

## COSTCO APPROVED AUDIT COMPANIES

Costco requires that all audit companies rotate auditors, to eliminate an auditor in the same facility for more than 3 consecutive years. A 2-year break is preferred but a 1-year break is acceptable.

## CURRENT FOOD SAFETY/CERTIFICATION AUDIT COMPANIES

Costco will only accept audits or certifications from the following:

AIB International	AUS-Meat/AUS-QUAL
Bureau Veritas (All countries except U.S.)	WQS, LLC
Cert ID	DNV-GL
Eurofins	Eagle Food Registrations
Food Safety Net Services	Intertek
LRQA	NSF International (GFTC Included)
PMC	<b>Safe Food Certifications (formerly DFA Global)</b>
SGS	Mérieux (formerly Silliker/Randolph)
UL-STR	Validus
SCS Global Services	<b>SAI Global (accepted for audits in Canada only)</b>
<b>Control Union</b>	<b>Acerta</b>

## ANIMAL WELFARE AUDIT COMPANIES

American Humane  
AUS-Meat Limited  
Certified Humane (Humane Farm Animal Care)  
DQC - Dairy Quality Centers  
FSNS - Food Safety Net Services  
NSF - GFTC  
PMC  
DNV  
Mérieux (formerly Silliker/Randolph)  
Validus  
SPCA Canada – Canada Only  
Note: All U.S. animal welfare auditors must be PACCO certified