



HALAL WATCH WORLD



THE GLOBAL STANDARD IN HALAL CERTIFICATION



PRODUCT & FACILITY REPORT

TW Garner Foods Co

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COMPANY BACKGROUND

Halal Watch World LLC is a halal certification limited liability corporation based in the state of New York, and has operated in the certification industry since 1990. HWW is an organization that stands upon the trust of the Muslim public, and believes that it is imperative that their trust never be jeopardized. We maintain standards to the highest degree of scrutiny and perform regular audits for the protection of our constituents.

Halal Watch World understands that halal certification is a communal obligation (فرض كفاية), meaning, at least one person of the community must uphold it. If no one takes up this responsibility, the entire community bears a burden of sin. Therefore, we must be extra diligent with this effort. We realize the seriousness of the matter and understand the dire consequences of not filling this duty to the fullest capacity. God explains this to us in the Holy Quran by His statement:

“ And say not concerning that which your tongue says falsely: 'This is Halal and this is Haram,' so as to invent lies against Allah. Verily, those who invent lies against Allah will never prosper...A passing brief enjoyment (will be theirs), but they will have a painful torment.”

[Al Quran] 16:116-117

HWW ensures to the best of its ability a high level of authenticity is upheld. This allows them to gain the trust of the Muslim community, and garner strong relationships with companies who produce, process, and distribute halal products at all levels. By this, they are able to offer halal producing company's guidance and consultation on the direction of their processes and products, while ensuring that Islamic dietary standards are always maintained and monitored. Muslims can use this information in order to make well informed decisions about what they choose to eat.

Legal Filings: Halal Watch World holds registered trademark number 4728733, and Department of State (New York) number 4814343. Halal Watch World is also a registered halal certifying organization with The Department of Agriculture and Markets of New York State (See supporting documentation).

We begin in the name of God SWT



CERTIFICATION CONSIDERATIONS

There are 4 main factors taken into consideration when determining the halal status of a product:

1. Is the product/ingredient Halal Aslan (by default)?

If the product is Halal by default, then the location it is harvested, produced, or manufactured in, even if done so by a non-Muslim, is not necessary to inspect.

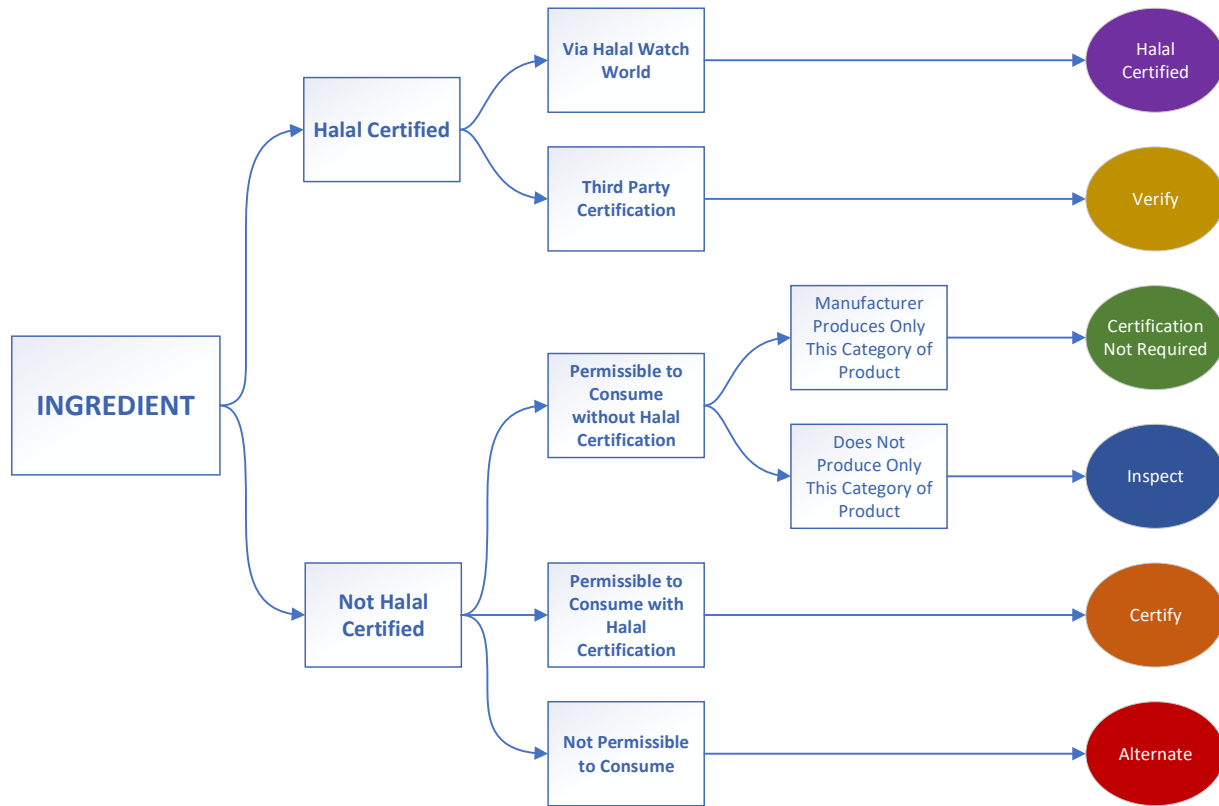
2. Is the product/ingredient Halal certified via another organization?

