

SHELL EGG SANITATION PROGRAMS

USDA Graders Audit Criteria of Shell Egg Washing Equipment

| Shell Egg Washer | Satisfactory | Minor | Major | Critical |
|---|--------------|-------|-------|----------|
| Prewetting water temperature maintained at a minimum of 90°F. higher than the internal temperature of the eggs to be treated. | | | X | |
| Egg wash temperature maintained at a minimum of 90°F. and at least 20°F. higher than the internal temperature of the eggs to be washed. | | | | X |
| Steam and vapors generated from the washing operation continuously exhausted directly to the outside of the building. | | X | | |
| Wash water pH of >10 continuously maintained. | | | X | |
| Waste water from washers discharged directly to drain. | | | X | |
| Temperature of sanitizing spray equal to or warmer than the wash water. | | X | | |
| Sanitizer spray system functioning properly and concentration levels not less | | | | X |
| Washing, grading, and packaging equipment maintained in a clean and sanitary condition during processing operations. | | | X | |