



## Sole Source Certification

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### To Whom it May Concern:

Northwest Marine Technology (NMT) is the global leader in fish tagging technology, proudly entering our 55th year of innovation. We design and manufacture proprietary products that, to the best of our knowledge, are unmatched and produced exclusively by NMT. All manufacturing operations are based in Anacortes, Washington, USA.

Our sole-source products include:

- **Coded Wire Tags (CWTs)** and associated injection and detection equipment, including parts and repair services. Each tag batch is custom-made for individual clients and contains unique codes.
- **AutoFish System (AFS)** – equipment, parts, and repair services are manufactured exclusively by NMT.
- **Visible Implant Elastomer (VIE) Tagging System** – uses biocompatible, medical-grade material for internal marks visible externally. Both elastomer material and injection equipment are produced solely by NMT.
- **Visible Implant Alphanumeric Tags** – fluorescent, pliable tags with a three-character alphanumeric coding scheme, along with injection equipment, manufactured exclusively by NMT.

Our current price list is available on our website: [www.nmt.us](http://www.nmt.us). Please contact us if you require additional details.

Sincerely,

Dave Knutzen, CEO