American Humane Farm Program

American Humane Certified[™] Traceability Audit Tool for Certified Animal Products

AUDITOR:	AUDIT DATE(S):
	Audit Start Time:
	Audit End Time:
COMPANY NAME:	'
Audit Location:	Contact Name:
Address:	Email:
City:	Office #:
State:	Cell #:
Zip Code:	
Country:	
AUDITED PRODUCT	
Please specify the American Humane Certi goods included in the traceability audit.	fied™ species, animal product, and certified
Cage Free Laying Hen example:	
American Humane Certified [™] <u>Cage F</u>	Free Laying Hens
Animal Product <u>Cage Free Eggs</u>	
Certified Goods Shell Eggs	
Swine Production example:	
American Humane Certified [™] <u>Swine</u>	
Animal Product <u>Pork</u>	
Certified Goods <u>Bacon</u>	
American Humane Certified™	
Animal Product	
Certified Goods	

Mandatory AUDITED SITE		
	Farm Location Processing Facility Restaurant or Retailer Other	
Audit Site Name: Address: City: State: Zip Code: Country:		Contact Name: Email: Office #: Cell #:
ADDITIONAL AUD	OITED SITES IF NEEDED	
	Farm Location Processing Facility Restaurant or Retailer Other	
Audit Site Name: Address: City: State: Zip Code: Country:		Contact Name: Email: Office #: Cell #:

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Transpo	Transporter: Contact Name:							
Address:			Ema	il:				
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Date(s)	Company	Farm/ Site ID	Quantity of AHC	Quantity of Non- AHC	Total Quantity	Quantity of AHC	Quantity of Non- AHC	Total Quantity

Mandatory
List all brand names and private brands that the American Humane Certified [™] product will be packaged under:

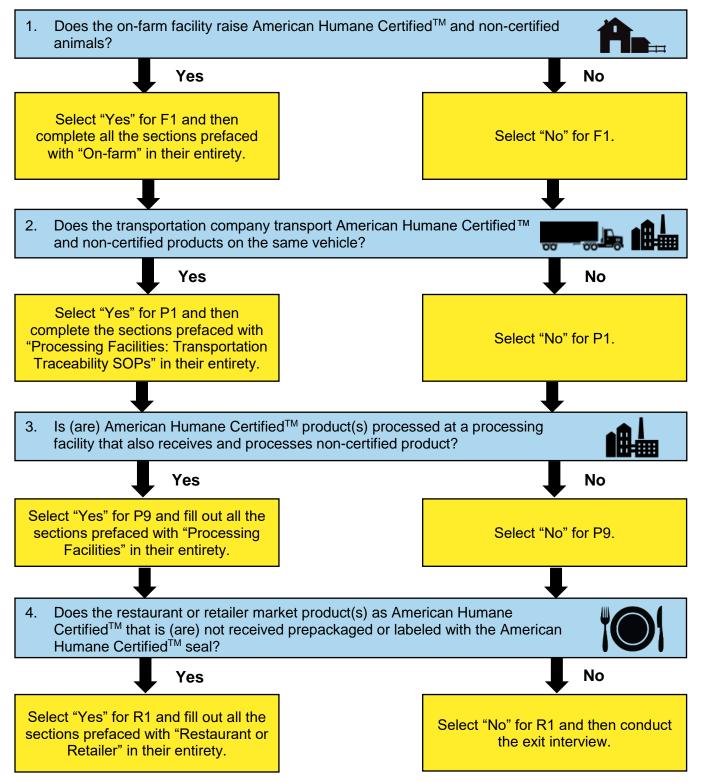
Audit Notes

- An entrance interview should be conducted to explain the audit process and establish
 which questions need to be answered. If possible, SOP review should be done prior to
 arriving at the facilities.
- All products bearing the American Humane CertifiedTM seal must come from American Humane CertifiedTM farms.
- Complete all sections that pertain to the site. Auditors should use the decision-making chart on the following page for clarification on which sections to complete for the audit.

Traceability Audit Decision Making Chart

Please use this chart to help decide which sections of the audit should be completed.







On-Farm: Traceability of Animals or Products

Note: Complete this section for traceability of animals or products at the on-farm facility ("farm") to verify that American Humane Certified TM and non-certified animals or products are maintained separately.