If another organization certifies the product as Halal, then it is incumbent upon us to perform a *tahqeeq* (verification) certification of the establishment. We must be able to ascertain that the certifying body is competent and capable of determining the status of such products. In the event that we are unable to gain this information, our organization must inspect the location of production before certifying.

3. Are there any impermissible ingredients being produced in the same facility?

As is the norm in Muslim minority societies, manufacturers produce both Halal and Non-Halal products in the same facilities. If other non-Halal items are produced in the same facility, an inspection may be required. In the event that an inspection is not possible, Halal Watch World reserves the right to utilize other forms of off-site audit procedures requiring documentation and the like in order to determine the facilities halal production capabilities. It is generally required for us to determine that the manufacturer prevents the following:

1. Product Contamination
2. Cleaning Method fulfils Islamic requirements
3. Separate storage locations between Halal and non-Halal products, or preventative measures are in place to remove the possibility of mislabelling
4. Halal certified label is visible either on the box or the product
5. Halal certificate from source meat supplier is valid



Regarding contamination, products cannot be cooked upon or within the same utensils without proper cleansing. This means that any liquid substance that interacts with non-halal products becomes contaminated. This includes oil, and other wet cooking surfaces. Thus, if a vat of oil is used to cook non-halal products (which is considered as filth), it cannot be used to cook Halal products without contaminating it.

4. Are there any contents in the product that contain impermissible ingredients?

We refer to the list of impermissible consumables on the previous pages. If the product under audit is found to contain any of the ingredients on the ban list, these products cannot be considered as halal.

Client Details: TW Garner Foods Co

FACILITY PROFILE

Texas Pete® is the hot sauce brand built for foodservice. Born out of one family’s desire to provide great-tasting sauces to the world, Texas Pete® today is one of America’s leading hot sauce brands.

