



PFG'S BRANDED PROTEIN STRATEGY

THE POWER OF PARTNERSHIP





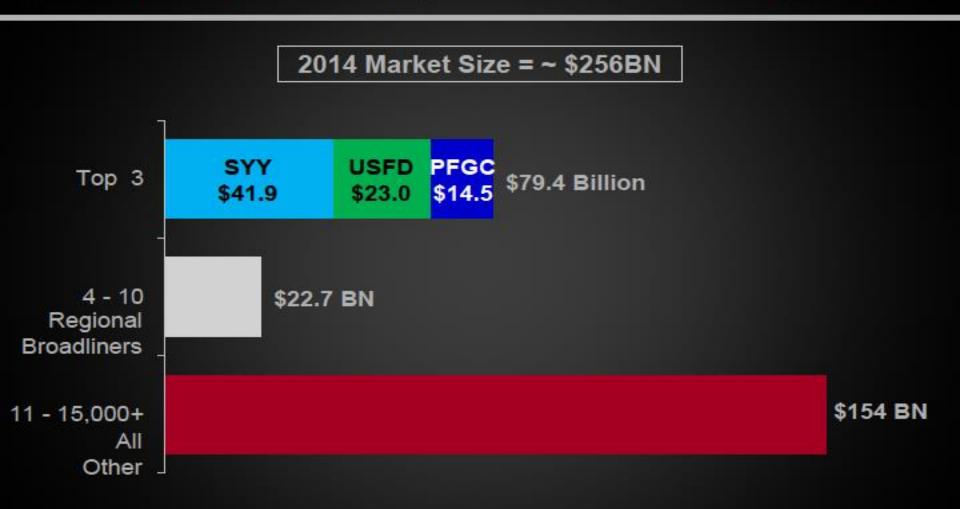






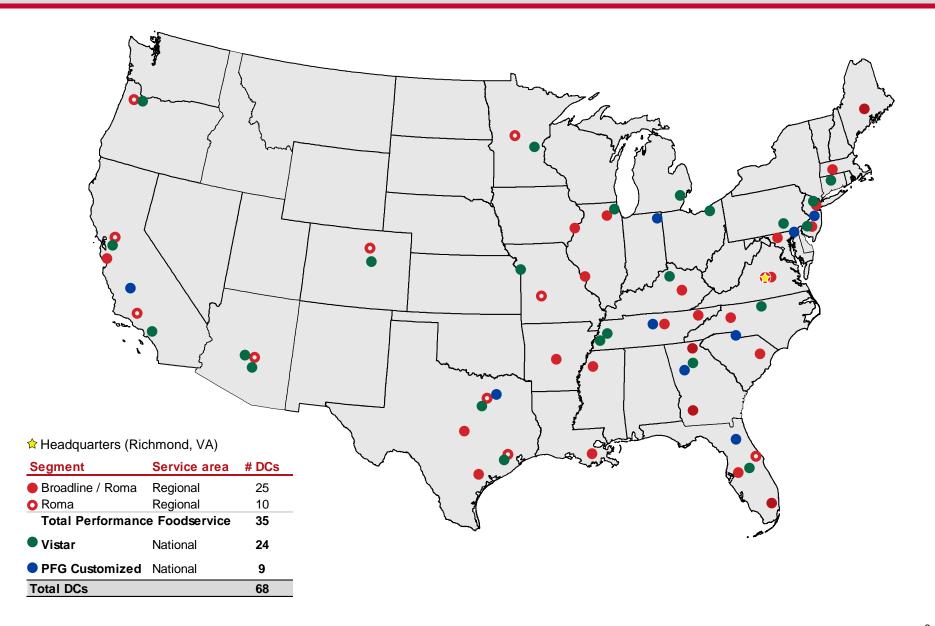
U.S. Foodservice Industry Structure





Broad Geographic Footprint









Vistar Operating Companies

Vistar Merchant's Marts

FY2016 Sales: \$3.3 BN

Customers: 35,000 +

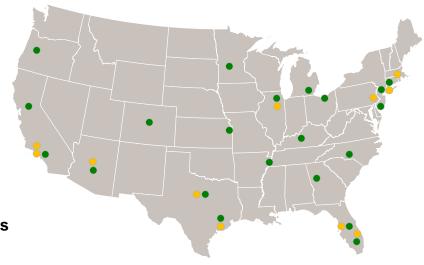
Operating Companies: 24

Merchant's Marts: 11

Key Strengths: #1 Share of major channels

Only national distributor

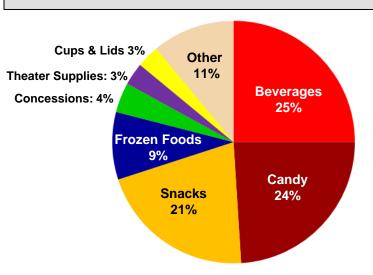
Industry leading supply chain efficiencies



