



ADVANCING OUR FOODS

STATE-OF-THE-ART KITCHENS THAT ADVANCE OUR MISSION

Purpose-built from the ground up, our state-of-the-art DogStar® kitchens dramatically enhance our Fresh Regional Ingredient and Biologically Appropriate™ capabilities, which means ACANA and ORIJEN foods will feature fresh meat inclusions previously unheard-of in the pet food industry.

- ▶ **SUPER-SIZED MIXERS AND BLENDERS**
- ▶ **VOTATOR HEAT EXCHANGERS**
- ▶ **HIGH INTENSITY PRECONDITIONERS**
- ▶ **TWIN THERMAL COOKING**
- ▶ **PROPRETIARY MOISTURE REDUCTION SYSTEMS**
- ▶ **SEQUENTIAL INFUSION**

THE BAFRINO RESEARCH & INNOVATION CENTRE

Adjacent to our NorthStar® Kitchens in Morinville, Alberta, Canada, our [BAFRINO Research & Innovation Centre](#) is a world renowned food innovation hub focused upon advancing our Biologically Appropriate™ mission.

Read more about the [BAFRINO Research & Innovation Centre](#)



**DOGSTAR
KITCHENS**

OUR NEW KENTUCKY HOME

**A BRIGHT NEW STAR FOR
THE PET FOOD INDUSTRY.**

DOGSTAR® KITCHENS UNDER CONSTRUCTION

DOGSTAR® KITCHENS

A BRIGHT STAR IN THE GLOBAL PET FOOD INDUSTRY

As the brightest star in the earth's sky, and known in ancient cultures as 'heavenly wolf', the Dog Star represents steadfastness of purpose, symbolizing our commitment to food innovation and earning the trust of pet lovers everywhere.

Purpose-built from the ground up, our state-of-the-art Kentucky DogStar® kitchens dramatically enhance our Fresh Regional Ingredient and Biologically Appropriate™ capabilities, demonstrating our passion for innovation and leadership at every level.

Situated on 85 acres of farmland in Kentucky and designed to make the best and safest dog and cat foods on earth, our DogStar® kitchens exceed the regulatory requirements and track and trace capabilities expected of human food facilities.

And to pet lovers who celebrate authenticity, our DogStar® kitchens will prepare ACANA and ORIJEN exclusively; no other brands, no private label.

We wouldn't have it any other way. We believe you wouldn't either.

THE BEST KITCHENS ANYWHERE

Purpose-built, from the ground up, to advance our Biologically Appropriate™, Fresh Regional Ingredient and Never Outsourced mission, our DogStar® kitchens are dedicated to pet lovers everywhere. Six principals guided our two year state-of-the-art DogStar® kitchen build:

▶ **ADVANCE OUR BIOLOGICALLY APPROPRIATE™ MISSION**