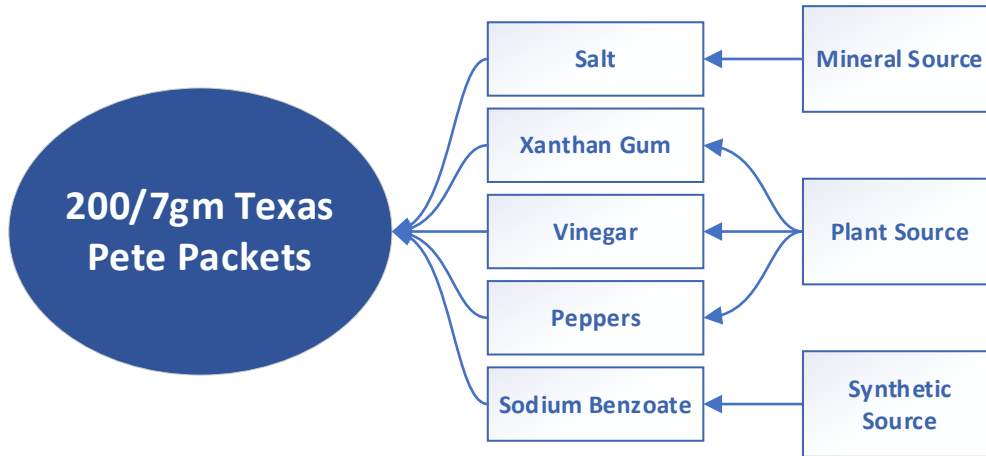
Client Details	
GENERAL INFORMATION	
Area of site:	80000
Number of employees:	90
Number of working shift:	2
Operating Hours:	7am - 5pm, 5pm - 3am
Work Days:	Monday to Thursday, deliveries done on fridays sometimes
Total Number of Products:	1
Total Number of Ingredients:	5
FACILITY OVERVIEW	
Risk Assessment	Low Risk
Facility Kind	HPF - Totality
Contaminants	No
Tools	Dedicated
Storage	Segregated
SUPPLIER OVERVIEW	
Supplier1:	
Supplier2:	
Supplier3:	
Supplier4:	
Supplier5:	
Supplier6:	
Supplier7:	
PRODUCT OVERVIEW	
Product Type:	Processed Consumables
Exposure:	Goods are opened in facility
Animal Byproducts:	No
Alcohol (Ethyl):	No
Fillers/Additives (Finished product:)	No

PRODUCT INFORMATION

Product name	Client product #	HWW Product ID	Ingredients List
200/7gm Texas Pete Packets	1.00003	MR1031-PC02	Peppers, Xanthan Gum, Sodium Benzoate, Natural Flavor, Sautéed Liquid Garlic, Vinegar, Salt
200/7gm Texas Pete Extended Life Packets	1.00350	MR1031-PC03	Peppers, Xanthan Gum, Sodium Benzoate, Natural Flavor, Sautéed Liquid Garlic, Vinegar, Salt
500/7gm Bojangles & Texas Pete Packet	1.00345	MR1031-PC04	Peppers, Xanthan Gum, Sodium Benzoate, Natural Flavor, Sautéed Liquid Garlic, Vinegar, Salt
500/7gm Texas Pete Packet	1.00347	MR1031-PC05	Peppers, Xanthan Gum, Sodium Benzoate, Natural Flavor, Sautéed Liquid Garlic, Vinegar, Salt
8/24 Pk-7gm Texas Pete Packets	1.00352	MR1031-PC06	Peppers, Xanthan Gum, Sodium Benzoate, Natural Flavor, Sautéed Liquid Garlic, Vinegar, Salt
200/7gm CHA! By Texas Pete Sriracha Packets	1.00523	MR1031-PC07	Red Jalapeno Mash B-2 Deseeded, Sugar, Garlic, Salt, Vinegar, Potassium Sorbate, Sodium Bisulfite
200/7 gm Sabor by Texas Pete Mexican Hot Sauce Packets	1.00643	MR1031-PC08	Texas Pete Sauteed Garlic Hot Sauce, Salt, Cumin, Arbol Chili Powder

PRODUCT PROFILE

200/7gm Texas Pete Packets



200/7gm Texas Pete Packets (1.00003)

A consumer favorite for more than 80 years, Texas Pete® Original Hot Sauce features a secret blend of specially selected peppers fermented to perfection to assure plenty of bold, spicy goodness. It adds epic flavor to just about anything, and with 340-740 Scoville heat units, it won't overpower food.

