

# HOW DO YOU MAKE A CHICKEN SALAD?

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...It's not as simple as you might think...

**FARMERS** invest time, money and expertise to produce chickens for us to eat. **ANIMAL WELFARE OFFICERS** rigorously check that the poultry is farmed and its meat produced to the highest standards before the chicken is prepared then cooked in production facilities using equipment designed and maintained by **FOOD INDUSTRY ENGINEERS** using processes developed by **FOOD PROCESS TECHNOLOGISTS**. Crispy salad crops are produced by **GROWERS** to standards developed, overseen and audited by **AGRONOMISTS** and harvested using equipment designed by **AGRICULTURAL ENGINEERS**.

**BUYERS** carefully select the best grade crops which are harvested when the quality is just right and they are then cooled for to keep them fresh. The crispy salad and cooked chicken are sent to the salad manufacturer where they are checked by, the **QUALITY TEAM** to ensure they are the right quality. Tasty dressings are developed by **FOOD SCIENTISTS AND TECHNOLOGISTS** who work with the **PRODUCT DEVELOPMENT TEAM** which creates new recipes with **NUTRITIONISTS**. The Product Developers also work with **FOOD PACKAGING RESEARCHERS** to present the chicken salad in a way that appeals to potential consumers. The **PRODUCTION MANAGER** works with **TEAM LEADERS** to ensure that **PROCESSING OPERATIVES** prepare the chicken salad appropriately. Preparation is monitored by **QUALITY TEAMS** working for the **QUALITY ASSURANCE MANAGER** to ensure good food hygiene and safety procedures are being maintained. The whole process is managed by the **TECHNICAL MANAGER**.

Finally **SALES AND MARKETING** using **THE INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY DEPARTMENT** say when the chicken salad needs be despatched to the shop by the **DISTRIBUTION TEAM** using **CHILLED LOGISTICS SPECIALISTS**.

This is normally on the same day that it is made to make sure that when it gets into your shopping basket it is fresh, wholesome and tasty!

## BET YOU THOUGHT IT ONLY TOOK A BIT OF CHICKEN AND SOME LETTUCE!

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