Selected Customers and Products



Product Sales





Performance Food Group



Customized Distribution

FY2016 Sales: \$3.5 BN

5,000 ⁺ **Customers:**

Branches: 9

Key Strengths: National Scope

Network tailored to customer's footprints

Long term relationships

37 Years



12 Years



'N NICK'S BAR-B-Q



11 Years

Ruby Tuesday



2 Years





4 Years





11 Years











19 Years















PERFORMANCE FOODSERVICE and ROMA PFG Performance Food Group



\$9.3 BN FY2016 Sales:

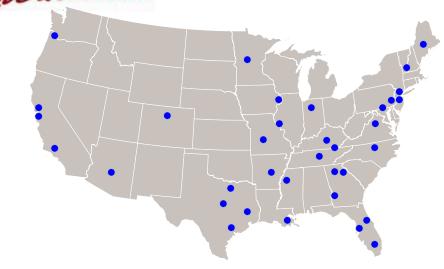
85,000 ⁺ **Customers:**

Operating Companies: 35

Key Strengths: National Scale

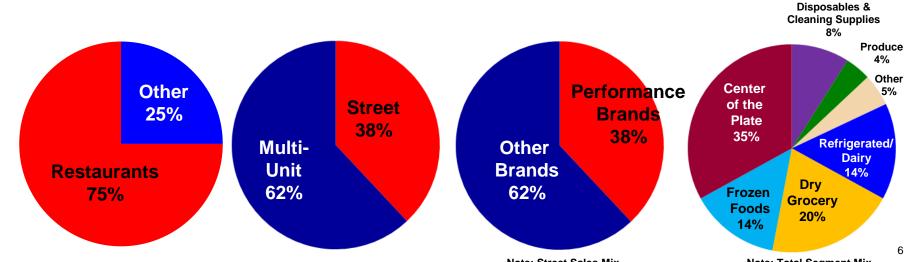
Performance Brands

Sales and customer-centric



Customer Mix

Product Mix 8%



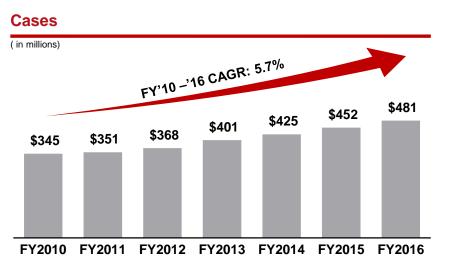
Note: Street Sales Mix

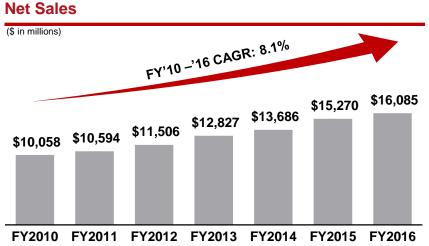
Note: Total Segment Mix

Consistently Delivering Growth

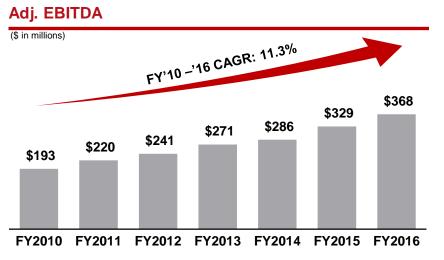


Results driven by strong top line momentum and substantial operating leverage





\$1,235 \$1,318 \$1,404 \$1,583 \$1,697 \$1,848 \$2,004 \$1,235 \$1,318 \$1,404 \$1,583 \$1,697







