

1.0 Land (Answers P-1, P-2, 1-7, 1-9, 1-23 - 1-25)

Purpose:

To ensure that best management practices and risk reduction methods will be employed while land is engaged for agricultural purposes. To ensure that farm land and adjacent land is suitable for and does not pose imminent risks to agricultural production of commodities intended for human consumption.

Concern:

Contamination from microbial, chemical, or physical contaminants.

Contaminants Introduction:

- Previous land use
- Poor agricultural practices on adjacent land
- Fecal matter from on-farm or adjacent livestock production
- Flooding or unusual rain events

Farm Map (detailed farm map and facility overview available in Appendix 1.1):

Previous Land Use:

Farm name is located on land that has been previously used for **insert previous use here**. Land use history and preventative measures to address risk are recorded in Appendix 1.2. Adjacent properties consist of **insert description of surrounding properties**. There are no sewage treatment facilities or landfills adjacent to the farm and manure lagoons adjacent to the property are well maintained to prevent leakage.

Crop production areas are protected from flooding. However if flooding occurs, affected produce is discarded and the soil is tested for potential microbial hazards. Records of flooding are kept in Appendix 1.3 - Notice of Unusual Events.