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Production and Processing Categories Tables

- Production and processing categories are used to aid in the registration of a Risk Management Programme or Amendment to a RMP as
 required under sections 20 and 25 of the Animal Products Act 1999 (APA) and for the purposes of review and/or update as required under
 section 26 of the APA.
- These tables are to be used in conjunction with either an AP4 (registration of a risk management programme), AP6 (registration of amendment to a risk management programme) or an AP50 (notification of update to a risk management programme).
- Production and Processing Categories are held on file by MPI and are reported to the web register for the purposes of publishing the scope of the RMP.
- Any changes to the production or processing categories registered with MPI may result in a significant amendment to the RMP (refer RMP Manual Appendix G). As a result when completing this document care should be taken to ensure that it is completed as accurately as possible.

1. RMP	Identification
Provide the R	MP identifier to which these tables relate.
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RMP ID	
Unique Locat	tion Identifier (ULI)
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2. Full L	∟egal Name
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4. Guide to Production and Processing Categories Tables

There are 7 tables within this document.

- Table 1: Primary production*
- Table 2: Primary processing for human consumption (including horticultural produce)
- Table 3: Secondary processing for human consumption (including non-animal product foods)
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- Table 5: Secondary processing for animal consumption
- Table 6: Secondary processing not for human or animal consumption
- Table 7: Categories of processing for dairy processors

You only have to complete the tables relevant to your operation. For example, if you only produce canned pet food, you only need to complete table 5 (secondary processing for animal consumption). Additional explanation including rules explaining what activities are included in each processing category is given in the Appendix at the end of this form.

Instructions

Tick the appropriate process categories and the type(s) of animal material and animal product to which your operation applies. If submitting electronically please select by changing the font in the relevant table cell to **Bold Italics**.

Fither

- record all the categories and type(s) that relate to the RMP at the time of applying for initial registration, or
- for amendments/updates record any additions and or deletions that have been made to the categories and/or type(s). These should be clearly distinguished from categories under your initial registration.

Note: Refer to Appendix G of the RMP Manual for information as to whether an addition is a significant amendment or notification. If determined not a significant amendment you must notify MPI (approvals, production and processing) of the change in writing.

(The colour coding is for internal MPI use.)

* RMPs for primary production is currently only in relation to chicken producers. Contact approvals@mpi.govt.nz if you wish to register an RMP for any other area of primary production.

Table 1: Primary Production									
Production Category	Animal material								
Chicken Producers	Breeder chickens	Broiler (meat) chickens	Day-old chicks						
	Fertile eggs	Layer chickens	Rearer laying chickens						

