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OUR SERVICES			
NAME	SCOPE	DESCRIPTION	NOTES
1. GLOBALG.A.P IFA	Integrated Farm Assurance (IFA) Standard; Option 1 : single and multi site.	GFSI farm/grower labor, and environmental; handling optional	National and Internationally recognized.
2. GLOBALG.A.P. HPSS	Harmonized Produce Safety Standard (HPSS). Option 1: single and multi site	GFSI farm/grower; handling optional	National and Internationally recognized.
3. GLOBALG.A.P. PHA	Produce Handling Assurance	GFSI Handling	National and Internationally recognized.
4. localg.a.p.	localg.a.p. Primary Farm Assurance	farm/grower; handling optional	National recognized.
5. Ad-Ons for IFA	FSMA PSR, GRASP		Compliment IFA audits.
6. SQF Fundamentals Basic Program	Primary Production and Food Manufacturing focusing on Regulatory Compliance, GAP, and GMP Practices.	Small to medium suppliers path to GFSI SQF Food Safety & Quality Certifications	Based on the Global Market Program - Not GFSI benchmarked
7. SQF Fundamentals Intermediate Program	Basic Fundamentals Program PLUS Food Safety Management Systems	Primary Production and Food Manufacturing path to GFSI SQF Food Safety & Quality Certifications	Based on the Global Market Program - Not GFSI benchmarked



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8. SQF Food Safety Code	Primary Production Food Manufacturing Storage & Distributions Food Packaging	Meets the needs for all suppliers with an emphasis on the systematic application to HACCP. Supplies local and global food market.	Nationally & Internationally recognized system - GFSI Benchmarked
9. SQF Quality Code	Primary Production Food Manufacturing Storage & Distributions Food Packaging	A program for sites to go above and beyond food safety. Suited for sites who have an implemented SQF Food Safety Plan.	Can be implemented in tandem with the SQF Food Safety Code. - GFSI benchmarked.
10. Primus GMP	Good manufacturing practices audit for all processing and packaging operations.	All applications.	National and Internationally recognized.
11. Primus Standard GAP/GMP	Good agricultural practices audit for all farming, growing and harvesting operations.	All applications.	National and Internationally recognized.
12. Harmonized Pre-Gate Audit	Good agricultural practices audit for all farming, growing and harvesting operations.	All applications.	Complements all operations. Often referred to as the USDA Harmonized Audit. Nationally recognized.
13. Harmonized Post-Gate Audit	Good manufacturing practices audit for all processing and packaging operations. May be used in many diverse processing and manufacturing scenarios.	All applications.	Complements all operations. Often referred to as the USDA Harmonized Audit. Nationally recognized.
14. OPMA (Ohio Produce Market-ing Audit)	Good agricultural practices audit for all farming, growing and harvesting operations.	All applications.	Ohio agriculture only. Nationally recognized.



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15. Supplier Audits	GMP, GAP, HACCP, HARCP, and many other audits.	All application. May be used to verify certifications, farming information and recall/traceback scenarios.	Both Internationally and National Operations based.
16. FSVP	GMP, GAP, HACCP, HARPC and many other audits.	Completely compliant with FDA FSMA program.	Both Internationally and National Operations based.
17. Authenticity and Food Fraud Inspections	Supports all food supply chain activities.	All applications. Completely compliant with GFSI schemes.	Both Internationally and National Operations based.
18. Addendum: PCR GMO, Gluten and Organic Testing.	Validation of product, contents of containers and labels.	Evaluation of Authenticity and Food Fraud.	Not scored but used to determine validity of food under question.
19. Primus Sustainability Audit	Supports all food supply chain activities.	All applications. Complements compliant with all GFSI schemes.	Both International and National operations based.
20. HACCP Audits	Supports all food supply chain activities.	All applications.	Complements all operations. Nationally recognized.
21. Cannabis GAP Audit	Good agricultural practices audit for all farming, growing and harvesting operations.	All applications.	Both Internationally and National operations based.



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22. Cannabis GMP Audit	Good Manufacturing	All applications. Completely compliant with all GFSI schemes.	Both International and National operations based.
23. HACCP Audits	Supports all food supply chain activities.	All applications	Complements all operations. Nationally Recognized
24. Cannabis GAP	Good agricultural practices audit for all farming, growing and harvesting operations.	All applications	Both Internationally and National operations based.

Social Audit (Complements #1, #2, #10, #12 above.)

We also offer our Social Management and Welfare Audit (Social Audit) for all applications which may be performed as an addendum to all our offered programs. These audits are National and Internationally recognized.

Note 1: Training on these audit processes please consult Ceres University at ceres.university

Note2: Not all auditors can inspect the above operations and in certain situations not all audits may be combined.

Note3: All auditors are hand-selected for each certification audit and commodity.

Note4: Auditors who have consulted to the same client cannot audit that client for three years.

Note5: Cost efficiencies are provided when audits are combined.

Note 6: GFSI auditors may only audit one account 3 periods consequently before a one-year time out period must be conducted.



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