Ingredient Status

Salt: – **Halal** (Aslan) Salt is a mineral composed primarily of sodium chloride (NaCl), a chemical compound belonging to the larger class of salts.¹

Xanthan Gum: – **Halal** (Aslan) Xanthan gum is produced by the fermentation of glucose and sucrose.²

Pepper: – **Halal** (Aslan) Capsicum or pepper, a genus of flowering plants in the nightshade family Solanaceae.³

¹ <https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Salt>

² https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Xanthan_gum#Preparation

³ <https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Pepper>

Sodium Benzoate: – **Halal** (Aslan) Sodium benzoate is a substance which has the chemical formula C_6H_5COONa , with an E number of E211.⁴

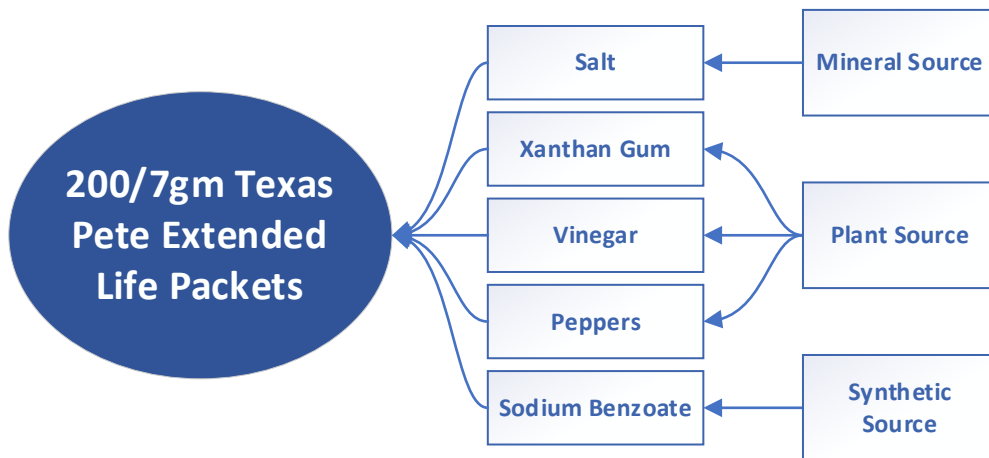
Vinegar: – **Halal** (Shartan) Vinegar is an aqueous solution of acetic acid and trace chemicals that may include flavorings. Vinegar typically contains 5–8% acetic acid by volume.⁵

Concerns – Vinegar can contain trace amounts of alcohol.

⁴ https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Sodium_benzoate

⁵ <https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Vinegar>

200/7gm Texas Pete Extended Life Packets



200/7gm Texas Pete Extended Life Packets (1.00350)

A consumer favorite for more than 80 years, Texas Pete® Original Hot Sauce features a secret blend of specially selected peppers fermented to perfection to assure plenty of bold, spicy goodness. It adds epic flavor to just about anything, and with 340-740 Scoville heat units, it won't overpower food.

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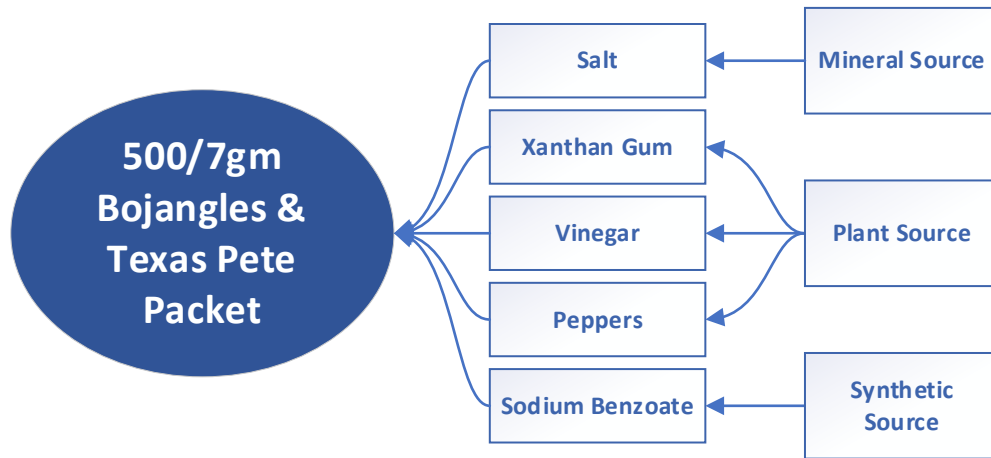
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500/7gm Bojangles & Texas Pete Packet



