



Advancing Food Quality and Food Safety through Omics Tools

By Kendra Nightingale, PhD



Using Omics tools (i.e., genomics, transcriptomics, proteomics and metabolomics) can improve food quality, food safety, and subsequently, public health metrics. This article describes Omics tools and their ability to describe microbial communities along the food chain. [Read more >](#)

What's Next for the Fresh Produce Industry? By Gary C. Smith, PhD



In the U.S. we extensively perform microbiological testing of food from animals and of the water, equipment, and facilities with which they come into contact—throughout the supply-chains—to lessen the chance that contaminants slip through the net. It's a different story with fresh fruits and vegetables. [Read more >](#)

Five Things Accomplished by Animal Welfare Audits Conducted at the Farm Level

By Ruth Woiwode, PhD



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