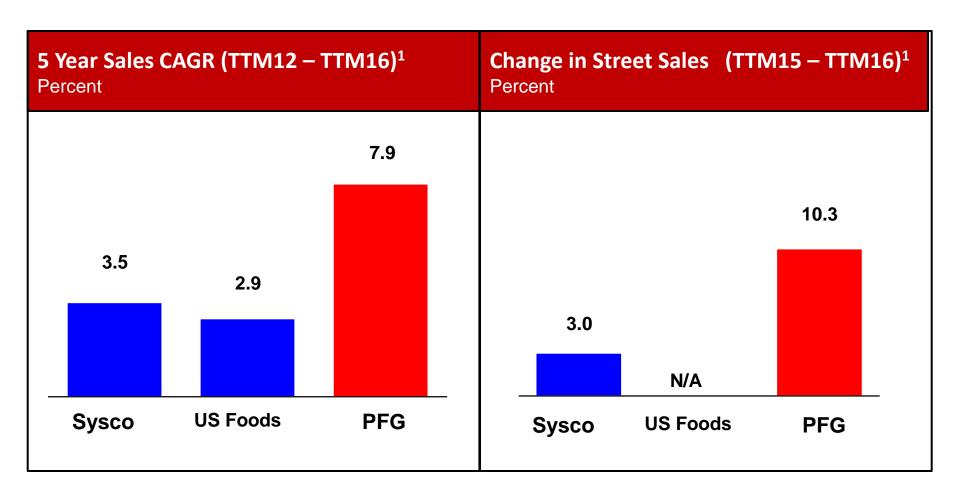






We are Gaining Share





We continue to gain share especially among Independents

DAIRY IS FACING SOME HEADWINDS



FY 2016	Cases			Sales			% Growth			GP\$ Per Unit		Unit
Category Totals:	YTD 2016	YTD 2015	YTD Variance	YTD 2016	YTD 2015	YTD Variance	Cases	Sales	Inflation/ Mix	TY	LY	Change
MEATS	25,396,880	24,615,244	781,636	\$1,622,483,201	\$1,639,125,685	-\$16,642,483	3.18%	-1.02%	-4.19%	\$5.47	\$5.24	\$0.23
POULTRY	19,499,511	18,258,772	1,240,739	\$1,093,022,013	\$1,031,784,387	\$61,237,627	6.80%	5.94%	-0.86%	\$4.03	\$3.94	\$0.09
TOTAL	44,896,391	42,874,016	2,022,375	\$2,715,505,214	\$2,670,910,071	\$44,595,143	4.72%	1.67%				
DAIRY	30,994,823	28,655,526	2,339,297	\$1,268,360,818	\$1,249,249,481	\$19,111,338	8.16%	1.53%	-6.63%	\$4.15	\$4.20	-\$0.05
YTD 2017 (wk 25)												
MEATS	12,223,921	12,088,912	135,009	\$758,197,979	\$786,543,483	-\$28,345,504	1.12%	-3.60%	-4.72%	\$5.77	\$5.59	\$0.18
POULTRY	11,330,875	10,572,802	758,074	\$647,226,996	\$583,789,324	\$63,437,672	7.17%	10.87%	3.70%	\$3.99	\$4.00	-\$0.01
TOTAL	23,554,796	22,661,714	893,082	\$1,405,424,975	\$1,370,332,807	\$35,092,168	3.94%	2.56%				
DAIRY	14,937,011	14,410,568	526,443	\$624,326,899	\$632,792,491	-\$8,465,592	3.65%	-1.34%	3.47%	\$4.19	\$4.31	-\$0.12

PFG Brands Drive Margin and Sales



- A broad array of products, for a wide variety of customers at multiple price points.
- Products with a difference drive customer loyalty and overall sales.
- Expertise in Italian category and Protein Products.
- National distribution network.
- Food is a highly competitive and fragmented market.
- PFG is organizing the supply chain to create mutually beneficial relationships.

Current Brands of Distinction





















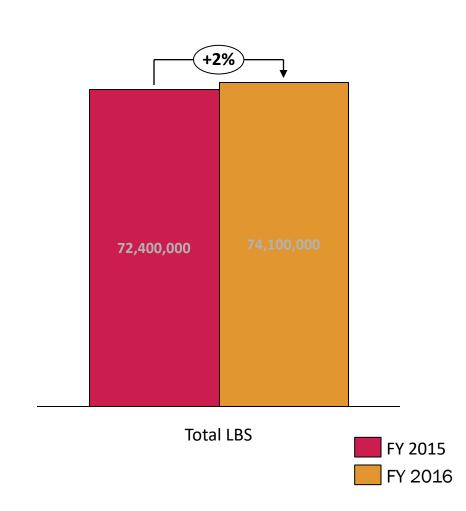


Commodity Beef growth is small for PFG and static for the overall restaurant industry