500/7gm Bojangles & Texas Pete Packet (1.00345)

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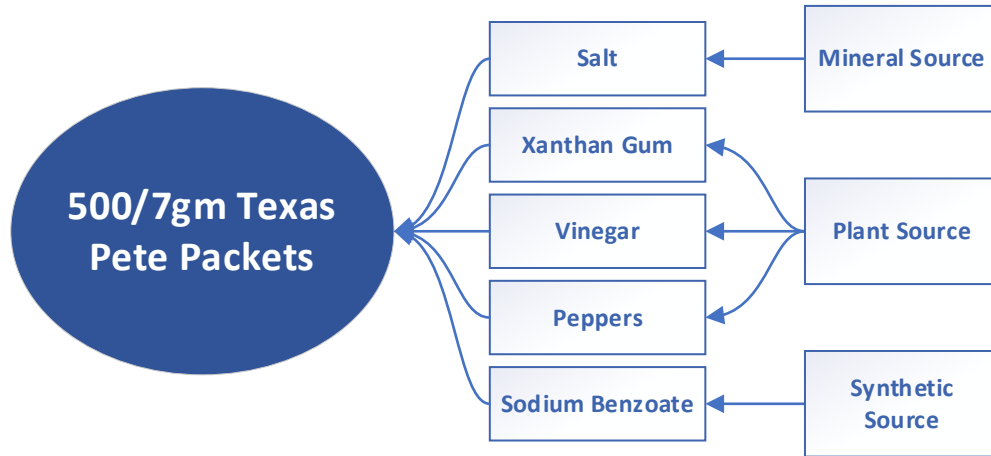
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500/7gm Texas Pete Packets



500/7gm Texas Pete Packets (1.00347)

A consumer favorite for more than 80 years, Texas Pete® Original Hot Sauce features a secret blend of specially selected peppers fermented to perfection to assure plenty of bold, spicy goodness. It adds epic flavor to just about anything, and with 340-740 Scoville heat units, it won't overpower food.

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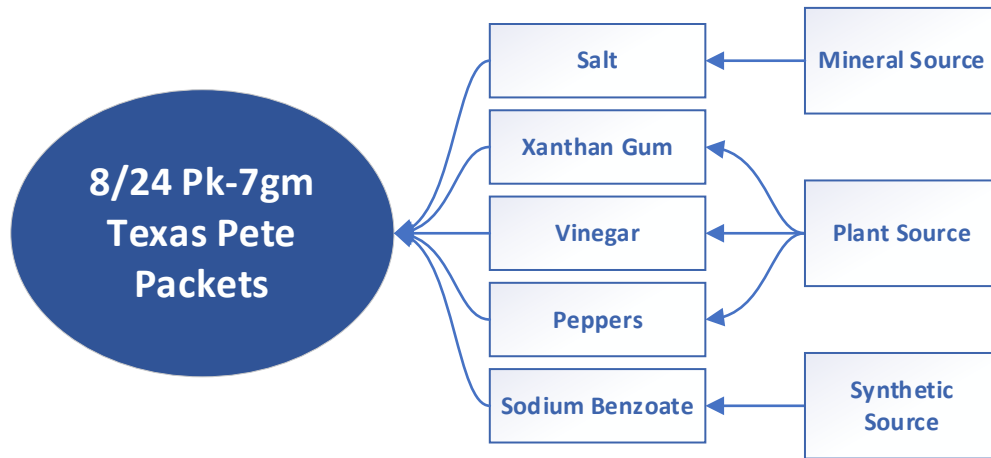
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8/24 Pk-7gm Texas Pete Packets



