



## Case Study

# STONEGATE FARMER LTD

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### THE PROJECT

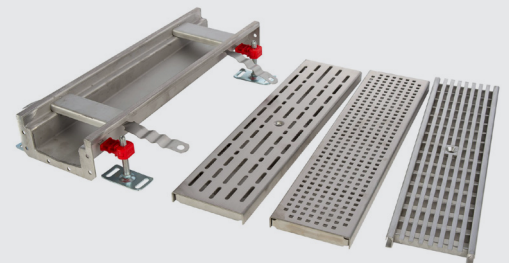
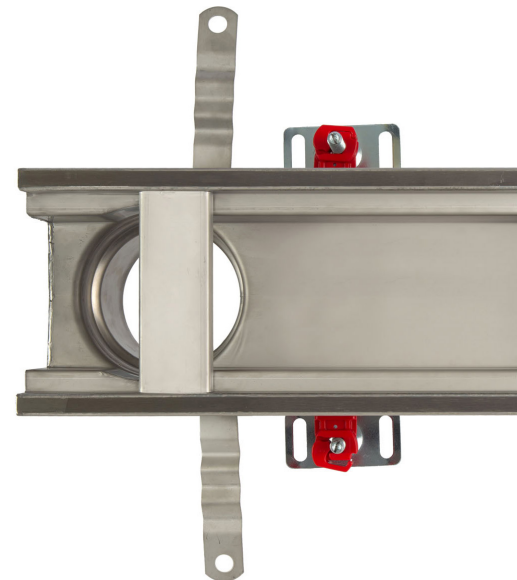
Free-range and organic eggs specialists, Stonegate, collect, grade and package millions of eggs every day at their state-of-the-art facility in Lacock, Wiltshire. The largest and the only dedicated free-range and organic egg packaging operation in the world, Stonegate collects eggs from Britain's hen houses on a daily basis and delivers to some of Britain's leading restaurants, retailers and food manufacturers. Originally founded as a farmers co-operative, Stonegate continues to hold dear the values of family and collaboration, and believes it's vital to the company's success.

### THE BRIEF

When Stonegate wanted to invest in a new robotic packaging line, the company's Engineering Manager approached ACO Building Drainage about providing channel drainage for the new facility. Stonegate wanted a high quality drainage system that would cope with the demands of the new packaging line which processes more than 1.5-million eggs every day. It was important to Stonegate to have a high quality solution that could be supplied within a relatively short time frame and to work with a supplier which could provide technical design support.

### THE SOLUTION

ACO Building Drainage specified its Modular 125 drainage channel system for use throughout the new facility. Available in a choice of lengths, inverters and gratings, Modular 125 is a modular drainage system which can be easily tailored to specific end user needs and which is simply to assemble and install. ACO's in-house technical team designed the new drainage system and were on hand throughout the project to provide technical support as and when required.



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## DRAINAGE FOR FOOD & DRINK MANUFACTURING

Drainage is critical to the success of any food and drink manufacturing facility whether you're an international brewer or a manufacturer of ready meals for a major supermarket. It impacts upon hygienic performance, sustainability and profitability, and ultimately upon public health.

We design and manufacture drainage products that deliver the ultimate hygienic performance and our HygieneFirst philosophy underpins our entire approach to product development.

This includes a commitment to making ongoing and significant investments in R&D, working in partnership with every part of the industry to improve our own knowledge and adhering to the very highest manufacturing and design standards. We were also the first drainage company to become members of the European Hygienic Engineering and Design Group (EHEDG).

Our products are used by a wide variety of food and drink businesses including breweries, dairies, meat and fish processors, and cheese makers in applications including high risk areas, food preparation areas, delivery areas and refrigeration facilities.

## IN WHICH SECTORS DO WE OPERATE?

ACO Building Drainage specialises in the development and manufacture of high performance drainage systems for a wide range of sectors



Food & Drink Manufacture



Commercial kitchens



Hotels



Infrastructure



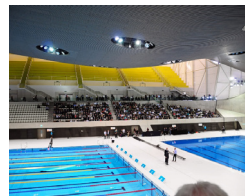
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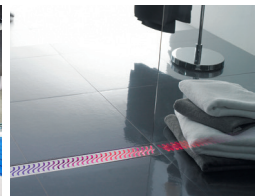
Healthcare



Education



Sport & Leisure



Residential

## CONTACT US

To get advice and technical guidance for your next project, please contact our in-house technical design team. You can also obtain a copy of our full product overview guide by emailing us.



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