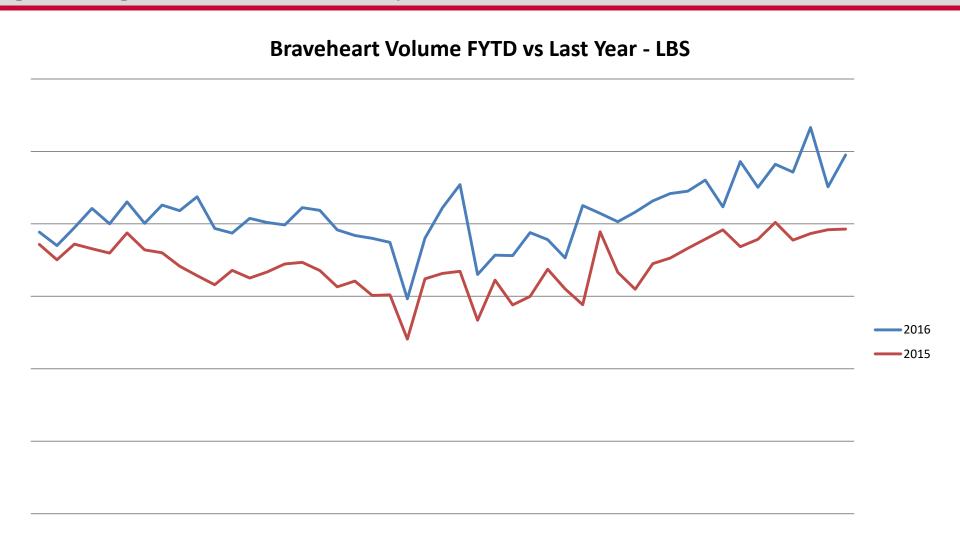
Fiscal Year 2015-2016

- PFG sales of commodity Beef grew by 2% during the Fiscal Year (beating the national average in sales growth) but this is far below our growth of PFG branded programs that "tell a story".
- Branded Protein programs have driven all of PFG's growth in the category for the last 4 years.

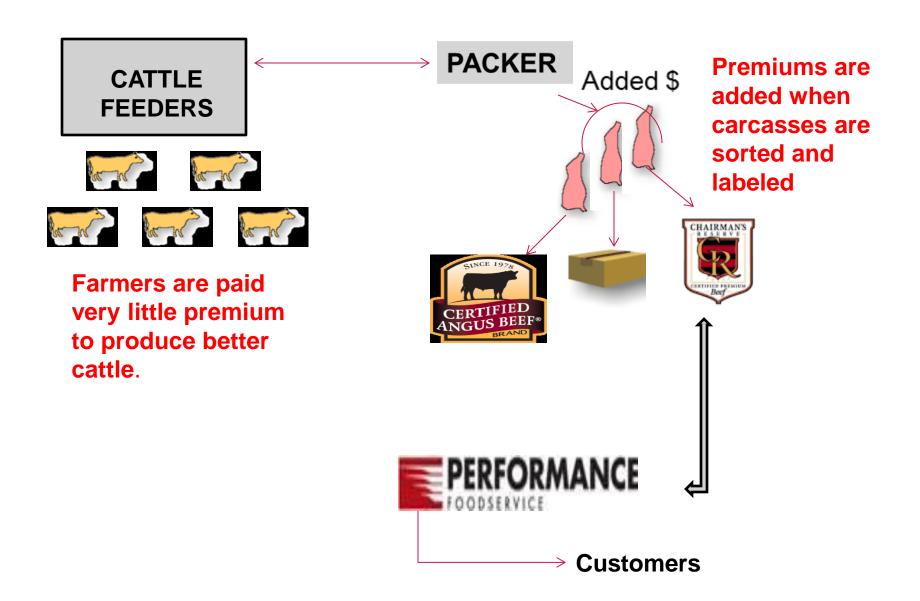


Braveheart has been PFG's fastest growing brand for over 7 years









The Commodity Beef Model is Broken



- Price volatility in commodity markets is making it harder and harder for the small farmer to stay in business. Commodity beef is not working for the farmer.
- As cattle producers consolidate, fewer packing houses are needed which eliminates jobs in rural America and shrinks the overall industry. In the past 2 years, major companies like Tyson and Cargill have shuttered beef packing plants without opening new operations. Commodity beef is not working for the packer.
- The cost-driven commodity beef model has driven farmers to produce larger and larger animals. Customers prefer smaller animals that produce thicker, higher quality steaks. Beef consumption in the U.S. is flat after declining for several years in a row. Commodity beef is not working for the consumer.