8/24 Pk-7gm Texas Pete Packets (1.00352)

A consumer favorite for more than 80 years, Texas Pete® Original Hot Sauce features a secret blend of specially selected peppers fermented to perfection to assure plenty of bold, spicy goodness. It adds epic flavor to just about anything, and with 340-740 Scoville heat units, it won't overpower food.

Ingredient Status

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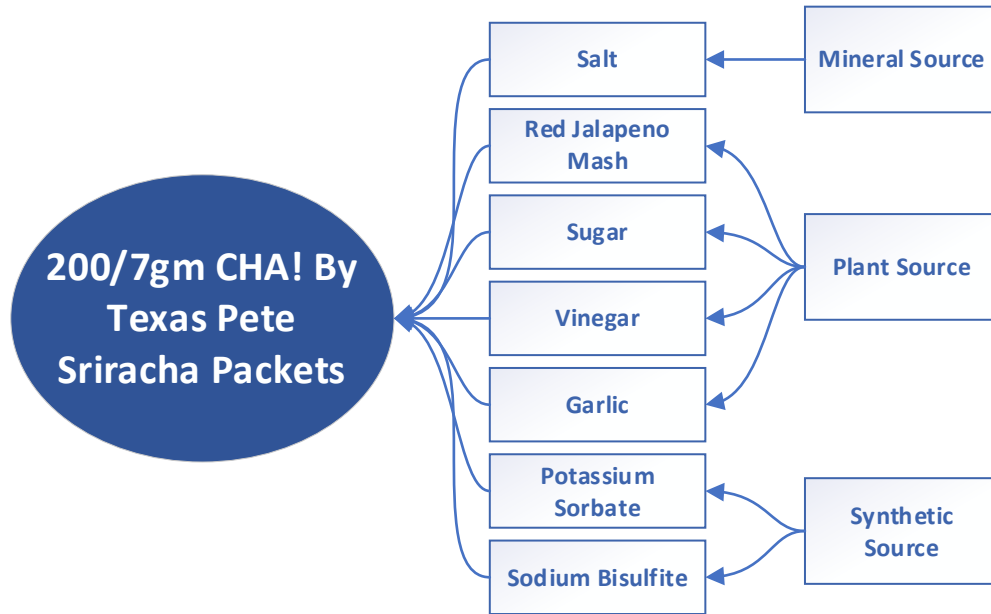
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200/7gm CHA! By Texas Pete Sriracha Packets



200/7gm CHA! By Texas Pete Sriracha Packets (1.00523)

CHA! by Texas Pete® is an epic showdown of sweet and heat, with its intense sriracha flavor. Featuring a tantalizing heat level (1,200-1,800 Scoville units), CHA! gives any recipe an added kick. With fewer preservatives than other sriracha sauces, CHA! by Texas Pete® offers extraordinary flavor, color, and consistency at a more affordable price.

Ingredient Status

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Red Jalapeno Mash: – **Halal** (Aslan) Pepper mash is a collection of chili peppers that have been mashed together with salt then aged until they break down chemically.²⁷

²⁶ <https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Salt>

²⁷ <https://www.chilipeppermadness.com/cooking-with-chili-peppers/how-to-make-fermented-pepper-mash/>

Sugar: – **Halal** (Aslan) Sugar is the generic name for sweet-tasting, soluble carbohydrates, many of which are used in food.²⁸

Vinegar: – **Halal** (Shartan) Vinegar is an aqueous solution of acetic acid and trace chemicals that may include flavorings. Vinegar typically contains 5–8% acetic acid by volume.²⁹

Concerns – Vinegar can contain trace amounts of alcohol.

