# G.A.P.'s 5-Step® Animal Welfare Standards Application: TURKEYS



Please fill in this <u>9-page</u> application as completely and accurately as possible. Incomplete applications will be returned and delay audit scheduling. Answers should reflect what your operation is currently doing.

<b>OPER</b>	ATION CONTACT	INFO:									
Name	of Operation										
Conta	ct Person(s)										
Positio	on(s)										
(street,	g Address city, state/ e, zip/postal, ')										
Conta	ct Information	Email					Те				
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	of supplier/prod nat the operation	-		•		-					
CURR	ENT AND PAST CI	ERTIFICA	TES	S:							
Does t	he operation ho	ld a	_		lf	Issued by	🗆 AUS-MEAT	🗆 EarthCla	ims	Lloy	ds Register
<u>currer</u>	<u>nt</u> Step certificate	er	⊐ ES		II <u>YES</u>	Certificate #		Expires on			
					<u></u>	Step level					
Has th	e operation ever	r	_			Issued by	□ AUS-MEAT	🗆 EarthCla	ims	Llo	ds Register
held a	Step certificate	in j	⊐ ES	□ NO	lf <u>YES</u>	Certificate #		Expired on			
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had a	e operation ever 5-Step audit whe	ere it	] ES		lf <u>YES</u>	Conducted by Date of audit	AUS-MEAT	🗆 EarthCla	ims	Lloy	vds Register
wasn'	t certified?		23	NO	<u></u>	Reason for no c	ertification:				
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<b>OPER</b>	OPERATION or DESIGNATED REPRESENTATIVE's SIGNATURE:										
						at all information					
[	Printed Name										
	Signature*						Date				

\* If the applicant uses the signature wizard on this fillable form, please use a digital image of your signature to 'sign' the document.

<u>Attention Applicants</u>: Page 2 and 3 will be shared with Global Animal Partnership for demographic analysis only. All details will remain confidential and will not be made public.

GENERAL INFO	ORMATION:				
<b>Total number</b> <i>Flock</i> is defined a together or divide poults are broode	of birds raised per year: of flocks raised per year is a barn/house of turkeys. The ed into smaller groups but is co ed together but are subsequen would be considered two flocks ds.	: group can be kept all nsidered one flock. If tly raised to different			
Will <u>ALL</u> turke Standards?	ys be raised according to	o the 5-Step	<ul> <li>YES, proceed to Step-rating section</li> <li>NO, only some flocks will be Step-rated, proceed to next question</li> </ul>		
Total number	of G.A.P. birds raised pe	er year:			
Total number	of G.A.P. flocks raised p	er year:			
STEP-LEVEL					
	What Step level a	re you aiming to ac	hieve?	If raising birds to more than one Step level, what is the total # of G.A.P. birds raised per year by Step level?	
Step 1	no cages, no crates, no crowding		ems live in a stationary housing vided the space to express		
Step 2	enriched environment	Turkeys in Step 2 syste environment	ems live in an enriched indoor		
□ Step 3	enhanced outdoor access	Turkeys in Step 3 syste access	ems have seasonal outdoor		
🗆 Step 4	pasture centered	winter turkeys may be to the outdoors	ems live on pasture; during housed with continuous access		
Step 5	animal centered: no physical alterations	and may only be house conditions	ems live continuously on pasture ed during extreme weather		
□ Step 5+	animal centered: entire life on same farm	pasture, spend their el	tems live continuously on ntire lives on a single farm, and bile or on-farm slaughter facility		

#### **OPERATION SITES & USE:**

#### List <u>ALL locations used in a given year</u> where turkeys are raised (Site 1 is the home farm and/or main site)

Site	Physical Address (street, city, state/ province, zip/postal, country)	Management System	Size (acres)	Distance from Site 1 (time/hours)
		🛛 100% indoor		
1		seasonal outdoor access		(//////////////////////////////////////
		pasture system		
		🗆 100% indoor		
2		seasonal outdoor access		
		pasture system		
		🗆 100% indoor		
3		seasonal outdoor access		
		pasture system		

FLOCK INFORMATION: Site numbers below are linked to table above		
What's the name of the hatchery poults come from? If more than one, please provide the names of all hatcheries.		
	🗆 Hybrid Grademaker	Hybrid XL Commercial
	Hybrid Convertor	Nicolas 300
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What breed/strain of turkey do you raise for G.A.P.?	□ Bronze Broad-breasted	🗆 Bronze Medium
Check all that apply.	Auburn Broad-breasted	🗆 Auburn Medium
	Black Broad-breasted	🗆 Black Medium
	□ White Broad-breasted	🗆 White Medium
	🗆 Other:	

