

BOGHOSIAN RAISIN PACKING CO., INC.

GROWERS & PACKERS OF CALIFORNIA RAISINS

SFO DRESSED FLAME RAISIN SPECIFICATION **DUTCH VALLEY #340200**

<u>Pieces of Stems:</u>	Maximum one loose vine stem per 300 pounds.	Test Method: Visual
<u>Capstems:</u>	Maximum 8 per 16 ounces.	Test Method: Visual
<u>Embedded Stems:</u>	Maximum 1 embedded stem per 3 pounds.	Test Method: Visual
<u>Sugared:</u>	Maximum 5.0% by weight.	Test Method: Visual
<u>Damaged:</u>	Maximum 3.0% by weight.	Test Method: Visual
<u>Moldy:</u>	Maximum 3.0% by weight.	Test Method: Visual

Substandard Development and Undeveloped:

<u>Select size:</u>	Maximum 1.5% by weight	
<u>Medium/Mixed size:</u>	Maximum 2.0% by weight	
<u>Midget size:</u>	Maximum 3.0% by weight	Test Method: Airstream Sorter
<u>Maturity:</u>	Not less than 70 % by weight, of raisins that are well-matured or reasonably well- matured.	Test Method: Airstream Sorter
<u>Grit, sand, silt, Oor vine sap:</u>	None of any consequence may be present that affects the appearance or edibility of the product.	Test Method: Visual
<u>Moisture Content:</u>	18.0% Maximum	Test Method: DFA Moisture Tester
<u>Oil Dressing:</u>	.5 to 1% by weight – “Tri-Sun” Sunflower Oil	
<u>Packaging:</u>	30 lb. corrugated case, poly-liner within	
<u>Shelf-life:</u>	12 Months from Pack Date	
<u>Storage:</u>	Store in cool (< 50° F), dry, dark place	

Microbiological tests are available at customer’s expense. These tests are handled at a third-party lab in Fresno, California.

DEFINITIONS

Stems: Only scoreable when: length > 2 cm diameter > 3 mm
Embedded Stems: Scoreable when length exceeds, past the outer edge of the berry, by more than 3 mm on each end.
Capstems: Small woody stems exceeding 1/8-inch in length which attach the raisins to the branches of the bunch.
Per Boghosian Raisin Packing Co., Inc. sampling and inspection procedures

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