Garlic: – **Halal** (Aslan) Garlic (*Allium sativum*) is a species in the onion genus, *Allium*.³⁰

Potassium Sorbate: – **Halal** (Aslan) Potassium sorbate is the potassium salt of sorbic acid, chemical formula $\text{CH}_3\text{CH}=\text{CH}-\text{CH}=\text{CH}-\text{CO}_2\text{K}$.³¹

Sodium Bisulfite: – **Halal** (Aslan) Sodium bisulfite (or sodium bisulphite, sodium hydrogen sulfite) is a chemical mixture with the approximate chemical formula NaHSO_3 .³²

²⁸ <https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Sugar>

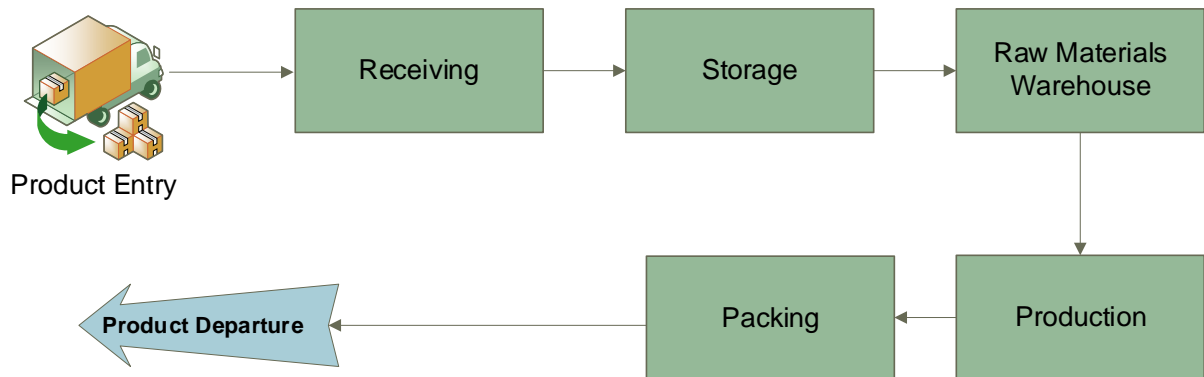
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³⁰ <https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Garlic>

³¹ https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Potassium_sorbate

³² https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Sodium_bisulfite

PROCESSING OVERVIEW (N/A)



CLEANING METHOD

Description:

Preliminary Steps

1. Be sure the line to be cleaned and the Hot Sauce Room is NOT running product.
2. Air compressor must be ON.
3. All raw material must be out of the Hot Sauce Room to avoid being contaminated with
5. water or chemicals.
4. Close off all 3 holding tanks exit valves.
5. Fill one mix tank with 900 gallons of water.
6. Add 4.5 liters of ChemSan 7.5 to the mix tank filled with 900 gallons of water,
7. Connect the white drain hose to the exit valve of the deaeration tank.

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Frequency: Weekly

PRODUCT & SUPPLIER ASSESSMENT

Cervantes Enterprises, Inc

Raw Material	Ingredient description	Concerns	Pass/Fail	Reason	Status Recommendation
AHS	Sriracha is a type of hot sauce or chili sauce made from a paste of chili peppers, distilled vinegar, garlic, sugar, and salt		Pass		Halal Aslan

TESTING METHOD

The following tests are performed for the production facility: Cleaning Validation, Aerobic Plate Count, Yeast, and Mold. No ATP testing is required, as the facility does not handle, manage, nor process any animal bi-products.

CONCLUSION

Client was cooperative, transparent and compliant with on-site access, and all relevant documentation requests. Inspector was able to identify all critical Halal integrity control points. All source materials have been analysed during this audit and review. TW Garner Foods Co's manufacturing facility has been deemed to be conducive to maintaining the integrity of a Halal product.

Based upon this information, the review team hereby certifies both the facility, and all products mentioned in this report to be Halal.

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