Site	Flock Info	Production Model	Growing Strategy			
1	<ul> <li>□ raise toms only</li> <li>□ raise hens only</li> <li>□ raise both sexes separately</li> <li>□ raise mixed flocks (toms &amp; hens together)</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>year round production</li> <li>seasonal production</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>process entire flock at once</li> <li>thin flock during growing</li> </ul>			
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What	What is your expected livability per flock?         I less than 85%         85-88%         89-91%         91-94%         95%+					

### BARN INFORMATION FOR G.A.P. BIRDS:

Site	House/ Barn/Pen ID	# of floors	Length (ft)	Width (ft)	# of Birds Placed	Are birds in the barn currently at the time this app is submitted?	What is the next expected processing date?
						🗆 YES 🗖 NO	
						□ YES □ NO	
						□ YES □ NO	
						□ YES □ NO	
						□ YES □ NO	
						□ YES □ NO	
						□ YES □ NO	
						□ YES □ NO	
						□ YES □ NO	
						□ YES □ NO	

### For each of the following questions, please answer by checking the appropriate box. Your answers should reflect your operation's current situation or practice.

A)	GENERA	L		YES	NO
1	Has the operation's owner or farm manager read G.A.P.'s 5-Step® Animal Welfare Standards for Turkey?				
2	2 Are there any standards for the Step-level you are aiming to achieve that are not currently met on				
	the ope	ration?			
	If <u>YES</u>	Please provide the Standard number and			
		additional details:			
3	3 Are there any laws or regulations (local, state, provincial, federal) that prohibit adherence to any of				
	the 5-Step standards?				
	If <u>YES</u>	Please provide the Standard number and			
		additional details:			

B) Fl	B) FEED AND WATER							
DOES THE OPERATION:								
4	Provide access to drinking water at all times?	0	0					
5	Provide feed ad-libitum?	0	0					
6	Feed any animal (mammal, avian or fish) by-products or waste?	0	0					

C) A	NIMAL HEALTH						
DOES THE OPERATION:							
7	To the best of your knowledge, use genetically modified or cloned turkeys?						
8	Choose to raise breeds of turkeys tha	t have any of the following? (please che	ck all that apply)	0	0		
	□ good leg health □ good immune function						
	□ low levels of mortality □ ability to perch throughout their lives						
	□ the ability to range □ low levels of injurious behavior						
9	Ever use a supplement, pre-mixed feed, or vitamin and/or mineral product containing antibiotics, ionophores, growth hormones, beta agonists, arsenic-based drugs, or sulfa drugs? <i>Please review feed ingredients before answering</i> .						
10	Have records to identify any animals/flocks treated with antibiotics, ionophores, growth hormones, beta agonists, arsenic-based drugs or sulfa drugs?						
11	Keep daily mortality & cull records for each flock? (excluding loss from predation)						
12	Have trained staff who are able to humanely euthanize turkeys when necessary?						
13	Use the following method(s) to eutha	nize turkeys at (check all that apply):					
	0-5 weeks?	5-10 weeks?	10+ weeks?				
	🗆 gunshot	🗆 gunshot	□ gunshot				
	captive bolt	□ captive bolt	$\Box$ captive bolt				
	manual cervical dislocation	manual cervical dislocation	manual cervical dis	location			
	mechanical cervical dislocation	mechanical cervical dislocation	mechanical cervica	l dislocat	ion		
	electrical stun-knife	electrical stun-knife	electrical stun-knife	2			
	gas stunning and killing	gas stunning and killing	gas stunning and ki	lling			
	anesthetic overdose	anesthetic overdose	anesthetic overdos	e			
	blunt force trauma	blunt force trauma	blunt force trauma				
	🗆 other:	□ other:	□ other:				
	□ N/A	🗆 N/A	🗆 N/A				