Recent research conducted by the Mintel Group reveals that:

43% of Millennials* do not trust large food companies. (compared with 18% of non-Millennials)

74% of Millennials want more transparency regarding how their food was raised. (compared with 69% of non-Millennials)

59% of Millennials will stop buying a product if they think the brand is engaged in unethical practices. (compared with 28% of non-Millennials)

55% of Millennials go online to find information about the food products they buy. (compared with 12% of non-Millennials)

^{*} Millennials are considered to be American consumers between the ages of 21 and 38 years old.

PFG IS DISRUPTING THE COMMODITY BEEF MODEL







PFG has created an organized, traceable, and accountable supply chain that is helping to re-define what high quality beef means.

IT IS ALL ABOUT ESTABLISHING TRUST!

BRAVEHEART IS DIFFERENT





BRAVEHEART OFFERS <u>REAL</u> POINTS OF DIFFERENCE WHEN COMPARED TO OTHER ANGUS PROGRAMS



PFG DETERMINES THE CATTLE SPECIFICATION

- The finest Midwestern Corn-Fed Beef Available...cattle are local in the sense that they are processed where they are raised.
- "BLACK ANGUS" on the label the REAL Angus
- No Brahman or Holstein influence allowed...Product of the U.S.A.



PFG DETERMINES THE APPROVED PROCESSORS

- In-Plant production supervision
- Audits of plants, records, and quality control
- REAL control of production not just a label on a box

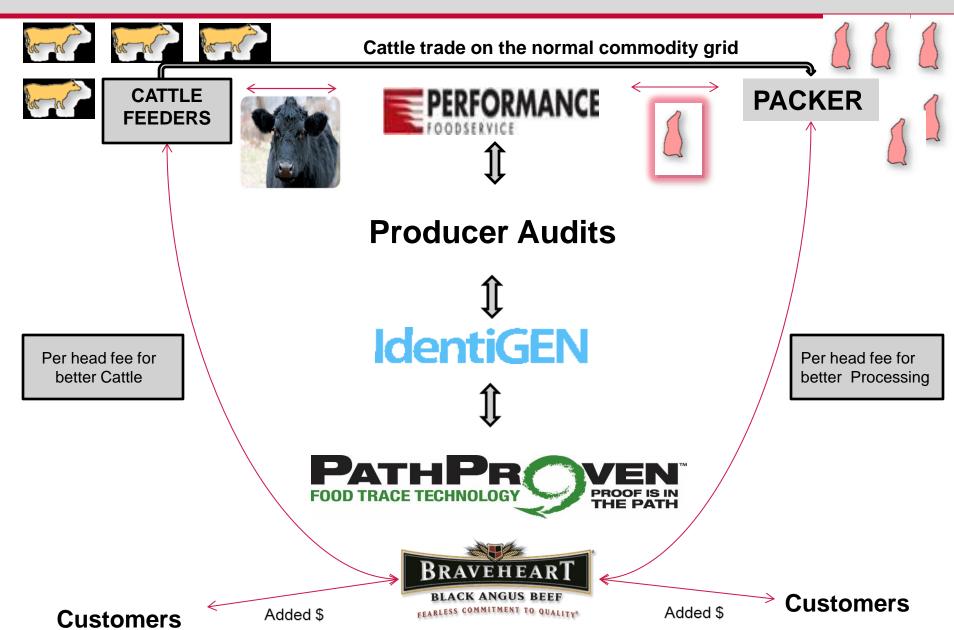


PFG DETERMINES THE TRIM SPECIFICATIONS

- <u>REAL</u> quarter inch trim on boxed beef cuts
- The highest yielding Choice and High Choice boxed beef program in the U.S.

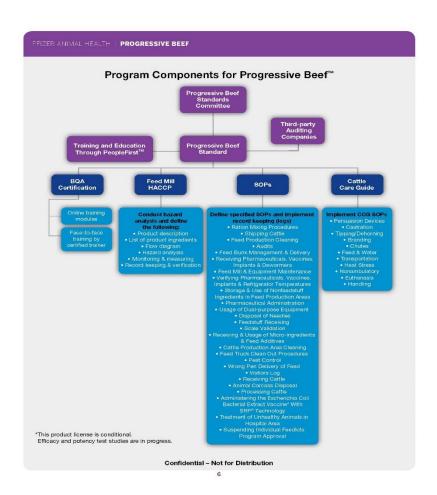
Braveheart Beef is based on partners cooperating to raise and process the highest quality beef in the U.S.





Live Side Audits Are Critical





In the transparent world we live in, "authenticity" is critical and no industry is under more scrutiny than the beef industry.