Table 2: P	rimary Proc	essing f	or Huma	an Co	nsump	tion										
Process C	ategory	Anima	l materi	al or	produc	t										
Mammals		1														
Slaughter	Dressing	Alpacas	/Llamas													
J		Bobby c	alves													
		Cattle		Wild	cattle								Farmed gone feral cattle			
		Wild Cha	amois	Gam	e estate c	hamois							<u> </u>		<u> </u>	
		Farmed	deer	Wild	deer				Gam	ne est	ate deer		Farm	ned g	one fera	al deer
		Farmed	goats	Wild	goats				Gam	ne est	ate goats	3	-		one fera	
		Wild Har	_													
		Horses (includes m	nules, d	donkeys &	hinnies)			Wild	horse	es					
			s and emu													
		Farmed	pigs	Wild	pigs				Gam	ne est	ate pigs		Farm	ned g	one fera	al pigs
		Wild pos	_													
		Farmed	rabbits						Wild	rabbi	ts					
		Sheep		Wild	sheep			Gam	e esta	ate sh	пеер		Farm	ned g	one fera	al sheep
		Wild tah	r	I			Game						1	J		·
		Wild wal	labies				Game	estat	te wa	llabie	s					
		Game es	state water	buffalo	oes		Water	buffa	aloes/	Bison	/Cattle h	ybrids				
Birds		1										,				
Slaughter	Dressing	Ducks	Geese	Pho	easant	Quail	Chick	ens		Lave	r hens	Guine	ea Fow	1	Turke	V
Dressing		Wild duc	ks		Wild g	eese					d birds (ground-l	living)			,
	efer to Appendix			al for ir			ther an a	additio	on is		•			otific	cation	
Live		Fish		l	ned Fish	d Fish Sea cucumber / echinoderms					uscan Sh		1	tacea		udes rock
		Paua		Farm					astrop aua)	pods	(other th	an	Eels			
Whole		Fish	Farmed Fish	Squid Ceph	d / nalopods		cumber oderms		rustad		(include	s rock	Eels			
Heading/ Fille	eting	Fish		•				Fa	armed	d Fish	1					
Gutting		Fish				ucumber / oderms		Fa	armed	d Fish	1		Eels			
Washing		Fish						Fa	armed	d Fish	1					
Tubing		Squid / 0	Cephalopo	ds					Sea	cucun	nber / ec	hinoderr	ms			
Shucking		Bivalve I Shellfish	Molluscan	Pa	aua		Farmed	d Pau	ıa		Gastrop than Pa	oods (oth iua)	ner	Kin	а	
Tailing		Crustace	eans (inclu	des roc	ck lobsters	s)										
Heat Shockin	g	Bivalve I Shellfish	Molluscan		Paua			Fa	armed	d Pau	а		Gast Paua		ds (othe	r than
Wet Storage		Bivalve I Shellfish	Molluscan		Paua			Fa	armed	d Pau	а		Gast Paua		ds (othe	r than
Depuration		Bivalve I Shellfish	Molluscan		Paua			Fa	arme	d Pau	а		Gast Paua		ds (othe	r than
Miscellaneo	us															
Harvesting		Eggs														
Candling																
Packing																
Drying		Deer vel	vet													
Slicing																
Grinding																
Incubation		Balut							Peno	у						
Growing/pacl	king	Horticult	ural produ	ce												

