

FDA DATA SHEET - FOOD

COMPLETE THE FOLLOWING INFORMATION FOR EACH PRODUCT ON YOUR SHIPMENT

		PRODUCT	T DETAILS						
COMMON / MARKET NAME	HTS CODE		FDA PRODUCT CODE		LOT NUMBER (OPTIONAL)				
COUNTRY OF PRODUCTION	TRY OF PRODUCTION COUNTRY OF ORIGIN			PROCESSING CODE					
QUANT	*EXAMPLE* Quantity of Cases Quantity of Packages in each Case Weight of Each Package								
PACKA ⁽	PROCESSING TYPE								
PRODUCT IS FOR CONSUMPTIO	PRODUCT STORAGE								
		MANUF	ACTURER						
MANUFACTURER COMPANY N	IAME								
ADDRESS	CITY	STATE/PROVINCE ZIP/POSTA		ZIP/POSTAL CODE	COUNTRY				
FOOD FACILITY REGISTRATIO		DUNS NUMBER (IF AVAILABLE)							
CONTACT NAME	eMA	PHONE							
		SHI	PPER						
SHIPPER COMPANY NAME									
ADDRESS		CITY		STATE/PROVINCE		ZIP/POSTAL CODE	COUNTRY		
FOOD FACILITY REGISTRATIO	DUNS NUMBER (IF AVAILABLE)								
CONTACT NAME eMAIL			PHONE						
PR	IOR NOTICE SU	BMITTER (PE	RSON COM	PLETING T	HIS F	ORM)			
CONTACT NAME PHONE NO.			eMAIL						
	FCE - F or products that	OOD CANNIN	ially sterile,	_	r asep	otic)			
FCE REGISTRATION NUMBER	SID NUMBER								
CONTAINER DIMENSION			•						
x	x	_ (INCHES TO T	HE NEAREST 1	/16 OF AN INC	CH)				

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PROCESS INDICATOR		
CODE	NAME	PROCESS TYPE DEFINITION/EXPLANATION
В	Raw	Product is in its natural state, (e.g., fresh, raw and/or natural product). The product is NOT stored or transported refrigerated or frozen, but held in ambient temperatures (e.g., grains, nuts, or seeds, etc.)
С	Raw, Fresh Refrigerated	Product is in its natural state (e.g., fresh, raw and/or natural product). Includes such functions as waxing, polishing, etc. that make a raw product appear better (e.g., fresh product). The product may be fresh packaged and refrigerated or on wet ice. Includes de-headed "shell on" shrimp de-headed and/or gutted whole fish, etc. See also PIC "T."
D	Raw, Fresh Frozen	Product is in natural state (e.g., fresh, raw and/or natural product). The product may be fresh packaged and frozen. Includes frozen deheaded "shell-on" shrimp, de-headed and/or gutted whole fish, etc. See also PIC "T." Note: Filleted. Skinned, fresh fish or peeled/develned shrimp is a processed food and will be in PIC Code "T". For de-headed raw "shell-on" shrimp; gutted and/or de-headed whole fish, etc., use the following PIC codes as applicable: "raw, fresh, refrigerated" use code "C", "raw, fresh frozen" use code "D.".
	Naw, Fresh Frozen	
E	Commercially Sterile	Packed in hermetically sealed containers; then heated to achieve commercial sterility. Product is shelf stable. Examples of commercially sterile products include canned vegetables and canned fish products. Note: canned fruit, most tomato products, and pickled vegetable products do not fall within this process because they are not heated to achieve commercial sterility.
F	Aspetic Pack	Heated to achieve commercial sterility and packed using pre-sterilized containers and closures and then hermetically sealed. Examples of
Н	Dried Natural or Artifical	The product is either dried naturally or by using heat, cold and/ or chemicals. Examples include raisins, dried fruit mixes, nonfat dry milk, etc.
1	Acidified	Packed in hermetically sealed containers; acids or acid foods added to low-acid food(s). May be heat treated or pasteurized. Product is shelf stable. Vegetables such as peppers, pickles and relish are acidified.
N	Heat Treated	Product or concentrate is fully or partially heated (e.g., baked, blanche, cooked, fried, boiled, etc.). The product is not commercially sterile but may be hermetically sealed. Product is not shelf stable (e.g., requires refrigeration or freezing).
0	Pasteurized	Product or concentrate is heated at a temperature of 145°F for 30 minutes or 161°F for 15 seconds. The process will destroy certain disease-producing organisms; destroy or reduce the number of spoilage organisms in certain foods. The product is not commercially sterile but may be hermetically sealed. Product is not shelf stable (e.g., requires refrigeration or freezing). Product labeling in most cases will reflect this process (e.g. crabmeat, apple cider, orange juice, egg nog, etc.).
Р	Cultured or Cured	The product is cultured, fermented, salted (brined), (pickled), smoked cured, sugar cured or has an enzymatic reaction which may be the result of naturally occurring enzymes or chemicals. Examples of cultured or cured products include sauerkraut, wine, aged cheese (hard or soft) and naturally fermented pickles. Note that this does not include products that have been processed by direct acidification (adding an acid ingredient, such as vinegar, directly to the product). Those products are coded as Acidified
R	Irradiated	Product is irradiated. Irradiated products receive treatment with radiation as a method of preservation. This process is used infrequently. Without information from the manufacturer it is difficult to determine whether a product has been irradiated. Examples of products that may be processed in this manner are spices
S	Ultrapasteurized	Product or concentrate is heated between 190-120°F or greater with exposure time from 1 second or greater. The process will destroy certain disease-producing organisms; destroy or reduce the number of spoilage organisms in certain foods. The product is not commercially sterile but may be hermetically sealed. Product is not shelf stable (e.g., requires refrigeration or freezing). Product labeling in most cases will reflect this process (e.g., coffee creamer, shelf-stable milk, etc.).
т	Packaged Food (Not commercially sterile)	These products are not commercially sterile but may be hermetically sealed (e.g., shelf stable fruit drink in cans, tomato juice, and pineapple juice). The product may or may not be shelf-stable (e.g., may be held ambient, refrigerated, or frozen). Processing of the finished product may include any of the following processes: Addition of sauces, breading, etc. Milling, grinding, or mixing of dry ingredients Filleting, skinning fresh fish, shucking shellfish Peeling, deveining raw shrimp
U	Aseptic Lab Analysis - Not For Use As Food	Intended for food samples for analysis that will not be consumed as food
W	LACF Lab Analysis Only - Not for Use as Food	Intended for food samples for analysis that will not be consumed as food
×	Acidified Lab Analysis - Not for Use As Food	Intended for food samples for analysis that will not be consumed as food
Y	N.E.C.	Not Elsewhere Classified - This classification is for products that receive a new or unusual process that does not fit any of the other PICs