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# VALLIS TRADE ASSURANCE SERVICES (VTAS)

# stock AUDIT and inspections in hargeisa and berbera, SOMALILAND

Vallis Trade Assurance Services (VTAS) was nominated as Independent Surveyors to audit and inspect stock stored in Hargeisa and Berbera, Somaliland.

As part of the inspection, VTAS conducted a stock count, inspected the storage facility and cargo as well as performed sampling and analysis.

Below is a series of photographs that depict the services VTAS provided as part of this contract.

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