Table 3: Secondary Proce	essing for l	Hum	an Co	ons	umpt	ion											
Process Category	Animal mat	erial	or proc	luct													
Acidification	Red meat		Poultr	y	Fish			ВМ	S	Hides	s & s	kins		Eggs	3	No	n-AP
Aseptic packaging	Red meat	Р	oultry		Fis	h		BMS	F	Paua		Bee Produc	ts	Eggs	3	Non	-AP
Blending / Mixing	Red meat	Pou	ultry	F	ish	BMS	Eg	Eggs Gelatine Bee Deer Products Velvet				Non-AP					
Boning / Cutting	Red meat		Po	oultr	у			Ostric	ch & E	mu	F	ish		BMS	;	Non-	AP
Collection	Red meat	Poul	try	Fis	sh	ВМ	S	Foe			Foe		Bees	wax		ides a efer ru	and skins ules)
Depot (including VDF)	Animal Prod	ucts	•			Bee	Pro	ducts					Non-	AP			
Drying / reduction of water	Red meat		Poultr	у	Bee F	Product	ts	Fish	n	BMS				Eggs	3	Non-	AP
activity		Bee enom		оро		Royal Jelly		Gelat	ine			Deer Vel	vet	Deer	Co-p	orodu	cts
Dual Operator Butchering	Animal Prod	ucts (refer ru	les)													
Export Loading Facility	Animal Prod	ucts				Bee	e Pro	ducts					Non-	AP			
Extraction	Red meat	Pou	ultry	F	ish	BN	/IS	Egg	gs	Hone	ey .	Gelat	ine	Prop	olis		Non-AP
Fermentation	Red meat		Po	oultr	у			Fish			Е	BMS		Eggs	3	Non-	AP
Food service	Animal Prod	ucts								Non-	AP						
Formulation	Red meat	Р	oultry		Bee Pro	e ducts		Fish	,		Velv	vet	BMS		Egg	gs	Non-AP
High pressure processing	Red meat	•	Р	oult	ry		F	ish				BMS		E	Eggs		Non-AP
Hydrolysis	Red meat		Р	oult	ry		F	Fish				BMS		Е	Eggs		Non-AP
In-container retorting	Red meat		Poultr	y	Fish			BM	S		Pa	ua		Eggs	3	Non	-AP
Labelling	Animal Prod	ucts								Non-	AP						
Melting	Beeswax																
Mobile Extraction	Honey																
Non-refrigerated storage (processes & receives external product)	Animal produ	ucts				Fats	oils/			Bee	Pro	ducts		Non-	AP		
Non-refrigerated storage (standalone)	Animal produ	ucts				Fats	/oils			Bee	Pro	ducts		Non-	AP		
Packing / Repacking	Animal produ	ucts				(Com	b Hone	еу					No	on-AF)	
Pharmaceutical / Biological processing	Red meat		Poultr	y	Bee F	Product	ts	Fish	n	BM	1S			Eggs	3	Non	-AP
Processing	Green Offals	3		F	Red Off	als		Sur	imi					Gree	n Ru	nners	
Pulping	Eggs																
Refining	Animal fat							Fish	n oil					Non-A	٩P		
Refrigerated storage (processes & receives external product)	Animal produ	ucts				Bee	Proc	ducts						Non-	AP		
Refrigerated storage (standalone)	Animal produ	ucts				Com	b Ho	oney		Bee	Pro	ducts		Non-	AP		
Refrigeration	Red meat	Ροι	ultry	F	ish	BMS	;				Egg	gs		Ро	ssum	าร	
	Co-products					Deer	· Vel	vet		Non-	-AP				imal (es)	produ	icts (refer
Rendering	Animal fat					Fish	oil							Gel b	oone		
Retail sale	Animal Prod	ucts			Bee F	roduct	S			Non-	AP						
Salting / Curing / Brining	Red meat		Casin	_		Poul	try	Fish	n	Eggs	;			BMS	5	Non-	AP
Size reduction	Red meat		Po	oultr	у			Fish			E	BMS		Eggs	3	Non-	AP
Smoking	Red meat		Po	oultr				Fish	ı			BMS		Eggs	3	Non-	AP
Supplement Manufacture	Red meat	Р	oultry		Fis	h		BMS		Eggs	,	Deer velvet		lee roduc		Non-	AP
Thermal processing (other than in-container retorting/UHT)	Red meat	Pou	ultry	F	ish	BN	/IS	Gel	atine	E	ggs	Bee Produ	ıcts	Velve	et		Non-AP
Transport	Red meat		Poultr	y	Bee F	Product	ts	Fish	n	BMS	3	Eggs		Non-	AP		imal products fer rules)

UHT	Red meat	Poultry	Fish	BMS	Paua	Eggs	Bee Products	Non-AP
Washing	Eggs							
Wrapping	Comb Honey							

Process Cat	tegory	Animal ma	terial or	product	t							
Mammals		-										
Slaughter	Dressing	Alpacas/Lla	amas									
		Bobby calv	es									
		Cattle		'	Wild cattle				Farn	ned go	ne feral cattle	
		Wild Cham	ois				Gam	ne esta	ate cha	amois		
		Farmed de	er	Wild	deer	Gam	ne esta	ate de	er	Farm	ed gone feral deer	
		Farmed go	ats	Wild	goats	Gam	ne esta	ate goa	ats	Farm	ed gone feral goats	
		Wild Hares										
		Horses (inc	ludes mu	ıles, don	keys & hinnies	s)	Wild	horses	3			
		Ostriches a	ınd emus									
		Farmed pig	IS .	Wild	pigs	Gam	ne esta	ate pig	s	Farm	ed gone feral pigs	
		Wild possu	ms									
		Farmed rab	bits			Wild	rabbit	ts				
		Sheep		١	Wild sheep				Farn	ned go	ne feral sheep	
		Wild thar				Game estate thar						
		Wild wallab	ies			Gam	ne esta	ate wa	llabies	;		
		Game esta	te water l	ouffaloes	3	Wate	er buff	aloes/	Bison	Cattle	hybrids	
Birds												
Slaughter	Dressing	Ducks	Quail	Geese	Wild gees	Э		Phea	asant		Wild ducks	
		Chickens	Layer	Hens	Guinea Fo	wl	Turk	ey		Wild	birds (ground-living)	
Miscellaneo	us											
Harvesting		Eggs										
Candling												
Packing												

