

Grupo Siesa

Privately owned Grupo SIESA was founded by brothers Carlos and Willy Springmuhl in the early 1980s and today is a leader exporter of pre-packed, ready to eat mange tout (snow peas) and sugar snap peas. Initially supplying US and Canadian customers, the company now supplies supermarkets in the UK and Europe with mange tout, sugar snap peas, fine beans and other pre-packed specialties.

YCM has established a unique reputation worldwide for improving productivity in pack houses by up to 30%. The modular design concept is ideal for export applications and pack house installations can be carried out very rapidly. This latest Marco installation includes a 12 station YCM system based around their operator-friendly LineMaster weighing terminals. YCM brings important controls to the pack house environment where inefficient and time consuming standalone weigh scales have traditionally been used to monitor individual pack weights. In addition to improved productivity, benefits include reduced giveaway (overpack), increased pack house visibility and optimised labour resources.

YCM de-skills the manual packing process and brings significant improvements to line speeds. A simple light system within the workstations tells packers when target weights are reached. Built-in proprietary optimisation software continually monitors individual operator performance, adjusting target weights to ensure minimum giveaway, whilst ensuring packs are within legal tolerances.



Grupo SIESA's Operations Director Willy Springmuhl is delighted with the Marco system:

"Demand for year round, pre-packed fresh produce is growing steadily and we operate in a very competitive market place. Marco understands the challenges we face and their system addresses these without compromise. We have optimized weight control and therefore immediately improved productivity of raw material. The workstations are very simple for our operators to use and we can now monitor individual operator performance"

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