		Selection	Points
	Does the farm have non-certified animals in addition to American Humane Certified™ animals?		
F1	Note: If the farm has only American Humane Certified [™] animals so that commingling of animals or products is not possible, select "No" here and skip to the "Processing Facilities: Transportation Traceability SOPs" section on Pg. 9.	☐ Yes ☐ No	

On-Farm: Traceability Standard Operating Procedures (SOPs)

F2	Each farm must have at least one designated Traceability Officer (T.O.) identified in writing, who is responsible for ensuring the implementation of all traceability policies and for monitoring operations to assure the separation of American Humane Certified TM and non-certified animals or products. Who is the T.O.?	☐ Yes ☐ No Comment Mandatory	/25
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Standard Operating Procedures (SOPs)

Does the farm have a written, comprehensive document that contains SOPs for on-farm traceability of American Humane CertifiedTM and non-certified product that covers:

F3	The steps in place to ensure that American Humane Certified [™] and non-certified animals or products do not commingle on the farm?	☐ Yes ☐ No	/10
F4	The steps that are to be taken if American Humane Certified TM and non-certified animals or products were to be commingled?	☐ Yes ☐ No	/10
F5	In the event of commingling, are there corrective action plans that will be provided to all employees to help ensure that further commingling does not occur?	☐ Yes ☐ No	/10
F6	Does the farm state in a written SOP that the Transportation Company, Processing Facility, and American Humane must be notified within 48 hours if any shipped animals or products have been commingled?	☐ Yes ☐ No	/25



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On-Farm: Shipment from the Farm

Does the farm have a written, comprehensive document that contains SOPs for the preparation of shipment of American Humane CertifiedTM and non-certified animals or products that covers:

F8	The steps in place to ensure that American Humane Certified™ and non-certified animals or products do not commingle while preparing for shipment?	☐ Yes ☐ No	/10
F9	In the event of commingling, are there corrective action plans that will be provided to all employees to help ensure that further commingling does not occur?	☐ Yes ☐ No	/10

On-Farm: Production Records

F10	Do the records indicate that the number of animals or products on the farm is consistent with the quantity of animals or products shipped from the American Humane Certified TM farm? Note: Select the previous flock or herd records and verify that the number of animals placed minus mortality is consistent with the quantity of animals or products shipped.	☐ Yes ☐ No	/25
F11	Do the records indicate that the farm is following the SOP's to ensure that commingling of American Humane Certified™ and non-certified animals or products does not occur?	☐ Yes ☐ No	/25
F12	Are all records: Current (within 1 year of the audit date)? Signed or initialed? Dated? Note: To receive credit, records must be current, signed or initialed, and dated.	☐ Yes ☐ No	/25



On-Farm: Employee Training Records

Does the farm maintain training records for employees responsible for preventing commingling of American Humane CertifiedTM and non-certified animals or products and does training cover:

F13	How to ensure American Humane Certified™ and noncertified animals or products are not commingled?	☐ Yes ☐ No	/10
F14	How to report unintentional commingling incidents to the T.O. at the farm?	☐ Yes ☐ No	/10
F15	Are all training records for product traceability: Current (within 1 year of the audit date)? Signed or initialed? Dated? Note: To receive credit, records must be current, signed or initialed, and dated.	☐ Yes ☐ No	/25

On-Farm: Observations of Animals or Products

F16	Are there separate areas for segregating American Humane Certified™ and non-certified animals or products? e.g. separate areas (racks, loads, tanks, pens, etc.) for American Humane Certified™ versus non-certified animals or products.	☐ Yes ☐ No	/25
F17	Please list the methods of separation and identification for American Humane Certified™ and non-certified animals or products. e.g. ear tags, pallet tags, tanks, load, etc. Separation Methods:	☐ Yes ☐ No Comment Mandatory	/25
F18	Does an observation or interview of an employee(s) indicate that they can clearly identify American Humane Certified™ and non-certified animals or products? What was observed or what did the employee(s) say?	☐ Yes ☐ No Comment Mandatory	/25



Processing Facilities: Transportation Traceability SOPs

Note: If transportation is provided by a contract company, separation of American Humane CertifiedTM and non-certified products during transportation to and from the processing facility must be validated through SOP's and/or Certificate of Conformance.