Process Category	Animal ma	teria	l or p	rod	luct											
Product intended for:	Feeds		-													
(tick one or both boxes as appropriate)	Petfood															
Acidification	Red meat	Red meat Poultry Fish BMS Eggs														
Aseptic packaging	Red meat		BMS	BMS			cts	Pau			Eggs					
Blending / Mixing	Red meat			Bee	lucts	Е	ggs									
Boning / Cutting	Red meat Poultry Pos								sums Fish					BMS		
Collection	Red meat	ums		Fish			BMS	S			ee roducts					
	Foetal blood			Fo	etal tiss	ue		Offal		Hi	des and	skin	S	Eggs		
Depot (including VDF)	Animal Produc	cts							Bee	Produ	cts					
Drying / reduction of water activity	Red meat	Poultr	ry	Р	ossums	3	-ish	BMS Bee produ						Eggs		Deer /elvet
Extraction	Red meat	Poul	ltry		Possu	ms	F	ish		BMS		E	ggs	Bee pr	odu	cts
Formulation	Red meat		Poultr	у	Fish			BMS			Eggs		Bee	Product	s	
Hydrolysis	Red meat		Pou	Itry			Fish				BMS			Eggs		
In-container retorting	Red meat	Р	oultry		Possu	ms		Fish			BMS			Eg	ıgs	
Labelling	Animal Produc	cts														
Melting	Beeswax															
Mobile Extraction	Honey															
Non-refrigerated storage (processes & receives external product)	Animal Produc	cts						Fats/d	oils		Bee P	rodu	cts			
Non-refrigerated storage (standalone)	Animal Produc	cts						Fats/d	oils		Bee P	rodu	cts			
Packing / Repacking	Animal produc	ets														
Pharmaceutical/biological processing	Red meat	Р	oultry		Possu	ms		Fish BMS					Eg	ıgs		
Refining	Tallow							Fish o	oil							
Refrigerated storage (processes & receives external product)	Animal Produc	cts						Bee F	Product	S						
Refrigerated storage (standalone)	Animal Produc	cts						Bee F	Product	s						
Refrigeration	Red meat		Р	oultr	у			Poss	ums				Fish			
	Animal product	cts (ref	er B	ee P	roducts			Eggs					BM	IS		
Rendering	Meat and bone meal	Meat r	meal		ood and ne mea		ied ood	Fish r	neal		oultry eal	F	eath	er meal		Gel oone
	Tallow			Ch	icken fa	at		Fish o	oil				Cra	ackle		
Salting / Curing / Brining	Red meat	Р	oultry		Possu	ms		Fish			BMS			Eg	ıgs	
Size reduction	Red meat	Р	oultry		Possu	ms		Fish			BMS			Eg	ıgs	
Smoking	Red meat	Р	oultry		Possu	ms		Fish			BMS			Eg	ıgs	
Supplement Manufacture	Red meat Poultry Possums							Fish			BMS			Eg	ıgs	
Thermal processing (other than in-container retorting/UHT)	Red meat	•						Fish			BMS			Eg	ıgs	
Transport	Red meat	Р	oultry		Possu	ms		Fish		Egg	gs	Е	BMS	Anima product s (refe rules)	t	Bee Produc s
UHT	Red meat	Pou	ultry		Fish			BMS			Bee Produ	cts	Pau	ıa		Eggs

Table 6: Secondary Proce	Table 6: Secondary Processing not for Human or Animal Consumption									
Process Category	Animal material	nimal material or product								
Industrial use	Hides and Skins	Bees Wax	Wool/ Fibre	Tallow	Other Animal products					

