

June 9, 2021

AMENDMENT NO. 2

COMMODITY SPECIFICATION

DRIED FRUIT – January 2021

The purpose of this amendment is to revise and clarify the Individual Commodity Specification for Dried Apricot Pieces – 24/1 pound.

- Further clarify color and defect requirements.
- Add allowance and tolerance for optional addition of sulfur treatment

Additions and clarifications are shown in **blue**; strikethroughs are deletions.

INDIVIDUAL COMMODITY SPECIFICATIONS

1. **Grade: Made from apricots equivalent to U.S. Grade B or better, low-moisture apricots in accordance with the United States Standards for Grades of Dehydrated (Low Moisture) Apricots effective date June 30, 1974 with the following clarifications:**

- **Color: the over-all color may vary considerably ranging from slightly dull orange to dull amber.**
- **Absence of Defects: the low-moisture apricots are reasonably free from any defects that affect materially the appearance or eating quality of the low-moisture apricots; and that not more than a total of 10 percent, by weight, of the low-moisture apricots may be damaged units; Provided, that not more than 4 percent, by weight, of the low-moisture apricots may be seriously damaged units (units that are seriously darkened very dark brown to black) or which in any other way seriously affect the appearance of the low-moisture apricots.**

2. ~~**Apricots must not be subjected to sulfur treatment.**~~

7. ~~**Color: Characteristic of unsulfured low-moisture apricots.**~~

2. **Style: Diced or pieces.**

3. **Additives or optional ingredients:**

- **Sodium sulfite or sodium acid sulfite or other FDA approved sulfating agents – up to 2000 parts per million (ppm) (Calculated as sulfur dioxide using the optimized Monier-Williams – AOAC Method 990.28).**

4. **Labeling: A detectable level of a sulfiting agent equal to or above 10 ppm must be declared in the ingredient statement.**

5. **Truckload size: 1,440 cases per truckload.**

6. **Material Code and UPC:**

Dried Fruit	WBSCM Material	Primary Container	Secondary Container
Apricot Pieces - 24/1 pound	111431	7 15001 11431 0	7 15001 11431 7

All other terms and conditions remain unchanged.