		Selection	Points
	Does the transportation company transport American Humane Certified TM and non-certified products on the same vehicle?		
P1	Note: If yes, continue with the "Transportation Traceability SOPs" section. If no, or if the shipped product bears the American Humane Certified™ seal, skip to the "Processing Facilities: Traceability of Products" section on Pg. 11.	☐ Yes ☐ No	

Standard Operating Procedures (SOPs)

Does the transportation company have written SOP's for product separation during transport that include:

P2	Who is responsible for the prevention of commingling American Humane Certified™ and non-certified products? What is their role?	☐ Yes ☐ No Comment Mandatory	/10
P3	The steps in place to ensure that American Humane Certified™ and non-certified products do not commingle?	☐ Yes ☐ No	/10
P4	In the event of commingling, are there corrective action plans that will be provided to all employees to help ensure that further commingling does not occur?	☐ Yes ☐ No	/10
P5	Does the transportation company have a written SOP that states that the Processing Facility and American Humane must be notified within 48 hours if any shipped animals or products have been commingled?	☐ Yes ☐ No	/25





Transportation Training RecordsDoes the transportation company maintain training records for employees responsible for preventing commingling of American Humane Certified™ and non-certified products and does training cover:

P6	How to ensure American Humane Certified [™] and non-certified products are not commingled?	☐ Yes ☐ No	/10
P7	How to report unintentional commingling incidents to the Traceability Officer (T.O.) at the processing facility?	☐ Yes ☐ No	/10
P8	Are all training records for transport employees: Current (within 1 year of audit date)? Signed or initialed? Dated? Note: To receive credit, records must be current, signed or initialed, and dated.	☐ Yes ☐ No	/25



Processing Facilities: Traceability of Products

Note: Complete this section for traceability of products at the processing facilities ("facility") to verify that American Humane Certified™ and non-certified products are maintained separately.

		Selection	Points
P9	Does the facility receive products from non-certified animals in addition to product from American Humane Certified™ animals? Note: If the facility only processes American Humane Certified™ products then select "No" here and skip to the "Restaurant or Retailer" section on Pg. 16.	☐ Yes ☐ No	

Processing Facilities: Traceability Standard Operating Procedures (SOPs)

P10	Each facility must have at least one designated Traceability Officer (T.O.) identified in writing, who is responsible for ensuring the implementation of all traceability policies and for monitoring operations to assure the separation of American Humane Certified™ and non-certified products during receiving and shipping.	☐ Yes ☐ No Comment Mandatory	/25
	Who is the T.O.?		

Standard Operating Procedures (SOPs)

Does the processing facility have written SOP's for product separation during <u>receiving</u> and <u>shipping</u> of American Humane CertifiedTM and non-certified products that includes:

P11	The steps in place to ensure that American Humane Certified TM and non-certified products do not commingle?	☐ Yes ☐ No	/10
P12	The steps that are to be taken if American Humane Certified TM and non-certified products were to be commingled?	☐ Yes ☐ No	/10
	Does the facility record product delivery?		
	e.g. Bill of Lading (BOL), delivery ticket, etc.	☐ Yes	
P13	Note: Check most recent delivery.	□ No Comment	/10
	Record lot number, date, and shipment quantities:	Mandatory	



Does the processing facility have written SOP's for product separation during <u>processing</u>, <u>packaging</u> and storing of American Humane Certified[™] and non-certified products that includes:

P14	The steps in place to ensure that American Humane Certified™ and non-certified products do not commingle during processing, packaging, and storing?	☐ Yes ☐ No	/10
P15	The steps taken to prevent mislabeling in the event American Humane Certified [™] and non-certified products are commingled?	☐ Yes ☐ No	/10
P16	In the event of commingling, are there corrective action plans that will be provided to all employees to help ensure that further commingling does not occur?	☐ Yes ☐ No	/10

Processing Facilities: Recall Process

Does the written recall plan include a process that covers the following:

P17	The batch number or identification included on the American Humane Certified [™] product for recall processes?	☐ Yes ☐ No	/10
P18	What to do in the event of mislabeling American Humane Certified [™] products?	☐ Yes ☐ No	/10
P19	Does the facility state in a written SOP that American Humane must be notified within 48 hours if any shipped products have been commingled?	☐ Yes ☐ No	/25

Processing Facilities: Employee Training Records

Does the processing facility maintain training records for employees responsible for preventing commingling of American Humane CertifiedTM and non-certified products and does training cover:

P20	How to ensure American Humane Certified [™] and non-certified products are not commingled?	☐ Yes ☐ No	/10
P21	Do the training records include product identification and recordkeeping?	☐ Yes ☐ No	/10
P22	How to report unintentional commingling incidents to the T.O. at the facility?	☐ Yes ☐ No	/10



P23	Are all training records: Current (within 1 year of the audit date)? Signed or initialed? Dated?	☐ Yes ☐ No	/25
	Note: To receive credit, records must be current, signed or initialed, <u>and</u> dated.		