PROCESSES	PRODUCTS (manufacture of)	
Farm Dairy	Anhydrous milk fat	
Collection of colostrum	Butter	
Collection of raw milk for pasteurised products	Casein	
Collection of raw milk for unpasteurised products	Caseinate	
Species of Milking Animal*	Colostrum products	
Buffalo	Complex lipids	
Cow	Cottage cheese	
Deer	Cream cheese	
Goat	Fat Blends	
Sheep	Fermented milk products	
*if you want to register a milking operation for an animal not on the list, please contact animal.products@mpi.govt.nz to discuss	 Firm and hard cheese (MSNF ≤60%)	
Manufacturing	Follow-on formula	
Acidification	Frozen cream	
Aseptic packaging	Frozen milk products	
Blending/mixing	Hydrolysates	
Collection	Infant formula	
Concentration	Lactose	
Drying/reduction of water activity	Milk and cream	
Encapsulation/tabletting	Milk and cream based formulations	
Evaporation	Milk powders	
Extraction	Milk proteins	
Filtration	Nutritional powders excl IF & FOF	
Formulation	Preserved milks	
High-pressure processing	Processed cheese	
Hydrolysis	Soft and semi soft cheese (MSNF >60%)	
In-container retorting	Specialty powders	
Labelling	Unpasteurised milk products - cheese	
Packing/repacking (product exposed)	Unpasteurised milk products – milk & cream	
Product Development	Whey products	
Refining		
Refrigeration		
Repacking (product not exposed)		
Salting/curing/brining		
	Intended Head Constitution	
Separation Single and tradition	Intended Use / Consumer	
Size reduction	Human consumption	
Smoking Supplement Manufacture	Animal consumption	
Supplement Manufacture	Sensitive population	
Thermal processing (other than in-container retorting/UHT)	Inedible	
UHT		
Storage	Transport	
Non-refrigerated (processes and receives external product)	Transfer station	
Non-refrigerated (stand-alone)	Transport of dairy material	
Refrigerated (processes and receives external product)	Transport of dairy product	
Refrigerated (stand-alone)	Depot (including VDF)	
•	Export Loading Facility	

Appendix: Rules and Guidance on Process Categories

Rules	
Principal category	Comment
Animal Products	When used in conjunction with Refrigeration, "Animal Products" applies only to standalone stores that blast chill or blast freeze a variety of animal products from an external source. When used in conjunction with Transport, "Animal Products" applies to transporters that transport a variety of animal products.
Bait	Is not included in a RMP. It is considered that this is not intended for human or animal consumption.
BMS	Means bivalve molluscan shellfish.
Bee Products	Includes honey, blended or formulated honey, propolis, pollen, beeswax, and venom unless otherwise stated.
Casings	Includes bungs.
Chicken Producer	A person who produces 1 or more of the following: breeder chickens, broiler (meat) chickens, day-old chicks, fertile eggs, layer chickens, rearer laying chickens.
Dairy	Separate table. Includes all dairy processing. Dairy categories have been aligned where possible (refer processing definitions)
Fish (primary processing)	Includes all seafood other than bivalve molluscan shellfish, squid, paua, crustaceans, eels, kina and sea cucumber / echinoderms
Fish (secondary processing)	Includes all seafood other than bivalve molluscan shellfish.
Hides and skins	Is limited to the collection where they are intended to be further processed for either human consumption e.g. for gelatine manufacture or animal consumption e.g. dog chews.
Horticultural produce	Includes (but is not limited to) fruit, vegetables, herbs, spices, nuts, cereal grains, seeds, fungi, and grasses
Ostrich and Emu (Secondary processing)	For secondary processing ostrich and emu are considered "Red Meat".
Non-AP	Means non-animal product foods, including fruits, vegetables, vegetable proteins, alcoholic and non-alcoholic beverages, nuts and seeds. See Schedules 1 and 2 of the Food Act 2014 for more information.
Packing (Primary)	Used where packing forms part of the primary process (e.g. packing of eggs).
Poultry	Includes chickens, ducks, geese, turkey, pheasant, quail and guinea fowl. Does not include layer hens.
Red meat	Includes except where provided for: meat, offal, blood, bone from the following species: Alpacas/Ilamas, bobby calves, cattle (including wild, game estate, farmed gone feral), wild chamois, deer (including wild, game estate, farmed gone feral), goats (including wild, game estate, farmed gone feral), wild hares, horses (including mules, donkeys, hinnies and wild horses), pigs (including wild, game estate, farmed gone feral), rabbits (including wild), sheep (including wild, game estate, farmed gone feral), wild thar, wild wallabies, water buffaloes, bison and cattle hybrids, ostrich and emu.
Wild birds (ground-living)	Ground-living birds are birds who do are capable of flying short distances, such as turkey, peacock, peafowl, quail, pheasan and guinea fowl. Does not include pigeons or flying birds.

