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AUSSAN-W4 TESTIMONIAL

Finally! An organic, non corrosive, completely safe method to sanitise our vegetables – no more toxic odours and residues and tastes from bleaches or per acetic acids based sanitisers! It is helping us achieve our desire to be a totally organic company, has saved us money, and improved our product.

As an employer, safety is a big issue, and a major advantage to us of using this product is the dramatic reduction in OH&S concerns compared to our previous sanitising method

Sevillo was approached to trial **Aussan-W4**, a revolutionary new style of safe, totally organic sanitizing agent, as an alternative to our current per acetic acid based sanitizing system, for the cleaning and preservation of our processed vegetables.

Aussan-W4 is non toxic, non corrosive, and has no odour; we now do not have any chemical storage issues, and do not need any special precautions when making up sanitizing solutions, which makes the working environment for our staff very safe and pleasant.

The trials were very successful with fruit washed in a 4ml/litre solution showing no signs of fungal or other microbial growth after dry storage for 3 months. Fruit treated using our normal process and stored in the same manner showed fungal attack within one week.

We confidently extended the trial to include **Aussan-W4** as a vegetable wash prior to char grilling. Vegetables tested included zucchini and eggplant.

Aussan-W4 proved an excellent sanitizing agent reducing our previous produce reject rate of 2-3%, down to zero. Further, after 5 months using this product we have found that we can safely store our produce three times as long as previously. The eggplant also is more resistant to browning making our finished product appearance much more acceptable. Over this period **Aussan-W4** has delivered us a consistent 15% saving in chemical costs, and significant savings through improved storage life of our produce. We have also found no incidents of colour change or taint on the vegetables.

The trials have demonstrated the effectiveness of using **Aussan-W4** as both a sanitizer and preservative, and also improved OH&S within the plant. We will be expanding our use of **Aussan-W4** and would enthusiastically recommend it as an effective and safe sanitizing agent to all fruit and vegetable processors.

Malcolm England.

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