

AB	Accreditation Body
ANSI	American National Standards Institute
ATP	Adenosine Triphosphate
BAP	Best Aquaculture Practices
BDP	Best Demonstrated Practice
BRC	British Retail Consortium
BSE	Bovine spongiform encephalopathy
CAP	Corrective Action Plan
CAR	Corrective Action Report
CB	Certification Body
CCP	Critical Control Points
CFIA	Canadian Food Inspection Agency
cGMP	Current Good Manufacturing Practices
CIP	Clean In Place
COA	Certificate of Analysis
COP	Clean Out of Place
EMP	Environmental Monitoring Program
FDA	Food and Drug Administration
FEFO	First Expired, First Out
FIFO	First In, First Out
FSEP	Food Safety Enhancement Program
FSIS	USDA's Food Safety and Inspection Service
FSMA	Food Safety Modernization Act
FSMS	Food Safety Management System
FSSC 22000	Food Safety System Certification
FSSP	Food Safety Service Providers
GAP	Good Agricultural Practices
GAP Analysis Consulting	To prepare for an audit
GAP Shed/Audit	Good Agricultural Practices Audit
GDP	Good Distribution Practices
GFSI	Global Food Safety Initiative
GLP	Good Laboratory Practices
GMO	Genetically Modified Organism
GMP	Good Manufacturing Practices
GRAS	Generally Recognized as Safe
GRMS	Global Red Meat Standard
HACCP	Hazard Analysis Critical Control Points
HC	Health Canada
IAFP	International Association for Food Production
IFS	International Featured Standards
IFT	Institute of Food Technologists
IPM	Integrated Pest Management
ISO	International Organization for Standardization
LCB	Licensed Certification Body

LDL	Last Delivery Location
LTL	Less Than Load
MRLs	Maximum Residue Levels
MSDS	Material Safety Data Sheet
NC	Non-Conformance
NOC	Notice of Compliance
PCP	Preventive Control Plan – A new regulatory requirement in Canada and US
PHAC	Public Health Agency Canada
PPE	Personal Protective Equipment
PRP	Prerequisite Program
QA	Quality Assurance
QC	Quality Control
QMP	Quality Management Program
RAP	Regulatory Action Plan
RCA	Root Cause Analysis
RDHI	Reference Database for Hazard Identification
RTE	Ready-to-Eat
SDS	Safety Data Sheet
SOP	Standard Operating Procedure
SQF	Safe Quality Food
SQFI	Safe Quality Food Institute
SSOP	Sanitation Standard Operating Procedure
TDS	Technical Data Sheet
USDA	United States Department of Agriculture
WHMIS	Workplace Hazardous Materials Information System
WIP	Work In Progress