Process Category G	uidance
Principal category	Includes (but not necessarily limited to unless stated)
Process operations/steps	for specific products
Dual operator butchering of animal products	This category is used for all dual operator butchers. The all activities undertaken within the RMP e.g. smoking must be separately identified.
Processing of green offal	Processing of green offal excluding runners that occur after collection and emptying and washing including cleaning, bleaching and cooking.
	Collection, which includes emptying and washing, is recorded separately.
Processing of green runners	Pulling, emptying, stripping and cleaning of green runners.
Growing/packing of horticultural produce	Growing, harvesting, sorting, grading, and minimal processing including (but not limited to) rinsing, trimming, shelling, and post-harvest treatments (for example, waxing, packing, storing, and transport)
Process operations appli	cable to various products
Acidification	Limited to the addition of acids e.g. marinating (where pH is sufficient to preserve the product otherwise marinating (flavouring) should be covered by formulation).
	Use for hides and skins in the manufacture of Gelatine for HC consumption. <u>Not</u> for tanning of Hides and Skins (refer table 6).
Aseptic packaging	Commercial sterilisation of shelf stable product for human or animal consumption involving aseptic packaging.
Blending / Mixing	Mixing animal products where the blended product remains the same or has the same characteristics. Mostly limited to powders and honey. Not to be used where mixing and blending is a standard part of processing (e.g. brining, drying or acidification).
Collection	Unless described here, collection does not include any further processing activities.
	Collection of red meat includes casings, glands, offal (red, green and Asian edibles), blood, petfood, pharmaceuticals etc. Offal collection includes emptying and washing where appropriate.
	In relation to:

