

# Quick Start: Creating Your Foreign Supplier Verification Plan



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## WHAT IS FSMA'S FOREIGN SUPPLIER VERIFICATION PLAN RULE?

FSMA's Foreign Supplier Verification Plan rule was designed to ensure that all foreign suppliers, with respect to the food products that are being imported, are complying with each of the same FSMA requirements, and achieving the same level of public health protections, applicable to domestic suppliers.

## WHO DOES FSVP APPLY TO?

Under FSMA, the "Importer" is the US owner or consignee who, at time of entry, owns the food, has purchased the food, or has agreed in writing to purchase the food. If you are the "Importer", you must have a Foreign Supplier Verification Program (FSVP) in place on all imported products.

## IF YOU ARE THE IMPORTER, YOUR QUALIFIED INDIVIDUAL MUST DEVELOP AND EXECUTE YOUR PLAN

Qualified Individuals must have the education, training or experience necessary to perform all FSVP-required activities, including the ability to interpret and understand any records that are required to be reviewed in performing those activities.

## FSVP PROGRAM COMPONENTS FOR EACH FOREIGN SUPPLIER

- Hazard Analysis
- Foreign Supplier Performance \ Evaluation
- Foreign Supplier Approval Requirements (with an approved supplier list)
- Procedures which Assure that only Approved Foreign Suppliers are Used
- Ongoing Verification Activities
- Corrective Actions if Needed
- Re-Evaluation of FSVP for Cause, or at Least Every 3 Years



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## LOOKING FOR MORE INFORMATION?

View the "Quick Start: Creating Your Foreign Supplier Verification Plan" webinar presented by Shawn Stevens by visiting the webinar archive at [repositrak.com](http://repositrak.com)

## FSVP COMPLIANCE WENT

### INTO EFFECT ON:

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## WHAT'S AT STAKE?

Senior executives are legally responsible for their company's compliance with FSMA.

Documentation is the ONLY way to prove compliance.

## DON'T WAIT...AUTOMATE!

ReposiTrak can help automate the collection and management of your approved suppliers' records, including those required for foreign supplier verification program compliance.

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