Processing Facilities: Traceability Records

P24	Are there records for identification and traceability from the time the products are received and labeled?	☐ Yes ☐ No	/10
P25	Does the labeling process include tracking the American Humane Certified [™] products through packaging? Note: The American Humane Certified [™] logo counts for tracking and recall if needed.	☐ Yes ☐ No	/25
P26	Do records show that the quantity of American Humane Certified TM products purchased or received from the farm is consistent with the quantity of American Humane Certified TM products that was processed or labeled for delivery? Note: The production data table on Pg. 3 must be filled out to complete this question.	☐ Yes ☐ No	/50
P27	Are there records that indicate when the lines at the facility were cleaned out between non-certified and American Humane Certified™ product?	☐ Yes ☐ No	/10
P28	Do records indicate that the site is following the SOP's set by the facility to ensure that commingling of American Humane Certified TM and non-certified products does not occur?	☐ Yes ☐ No	/10
P29	Are the records current? Note: The facility must maintain records for 12 months to receive points.	☐ Yes ☐ No	/25



Processing Facilities: Interview and Observation

P30	After <u>interviewing</u> an employee(s), does the auditor feel that the employees can clearly identify and articulate the difference between American Humane Certified [™] and noncertified product? What did the employee(s) say?	☐ Yes ☐ No Comment Mandatory	/25
P31	Does an <u>observation</u> of employee(s) indicate that the separation process is being followed during <u>receiving and shipping</u> of American Humane Certified TM and non-certified product?	☐ Yes ☐ No	/25
P32	Does an <u>observation</u> of employee(s) indicate that the separation process is being followed during <u>processing</u> of American Humane Certified TM and non-certified product?	☐ Yes ☐ No	/25



Restaurant or Retailer: Traceability of Products

Note: Complete this section for traceability of products at a restaurant or retailer supplying American Humane CertifiedTM products. This section does not need to be filled out if a restaurant or retailer is receiving final packaged product with the American Humane CertifiedTM logo.

		Selection	Points
R1	Does the restaurant or retailer market product(s) as American Humane Certified™ that is (are) not received prepackaged or labeled with the American Humane Certified™ seal? Note: If the restaurant or retailer only markets American Humane Certified™ product that is received prepackaged or labeled, mark "No" for this section.	☐ Yes ☐ No	

Restaurant or Retailer: Traceability Records and Standard Operating Procedures (SOPs)

R2	Each restaurant or retailer must have at least one designated Traceability Officer (T.O.) identified in writing, who is responsible for ensuring the implementation of all traceability policies and for monitoring operations to assure non-certified product is not commingled with, mislabeled, or marketed as American Humane Certified TM product.	☐ Yes ☐ No Comment Mandatory	/25
	Who is the T.O.?	,	
R3-a	Does the transportation company transport American Humane Certified TM and non-certified products on the same vehicle?	☐ Yes ☐ No	
R3-b	If yes, how does the transportation company identify and maintain separation of American Humane Certified TM and non-certified products? Separation Methods:	Mandatory Comment if "Yes"	



R4	Does the transportation company provide documentation that identifies the quantity of American Humane Certified™ product purchased and received from the originating farm or facility? e.g. Bill of Lading (BOL) Type of documentation:	☐ Yes ☐ No Comment Mandatory	/10
R5	If American Humane Certified [™] products are not available, is there a written SOP that states what actions are taken to ensure that non-certified products are not labeled or marketed as American Humane Certified [™] ?	☐ Yes ☐ No	/25
R6	Does the restaurant or retailer maintain 12 months of delivery records of American Humane Certified [™] products purchased and received?	☐ Yes ☐ No	/10

Restaurant or Retailer: Traceability Records and SOPs

R7	Randomly select a delivery date where American Humane Certified TM product was received within the last 12 months. Is proper documentation maintained for products being received?	☐ Yes ☐ No	/25
R8	Is the quantity of American Humane Certified [™] products delivered consistent with records retained at the origination source?	☐ Yes ☐ No	/25

Exit Interview

To be signed at the end of the on-site audit:

Information in the completed Traceability Audit Tool and all supporting documentation is complete, correct, and has been verified by the auditor. Furthermore, you are acknowledging that the auditor has identified and explained all instances where an audit item has been scored as a non-conformance. You understand that within 10 days after the submission of the completed audit, a Corrective Action Plan must be submitted detailing the steps of continuous improvement which your company will implement in order to reach 100% compliance to all audit protocols.

Company Representative	Title	Date
Auditor		Date