	 blood, includes defribination, chilling, packaging or other function that prepares blood for transport off site for further processing;
	- foetal tissue, this includes placenta.
	Collection of dairy material is limited to the collection of milk from milking animals and collection of colostrum. Collection can be used in the context of an RMP primarily for HC and products are downgraded to AC. The term "collection is used against the downgraded product."
Cutting/Boning	Where not part of the primary process.
Concentration/Evaporation/	All processes intended to reduce water activity (a _w) including:
Drying / reduction of water activity	 mechanical processes, e.g. concentration, evaporation, intermediate moisture products, using all means e.g. freeze drying, oven drying, vacuum drying, spray drying etc. Examples of products are animal biscuits, dried powders and preserved milks (evaporated milk);
	- use of additives e.g. humectants.
Depot	Means a facility that is used to tranship (temporarily hold) relevant goods in the course of a journey and included a vehicle docking facility (VDF). VDFs may be used for the direct transfer of export eligible products from a vehicle(s) (donor) to another vehicle(s) (receiver) provided:
	 Both the donor vehicle(s) and the receiving vehicle (s) shall be present during the transfer operation, and The transfer of products shall occur as a continuous operation.
Export Loading Facility	Means a wharf or other facility from which sealed transportation units of relevant goods are loaded onto vessels or aircraft for export and includes associated facilities (e.g. container transit facilities, etc.)
Extraction	Boiling, centrifuging, chemical extraction, enzyme digestion, filtration and hydrolysis.
Food service	The preparation or manufacturing and serving of meals, snacks, or beverages for consumers' immediate consumption
Formulation	Addition of any other ingredients i.e. most further processors will have this activity, includes breading, coating, assembling, saucing, crumbing, and non-animal ingredient addition – a process that does not have a preservation effect. Where other animal products are added as ingredients only (i.e. are not subject to any other processes prior to mixing or blending) this can also be covered by formulation (e.g. the addition of purchased deer velvet or colostrum for addition to liquid honey or other animal products)
High-pressure processing	Subjecting liquid or solid foods, with or without packaging, to pressures of between 100 and 1000 MPa to inactivate pathogens and extend a product's shelf life. Also known as high hydrostatic pressure (HHP) and ultra high pressure processing (UHP)).
In container retorting/ Canning	Commercial sterilisation of shelf stable product for human or animal consumption includes cans, pouches etc.
Labelling	Limited to processes other than normal labelling at the end of the process e.g. product brought onto premises for the purpose of labelling and no other process takes place.
Mobile Extraction	In-field extraction of honey using transportable extraction units.
Non-refrigerated storage	Standalone stores only.
(standalone)	Should not be used where storage is just a standard part of processing.
Non-refrigerated storage (processes & receives external product)	Operations that process and accept product from other processors for storage e.g. a BPW that produces meat & bone meal as well as receiving and storing it from other premise(s).
Packing / Repacking	Limited to processes other than normal packing at the end of the process e.g. product brought onto premises for the purpose of repacking or replacing packaging and no other process takes place.
Pharmaceutical / biological	Limited to processing for use in pharmaceutical or biological products including extraction.
processing	The collection of animal product for subsequent processing is not included (e.g. collection of colostrum or foetal tissue).
Refining	All tallow processing following rendering e.g. deodorisation and fractionation.
Refrigerated storage	Standalone stores only that hold product received at preservation (chilled and/or frozen) temperature.
(standalone)	Should not be used where storage is just a standard part of processing.
	Actively chilling and/or freezing product (i.e. temperature reduction) is generally classified as refrigeration.
Refrigerated storage (processes & receives	Holding product at preservation (chilled and/or frozen) temperature. Product is processed on site as well as receiving and storing product from other premise(s).
external product)	Actively chilling and/or freezing product (i.e. temperature reduction) is generally classified as refrigeration.
Refrigeration	Any operation involving active chilling and/or freezing product with the equipment necessary to be able to undertake this operation.
	Note:
	- chilling and freezing are not identified separately;
	 the process of receipt of product below 7°C and reduction to chilled preservation temperature is not considered refrigeration.
	In the case of stores where product is also held at chilled and/or frozen temperatures "refrigerated storage" classification must also be used.

Rendering	Meals and tallows (for animal consumption).
	Animal fat, fish oil and gel bone (for human consumption)
Retail sale	The preparation, handling or manufacturing of food for direct retail sale to consumers
Size reduction	Dicing, mincing, milling and grinding.
Smoking	Limited to hot and cold smoking product in a smoke house.
	Note: addition of smoke flavours is covered by formulation.
Supplement Manufacture	Used for nutritional/ dietary supplement manufacture only, includes drying/water reduction, formulation, mixing and blending. Encapsulation and tabletting.
	To be used where any of the above processes are undertaken for the purposes of producing dietary supplements or material intended for use as a dietary supplement ingredient.
Thermal processing (other than in-container retorting/UHT)	Cooking and pasteurisation intended to reduce microbiological levels (specified kill) and subsequent cooling.
	Excludes in-container retorting, aseptic packaging and UHT.
	Does not include low heat treatment or heat treatment for technological effect e.g. flash frying.
Transport	Operators whose RMP covers transportation. Does not include transportation on fishing vessels.
UHT	Ultra High Temperature processing