DOES THE OPERATION:         14       Observe and monitor each flock at least twice each day?         15       Place poults within 2 hours of delivery?         16       Have any turkeys that are (check all that apply):         2       de-toed / toe trimmed         3       de-snooded         2       de-spurred         3       other:		YES 0 0 0 0 0 0	
15       Place poults within 2 hours of delivery?         16       Have any turkeys that are (check all that apply):         16       De-toed / toe trimmed         17       Description         17       Have any turkeys that are beak-trimmed?			
16       Have any turkeys that are (check all that apply):         16       Have any turkeys that are (check all that apply):         17       Have any turkeys that are beak-trimmed?			
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<ul> <li>I don't have any birds with the physical alterations listed above</li> <li>Have any turkeys that are beak-trimmed?</li> </ul>		• •	
<sup>17</sup> Have any turkeys that are beak-trimmed?		·///	
Have any turkeys that are beak-trimmed?		0	
If YES, please answer the following three questions:			0
What is the method?   Infra-red (e.g. Novatech)     Image: Constraint of the method o	hot blade		
Where is it performed? $\Box$ at the hatchery $\Box$	at the operation		
Are turkeys ever re-trimmed during the grow-out period?		0	0
18 Have any turkeys that are toenail-conditioned?		0	0
If YES, please answer the following three questions:			
What is the method?   Imicrowave (e.g., Novatech)     Imicrowave (e.g., Novatech)	hot blade		
Where is it performed?	at the operation		
Are turkeys ever re-conditioned?		0	0
19 Use any of the following artificial devices to control feather pecking? (please	se check all that apply)	0	0
□ goggles □ blinkers □ contact lenses □ other:			
<sup>20</sup> Have a footpad dermatitis monitoring program at the plant?		0	0
21 Conduct a 100-bird lameness evaluation for each flock the week <u>before</u> pr	ocessing?	0	0
22 What is the annual flock mortality for poults up to 9 days? □ 1% or less □ 2% □ 3% □ 4%	□ 5% □ 6%		
23 What is the annual flock mortality for turkeys 10 days and older? □3% or less □4-5% □6-10%	□11-12% □ 13+%		

E) H	OUSING		
DOES	THE OPERATION:	YES	NO
24	Raise turkeys in cages? (excluding transport containers and fenced-in porches and outdoor enclosures that allow turkeys full range of motion)	0	0

E) HO	USING					
DOES	THE OPERATION:			YES	NO	
25	Provide housing/shelter	at all tir	nes that can protect turkeys from the elements and predation?		0	
26	Maintain floors of all hou	houses with friable (dry and loose) litter?				
27	Have slatted and/or wire	e floors?		0	0	
28	Assess air quality during	daily flo	ck monitoring?	0	0	
	IfHow is air quality assessed? (please tick all that apply)YESIsense of smell / sensory evaluationIsense of smell / sensory evaluation					
29	What is the light intensit indoors during daylight h	-	□ 10 lux □ 20 lux □ 30 lux □ 40 lux □ 50 lux □ birds live outside □ I don't know			
30	From placement, what is the light/dark schedule at the operation?		/dark schedule at the			
31	Use night lights?			0	0	
32	Provide enrichments ind	Provide enrichments indoors?			0	
	If Please mark all Please mark all Please mark all Please mark all plat Please mark all Please of Please mark all Please mark all Ple		ps barrels king enhancements <i>e.g. rope, paper twist bundles, string bundles</i> al barriers er:			
33	Provide perches in housi	ng, whe	ther permanent or mobile?	0	0	

# If your operation is *exclusively indoors* please check this box and go to the Rodents and Predator Section:

F) F(	OR OPERATIONS THAT PROVIDE OUTDOOR ACCESS/ PAST	TURE-BASED SYSTEMS					
DOES	THE OPERATION:		YES	NO			
34	How old are the turkeys when they are given	□ 4 weeks □ 5 weeks □ 6 weeks					
	continuous outdoor access during daylight hours?						
35	35 Do all flocks have outdoor access for a minimum of 5 weeks?						
36	Is the outdoor area covered with vegetation and/or forage	ge?	0	0			
	If What percentage of the outdoor area is covered w	ith vegetation and/or forage?	5///				
	YES         □ < 25%         □ ≥ 25% - 49%	□ ≥ 50% - 74% □ ≥ 75%					

F) F(	F) FOR OPERATIONS THAT PROVIDE OUTDOOR ACCESS/ PASTURE-BASED SYSTEMS													
DOES	DOES THE OPERATION:									YES	NO			
37	Do yo	ou provic	le any of	the follo	wing in	the outd	loor area	(s)? (plea	ase check	all that a	ipply)		0	0
		🗆 bushe	□ bushes/shrubs											
		□ shade cloth												
		🗆 A-frai	me struc	tures										
		□ other												
				ie above										
38	Do al	l turkeys	have ac	cess to s	hade in t	he outd	oor/past	ure area	s?				0	0
39	Are p	erches p	rovided	in the ou	itdoor ai	eas?							0	0
40	Are t	urkeys e	ver hous	ed seaso	nally due	e to incle	ement co	nditions	?				0	0
	lf <u>YES</u>	Do turkeys have access to an outdoor area when they are seasonally housed?									0	0		
	lf <u>YES</u>	Do turkeys have continuous access by 7 weeks of age?										0	0	
				e total ir of the ir			of the h	ouse, is t ≥ 50% -		oor area	for each $\Box \ge 10^{\circ}$			
	lf											0,0		
	<u>YES</u>						e followii	<b>-</b> ·			1		111	m
							ing beha	vior (e.g.	wnoie gr	ains, nay	)		1///	
			enrich	iments	□ litter	⊡ otł	ner:							
41	Pleas	e mark t	he mont	hs of the	year tha	at turkey	vs typical	ly have <mark>a</mark>	ccess to	the out	doors/pa	asture:		
	N/A	All Yr	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	June	July	Aug	Sept	Oct	Nov	Dec

