



SAFE FEED/SAFE FOOD UPDATE

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Safe Feed/Safe Food Certification: Racing into the Next Decade!

What an exciting year it has been for Safe Feed/Safe Food! The number of FSC36 Safe Feed/Safe Food Certification Program certified facilities has increased 33 percent (224 in March 2015 vs. 299 in September 2015) since the guidance document for FSC36 was updated. Across the four certifications, there are 88 more facilities certified within the Safe Feed/Safe Food program than five months ago--a 25 percent increase!

NUMBER OF FACILITIES WITHIN EACH SAFE FEED/SAFE FOOD CERTIFICATION								
CERTIFICATIONS	MARCH 2015				SEPTEMBER 2015			
	US	Canada	Other	Total	US	Canada	Other	Total
F SC36 Safe Feed/Safe Food	214	10		224	288	11		299
F SC34 Manufacture of Animal Feed	12	2	5	19	15	2	7	24
F SC32 Manufacture of Pet Food	48	5	6	59	58	7	8	73
International Safe Feed/Safe Food	35			35	29			29
TOTAL:	309	17	11	337	390	20	15	425

There has never been a better time for facilities within the feed industry to seek a third-party quality and animal food safety certification with the implementation of the Food Safety Modernization Act. Here are four reasons why a facility should seek a third-party certification:

- Customers are requesting a certification to lower their quality and food safety risks;
- The facility wants to ensure specific quality and food safety expectations are met by driving continuous improvement within its own quality and food safety processes;
- Participation in a third-party certification program reduces liability risk and can result in lower insurance premiums; and
- The U.S. Food and Drug Administration has publicly stated that certified facilities will have fewer and shorter inspections as FDA has been using this program as a risk mitigation factor.

Safe Feed/Safe Food Certified Facility Listing Updated on Website

Check out the list of certified Safe Feed/Safe Food facilities [here](#).
The updated list includes:

- Facility name
- Location
- Website (if available)
- Expiration date

In March 2015, the American Feed Industry Association updated the FSC36 Safe Feed/Safe Food guidance document to improve the effectiveness of the program. With the final FSMA rule for animal food now available, AFIA is reviewing the guidance again to ensure it meets the new FSMA requirements. Look for more information on updates in the upcoming months.

Happy 10th Anniversary! This year--2015--represents the 10-year anniversary for Safe Feed/Safe Food certifications. Since 2005, 32 manufacturing facilities have continuously maintained at least one of the Safe Feed/Safe Food certifications. These facilities are considered "**Charter Members**" of the Safe Feed/Safe Food program. We greatly appreciate the dedication and commitment of these members to the AFIA quality and animal food safety program. Congratulations to these facilities for being quality and animal food safety leaders in the feed industry.

SAFE FEED/SAFE FOOD CHARTER MEMBERS <i>The following facilities have maintained Safe Feed/Safe Food certification since the program was created. Congratulations for 10 years of Safe Feed/Safe Food!</i>		
Supplier Name	City, State	Current Safe Feed/Safe Food Certification
Alltech, Inc.	Nicholasville, KY	International Safe Feed/Safe Food
Cargill/Provimi North America	Fremont, NE	International Safe Feed/Safe Food
Cargill/Provimi North America	Lewisburg, OH	International Safe Feed/Safe Food
Cargill/Provimi North America	Weatherford, TX	FSC36 Safe Feed/Safe Food
Church & Dwight Co., Inc.	Oskaloosa, IA	FSC36 Safe Feed/Safe Food
DarPro/Griffin Industries	Albertville, AL	FSC36 Safe Feed/Safe Food
DarPro/Griffin Industries	Butler, KY	FSC36 Safe Feed/Safe Food
DarPro/Griffin Industries	Doswell, VA	FSC36 Safe Feed/Safe Food
DarPro/Griffin Industries	Henderson, KY	FSC36 Safe Feed/Safe Food
DarPro/Griffin Industries	Honeybrook, PA	FSC36 Safe Feed/Safe Food
DarPro/Griffin Industries	Marshville, NC	FSC36 Safe Feed/Safe Food
DarPro/Griffin Industries	Watts, OK	FSC36 Safe Feed/Safe Food
International Nutrition, Inc.	Omaha, NE	FSC36 Safe Feed/Safe Food
Kalmbach Feeds, Inc.	Upper Sandusky, OH	FSC36 Safe Feed/Safe Food
Kenpal	Centralia, ON, Canada	FSC36 Safe Feed/Safe Food
Omega Protein, Inc.	Abbeville, LA	FSC36 Safe Feed/Safe Food
Omega Protein, Inc.	Moss Point, MS	FSC36 Safe Feed/Safe Food
Omega Protein, Inc.	Reedville, VA	FSC36 Safe Feed/Safe Food
PCS Phosphate Company, Inc.	Marseilles, IL	FSC36 Safe Feed/Safe Food
PCS Phosphate Company, Inc.	Weeping Water, NE	FSC36 Safe Feed/Safe Food
PCS Phosphate Company, Inc.	Joplin, MO	FSC36 Safe Feed/Safe Food
QualiTech, Inc.	Chaska, MN	FSC36 Safe Feed/Safe Food
Sanimax USA, Inc.	Green Bay, WI	FSC36 Safe Feed/Safe Food
Westway Feed Products LLC	Albany, NY	FSC36 Safe Feed/Safe Food
Westway Feed Products LLC	Baltimore, MD	FSC36 Safe Feed/Safe Food
Westway Feed Products LLC	Cincinnati, OH	FSC36 Safe Feed/Safe Food
Westway Feed Products LLC	Dimmit, TX	FSC36 Safe Feed/Safe Food
Westway Feed Products LLC	Hereford, TX	FSC36 Safe Feed/Safe Food
Westway Feed Products LLC	Houston, TX	FSC36 Safe Feed/Safe Food
Westway Feed Products LLC	Stockton, CA	FSC36 Safe Feed/Safe Food
Zinpro Corporation	North Branch, MN	FSC36 Safe Feed/Safe Food
Zinpro Corporation	Gamer, IA	FSC36 Safe Feed/Safe Food

Food Safety Certification Programs

Which program is right for me?



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