Progressive Beef ™ has established the live side standards which define the PathProven Program

Key Fundamentals Include:

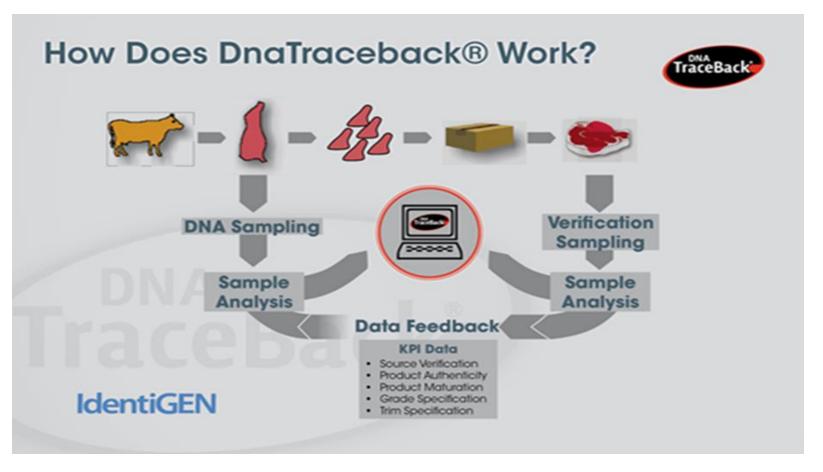
- BQA Certification
- Feed mill HACCP
- SOP's to meet care and handling requirements
- Cattle Care Guide
- Documented Humane Animal Treatment
- Environmental Standards
- Feed and Medicine Standards

DNA Testing is another of the tools we use to establish trust with our customers....Benefits include:



- Recall Mitigation
- Supply Chain Accountability
- Cutting Edge Innovation

- Compliance
- Marketing Advantages
- The "Halo" Effect



BEEF DESIGNED TO PRODUCE A BETTER EATING EXPERIENCE



Palatability Assurance Critical Control Points (PACCP)

Conception (Tender Producing Bulls, Reputable Producers)

Genetics (Angus Based Cattle, Predictive Genetic Eating Quality, Carcass Weight)

Nutrition/Environment (DOF, Balanced Grain-Based Diet)

<u>Pre-Slaughter Factors</u> (Aggressive Growth Promotion, Stress, Employee Education)

<u>Post-slaughter factors</u> (Chilling Conditions, <u>Aging Time</u>, Quality Grade)

Cooking (Degree of Doneness, Education)

Third-Party Audit (Progressive Beef)

Post-slaugher Aging Time, Que Cooki





Braveheart Beef is Produced by an Organized Supply Chain Dedicated to Quality



- Agreements with producers ensure that the right type of cattle and proper animal handling practices are being utilized.
- Agreements with packers ensure that the product quality adheres to Braveheart specifications.
- Advantages include:
 - Price
 - Consistency
 - Quality
 - Full Traceability
 - Smaller Animal Size
 - Efficiency...reduced carbon foot print
 - Accountability
 - No un-approved feed or drugs
 - Documentable Humane Handling
 - Continuous quality improvement



PFG SUPPORTS FAMILY FARMERS





PFG'S RESPONSE TO CUSTOMER DEMAND IS PathProven™



PathProven™ is PFG's assurance that the product is traceable, auditable, and meets a specific set of farming and processing standards established and controlled by PFG.

In term of beef, PathProven is defined as follows:

- PFG has established standards for feeding, animal health, humane treatment, environmental impact, and processing all important assurances of quality throughout every stage of production.
- Assures the origin of these products, by having the ability to track meat back to specific animals using DNA Traceback™ technology.
- Verifies cattle feeding and handling process through an independent third-party audit system.
- Cattle sourced within 200 miles of the harvest facility.

PFG HAS NOW CREATED A "BRAVEHEART" TYPE SUPPLY CHAIN FOR PORK





PFG's Production Systems are Changing the Beef Industry



Certified Angus Beef ®

Raised in the Midwest and Traceable under the PathProven™ Program



Just being "Angus" isn't good enough and for the first time in it's history, Certified Angus Beef ® has created a unique CAB product that is exclusive to PFG.



PFG is an industry leader with PathProven™



- Organized supply chains that create mutually beneficial relationships are important to production agriculture.
- Today's consumer expects transparency and accountability in all things.
- There are first-mover advantages in terms of selecting industry partners when building a supply chain.
- The proven market response is that this approach generates increases in sales and profits.

Current PathProven™ Brands:









WHERE ARE THE DAIRY PRODUCTS?

What we really do



IS DELIVER.

