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| **FIELD HISTORY AND ASSESSMENT** | | |
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**Objective**

To evaluate land use and determine whether the necessary preventive measures are being taken to avoid contamination of the products.

**Control Measures**

* + All farms/facilities are evaluated before purchase or rental, as well as before (product name)’s season (RECORD-11).
  + Each farm/facility is evaluated annually, and it is determined whether there is any risk of contamination that interferes with (product name)’s safety.
  + Special attention is paid to land that could have been used to dispose of chemical or biological substances.
  + The land used for (product name)’s cultivation was not previously used as a landfill, toxic waste site or for grazing.
  + If there are septic tanks within the property, they are located more than 30 feet from the (product name) farm/facility.
  + After evaluating land or a field, a corrective action plan is developed to reduce the risks associated with the information obtained during the assessment.
  + When risks are detected in neighboring properties, a monitoring and control plan is implemented.
  + In the event of flooding, crop production areas are analyzed for potential microbiological hazards (RECORD-04).
  + If the assessment identifies a critical uncontrollable health hazard, it is best to discard the land/field for agricultural purposes.