



Commodity Movement Guidance

WET EGGSHELLS

Product Description

Wet eggshells are eggshells that have undergone centrifugation or screening to remove adhering liquid inedible egg product, reducing the moisture level to about 16 percent. Wet eggshells have not undergone a thermal drying process.

Requirements to be Met Prior to Movement

- Eggshells are moving from a premises with a national premises identification number (PIN) and from eggs from a premises that meets the criteria for a Monitored Premises designation (not an Infected Premises, Contact Premises, or Suspect Premises).
- Truck & driver biosecurity is implemented.
- Product-specific biosecurity as described in the appropriate Secure Poultry Supply Permit Guidance document (see sub-bullets) is implemented and acceptable to Responsible Regulatory Officials.
 - [Movement of wet eggshells to landfill¹](#) (negligible risk)
 - [Movement of wet eggshells for land application²](#) (negligible risk)
 - [Movement of wet eggshells to drying at a standalone facility without poultry onsite³](#) (low risk)
- For egg breaking premises with poultry onsite:
 - When moving wet eggshells from the egg breaking premises either to **landfill** or to drying at a **standalone facility without poultry** onsite: **One** negative real-time reverse transcription polymerase chain reaction (rRT-PCR) for highly pathogenic avian influenza (HPAI) within 24 hours prior to movement.
 - When moving wet eggshells from the egg breaking premises for **land application**: **Two** negative rRT-PCR for HPAI before the first movement of wet eggshells to land application in an outbreak. On an **ongoing basis, one test per day** is sufficient and there is no hold time requirement.

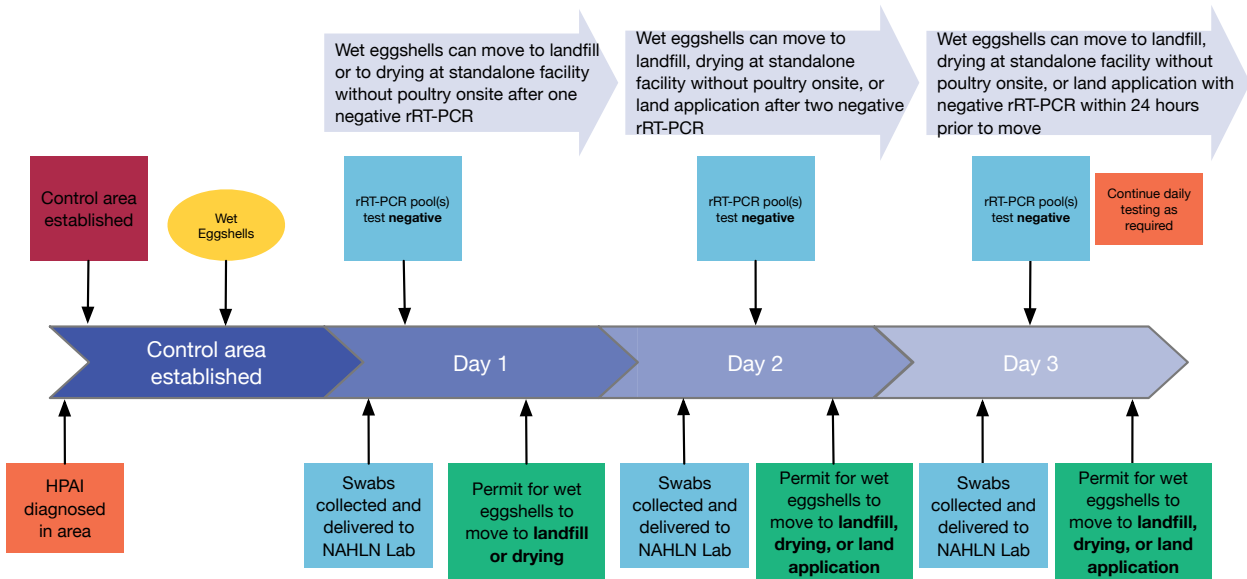
¹ https://securepoultrysupply.umn.edu/sites/securepoultrysupply.umn.edu/files/2022-06/10_sps-permit-guidance_weteggshells-to-landfill_05-03.pdf

² https://securepoultrysupply.umn.edu/sites/securepoultrysupply.umn.edu/files/2022-06/11_sps-permit-guidance_weteggshells-to-land-application_05-03.pdf

³ https://securepoultrysupply.umn.edu/sites/securepoultrysupply.umn.edu/files/2022-06/12_sps-permit-guidance_weteggshells-to-drying_05-03.pdf

Commodity Requirements Flowchart

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Wet eggshells can move from the egg breaking premises by permit provided permit requirement have been met. To move to landfill or to drying at a standalone facility without poultry onsite: One negative rRT-PCR for HPAI within 24 hours prior to movement. To move for land application: Two negative rRT-PCR for HPAI before the first movement of wet eggshells to land application in an outbreak. On an ongoing basis, one test per day is sufficient and there is no hold time requirement.