G) R	G) RODENT & PREDATOR CONTROL							
DOES	OES THE OPERATION:							
42	Consider rodents a problem?	0	0					
43	Consider predators a problem?	0	0					
44	4 Ever use the following to control predators?							
	Leg-hold traps	0	0					
	Egg traps	0	0					
	Neck snares	0	0					
	Conibear traps	0	0					
	Poisons	0	0					
	Drowning traps	0	0					

H) TI	H) TRANSPORT AND LOADING								
DOES	DOES THE OPERATION: YES NO								
45	45 Ensure that poults are delivered within 48 hours of hatching? O O								
46	Who herds and loads turkeys?		Contact Information	-	old a current certificate?				
	<ul> <li>SELF</li> <li>transport company</li> <li>producer group</li> <li>contracted crew</li> </ul>	Name & Tel:		□ Yes □ No □ I don't know					

H) TR	ANSPORT AND LOADING						
DOES	THE OPERATION:				YES	NO	
47	Do water lines in the house nee	d to be ra	ised prior to herding and loading?		0	0	
48       Does feed withdrawal exceed 12 hours (from withdrawal to arrival at the plant?)         49       Are turkeys herded and loaded with mechanical loaders?         50       Are turkeys herded and loaded with conveyor belts?         51       Are the lights dimmed during herding and loading?         52       Are turkeys hand caught?         53       Are any turkeys that are left behind by the loading crews, culled on the same day the rest of the flock is transported?         54       Who transports turkeys?       Contact Name Information       Do the PH'         54       Who transports turkeys?       Contact Name Information       PH'         54       Who transports turkeys       Kontact Name Information       PH'         55       Are there written procedures for the driver to follow in the case of accident or emergency during transport?					0	0	
49	Are turkeys herded and loaded	with mec	hanical loaders?		0	0	
50	Are turkeys herded and loaded	with conv	eyor belts?		0	0	
51	Are the lights dimmed during he	erding and	l loading?		0	0	
52	Are turkeys hand caught?				0	0	
53	Are any turkeys that are left behind by the loading crews, culled on the same day the rest of the						
54     Who transports turkeys?     Contact Name Information     Do they h       □ same as above (Q46)     □ SELF     □ Yes							
	who transports turkeys? Contact Name Information PHTQA				A certific	ate?	
	Transport company Name						
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				🗆 I don't	know	O   O     O   O     O   O     O   O     O   O     O   O     O   O     O   O     O   O     O   O     O   O     O   O     O   O	
55	Are there written procedures fo	r the driv	er to follow in the case of accident or emergency	/ during	_		
	-		,		0	0	
56		group) ke	ep the following transport records? Check all that	t apply:			
	•						
	-						
	-						
	•		) route				
	□ I don't have transport record	S					
57	Where are turkeys transported						
57	□ birds are not transported	10:					
	□ directly to processor						
	Average time from your operat	tion to pla	ant?				
	time (hrs)						
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I) PLA	I) PLANS AND PROTOCOLS							
DOES	THE OPERATION:	YES	NO					
58	Have a <u>written</u> farm plan (e.g. protocols, policies, SOPs, farm manual, organic system plan, emergency procedures)?	0	0					
59	Have a training program that includes animal management?	0	0					
60	Have a bio-security program (e.g. footwear requirements, visitor logs etc)?	0	0					

I) PLA	I) PLANS AND PROTOCOLS						
DOES	THE OPERATION:	YES	NO				
61	Use electricity to operate? <i>Check all that apply:</i> <ul> <li>ventilation system</li> <li>watering system</li> <li>feeders</li> <li>lights</li> <li>n/a</li> </ul>						
62	Have a back-up power supply?	0	0				
	If Does the back-up power supply have a failure alarm?	0	0				
	YES Is it tested periodically?	0	0				

J) SLAUGHTER REQUIREMENTS Note: if your operation does not deal directly with the plant, check with your producer group/co-op/marketing entity.										
63	Is there a procedure in place to identify your operation's turkey flocks upon arrival at the slaughter and/or processing plant? (e.g. producer #; barn/floor identification#; flock identification, or other)									
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name of plant address tel					□ Yes □ No □ I do	on't kno	w			

Please submit this completed application to your preferred G.A.P.-approved certification company for review.